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The Governors' Issue
The Board of Governors—Alumni Association

Harry G. Hogan, '04, Interim Chairman

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| BRAZIL               | ARTHUR L. DENCHFIELD, '29 | Recife, Brazil (Supt. - Singer Sewing Machine Co.) |
| CANADA               | FRANK J. SCHAUGHNESSY, '96 | Montreal West, P. Q., Canada (president - International league) |
| CAYMAN ISLANDS       | ARTHUR H. HARRINGTON, '39 | Ancon, C. T. (Deputy Shipping Commissioner) |
| CHILE                | ENRIQUE ROSSELOT, '20  | Santiago, Chile (Am. Mgr. - Chile Telephone Co.)    |
| CUBA                 | C. C. FITZGERALD, '94  | Habana, Cuba (Engineer & Constructor)                |
| PERU                 | JOHN J. KINSELLA, '34  | Lima, Peru (Remington Rand Peruanos)                 |
| PUERTO Rico          | PAUL F. McMANUS, '34   | San Juan (importer)                                 |

The Board of Governors has been divided into three major Committees: Executive, Organization, and Finance. The Executive Committee will meet at Notre Dame on July 25-26, the other Committees at a later date, and the entire Board of Governors will convene in late September. A permanent chairman will be elected at that time, and by-laws adopted.
Governors' Meeting Features Reunion

Three Days Are Highlighted by Sessions Given Over to New Organization in Alumni Association; Class Reunions Return to Pre-War Stature; Alumni of 50 Years and More Honored; 1922 Class Sets New High in Achievement

Commencement, 1947, was highlighted by the atmosphere of achievement attending the organization of the Alumni Association program under the expanded system of State and Foreign Governors, and by the return to pre-World War II effectiveness in the Class Reunions.

Throughout the entire weekend, President Harry G. Hogan, the 14 State Governors who came to the campus, the Alumni Board members present, gave unsparingly of their time in meetings to develop details of the new program. On the strength of this early getting together of the men who could voice coast-to-coast reactions, the progress of the new program was greatly accelerated and the confidence of the Alumni Board and the University in the project was confirmed. (The details of organization are summarized in a separate story, and many of the broader approaches are contained in the Alumni Banquet addresses of Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., and Harry G. Hogan reprinted in this issue). It will not be possible in the space at hand to give proper credit to the many men in the Classes who made the Reunions a success, or to the men on the campus who contributed to the success of the weekend for alumni, particularly. It should mean much that, with a Senior Class of 713, there was time and facilities available for all of the other phases of the program.

Residence halls were ready for returning alumni on Thursday night, to accommodate the early arrivals who took advantage of the Memorial Day holiday. And by the time of the Memorial Mass on Friday morning celebrated by Father Cavanaugh for the dead of the World Wars, registration was in full swing. This year a registration booth at the main campus entrance was utilized to make alumni registration and hall distribution easier.

Relaxing alumni got out their golf clubs. The State Governors swung instead into their first session at 11 o'clock on Friday, with members of the University administration and the Alumni Board sitting in.

Weather moved the big 25-Year Reunion of the Class of 1922 from the proposed Diamond Lake site into the Town Club, South Bend, but seemed to have no effect on the ultimate fact that, with the President's Luncheon on Saturday, the Class enjoyed the biggest Reunion program, with the largest percentage of return (see pictures and Class News) in the recent years of Class Reunion history.

The alumni of 1897 and earlier years were honored guests at a dinner on Friday night, providing some of the most inspiring Notre Dame spirit of the weekend. No one could listen to these graduates of more than half a century ago, or look at the record which their ranks brought out, and fail to realize that Notre Dame's greatness is the result of long planning, and sound training, with resulting loyalty and rich alumni threads woven through the fabric of American life. This small but distinguished group

COVER PICTURES

Top Row—LEFT: Clarence McCabe, '22, Jim Hayes, '17, and Leo Mullin, '11. (from left) registering at campus entrance. CENTER: Baccalaureate Mass. RIGHT: Michael J. Ney, '37 (left), and Jim McMahon, '17, registering in Alumni Office.

Second Row—LEFT: Commencement. RIGHT: Alumni Banquet.

Third Row—LEFT: Recipients of the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws, with Father John Cavanaugh: from left, L. A. O'Shaughnessy, lay trustee; Mother M. Rose Elizabeth, C.S.C., Superior General of the Sisters of the Holy Cross; Most Rev. Lawrence L. Graner, C.S.C., Bishop of Dacca, India; General George C. Kenney; Rt. Rev. Msgr. William L. Newton. The late Rev. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., former president, also received an honorary degree but was unable to be present at the Commencement.

RIGHT: The 1922 reunioners who traveled farthest to attend the reunion, with Father Cavanaugh: from left, Vince Hanrahan, Canal Zone, Luis Bustamente, Colombia, S. A., and Charlie Hirschbühl, Portland, Ore.

of men (see pictures and Class News) attended the 25-Year Luncheon and the Alumni Banquet as honored guests.

The Class of 1917, with a 30-Year party at B. J. Voll's nearby home, was running the 1922 Class close competition for enthusiasm, and attendance.

The Class of 1927 occupied the Bronze-wood Room of the LaSalle on Friday night, for its 20th, while the Oliver housed the well-attended 15th of 1932, the 10th of 1937, and 5th of 1942.

Saturday
After the Memorial Mass for Deceased Alumni in Sacred Heart Church, the State Governors resumed their session. The Class of 1947 made its first Commencement appearance in cap and gown for its Last Visit and the Class Day Exercises and Award of Prizes.

At noon a full faculty dining room greeted Father Cavanaugh at his luncheon for the 25-Year Class and guests.

Coach Clarence "Jake" Kline had attempted to brighten both Friday and Saturday afternoons with baseball on Cartier Field, losing the Friday game to Western Michigan and the weatherman, but coming back on Saturday against the same opponent for a victorious conclusion to an outstanding season.

The Alumni Banquet
With a head table featuring the Golden Jubilee Reunioners, the joint administration heads of the University, the Alumni Association and the Congregation of Holy Cross (U. S. Province), Bishop Lawrence Graner, C.S.C., D.D., alumni bishop of Dacca, newly consecrated, I. A. O'Shaughnessy, and General Kenney the Commencement speaker, more than 600 alumni listened to the baccalaureate sermon (contained in this issue of the ALUMNUS in full).

The 1947 Flag, presented in a renewal of Washington Birthday exercises this year, was blessed, but the traditional procession bowed to the elements.

A clearer afternoon found a standing-room-only crowd on hand for the awarding of the 713 degrees and the outstanding address of General George C. Kenney, U.S.A. (also contained in complete text in this issue of the ALUMNUS).

GOVERNOR PLAN APPROVED
"The program proposed by President Harry Hogan and the new Alumni Board is marvelous. It will implement the progress of Notre Dame and enable Notre Dame alumni to contribute the religious and civic leadership which the Alumni Association has been urging in its program through the years. The combination of practical support for Notre Dame with the mutual intellectual and spiritual advancement marks a new high in Notre Dame alumni life." (Thomas F. Byrne, honorary president of the Alumni Association)

In a renewal of its traditional Sunday luncheon in formal organization, the Notre Dame monogram alumni met and elected Joseph Boland of South Bend as national president to succeed Joseph Brandy of Ogdenburg, N. Y. Plans for the enlarging of the program of the organization were announced and discussed, to be put into effect within the year.

There were many features of the weekend, faculty open house, reception for parents of '47 graduates, and others, which cannot be detailed. It must suffice to say that the 102nd Commencement of Notre Dame was in keeping with the rich tradition of its century-old pattern.

FACULTY AWARD TO GURIAN
Dr. Waldemar Gurián, professor of Political Science and nationally prominent authority on Russia, has been named the 1947 recipient of the Notre Dame Lay Faculty Award for distinguished service during the 1946-47 schoolyear at Notre Dame, it was announced on June 1 at the 102nd Commencement.

The prize, which carries a $500 purse, is awarded annually by the Alumni Association to the outstanding member of the faculty at Notre Dame. Dr. Gurián also is editor of the Review of Politics, which is published at Notre Dame.

A recognized authority on bolshevistic and fascistic trends, Dr. Gurián came to Notre Dame in 1937 from Germany via Switzerland. One time editor of the Cologne Volkszeitung and a lecturer in the School of Politics in Berlin, he was forced to flee to Switzerland in 1934 because of his antipathy towards Hitlerism, expressed in his book Hitler and the Christians and other published works.

Bernie Voll (in the lower right hand corner) was, as in 1937 and 1942, host to the class of 1917 at a party in his home on Friday night, May 30.
Organization Program Outlined For Clubs

President Hogan Sets Up Plan to Coordinate and Supplement Work of All Notre Dame Clubs; Financial Need Is Key to All Phases of University Operations; Governors Are Appointed in U. S. and Abroad; Executive Committee Named

The Notre Dame Alumni Association is at present intensively engaged in the organization of a program which will mark a milestone in the life of Notre Dame to which both University and alumni may point as the greatest in the history of the institution.

That is a broad statement, with 105 years of history and many splendid achievements behind us.

And it is difficult to picture, on two counts. The first count is that the blueprint—no matter how confident we are of its merits—is never as attractive or as clear as the building which follows.

The second count, and most immediately regrettable, is the inability to put down here for you the endless hours of planning—the deliberations of the Alumni Board; the visits from coast to coast and at the University of President Harry Hogan; the daily phone calls to keep the Alumni Office and the Association's administration in harmonious operation; the meetings with Father Cavanaugh and his assistants; the meetings with the Lay Trustees, the many letters between President Hogan and the Clubs, the Alumni Board and others involved in the early developments; the early research necessary to provide an intelligent backdrop for the new program—etc.

So will you simply, as Notre Dame men, accept now a brief summarization of the new program and its purposes. Details will be supplied in the months and the years ahead as sound performance justifies what we are all convinced at present is the road map of Notre Dame's destiny.

1. Harry G. Hogan, meeting with the Alumni Board in January as its newly elected president, analyzed the University and Association programs and proposed that the financial program is the key to all the other phases included.

2. After visiting in New York, after consulting his fellow alumni in his home town of Fort Wayne, after talking with Father Cavanaugh, he outlined an organization of alumni by States, under alumni governors.

3. The State Governor is set up to coordinate and supplement the work of the scattered Notre Dame Clubs. Club jurisdiction remains intact, and the Clubs have been the first to recognize and sanction the far-reaching progress under the new plan. (The new program, with a Governor in each State, brings a national geographic distribution not previously attained.)

4. On a previously planned trip to South America, the new Alumni President, projecting the Governor idea into broader spheres, appointed Notre Dame alumni governors in the Latin American countries he visited, and sowed the seed for much constructive work throughout the hemisphere.

5. On President Hogan's return to the United States in April, he began the intensive work of appointing, in conjunction with Father Cavanaugh and the University departments, the State Governors.

Each Club was first asked to suggest State Governor nominees.

The prompt acceptance of the ultimate
assignment by Governors in all of the 48 States by June 1 was the most significant tribute to the merit of the new plan and the existing enthusiastic Notre Dame loyalty.

6. A preliminary meeting of the Governors at the June Commencement resulted in the formation of a Board of Governors, with President Hogan as the interim chairman, J. E. Armstrong as the interim secretary.

7. President Hogan was empowered to appoint an executive committee, and plans are now under way for a meeting of that committee at Notre Dame on July 25-26.

8. The Commencement meeting also clarified the path of the new program under two fundamental headings:

a. The organization of City Committees of Five, to be designated Public Relations Committees (under Club procedure where Clubs exist, as provided in the Manual of Club Organization, or under the State Governor in non-Club cities). These Committees will go about the intensive job of cultivating the non-alumni friends of Notre Dame and further educating alumni in the community, interpreting through regular contact from the campus the progress and problems of Notre Dame.

b. The translation of this public relations job of education, and friend-making, into the logical corollary of seeking from the communities the financial support necessary for the University to realize its opportunities and its obligations.

9. The Alumni Fund, and the Department of Public Relations, will continue to contribute their progressive aid to the University, but the urgent needs of the University, the immediate postwar opportunities, and the tremendous national potential of friendship and support untouched by present programs, dictated some immediate channel for quick but sound and dignified expansion.

10. Temporary bulletins have been sent periodically to a mailing list consisting of the Alumni Board, the Board of Governors, the Alumni Club Presidents, the Lay Trustees of the University and the University administration.

a. Fundamental in the new plan is, of course, the complete integration of all the agencies and individuals concerned with advancing the interests of Notre Dame.

11. Alumni will, under the new program, constitute a committee of the whole to advance Notre Dame's interests.

The new program will be based on a thorough analysis of Notre Dame's financial history—the brilliant record of a hundred years of doing so much with so little. It will analyze the changes in structure which no longer permit this type of progress. It will present an analysis of the comparative position of Notre Dame's finances in relation to that of comparable institutions.

CLASSES VOICE ENTHUSIASM

"The Class of 1942 falls in line on enthusiastically endorsing the new Alumni Program . . . ." (William E. "Scoop" Scamman, Class Secretary)

"May I voice my enthusiastic approval and sincere endorsement of the new alumni program just initiated by the President and Board of Directors of the Alumni Association. I hope to do all that I can to help in the attainment of the methods and objectives as outlined by Father Cavanaugh and President Harry Hogan at the alumni banquet. With prayers and every good wish for success . . . ." (Rev. John MacNamara, Secretary of the Class of 1897)

It will also provide alumni with a picture of the Notre Dame of the future as projected by Father Cavanaugh and his administration—the fundamentals which will remain, the buildings necessary to house the University as projected, the faculty necessary to staff the projected program, and the fellowships and scholarships necessary to provide the student personnel desired in the projected institution.

It is President Hogan's belief—endorsed by Father Cavanaugh, the Lay Trustees who have discussed the program, the Governors appointed, and the many Club officers, and individual alumni contacted—that Notre Dame must go forward under this new program, or admit that it cannot meet the challenge of the present. That is all the Notre Dame man needs to know, they all agree, to give the new program full support.

LUNCHEON AT ACS MEETING

Thirty-two alumni of the University attended a luncheon on April 16 in the Ritz-Carleton Hotel, Atlantic City, as a feature of the convention of the American Chemical Society. Arrangements were made by Dr. James F. Kerwin, of Smith, Kline and French Laboratories, Philadelphia.

Chief speaker at the luncheon was Dr. Charles Price, head of the Chemistry Department at Notre Dame, who discussed briefly the present status of the department, with particular reference to the various grants-in-aid and fellowships now available. Other Notre Dame faculty members present were Dr. Kenneth N. Campbell, Dr. Christopher L. Wilson and Dr. Milton Burton.


Dr. Frank J. Sowa is making arrangements for a similar meeting of Notre Dame alumni to be held in connection with the ACS convention in New York City in September.

At the Atlantic City gathering, Dr. Price presented a paper embodying the latest discoveries in the preparation of artificial cortical hormones that regulate fluids in the body; Dr. Campbell discussed anti-malarial research at Notre Dame; and Dr. Wilson, his research in the reaction of furan compounds.

A plastic glue, strong enough to support a locomotive, and with greater resistance to water, ice, heat and salt spray than ever before achieved, was described at the meeting. The two chemists who developed the new technique for producing the glue are Fritz J. Nagel, B.S., '41, M.S., '42, and Elizabeth M. Ackermann, both of the Westinghouse Research Laboratories, East Pittsburgh, Pa.

CLASS OF '22 GOES ON RECORD

"The Class of 1922 strongly endorses the aims of the Administration of the University and the Alumni Association, and we aim to assist the program by doing all in our power to provide the necessary funds. We pledge our full support to Father John Cavanaugh and Harry Hogan." (Gerard "Kid" Ashe, Secretary of the Class)
I. The Board of Governors: Executive Committee*

[Harry G. Hogan, Interim Chairman]

* These are the members of the first Committee organized from the new Board of Governors. They will meet at Notre Dame on July 25-26. The other State Governors have been divided into Organization and Finance Committees. These Committees will meet shortly after the Executive Committee Meeting, and a general meeting of the Board will be held at Notre Dame late in September. Pictures of the Governors comprising the other Committees will be published in subsequent issues of the ALUMNUS.
RECLAMATION OF INDEPENDENCE by Willis D. Nutting. Berliner & Lanigan. Nevada City, Calif. $3.00

Willis Nutting, associate professor of history at Notre Dame, has a quiet way that is nevertheless firm, and it grows on the reader as he turns the pages of this book so beautifully printed and published by two Notre Dame alumni, their first venture in book-making.

What Mr. Nutting says is that if men want independence they can have it. They will have to pay for it and are only romanticists if they think they can have it without effort and pains and plenty of sacrifice. A "free life" in the author's conception is not so much a life of unrestraint as a life not subject to bosses and to management from outside. And that kind of life is a fundamental American ideal.

A nation of employees, however, who vote every year or two hardly is a nation of freedom. "Even a highly paid and important employee is still deprived of the opportunity of making the great decisions concerning his work and his life." At least in the economic order he is told what to do, when to do it, and through someone's petulance, prejudice or favoritism he may arbitrarily be deprived of his job. This condition is not the way of a free man.

In a series of delightful and simple chapters Mr. Nutting traces the record of the American's losing much of the American ideal in the line of freedom, and also shows on the positive side how, if a man wants freedom, it is possible for untold thousands to reclaim their independence. The positive reply of the author is that men more and more reclaim independence the more they make things for themselves and in that way remain free or become free. For example the more they produce their own food the less dependent they are on a system of Capital and Labor, finance and distribution and the ever-mounting costs.

Of particular interest to college men and alumni is the chapter on "The manifold opportunity," showing the part that lawyers, engineers, and teachers can play in reclaiming independence for those ready to do their own part.

The book is balanced and calm, the work of a man who has thought long on the subject, answered many questions about it, and who above all has lived for some years the way of life he describes. Mr. Nutting and his family live on a small acreage near Notre Dame where they have the time of their lives planning what they will have in their own home and their garden, and where, with the help of the garden, the pig and the beneficent family cow, they manage to produce much of their food.

A big hand is coming to Harry Berliner, '45 and Joe Lanigan, '44, who have spared no effort or labor, or fine yellow paper either, to give us this tiptop product of book-making, a book nice to feel and easy on the eyes. The book makes an excellent gift.

—(Rev.) Leo R. Ward, G.S.C.

THE BEGINNING OF GOODNESS by Columba Cary-Elwes, Fides Publishers, South Bend, Ind., $1.00.

James Cunningham, '44, publicity director for the Fides Publishers, a Catholic Action Press located in South Bend, has directed The Beginning of Goodness to our attention.

This book will be of great interest to recent Catholic graduates for its ninety-three pages adapts moral theology to the needs of the young layman. No one can read this work without realizing how fully the author has grasped the necessity of bringing to bear in a practical manner the religious teaching of early years.

The author, a Monk of Ampleforth, England, after speaking of the Will of God and the power of prayer, gives an essentially constructive chapter on Some Virtues and Vices in the World. He discusses plainly drink, marriage, modesty, lust and other commonly talked-of matters.

Thou Art My Strength, by Norbert Engels, '26, professor of English, a collection of five religious poems based on the principal parts of the Mass, will be published in mid-summer by the Benedictine Press, St. Meinrad, Ind.

Professor Engels, author of numerous essays, poetic works, musical compositions and drawings which have appeared in national publications, also is the author of a new book, Man About the House, which will be published early next year by Prentice-Hall, Inc., publishing firm in New York City. This book is a collection of essays and drawings which have appeared previously in various Catholic periodicals and popular craft magazines.

BOY LEADERSHIP COURSE AT N.D.

The second in the transcontinental series of Summer School of Boy Leadership sponsored annually by the Knights of Columbus Boy Life Bureau will open at Notre Dame on Monday morning, July 21, and will continue through Saturday noon, July 26. This will be the twenty-first year that the Knights of Columbus have sponsored this summer training course, the first one being held at Notre Dame in 1924.

The Notre Dame session, designed for the training of the volunteer worker, in the field of leisure-time guidance of youth, is open to any Catholic man, and will be conducted by the professionally trained and experienced staff of the Boy Life Bureau headed by John J. Conway, '26, and including William L. Piedmont, '39, Frank J. Carr, '31, and Leo F. Carty. Notre Dame faculty members and visiting lecturers who will make presentations during the week's training period, will include Rev. William F. Cunningham, C.S.C., director of the faculty at the University, and special consultant to the Order's committee that initiated the Boy movement; Rev. Raymond W. Murray, C.S.C., head of the Department of Sociology; Rev. Vincent Mooney, C.S.C., C.Y.O. director of the Columbus, O., diocese; and Kenneth E. Cook, '26, national director of Catholic Service, Boy Scouts of America.

Rev. Howard Kenna, C.S.C., director of studies, will accept registrations for the course. The fee of $25 will cover the entire expense of the training, including lodging in one of the residence halls on the campus, and meals served in the University Dining Hall. Full details may be secured by writing to John J. Conway, Executive Director, Knights of Columbus Boy Life Bureau, P. O. Drawer 1670, New Haven 7, Conn.
A Challenge to Notre Dame Clubs

Here is a challenge, from the Notre Dame Club of New York to all the other Notre Dame clubs!

Deeply convinced of the desirability of upholding the academic projects of the University, the New York Club, through its Trust Fund trustees, on May 29 sent to Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president, two checks: one for $1,000 and the other for $1,500.

The check for $2,500 was contributed toward the expenses of a series of conferences on the relationship between eternal and the positive law, and toward the publication of the fruits of such conferences.

The check for $1,500 was contributed to the Bureau of Economic Research in the University which is attempting "to seek out the basic facts in our confusing economic life."

The challenge flung out by the New York Alumni Club is in connection with the second of these checks.

The Board of Trustees of the Trust Fund of the club, in sending the thousand and dollar check to the University, "directed that in the event that any other alumni club contributes $500 to the University for the Bureau of Economic Research the New York Club will automatically increase its contribution from $1,000 to $1,500." The secretary was directed to notify all other Notre Dame clubs of this decision.

In writing to the Alumni Office about this meaningful decision, Robert A. Hamilton, '28, executive secretary of the Trust Fund, said, "all acceptances of this challenge should be sent to you—copy to me." Communications to Bob can be addressed to the Notre Dame Club of New York, 60 E. 42nd St., New York City.

Who will be the first? Step right up! In expressing the University's gratitude for the magnificent gifts, and for the significant understanding which prompted them, Father Cavanaugh expressed much of the school's aim in educating men. He wrote:

"Your trust fund would never have been established if the Notre Dame alumni of New York had not been motivated by a powerful devotion to their school and what it stands for.

"The University is proud to co-sponsor with the New York Alumni Club of the lecture series on the relationship between eternal and positive law. We can reasonably hope that the publication of these lectures will help to narrow the breach between the natural law and the positivistic attitude of so many jurists. We may even hope that the publication of the lectures will be a landmark in American jurisprudence."

"The gift to the Bureau of Economic Research is a generous gesture in support of an effort to seek out the basic facts in our confusing economic life.

"The University is not interested only in producing ideas that will influence our society. We are primarily interested in training alumni who are imbued with those ideas. Your generous gifts in furtherance of our ideals are a source of sincere gratitude to us, but our gratitude is surpassed by our pride in having you as our alumni."

At the same meeting at which it voted to contribute a total of $3,500 to University academic projects, the Trust Fund trustees of the New York Club voted favorably on two other proposals: a contribution of nearly $600 to the Fifth Annual Alumni Fund (for which the Alumni office repeats here its sincerest thanks); and the re-establishment of the club's annual scholarship award, suspended for several years on account of the war. The award, offering tuition expenses for four years at Notre Dame, is open to any Catholic man of the New York area who graduated from high school in January or June, 1947. Closing date for this year's applications was June 30.

1947 ORDINATION CLASS

Twelve seminarians of the Congregation of Holy Cross were, on June 13, ordained to the priesthood by Most Rev. Lawrence L. Graner, C.S.C., newly-consecrated Bishop of Dacca, India, in ceremonies in Sacred Heart Church.


FROM COACH TO COACH

"Congratulations on the new alumni program. It looks like a winner. You have fine material in the Notre Dame alumni, and they have a great coach in you. In my opinion the combination can't be beat."

(Frank Lechy, Director of Athletics.)
Interpreting Notre Dame to the Public

N.D. Plans $12,000,000 Building Program

This is an architect’s drawing of the under

$750,000 Hall
For Graduate Students First

BY RAY GREGG.
Traverse City, Mich.
A campus building program involving more than $12,000,000, in
close cooperation with growing enrolment, was announced Saturday at the Univer-
sity of Notre Dame.
The first project on the list is a $750,000, residence hall for
graduate students, recommended by Rev. John Carney, S.J., presi-
dent of the university.

liberal and fine arts building, memorial chapel, new student
chemistry and physics hall, and new gymnasium. Arrangements
for these structures, as well as

“The building program will be augmented with construc-
tion of one or two addition

Notre Dame men will not have the burden of interpreting Notre Dame
by themselves. The University De-
partment of Public Information and
the friendly press and radio, increas-
ingly staffed with Notre Dame men, assist, as these random clippings
readily indicate.
Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., '16, who as president guided Notre Dame through the trying period of World War II and saw the school reach its highest enrollment following the war, died in the University Infirmary at 5 p.m. on Thursday, June 12.

When Father O'Donnell was buried on Monday, June 16, the present ALUMNUS was ready for the press. There wasn't time, therefore, to prepare adequately a full appreciation of a man who, in so many devoted ways, had touched so many phases of Notre Dame life during practically all his adult days. Such an appreciation must be held for future issues.

This, then, is merely the journalistic record of Father O'Donnell, prepared so that the thousands of alumni who knew him will, hearing of his death, pray for the repose of his soul and at the same time take from the courage of his last days a new realization of Notre Dame spirit.

Father O'Donnell's death resulted from cancer of the pancreas. Taken ill in February, 1947, with what appeared to be jaundice, as he was about to leave on a mission to South America for the Congregation of Holy Cross, he went instead to the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., where an operation disclosed his incurable condition. Because of the shock of the operation to his system he was not told immediately about the nature of his disease. It was not until he was in the Notre Dame Infirmary some weeks later that Father Thomas A. Steiner, C.S.C., and Father Matthew J. Walsh, C.S.C, told him that he had only a few months to live.

Characteristically, he asked the two priests to accompany him to the Infirmary chapel, where he made an act of resignation to the Divine Will. From that moment until his death, he maintained a cheerful outlook, welcomed visitors to his room and during most of the time maintained a large personal correspondence with the aid of a secretary.

On Sunday, June 1, Father O'Donnell received at the Commencement the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws in recognition of his long and heroic service to the University. He could not be present in person to receive the award.

Amidst expressions of deep sympathy from the great and the small of the country, Father O'Donnell was buried in the Community cemetery at Notre Dame, following solemn requiem Mass in Sacred Heart Church. Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C, who succeeded Father O'Donnell as president of the University, celebrated the Mass. Rev. J. Howard Kenna, C.S.C, director of studies, was deacon, Rev. Francis J. Boland, C.S.C, subdeacon, and Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C, master of ceremonies. There was no sermon. Father Cavanaugh also gave the final prayers at the grave.

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Father O'Donnell was an honor student and well known football player at Notre Dame, winning a monogram as a center in 1915. After receiving his Litt.B. degree in 1916, he entered the seminary of the Congregation of Holy Cross. In the spring of 1923 Father O'Donnell was named rector of Badin Hall and in 1924 he became prefect of discipline, a post which he held until 1931. He also served as a professor of history at the University. From 1931 to 1943 he was president of St. Edward's University, Austin, Texas, and for the next six years, vice-president of Notre Dame.
Twenty-six students of the University, who distinguished themselves scholastically and in extra-curricular activities during the 1946-47 schoolyear, were honored with awards at annual Class Day Exercises conducted in conjunction with the 102nd Commencement. The awards were presented by the Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president of the University.

Four members of the famous Notre Dame debate team which won 42 out of 49 matches during the season recently concluded and which finished in a tie for third place in the national tournament, were awarded public debate medals at the exercises. They are: Frank Finn, Denison, Tex., Timothy E. Kelly, Bay City, Mich., and Samuel J. Hazo and James P. Beymer, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

**MEEHAN MEDAL TO JOHNSTON**

The Meehan Medal for Literary Merit was awarded to John H. Johnston, Norfolk, Va. Arthur Stephen Harvey, C.S.C., Washington, D.C., won the Mitchell Memorial Award for Playwriting.

The Farabaugh Prize for Law was presented to John H. Merryman, Portland, Ore. James E. Houghton, South Bend, was awarded the Miles O'Brien Prize for excellence in Mechanical Drawing, and Theodore W. Havey, Jr., Lexington, Ky., won the John J. O'Brien Prize for excellence in shop work.

In the College of Law, Arthur M. Diamond, South Bend, was given the Haynes Award to the senior in the College of Law who has the best record in scholastic grades, application, deportment, and achievement, along with the qualifications for admission to the bar and practice of law. Gerald A. Kamm, Mishawaka, Ind., and Robert L. Miller, South Bend, won the Vint D. Vaughan Memorial Prizes for Law, given to two students in the Law School who are most proficient in moot court trial practice.

**KERVICK MEDAL TO GONZALEZ**

The Andrew F. Kervick Gold Medal for Drawing, awarded to the student of the Department of Architecture whose work in freehand drawing is of highest merit, was presented to Bonventura Gonzales, Dallas, Tex. Luigi A. Scibelli, Malden, Mass., won the Nellie Wynn Kervick Gold Medal for Architecture, given to the third-year student whose work for the first three years in courses of architecture has been of highest merit.

Jerome V. Blatz, Minneapolis, was awarded the Msgr. Francis A. O'Brien Prize for special study and distinction in an historical essay. The J. Sinnott Meyers Burse in Journalism was presented to William W. Wicks, Chicago, for excellence in editorial composition.

**LOYAL SUPPORT FROM CHICAGO**

“"The Chicago Club is greatly enthused in the Alumni Association’s program for increasing endowment. We feel that by its continuous application and intelligent direction great accomplishment will be achieved. On behalf of all our members we offer our cooperation and loyal support.” (Notre Dame Club of Chicago, Tom McCabe, President)

Robert J. McBride, of Lancaster, O., won the Bryan V. Kanaley Prize awarded to the senior monogram athlete adjudged most exemplary as a student and leader of men. The Rev. J. Hugh O’Donnell Trophy, for highest combined merit of scholarship in naval science subjects and naval aptitude, was awarded to Marvin E. Pinaire, New Albany, Ind.

The Navigation Award, presented by the Navy Department to the student in the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps attaining the highest average in navigation subjects, was awarded to George H. Wrape, Clayton, Mo. The Chicago Tribune Gold Medal for Military Merit to students in the ROTC attaining the highest averages in military subjects was won by Isaac P. Rehkof, Petoskey, Mich., and the Silver medal in the same classification was awarded to Marvin E. Pinaire, New Albany, Ind.

**NOTRE DAME DEBATE**

Notre Dame and Army, perennial contenders for the national intercollegiate football championship, almost met at West Point on May 4 to decide the intercollegiate debating championship of the United States.

The occasion was the National Intercollegiate Debate tournament at the United States Military Academy. Each competing against the best twenty-nine debate teams from an original field of teams from more than 500 college and universities, Notre Dame and Army finished in a tie for third place.

Notre Dame gained some consolation, however, in the fact that as a result of their excellent showing in the national debate tournament, the N. D. debaters now rank as the leading debate team in the midwest and also are listed as the top debate team representing Catholic universities in the nation. Representing the Irish in the national tourney were Frank Finn, Denison, Tex., and Timothy Kelly, Bay City, Mich. They were coached by Prof. Leonard Sommer of the Speech Department.

**IRISH OVER NAVY**

During the elimination rounds of the West Point tourney, Notre Dame defeated Gonzaga, Penn State, Louisiana, Utah, Wake Forest and the U. S. Naval Academy.

Just prior to the close of the regular schoolyear, Notre Dame and St. Mary’s College joined talents to produce “Iolanthe,” a Gilbert and Sullivan musical. This year’s presentation marked the first appearance of the St. Mary’s college
Savoyards on the Washington Hall stage. The show ran for six nights. Professor Cecil Birder directed.

In turn, the Notre Dame Glee Club journeyed to St. Mary's to give a joint concert with the St. Mary's Glee Club on April 29. St. Mary's choral unit rendered the first portion of the program, Notre Dame the second, and both groups joined forces in the final portion. The combined St. Mary's-Notre Dame Glee Clubs are planning to hold similar concerts during the coming fall and spring semesters.

Rev. John H. Murphy, C.S.C., vice-president, joined William Fox, sports editor of the Indianapolis News; South Bend's Joe Boland, WSBT sportscaster; John Wooden, basketball coach of Indiana State Teachers College; Paul D. (Tony) Hinkle, basketball coach and director of athletics, Butler University; Adolph Rupp, basketball coach of the University of Kentucky; and Jim Costin, sports editor of the South Bend Tribune in honoring the 1946-47 version of the Fighting Irish basketball team at a testimonial banquet on April 1 in the Indiana Club, South Bend.

The banquet, sponsored by the Villagers Club, composed of students whose homes are in South Bend, was a revival of a pre-war annual event, and, like its predecessors, it was a standout. The Villagers deserve applause, again.

The 1947 Dome has not come off the press as yet. Editor John Walker, Elgin, Ill., hopes to have the first post-war Dome in the mails by September. The Scholastic, student weekly, will probably put in a brief appearance during the summer term. It is rumored that two issues will be published. The Juggler, new literary version of the old Scrip, made its second appearance in the second week of May.

POLITICAL SCIENTISTS AT N. D.

Recent activities on the Notre Dame campus saw 300 outstanding political scientists from the midwest assemble for their fifth annual conference on May 2, 3, and 4. In welcoming the political scientists Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., warned that the un-American and un-Christian doctrines the United States defeated abroad in World War II are "spreading here at home and are causing grave and justifiable concern." Other speakers included: William P. Maddock, director of the Foreign Service Institute of the State Department; Dr. Arthur W. Macmahon, of Columbia University, president of the American Political Science Association; and Dr. Paul Bartholomew of Notre Dame.

Leading Atomic Scientists at N. D.

Meet in Four-Day Session to Discuss Radiation Chemistry and Photochemistry; First Symposium of Its Kind

Leading atomic energy scientists from the United States, Great Britain and Canada participated in a special four day symposium on Radiation Chemistry and Photochemistry on June 24-27 at Notre Dame.

Purpose of the symposium, the first of its kind involving both radiation chemists and photochemists, was to discuss some of the fundamental phenomena in the two allied fields. Study in both fields played a prominent part in the development of the atomic bomb during World War II.

Dr. Milton Burton, professor of chemistry, was chairman in charge of arrangements and secretary for the four-day meeting. Dr. Burton was chief of the Radiation Chemistry section at the atomic energy project at Chicago and at Oak Ridge, Tenn., during the war, part of that time on leave of absence from Notre Dame.

Of special interest was the participation of Prof. James Franck, of the University of Chicago, who is called the Father of Modern Photochemistry, and Prof. Robert Spence, director of the Chemical Division of the British Atomic Energy project at Harwell, England. Professor Franck, winner of the Nobel Prize in 1925 and professor of Physical Chemistry at Chicago, headed the chemical division of America's Manhattan project.

Opening day addresses were given by Dr. S. C. Lind, dean emeritus of the School of Chemistry, University of Minnesota, and author of the first book on Radiation Chemistry in 1921, who was general chairman of the meetings; Dr. E. W. R. Steacie, Director of the Chemical Division of the National Research Council of Canada at Ottawa and head of the Chemical Division of Canada's atomic energy project; Dr. J. O. Hirschfelder, professor of Chemistry at the University of Wisconsin, who acted as chief phenomenologist at last year's atom bomb tests at Bikini, and Dr. George Glocker, chairman of the Department of Chemistry, University of Iowa.

Second-day sessions papers were presented by Dr. J. A. Hipple, head of the Nuclear Physics Division of the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, D. C.; George C. Eltenton, an executive with the Shell Development Company, Emeryville, Calif.; Dr. A. O. Allen, who succeeded Dr. Burton as head of the Radiation Chemistry branch at Oak Ridge; and Dr. F. S. Dainton, lecturer at Cambridge University in England, who was connected with Canada's Chalk River atomic energy project during the war.

Four of the nation's outstanding photochemists spoke on June 26, on some of the basic processes in Photochemistry. They were Dr. G. K. Bolleson, professor of Chemistry at the University of California, who was associated with atomic energy work performed there; Dr. R. S. Livingstone, professor of Chemistry University of Minnesota; Dr. F. E. Blacet, professor of Chemistry at the University of California at Los Angeles, who worked on the government's chemical warfare project during the war, and Dr. W. Albert Noyes, Jr., chairman of the Department of Chemistry, University of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y., and president of the American Chemical Society.

The final session featured talks by Dr. Irving Breger, of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who has done important work in the origins of petroleum for the American Petroleum Institute; Prof. John E. Willard, professor of Chemistry, University of Wisconsin, an authority on the isolation and purification of plutonium, a basic element in the atomic bomb; Prof. T. H. Davies, professor of Chemistry, University of Chicago, who worked in the field of Radiochemistry at Oak Ridge, and Dr. Burton.

Various manufacturers of products in the fields of Radiation Chemistry and Photochemistry had their respective products on display at special exhibits set up for the duration of the symposium.
Alumni T-Formation—"We Must Take Off Our Coats"

By Harry G. Hogan, '04
President of the Alumni Association

Stirring Alumni Banquet Address Outlines Notre Dame’s Greatness and Need for Alumni Action

It is with humility, coupled with great pride, that I approach the opportunity to speak to fellow Notre Dame men under the shadows of the protective mantle of "the lovely lady garbed in blue."

I am keenly aware of the honor afforded me, as your national alumni president, to speak words of praise for a great institution of Western civilization, one which is both a world shrine to Our Lady and one which our beloved President, Father Cavanaugh, so descriptively calls a living miracle.

I think nowhere has any of us seen so beautifully portrayed the essential nature of the mystical body of Christ as we do in the life and the operation of this great school. Here it seems to be a sweet, silent but apparent communion between the Notre Dame of the past, the Notre Dame of the present and the Notre Dame of the future. More than anywhere else, we are conscious as we walk over this campus and stand in the shadows of its buildings that the dead, the living, and the future builders of Notre Dame are intimately joined in the warm handclasp of a fraternal affection born of a common religious faith and a common devotion to our inspiring Alma Mater. Yesterday, it was the Sorins, the Badins, the Morrisseys, the Cavanaugh’s, the Walshes, the O’Dellas, and all the rest. Today, it is another group of human counterparts to these men, and tomorrow, we know with all the faith that is ours, that other men will merge into the unfolding history of Notre Dame, and accept the torch of tradition which is handed them.

Our Role in the Groundwork

The past, in a very real sense, still makes itself intimately apparent at Notre Dame, but with all its great glories, the past is gone. The future of Notre Dame, which we envision, is something that cannot be fabricated in the tomorrows, which never come, but only in the moments of the present, when we as minor players are privileged to walk the stage and play our unimportant roles in

coats,” and in a unity of resolution and action, lay the groundwork for the still greater cathedral of learning that this school is destined to be.

The time in which to play our part may be shorter than we think. Too often, through delay, we verify the lines, “too little, too late.” That is why I would like all of you to cooperate with something that has been started here to acquire a deserved greater future for Notre Dame, making her a stronger bulwark, not only of the Catholic faith, but of the principles of the Western World which we in the United States have translated into what we call, for lack of a better description, “the American way of life.” America is about the last real strong fortress of Western civilization, possessing the will and morale to resist the waves of atheism and Oriental materialism threatening to engulf the world and imperil our own national and individual security.

None of us has ever fully discharged the debt he owes this institution for instilling in us and others the priceless principles of our faith. But even though we cannot succeed in matching the gifts which this institution has given us, we must try and try generously. By giving what we can freely, we get out of the bleachers and into the game as players.

Notre Dame was never cheated by her sons who could, but failed to, contribute to her growth. They only cheated themselves by not playing when they could.

More Than Money

It is not money that Notre Dame has ever sought to ask of you or me. It is not just money that she seeks to ask of you now. It is a willingness on your part to do what you can to contribute to the Notre Dame of tomorrow which this country, our church and our nation’s Catholic youth so richly deserve. Notre Dame wants money only as a wholesome means to a sound end: the progressive development of an institution which will be able to match the increased demands that her increased prestige and the increased needs of our country will place upon her. She simply and soundly needs money to buy the tools to do a great job which needs to be done.

I don’t think we have ever, as we ought, grasped the vision of the future of Notre Dame. We have tended smugly perhaps too much to regard our heritage here as a selfish one, not to be shared fully with all our friends over the country who while not alumni of Notre Dame are friends of this institution and anxious to assist it. To correct this unintended lack of thoughtfulness on our part, we of the Alumni Association, under the direction of our University head, Father Cavanaugh, recently instituted a new plan which we think will mean much in the realization of Notre Dame’s deserved future growth and expansion.

In every state in this country, in Canada, Mexico, Cuba, Puerto Rico and in many South American countries, the University and the Alumni Association
have appointed Notre Dame Governors to serve as contacts between friends of Notre Dame in distant states and cities. It will be the purpose of these men, and their successors to present in every large or small home, city and town of every alumnus, through Public Relations Committees of five or more members, the needs of the University to its friends. This to the end that their assistance may be obtained in getting for us, our country, and Mother Church the expended Notre Dame of tomorrow.

**Mobilize Our Talent**

The idea we want to emphasize just now is to mobilize and integrate to the needs of Notre Dame its talent, existing so abundantly in every large and small city in this country but much of which lies fallow. Our problem in the past to achieve this goal, has been one of "logistics." Our returned Army and Navy men, to whom I pay tribute, know expertly what the term implies.

We have tried in the past to maintain a system of one-way service and contact from the central staff here, without well-distributed reciprocal sub-stations, except in some 100 Club cities mostly in eight or ten Eastern and Middle West states where our members are numerous.

I am very happy to state that the prompt enthusiastic acceptance of the Governor appointments in each of the 48 states in less than 30 days, seem to indicate a sound plan and promising success. The University, I think, has again made the soul-satisfying discovery that all Catholics, especially Notre Dame men feel it a deep privilege to be able to respond to a plea from this University for organized, constructive help.

The success of the New Plan will depend to a great extent upon the aid that you and all other friends of Notre Dame give it. It has the blessing of President Cavanaugh and will receive the aggressive support of the directors, officers and headquarters staff of the Alumni Association. At this point, I wish sincerely to pay tribute to the ability and the energy of our capable Alumni Director Secretary, Jim Armstrong, now rounding out more than 20 years as your executive officer. Jim is himself a splendid Notre Dame product, well representing his school in all that he undertakes.

Now with the alumni of Notre Dame clicking in every city and town in the field, with your officers at the University, I feel confident that, with God's grace, the Notre Dame of tomorrow that we visualize will indeed become a reality.

On several occasions recently, I have had the pleasure of some stimulating visits with our famous athletic director, Coach Frank Leahy. I think he is one of the finest types of men, a credit not only to Notre Dame's athletic department but to his church.

In this connection, I would like to make an observation that is needless to make at a Notre Dame gathering, that while Notre Dame is indeed proud of its athletic achievements, these things are not responsible for our success. As a very learned priest recently said in a public address, "Notre Dame is not great because of its football team, but instead has a great football team because it is a great University."

We make no apologies to anyone for our athletic programs, nor for our athletics. Neither at the same time will we let the ridiculous charge stand that Notre Dame has become great because of its athletic greatness.

When I entered Notre Dame nearly fifty years ago, its athletic glory was a matter of only a very local knowledge, but I know that this University then had students attending from states throughout the Union and even from foreign countries. The great era of Notre Dame athletics has been comparatively recent, yet Notre Dame has been a famous institution of Catholic learning and culture for over a hundred years.

I prefer to think that made up as it is, Notre Dame will be great in anything she undertakes, whether it be an improvement on Father Nieuwland's synthetic rubber discovery, an advance in knowledge of splitting the atom or a new version of the T-formation on the gridiron.

There are some who may think that with a changed world, a new mission confronts Notre Dame and that from here on in, her work will be much different from that which the University was called upon to do in earlier days.

**The Modern Wilderness**

On the contrary her original role is her present one, adjusted as it has been, during the years, to current circumstances. The fundamentals that will animate her will remain unchanged. The Notre Dame of Father Sorin and Father Basin was started in a little log cabin behind the present University library to clear the wilderness of this part of the country, to push back the frontiers of Christian order in a physically, mentally and spiritually disordered world of that day. True, the wilderness which confronted the efforts of Father Sorin was a physical one, but today Notre Dame is confronted with another wilderness, a much worse one, namely the wilderness of the modern mind and the modern soul. Notre Dame must again clear a wilderness and restore a Christian order to a spiritually sick nation.

As our distinguished friend, Dean Pat Manion, has brilliantly pointed out on many occasions throughout this country, the basic principle of our unique form of government are Catholic, and stem from our original authentic Christian religion.

The success of Notre Dame, like the success of this country, has hinged on the basic notion that all men are creatures of God and therefore, possessed of an eternal destiny which governments must protect. The philosophy of true Americanism is the philosophy of Catholic thinkers, as well as those Christians outside the Catholic Church who still hold fast to a considerable heritage of Catholic thought. In this connection, I want to emphasize that the preservation of the American philosophy and the restoration of it to the general acceptance which it once had is not the exclusive task of Catholics, but of all those Protestants and Jews who accept the basic verities. We invite them with all the persuasiveness of which we are capable to join us in this effort to keep a free America by instilling into the minds and hearts of American students a full appreciation of their nature, their origin and their destiny. The freedom which is traditionally American is a freedom born of a religious concept, namely the creation of Man by an infinitely wise and supreme intelligence. It is the only basis on which freedom can be founded, because without a God there is no supreme law-giver and without a supreme law-giver no pattern of order. The concept of God, which Notre Dame

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**QUOTATIONS FROM PRES. HOGAN**

"We must take off our hats to the past, but we must take off our coats to the future..."

"Notre Dame wants money only as a wholesome means to a sound end..."

"Notre Dame has a great football team because IT IS A GREAT UNIVERSITY; it is not a great University because it has a great football team..."

"Our relationship with Notre Dame must be on a 365-day-a-year basis..."
teaches, is in its ultimate pursuit the keystone that holds together the entire political structure which is known as the American way of life and the more inclusive structure which is known as the Western civilization.

The Ley Bible

Because we believe in God and the American system of political science, we also believe in the Ten Commandments and their applicability, whether in everyday life or in the life of the nation or the life of international organizations. Men don't need complicated codes of ethics. They need only the Ten Commandments which have been implemented into our Constitution and extended to our federal, state and city statutes, forming a standard code of ethics, a lay bible in the fraternal, social and political relationship between man and man.

I am convinced that, in the light of what I have tried to say, and with a rather intimate knowledge of the problem that lies ahead for Notre Dame, the Church and the nation, this is a year of a real decision for Notre Dame.

There is a tide in the affairs of men, Which taken at the flood, Leads on to fortune.

At this hour there appears a real tide for Notre Dame. It presents a challenge to her and to you to be taken at the flood. Notre Dame is preeminently the best organized Catholic institution of learning to accept for Mother Church, and the nation the challenge presented by the complex situation that now confronts a very sick world, filled with confusion and bewilderment, to which this nation is acutely exposed, with the security of its way of life seriously threatened. To successfully meet the challenge and to lead the fight for Christian America, Notre Dame sorely needs money to expand its academic departments and house their facilities.

This poses the question of why N.D. needs additional money, and where that money should come from. We should first understand that if Notre Dame trebled her present student body, which she should not, and I am sure will not, neither her quantitative or qualitative expansion could be financed from current operating income.

If she is to expand qualitatively, through the creation or expansion of academic departments, she will need new outside money for them and for new buildings to house them.

There is no logic in thinking about such expansion, if current income fixes a forbidding ceiling, unless Notre Dame reaches out for new money. However, where there is a need, there must be a democratic way.

Consequently it becomes the obligation of the alumni friends of Notre Dame here and now to sit around the table with the University authorities and determine first whether the necessary finances for things so necessary to be done can be obtained solely from the alumni. If it is found that the expansion budget, pared to the bone, is too large for the alumni to assume, then the program deemed necessary must be either abandoned, or dwarfed, or wait for a Santa Claus, or else other reservoirs must be tapped now and in an organized way. The obvious source in my humble opinion is aid from our non-alumni friends.

N. D. CLUB ENDORSES PROGRAM

"Notre Dame Club of New York extends to you and National Board congratulations and best wishes for successful reunion. Entire membership here directs me to pledge you enthusiastic support commendation and appreciation in carrying out your excellent program for national alumni activities . . ." (Telegram from the Notre Dame Club to President Tierney O’Bourke)

This course would set no new precedent, because heretofore the University has received generous contributions from non-alumni—both Catholic and Protestant. The process followed was in good taste, free from any pressure.

With the principle established, that a money need exists, and the conclusion that the source of non-alumni contributions should be broadened, we come to the matter of method.

It is proposed, instead of a leisurely limited effort, that under the Governor and Committee-of-5 plan, it be broadened by following the pattern of what has been done by the University through its Endowment Department here, by duplicating it at the community level in many, if not all, of the cities of over 50,000 population.

The community branch of the Alumni-University Endowment Department under the plan proposed would initially consist of a local Public Relations Committee of five or more members.

The Committee would compile local lists of friends of Notre Dame, grouped as Catholics and non-Catholics, with the earliest approach to the former, through a careful presentation by mail from the University, or by a personal local solicitation, or both.

Be assured that the same high degree of taste followed by the University in its acquisition will be sacredly paralleled. This guarantee is self evident because the responsible persons selected to man the local Committees will be of a type who would not embarrass the University or themselves. For, after all, they live and fraternize and do business in the same community with the prospects to be approached.

If the money is acquired before prices reach their normal level, it can be safely assumed that it will not be spent until the time is propitious and all the prevailing factors are favorable.

The best proof of this is that in the past the University management has not built carelessly or extravagantly. The only buildings without high utility are those of extreme old age.

For Responsible Leadership

The record assures that the University will be expanded soundly, with emphasis not on the quantitative but on the qualitative. This so that higher polish and extra lustre can be given the young minds to be fashioned by the University as morally cultured responsible leaders in their chosen fields.

Mother Church in her democratic way depends on the modest offerings of her people to meet the expense of the spiritual service she so importantly offers. Notre Dame is an auxiliary of Mother Church in the transmission of her precepts to the students entrusted to her care. In this service it too is entitled to the democratic help of its alumni sons and also of the helpers of Mother Church. Father Cavanaugh was significantly grateful to the New York Notre Dame Club for their financial support of his proposed Institute of Natural Law. Such academic activities, and others so endowed, carry no strings or implications of any lack of full free expression, carry no obligation, except to reveal and express the truth, the whole truth, and nothing but the truth.

I could go on interminably emphasizing what to any Notre Dame man is obvious. I merely wish to make the most of this opportunity to implore not only you who are here but also all alumni and friends of Notre Dame to make the relationship which exists between them and the University a closer thing than one merely of affection or sentiment, desirable and laudable as they are. Notre Dame has a very definite purpose in the American and Catholic scheme of things which can only be realized to its fullest extent by all of its friends being willing (Continued on Page 38)
I would be derelict in my duty this evening if I did not begin what I have to say to you by expressing my most sincere and heartfelt thanks to Harry Hogan for his magnificent work in behalf of Notre Dame as president of the national Alumni Association. He has established himself as one of Notre Dame's greatest benefactors because he has given so unselfishly of himself. He has turned his rare genius for organization to devising means that will lead to Notre Dame's ends, the achievement of which he has idealistically made his avocation. We are all in his debt for what he has done—I am doubly his debtor, first as an alumnus, and secondly as president of the University which has been the beneficiary of his time and thought.

The Role of the "Hogan Plan"

As our national Alumni President has implied, this is Notre Dame's hour of opportunity. There has never been a time when her potential energy was so great, when the go-ahead sign gleamed more brightly before her; when there was a greater need and demand for the type of responsible leadership which she can help to provide to the American people. The opportunity is there, but translating our potentialities into actualities involves more than local administration; no matter how sound and wise that administration may be.

By way of illustration: At each place tonight you found a newspaper story about Notre Dame's $12,000,000 building program. You found architect's drawings. But, unless I am very much mistaken, you have not seen any steam shovels beginning excavations, concrete being poured, or bricklayers at work since you arrived on the campus. I assured you that Notre Dame is not making any rash moves. There will be no abandonment of the judicious policy that has always guided our physical expansion.

Of course, when that story appeared a couple of weeks ago, some of our friends leaped to conclusions. Not knowing Notre Dame's circumstances as well as you and I do, they assumed that the money is in the till, and that we are prepared to get under way at once. Well, we are not. Even if building conditions were more favorable than they are, Notre Dame is not in a position to undertake such large commitments. The need, however, is immediate. When conditions are favorable, there must be no unnecessary delays. Notre Dame must be ready to get under way at once. Actual expansion—physical and otherwise—depends, in large part, upon circumstances beyond the control of the administration. It depends upon widening that circle of thoughtful men and women who know and appreciate, with a tangible appreciation, Notre Dame's worth to the nation. This is where the plan proposed by Harry Hogan plays an important part in our future.

Just now, Notre Dame is bursting at the seams. . . . I can almost hear you say, "Enrollment." But I am not thinking primarily of the 4,600 students in the five colleges and the Graduate School, nor of the 10,000 who are currently clamoring at our gates. Trying to gear our present facilities to an enrollment one-half in excess of what they were intended for has taxed our ingenuity, but so far we have made our facilities to an enrollment one-half in excess of what they were intended for has taxed our ingenuity, but so far we have made one of our various faculties and a corresponding increase in other facilities. But that is a bridge which we shall cross when we come to it.

When I said that Notre Dame is bursting at the seams, I was thinking of our expanding influence, through the prestige that came through new contacts made during the war, especially with the Navy; through the researches that are being carried on by our various faculties as well as the thorough day-to-day teaching characteristic of Notre Dame; and, by no means least, through our alumni whose lives as Christians and Americans are an example to their fellow citizens, a source of pride to their Alma Mater, and the reason why Notre Dame education is so popular.

Must Produce Responsible Leaders

Another reason that our influence has been expanding is simply that there has been a growing realization among the American people that the first duty of an institution of higher learning is to educate for moral leadership. In this field Notre Dame has been pre-eminent. One lesson the war has taught us is that it is not enough for a university to foster the physical sciences; it must also help produce morally responsible leaders who can be trusted to handle the developments of science for the benefit of mankind.

From its beginnings, more than a century ago, Notre Dame has recognized and accepted its grave responsibility to help widen the horizons of physical science, as witness the work of Zahm, Green, and Nieuwiand. In our labora-
tories today our research men are engaged in work no less important than theirs that will bring eventual good to society. For example, in the Department of Chemistry, Dr. Campbell has been developing anti-malarial drugs to combat a disease which afflicts as many as 300,000,000 persons annually throughout the world. In LOBUND, Mr. Reyniers is continuing his experiments with germ-free life and its uses in biology. Their effect upon nutritional studies indicates that they may help to open an avenue to a cure for cancer. The new science of electronics occupies Dr. Coombs, who was on a loan to the government at M. I. T. during the war. Dr. Guth is continuing Notre Dame’s already famous studies in synthetic rubber. Dr. Mahin and Dr. Troiano are doing work in metallurgy to keep that science abreast of supersonic cavitation. The science of fluid mechanics is occupying the College of Engineering on the graduate level.

I did not intend to recite a litany, either of our research projects or of the men who are conducting them. However, I wish to make this rather important point: One of the most direct means of expanding and solidifying the influence of any university is through its graduate school. Harvard, Yale, M. I. T., Cal. Tech., and a dozen others that I might mention are noted not only for their research, but for the men they train who afterwards occupy key positions in their respective fields. Notre Dame’s graduate departments, you will be interested to hear, are attracting the type of man we want as a potential leader. Therefore, we consider a constantly increasing expenditure in the Graduate School a wise and profitable investment.

We Need Trustworthy Leadership

But while Notre Dame encourages the physical sciences, we also recognize and accept our responsibility to give proper direction to the social, cultural, political, and economic thinking of all our students, so that we can turn over to the American people year after year young men who can supply trustworthy intellectual and moral leadership.

Notre Dame believes that the moral responsibility of the great mass of men and women is a necessary pre-supposition to any kind of order or government in the world. This belief is not a mere academic theory. As Father O’Donnell, my predecessor in office, and Dean Manion, of the College of Law, have pointed out time and again, it is the rock upon which our government is built. The Founding Fathers knew that three fundamental truths must be taken for granted by any people for whom a just government is to be formed. These are, first, the existence of God; secondly, a balance of God-given rights and God-given duties; and, thirdly, the conviction that government exists only to secure the rights of the governed.

This brings me, rather logically, to the establishment by Notre Dame of the Mediaeval Institute—the only one of its kind in the United States. The name, I am told, has something of the atmosphere of the ivory tower; but the Institute itself is a matter of complete practicality; I might almost say “urgency,” because through such agencies must come the controls, moral, spiritual, and intellectual, that will make the developments of science a boon and not a burden to humanity.

"Notre Dame has a great destiny. It has been a privilege to be a part of it.” (Father Hugh O’Donnell, just a few days before his death.)

"This is Notre Dame’s hour of opportunity . . . " (Fr. Cavanaugh).

"I am not asking you to give, but to get . . . " (Fr. Cavanaugh).

The institute constitutes a center for specialized scholarly research, scientific historical investigation and training in all that concerns the growth and development of Christian culture in the thought, life, and civilization of the Middle Ages. You may well ask, “What’s so practical about that?” The answer is that the Institute does not look upon a scholarly consideration of the Middle Ages as a pleasant antiquarian task that is an end in itself, but rather as a means of preserving and furtheing the traditional Christian learning that is fundamental in American democracy. As a matter of history, the American tradition is a Christian tradition. Also, as a matter of history, we did not begin to worry, nor did we have reason to worry, about the future of our American institutions until we started to poison the Christian roots which alone give them their vitality. It is, then, a matter of common sense—a matter of survival—to recover a vital Christian philosophy as a safeguard for the future. The aim of the Mediaeval Institute is to repossess ourselves completely of our Christian tradition and to express it in terms of modern problems.

Today, when the fate of the world lies in the wise management of the scientific devices we already possess, even more than in the production of more scientific instruments; when the world is struggling to find a just and lasting order than can restore confidence to the minds of men, religious, moral, and human values must receive special attention from our educational agencies, not only from colleges and universities, but from primary and secondary schools as well. The cycle begun by the Darwinian scientists who exiled God from society a century ago has been completed. Ironically, by their terrifying productions, they have forced God’s return. They have made the art and science of moral living the greatest necessity of the modern age, the kind of living for which Notre Dame educates.

Notre Dame Alumni on Top

As an educational institution, Notre Dame believes that moral leadership, to function at its best, must be implemented with training for practical leadership. Moral leadership, which once exerted its force through laborious hours of copying by hand the learning of the ancients, has not spurred the magic of the modern printing press. Nor should the advocate of peace in our day be too quick to discount the possession of power. A knight in mediaeval armor at Anzio or Okinawa might be a very brave and very moral leader, but he would soon be a very dead leader.

The University of Notre Dame gives sound professional, scientific and technical training. We are always seeking means of providing students with still more and still better facilities with which to prepare for their chosen professions. But Notre Dame realizes that God made man in His image, and that a man is a man first, with rights and duties as such. After that, he is a scientist, an engineer, a teacher, or a lawyer. Notre Dame trains scientists, engineers, lawyers, and teachers. Notre Dame educates men. Only by training and educating can we widen the horizons of learning and also furnish disciplined, God-fearing leaders to the American people who must always strive to be models of justice and charity among the peoples of the earth.

Has Notre Dame succeeded in her aims? You alumni are proof that she has. You are the leaders who have taken Notre Dame’s teachings with you into your professions, your businesses, and your homes, and your influence is being felt.

It is no longer true that the number of Notre Dame alumni is small, nor is it true that the average Notre Dame alumnus is relatively young and just on his way to the top. The years have been slipping by, and you have arrived.

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On April 23, the Most Rev. Lawrence L. Graner, C.S.C., '24, came back to the school from which he was graduated to be consecrated bishop of Dacca, India, in the historic setting of Sacred Heart Church.

In the age-old ceremony of the church, the former altar boy from Franklin, Pa., was consecrated and invested by the Most Rev. John F. O’Hara, C.S.C., bishop of Buffalo, N.Y., and former president of the University. The co-consecrators were Most Rev. John Noll, bishop of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Most Rev. John M. Gannon, bishop of Erie, Pa.


The mother church of the Congregation of Holy Cross, in which four bishops, including Bishop Graner, have been consecrated, was filled with hundreds of monksignori, priests, Notre Dame faculty members, students and friends and relatives of the new bishop, a veteran Holy Cross missionary who has conducted missionary work in India for the congregation most of the time since his ordination in 1928.

The consecration sermon was delivered by the Rev. Leo Flood, C.S.C., pastor of Sacred Heart Church, New Orleans, a classmate and boyhood friend of the new bishop.

"Put your finger on any spot of the globe, and you will find a bishop of the Catholic church," Father Flood said. "Are they not, then, as a group proof of universality. As an individual, Bishop Graner, a native American, bishop of the diocese of Dacca, India, exemplifies that universality."

Dacca is the center of extensive missions conducted by the United States province of the Congregation of Holy Cross in the province of Bengal.
The Commencement Address

By General George C. Kenney, LL.D., '47

"Are We to Survive as Free Citizens . . . or as Soulless Cogs?"
Famous Air Strategist Asks 1947 Graduates; Quality of Our Leadership Will Determine the Answer He Tells Future Leaders.

Today I am going to talk to you about a problem. A terribly important problem. A problem of survival. Are we to survive as free citizens of a free country or as soulless cogs in a state machine, paying allegiance to an alien philosophy administered by an alien dictator? It is a problem that confronts you, me, the United States—the whole world. It is a problem that has two solutions.

One solution preserves the ideals for which America has stood for 179 years. What are those ideals? They are freedom, justice, fair play, sportsmanship—not just a lot of words but concepts based on a deep and enduring appreciation of what is right and what is wrong—the fundamentals of Christianity itself.

We Must Defend Our Ideals

They are ideals for which we have fought two World Wars in the past 30 years. They are ideals for which since 1775 a million Americans have given their lives. They are ideals which make us the nation we are. We must keep them. We must defend them. We must not shirk our obligations and our responsibilities as citizens of this country. It is one of the countries of the world in which we may live our lives according to the dictates of our consciences, speak our thoughts according to the dictates of our hearts, and worship at our altars according to the dictates of our faiths. If we want to keep it that way the price is still eternal vigilance.

The other solution of the problem comes as the final stage of a combined political and military campaign. The technique is as old as history. Hannibal led his Carthaginians across the Alps against Rome only after his advance agents had spent a year of instilling anti-Roman propaganda and distributing Punic coinage to the susceptible Gauls of Northern Italy.

Hitler and Tojo in our times repeated the technique and really made the fifth column famous. The first step is the steady and organized sabotage of our ideals and institutions by infiltration of agents who are told that a capitalist is some one to spit upon; that marriage and the home are outmoded bourgeois institutions; that religion is the opiate of the masses. Under such a state philosophy, nothing is sacred but the dictates of the proletariat creed.

which are proclaimed by the dictator head of the party. No opposition, no differences of opinion are tolerated. They gibbly use the word "democracy," but the meaning is not the same. Freedom as we know it, disappears. Justice is no longer the province of law—it is to be administered by the firing squad.

When this fifth column has done its work and the victim has become sufficiently weakened, military forces of the aggressor without warning launch a sudden over-whelming attack and follow up with occupation. A new government sympathetic to the aims of the aggressor is set up and all opponents of the new regime are shot or sent to the slave labor camps.

If we are the victim, the attack will come across the north polar basin, the short air route from the European Asiatic land mass to the United States. Piloted and pilotless aircraft will pour their loads of atomic bombs, super-explosives, super-incendiaries or whatever weapons of mass destruction happen to be in vogue at that time, on our centers of population and industry. The objective would be to knock out our industry and with it our capability of producing the machinery and the weapons to carry on resistance, and at the same time inflict so stunning a casualty list upon the nation that it breaks the national willingness to endure further losses, and thereby forces capitulation. The casualty list would be counted in millions. The property damage in billions.

If we shirk our responsibilities and obligations as citizens—if we relax our vigilance and neglect our defenses—this is the solution we will get and the United States, as we now know it, will cease to exist.

We are a peaceful people. Throughout history we have shown that we are willing to go to almost any lengths to preserve peace. We have signed the Charter of the United Nations, we are conscientiously backing the United Nations in the hope that through this organization nations will learn to adjust their differences without resort to war. You hear people talking about universal disarmament. There is no doubt about it. We want peace—but the price can be too high.

Military Preparedness Guarantee of Peace

Until we have a far better guarantee of security in this troubled world of ours than we have at present, we cannot afford to let down our defenses. Today, adequate military preparedness is our best guarantee of peace. At the council table of nations the strong are listened to—the weak are ignored. If we are incapable of defending ourselves and the principles for which we stand, those principles will perish and we will perish with them. We cannot lead in the struggle for peace if we are too weak to fight for peace. We want to live at peace with
the rest of the world but we want that peace to be based on the fundamentals of freedom and justice—not a peace enforced by a dictatorship whether it be Fascism, Nazism, Shintoism, Communism or any other "ism" which denies those fundamentals to the individual—which ignores the fact that he is a human being, not a cog in a state machine.

In the organization of our government, in the constitution of the United States, we have committed ourselves to a belief in God, to a series of rights and duties, to a theory of state control which primarily is to distinguish between liberty and license and to secure the rights of the individual.

We Need Trained Leadership

This is our heritage. It is a heritage of freedom of which we have reason to be proud. Our history not only reflects that pride but it shows that if necessary we have been willing to go to war to defend our rights to that heritage.

Sometimes aggressors seem to have been unaware of this or perhaps they had forgotten it. We must never forget it.

The solution to national and international problems of this kind is determined by leadership. If we have leadership which is intelligent, which is trained, which instinctively knows the difference which is intelligent, which is trained, and for civilization this thing that we call liberty.

We need your drive, your enthusiasm, the stimulation of your urge to get things done in a hurry.

Youth made this country in the beginning. Youth has fought for it and preserved it for us. We are depending upon youth to safeguard its future. Youth in the sense that I am using it, does not necessarily depend upon age for, regardess of the date of his birth certificate, as long as man preserves the mental aggressiveness, the vigor, the drive of youth, he progresses. When he loses it, he stands still, he stagnates, he dies. When a nation loses the drive of youth if it stands still, it stagnates, it dies. We need youth today, now.

Replacements Who Believe in the Cause

You have heard that said before; you will some day be saying it yourself to future generations. But it is nevertheless true and with each succeeding generation it will continue to be true.

Your predecessors of previous generations have fought the fight—they have made mistakes—sometimes for a while the battle seemed lost—but we still have a country well worth living in—well worth fighting for.

Eventually those front line troops become worn out and exhausted. They need replacements—replacements who believe in the cause, who have faith in our institutions, who will fight to maintain them.

It invites the Four Horsemen—War, Pestilence, Famine and Death.

This leadership that I'm talking about is not the leadership of just one man. It is the leadership of thousands or hundreds of thousands of men. In military forces the competent general or admiral must necessarily be a leader but he must be backed up by colonels, by captains, by sergeants, by corporals, all of whom must be leaders. In industry the president of the company, no matter what qualities of leadership he possesses, would be a failure without his managers and his foremen. In education, art, science, religion and politics the same rules hold true.

I've presented the problem to you. I've outlined the alternative solutions. I've pointed out the road to the proper solution. That solution is going to be up to you and your thousands of fellow graduates in other universities throughout this nation who are now joining American society as matured, trained, and thinking citizens. You are the vigorous, virile reserves that America relies on in her crusade to preserve for herself and for civilization this thing that we call liberty.

But if our leadership is weak, if it relies on the shifting sands of vacillation and compromise, if it assumes that everything will be all right simply because we wish it that way, the awakening is a rude one. The aggressive creeds opposed to ours are promulgated and disseminated by real leaders with tightly knit organizations which they have built up to ruthlessly exploit the weaknesses of their intended victims and carry out their plans of world domination. Five thousand years of history furnishes us with a series of examples in which a ruthless, unscrupulous and ambitious but capable leader overwhelmed the poorly led or divided opposition. Alexander, Ghengis Khan, Napoleon, Kaiser Wilhelm, Hitler, Mussolini and Tojo are some of the names familiar to all of you. None of them was ever defeated by an inferior leader. They won until better leaders came forward to gain the final victory. Weak leadership gives us the wrong solution. It never brings us peace.

Put Out World Fires

As a military man, I am primarily concerned with their defense. As thinking citizens looking at all the little bonfires burning in this troubled world today, I hope that you will share that concern. You are now part of the fire department that is charged with keeping those fires from spreading to this country.

If trouble comes some of you will join the armed forces. There the qualities of leadership, intelligence and technical knowledge gained at this university make you a potential force of inestimable value. The record of Notre Dame in previous national emergencies is one to which we point with pride—one upon which we have come to rely if trouble should ever come again.

Some of you will back up the armed forces as scientists, research men, doctors, farmers or grocers. You will produce the machines and the tools of defense, the food and the means of transportation, you will maintain the health and morale of the country, you will contribute team play and cooperation to the national effort. Without these services no armed force could long exist.

Your brains are the margin of victory that we have over the less intelligent, less educated, regimented masses driven to battle by some future aggressor despot.

We must never allow ourselves to get into a conflict of matching brute manpower against brute manpower. We would lose in such a struggle. We are only 140,000,000 in a world of two billion.

We do not win our wars by mass spending of blood. We use our free, creative brains and the machines conceived by those brains to save our manpower. We still believe in the sanctity of human life. We do not call our troops cannon fodder.

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This is my prayer: that your charity may more and more abound in knowledge and in all understanding; that you may approve the better things, that you may be sincere and blameless, till the day of Christ, filled with the fruit of justice, which comes through Jesus Christ, to the glory and praise of God.—Phil. 1, 9-11.

How finely appropriate it is that we should be gathered here this morning for the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, celebrating a prominent element in the exercises with which your collegiate and university training is brought to a close. It affords you an opportunity of saying farewell to this great institution in the exalted atmosphere of religion which you have breathed during the years of your dwelling here. In this spirit, you can offer your expressions of gratitude through Him who is our victim of praise and thanks. And in this spiritual light also you can vision better the new life into which you are moving. Your graduation is a transition to new obligations, some common to all, some proper to each individual. Your diplomas will speak of rights and privileges; favors which must be regarded merely as the support, the enabling principle, of the duties implied in your education. And with this there is given you occasion of renewing your dedication to the elevated life for which you have been so well prepared.

Society Looks to Graduates

It is no less fitting that we who are privileged to assist with you at this Mass should be able to express our sentiments in the same elevated way. Your parents, relatives and friends, who feel the successful issue of your studies is their own triumph; the friends of the University, who look upon you as the fruit of a noble institution; the University itself, which takes such pride in you today: we all join with you in thanking God through His divine Son, for all you have received from His bountiful hands, and we offer that same Son to the heavenly Father for your happiness and success in the future. I cannot help but feel that there is also a wider audience of this event. All society, both civil and ecclesiastical, into which you are graduating, is looking to you with more than ordinary interest; yes, in the spirit of a great hope, a hope founded on what men of your character can do for the welfare of mankind.

We all, therefore, send up to God this morning the prayer I have just quoted from St. Paul. And our prayer is first of all that you may be enriched with that knowledge and understanding which surpasses all human wisdom; and then that you may reap the inestimable and abiding fruits of that knowledge.

There is added confidence in our prayer from the preliminary assurance that you are graduating from Notre Dame, an institution whose Catholicity is proclaimed in its dedication to Christ’s mother. This means that you have had every opportunity of growing in personal union with Christ through that dispensation which Paul here calls “charity.” You had already been favored with election to membership in that kingdom which is an extension of the Person of Jesus Christ; you have here enjoyed unusual advantages and have been given every encouragement of deeper understanding of the constitution of that kingdom, whose bond of loyalty is charity; you have seen the truths of that kingdom in the light of all knowledge, and without those truths there can be no integrated knowledge. Whatever you have learned, if you have learned well, is now illumined and elevated by this charity. It is all related to your real life, that life that lives for God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

With this confidence we pray that as you move from the school in which this life has been nurtured, you may continue the growth, and continue it by an enlargement of the knowledge and understanding upon which it has been here founded. Scripture defines that knowledge for us very simply: it is to know God and Jesus Christ whom He has sent.

Raise Our Thoughts to God

It is the more necessary that we make this the subject of our prayer, since so few of those whom the world regards as learned will accept it; and since you will so soon meet face to face with definitions which are contrary to it. A political philosophy that influences a good part of the world rejects it formally, much of the rest of the world practically. The secular world will tell you that it is too other-worldly, that giving such room to the supernatural will deprive you of the efficiency you must have in the natural order. Engaged as you will be in pursuits that are of a secular character, there will be a temptation to listen to the objection; and in this listening there is danger. We pray you may increase in the knowledge that the world never lost an advantage from raising its thought to the things above.

At the beginning of our era a similar conflict raged over the evaluation of knowledge; on one side stood the wise of the world, on the other the Christian missionaries; pagan wisdom opposed to divine. Philosophy was decadent, laboring with uncertainties rising from the conflicting interests of flesh and of soul. Philosophy had destroyed the pagan religion; the flesh had destroyed Philoso-
phy. Into this confusion came the voice of Christ's apostles, proclaiming a new knowledge undiscovered by human reason, and offering a new understanding of things never thought of by the human mind. Their message was the paradox that to gain life and happiness one must be indifferent to both life and its pleasures; that mankind could never gain what it ambitioned without giving up its earthly desires. They taught that in Christ and in Him alone could be found truth, because He is the perfect reflection of the Godhead, the source of all truth, the norm of all reality.

We Are Heading Into Self-Destruction

We should not, perhaps, wonder that the ancient pagans, who prided themselves on their wisdom, at first listened because the doctrine was curious, but then smiled incredulously, as they did when Paul preached at the Areopagus. What we wonder at is that men of this same pagan wisdom, this same intellectual pride, still smile incredulously at the doctrine, though they have before them the historical demonstration of its truth. Looking back over the centuries, all should be able to recognize on which side real wisdom lay. The pride which in those days was seeking to build a happier world out of natural wisdom succeeded only in destroying what it had. It was left to the simple teachings of Christianity to piece together the fragments, to lay a new foundation, by joining reason and revelation, and lead men on to a learning, a personal dignity, a happiness hardly conceivable to the ancients.

May we not even now be contemplating a renewal of this lesson? The world has rejected this higher wisdom, and is striving, as it always has, but now with amazing technical progress, to build Utopia. It has fired with its inventions the imagination of what human existence may become if only time will permit, taking advantage of prevailing misery and uncertainty. And yet Christ's voice is gently but insistently warning that the world is rapidly losing its way, that the foundations of our culture are being removed, that we are heading into self-destruction. Most thoughtful men, even those who are not of us, and who have not themselves found the answer, recognize that in spite of all our scientific development, in spite of what we call enlightenment, our labors are but increasing the intensity of the fire that is consuming us.

We have, therefore, reason to pray that you who have learned in the school of Christ, may persevere, in that knowledge, and both in your own interest and in the interest of mankind, reap the fruit of that knowledge.

1. We pray that you may approve the better things. That, knowing the hierarchical arrangement of your interests, you may subordinate bodily contentment to your intellectual life, and intellectual interests to your spiritual nature and destiny.

2. We pray that in the pursuit of this destiny you may never waver or allow yourselves to be turned aside by the allurements of a lesser end.

3. We pray that this may be your striving till the day when Christ comes as your judge, to reward you according to the talents he has entrusted to you, according to the use you have made of those talents.

4. We pray that all through your journey you may continue to enjoy the rich outpouring of God's gifts, the fruits of a sanctified life.

5. But most earnestly we pray that your lives, in whatever field they may be lived, will always be held in trust for God's praise and glory.

All your gifts, all your opportunities, turn towards this end. Here in a special way rests the duty imposed on you by reason of your Christian election, by reason of your Catholic education; here lies the trust reposed in you by the Church; here lies the University's expectation of you; here lies the good you can do for your fellow man.

The Spirit and the Person of Christ

We are confident you will bring with you into whatever work you undertake the natural learning you have acquired in your courses. You will add to that the spirit of this University. But you have accomplished only a part, a small part of what you are capable of unless you have brought with you also the spirit and the Person of Christ. This is the practical fruition of the knowledge of which we are speaking, of that knowledge and understanding we are this morning so earnestly praying for.

We may well wonder whether or not, in God's plan, we are set for any great contribution to the natural order in which our labors will fall. But even though we should never meet with fame in this direction, we are set and set with full purpose by God to accomplish something for Him. In the example we have of what Christianity has done for the culture and happiness of mankind, let it always be noted that Christianity spread and had this beneficent effect through the men and women who adopted its principles and lived its life. Through those who took on Christ and carried Him into the lives of others.
Paced by undefeated football and tennis squads, Notre Dame athletic teams compiled an impressive record of 58 victories, 19 defeats and two ties during the 1946-47 schoolyear.

After Coach Frank Leahy’s nine game schedule was marred only by a scoreless tie with Army, the balance of the winter sports units followed suit with an impressive record of 20 victories and four defeats by Coach Ed Krause’s Irish basketball team and a mark of four wins and three losses by the Notre Dame fencers.

Spring sports teams left little to be desired. Only Notre Dame fans as Jake Klein’s baseball squad had the best Irish season in eleven years by winning 16 out of 21 games. Coach Walter Langford’s tennis squad, one of the best ever to represent Notre Dame, coasted to an unbeaten season in an eight-contest schedule. Coach Elvin R. (Doc) Handy’s track and field squad won five and lost three during both indoor and outdoor seasons, and the Notre Dame golfers, coached by the Rev. George Holderith, C.S.C., won five, lost four and tied one.

The Notre Dame baseballers jaunted to St. Louis on a brief spring training trip over the Easter vacation and came back with a record of four victories and only one defeat. The Irish defeated Washington University, 13 to 4; St. Louis University, 10 to 2; Concordia College, 11 to 2, and Parks Air College, 4 to 2. Their only loss of the trip was a 4 to 3 defeat at the hands of St. Louis University.

After dropping a 11 to 10 decision to Michigan, Coach Kline’s squad disposed of Wisconsin, 9 to 1; Northwestern, 4 to 2, and St. Thomas College, 10 to 2, before losing to Michigan State, 7 to 4 at East Lansing. The Irish regained their winning ways however, by whipping Iowa, 3 to 2; Western Michigan, 6 to 5; Indiana, 7 to 0 and 10 to 2; Toledo University, 8 to 5; Ohio State, 7 to 5, and Purdue, 4 to 3, before losing to Purdue, 5 to 3, in the second half of a twin bill.

The Klinemen gained revenge for their beating by Michigan State by pounding out a 10 to 2 win in a return game on Cartier field and then split their last two games with Western Michigan in the Commencement week-end, dropping a 7 to 3 verdict and coming back to win the season finale, 6 to 5.

Tom Sheehan, veteran catcher, paced the Irish at the plate during the 21-game campaign with a lusty average of .382. Bobby Klein, co-captain and third baseman, was close behind with a percentage of .375, and second baseman Benny Kozlik was third with .352. Walter Mahan, sophomore pitcher, headed the Irish mound staff with four victories and no defeats and an amazing earned run average of 1.15. Freshman Jack Campbell and Junior John Crevvey each won 3 while losing 1.

Coach Walter Langford’s tennis squad, loaded with pre-war stars, opened its season by defeating Western Michigan, 8 to 1 and followed with wins over Michigan State, 6 to 3; Wisconsin, 9 to 0; Purdue, 9 to 0; Michigan, 6 to 3; Kentucky, 9 to 0; Navy, 9 to 0, and DePauw, 9 to 0.

In the first renewal of the Central Collegiate Conference Meet since 1931, which was held on the Notre Dame courts, the Irish easily breezed to the team title by placing three performers in the semi-finals. Jimmy Evert, Notre Dame captain, who was unbeaten throughout the season in singles competition, walked off with the singles title by defeating his brother, Gerry, in the finals. The doubles combination of Bill Tully and Charles Samson handed their teammates, Jimmy and Gerry Evert, their first loss of the season in the finals of the meet.

In addition to the Evert brothers, Tully and Samson, members of the undefeated squad included Bob David, Joe Brown, Jim Griffin and Ed Caparo. This marked the third undefeated season for Coach Langford since he took over as tennis coach eight years ago.

The Irish golfers had an up-and-down season by capturing five out of ten scheduled matches and tying another. After opening the campaign with an 18-to-18 tie with Kentucky and a 27-to-9 victory over Louisville in a triangular meet, Father Holderith’s linksmen trimmed Wisconsin, 20 to 7, and Michigan State, 20½ to 6½, before dropping a 21-to-6 decision to Michigan and a 20-to-16 loss to Purdue.

After trouncing Detroit, 31 to 5, and Marquette, 20 to 7, the Notre Dame golfers lost close decisions to Northwestern and Minnesota to conclude the season.

Prominent members of the Irish squad included Jack Fitzpatrick, Ray Burian, George Stuhr, Everhart Schleck, Jim Besenfelder, Tom Dore, Tom Conley and Dick Seidell.

During the outdoor track and field season, Coach Doc Handy's charges completed the athletic year by winning two triangular meets, finishing second in another, losing a dual affair to Michigan State and finishing second in the Indiana State Meet.

After dropping their only dual meet of the outdoor season to Michigan State, 75 to 65, the Irish tracksters scored 52 points to place second behind Indiana's 77 in a triangular meet in which Purdue placed third with 34 points. Indiana scored 75 1/2 points to cop the Indiana State Meet, less than four points ahead of the Irish, who placed second with 71 5/6 points. Purdue was third with 56 1/2 points. Two Notre Dame outdoor records were broken in the meet—Bill Leonard in the mile run and Capt. John Smith in the 120-yard high hurdles. Notre Dame completed its regular season by tallying 79 points to cop a triangular meet over Bradley University, which finished second with 48 1/2 and Marquette in third spot with 36 1/2.

Outstanding performers for the Irish during the outdoor season included Leonard and Lou Tracy in the mile, Smith in the hurdles, Jim Murphy and Corney Styers in the two-mile, John Johnson in the discus throw, George Sullivan, Luke Higgins and Floyd Simmons in the shot put, Bob Smith in the dashes, and the mile relay team composed of George Provost, Ernie McCullough, Ray Sobota and Dave Murphy.

Head Coach Frank Leahy's Irish football forces closed spring practice with the annual Varsity-Old Timers match in the Stadium, May 17.

The varsity walked off with honors to the tune of 26-13, with the running of John Lujack, Connellsville, Pa., and the passing of Frank Tripucka, Bloomfield, N. J., thrilling the 10,000 spectators. Lujack started at quarterback, but was switched to fullback during the second half, and Tripucka assumed the mastermind role capably.

Tripucka's superb showing loomed all the larger with the announcement early last month that George Ratterman, last season's No. 2 quarterback, had signed a two-year contract with the Buffalo Bills of the All-American Professional Football League. Ratterman had with­
ished second with 48% and Marquette in third spot with 36 1/2.

TIMABLE NEW MONOGRAM HEAD

Joe Boland, '27, popular announcer of WSBT, South Bend, a former Notre Dame line star, and former Notre Dame assistant coach, on June 1 was elected president of the Notre Dame Monogram Club at the organization's annual meeting held as a part of the Commencement activities.

Other officers elected were Bernie Crimmins, '42, vice-president and Steve Ely, '27, secretary-treasurer. Bernie was a baseball and football star 1939-42 and is now a member of Coach Frank Leahy's staff. Steve, a pitcher of note during the 1926-27 seasons, on the ball team, is now an English professor at Notre Dame.

Approximately 75 former monogram winners attended the meeting which was held in the form of a luncheon in the University dining hall. Among those to speak was Coach Leahy who outlined the gridiron prospects for the forthcoming season.

NEW MIDLAND EDITOR

Dr. John D. Mizelle, associate professor of Biology, has been appointed editor of the American Midland Naturalist, distinguished biological journal published at Notre Dame, it was announced on May 6 by Rev. Howard Kenna, C.S.C., director of studies.

Dr. Mizelle, who since Dec. 1, 1946, has served as managing and associate editor, succeeds Dr. Theodor Just, former head of the Department of Biology who resigned his post at Notre Dame last year to become chief curator of the Department of Botany, Chicago Natural History Museum.

An authority on parasitology, Dr. Mizelle joined the faculty of the University of Notre Dame in 1940 after serving for three years on the faculty at Oklahoma A. & M. College. He formerly was an assistant animal parasitologist in the division of animal pathology and hygiene at the University of Illinois. A native of Louisiana, he received his bachelor of science degree at Louisiana State University in 1932 and his master of science degree at the same institution in 1933. He received his doctor's degree at the University of Illinois in 1937.
That Boy of Yours

By Thomas E. Braniff
President, Braniff International Airways, Inc.

(A radio address on Universal Notre Dame Night, April 14, 1947, in Denver)

To you, the alumni of Notre Dame, wherever you may be gathered in honor of your Alma Mater tonight, whether in your homeland or on foreign soil, I extend hearty greetings from this group of your friends in the beautiful city of Denver. This is a gathering of which you may well be proud. It is representative of the character and the spirit and the accomplishments of the people of the West. Here a new civilization was created from virgin prairies and majestic mountains but a single generation ago. Many of the men and women in this room tonight have played an important part in the creation of this Western Empire. College educations were confined to the privileged few in those early days of the building of the West, but those few were leaders in the cultural and educational development of their communities.

Life Without Venture Is Dull

If I were to speculate on what you graduates of Notre Dame are reminiscing about tonight, it would be safe to include—your professors, classmates, and heroes of the football field. You recall with amusement the pranks and the buffoonery that help to make up the relaxations of college life. But as an aftermath of all these joyful memories there comes the period of serious reflection when a man reviews his life since leaving college.

Most of you graduates of Notre Dame are doubtless married men with families. If you are, you probably think first of your happy domestic life, of the girl who has stood by you “for better or for worse,” of the pride and comfort you have in your children. If you have boys, you either provided them with the privilege of a college education at your Alma Mater, or you are planning to do so.

Your thoughts may turn to your business or professional life. You may or may not have attained all your ambitious goals. But your fondest memories are not of the comforts you have accumulated in life. They are of the struggles you have successfully met, of the difficulties which seemed insurmountable at the time, but were finally conquered, bringing you both prosperity and the respect of your fellow men. You have learned that the competition which prevails in our American system of enterprise provides a challenge to the spirit of accomplishment—a challenge that is as thrilling as was the contest on the football field.

In these days of social experiment there are those who would substitute the deadening influence of “cradle to the grave” social security, and “featherbedding” for the risks you took and won. But life without venture would be dull indeed. You would not want your boy to be deprived of the incentive to make good on his own account, no matter how hard the path of success might be. The thrill of achievement is worth all the sacrifice it might entail.

In fact that boy of yours has probably already gone places and seen things. If so, experience and observation have been his teachers. If he was among our military forces abroad during the recent war, he has returned home with a fierce determination to protect our system of government. He may grumble at the dislocation of our economy, or some other temporary after-war phenomenon. He is shocked to find that while he was away, the followers of an alien gang have so entrenched themselves among us as to threaten to undermine our system of government. A gang of racketeers who would destroy our freedom of worship, the sanctity of our marriage relationships, the freedom of the press and ballot, the rights of property, and all the privileges of democracy as we know and cherish them, and substitute a philosophy of materialism under the domination of a foreign tyrant.

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He has seen with his own eyes the results of the evil ambition for power of ruthless dictators. He has seen the effect of spreading the delusion of racial superiority and the venom of racial prejudice. In one instance alone he has seen the propaganda of hatred climaxied by the ruthless extermination of six million Jews.

He has learned that there are at this time approximately 850,000 displaced persons in the American and British occupied zones of Germany, a majority of them Christians, resisting deportation to their native land because persecution and slavery and death await them there. These are the things which have created in the breasts of your boys a firm determination to keep alive the principles of tolerance and brotherhood which still exist in the United States.

Son Has Better Opportunity Than Father

Your boy has inherited a staggering federal debt which must be borne by him and his children and those who follow them. He is handicapped by income tax laws which limit his accumulations of capital and place a discouraging influence upon the incentive to strive. But he accepts these conditions as the inevitable aftermath of war’s wastefulness. Their cure provides a challenge to his resourcefulness and he is confident of his ability to overcome them.

In a recent survey conducted by a reputable magazine of wide circulation, the young men of America have gone on record as believing they have a better opportunity than their fathers had. And strange as it may seem, a lesser percentage, but nevertheless a substantial majority of the fathers agree with them. Youth may not be fully aware of the extent and difficulties of the problems that face it, but you fathers know the will to win is there, and after all, what generation in America has not overcome obstacles relatively as great to them as those that confront the present generation. That is the history of the strength and the character of America.

You and your fathers found your opportunities in the pioneering of the West and the building of America. Today there is a new challenge and broader opportunity for this generation in the
Denver Banquet Highlights U. N. D. Night

By PAUL R. SANTO, '41, Secretary,
Notre Dame Club of Denver.

(The observance of the 24th annual Universal Notre Dame Night, on April 14, was doubtless the "biggest and best." For confirmation of that statement you have only to read the club news which follows, and look at the numerous club pictures. The Alumni Office extends warmest appreciation to all the clubs which participated so notably in the Night, and especially to the individuals within the clubs who carried the burden of the day. To the Denver Club especially thanks are due for a major accomplishment. Paul Santo tells about it in the story here.—Ed.)

Monday, April 14, 1947, was a red letter day in the history of the Denver Notre Dame Club, as members and friends of the University gathered in Denver, the capitol of the Rocky Mountain Empire, in observance of the 24th annual Universal Notre Dame Night.

The celebration and coast-to-coast broadcast Monday night climaxed a week-end of entertainment. Sunday Night, April 13, the Denver Club played host to Harry G. Hogan, president of the Alumni Association, at a meeting in the Trophy Room of the Denver Athletic Club. Mr. Hogan at that time outlined plans of the Alumni Association for the coming year.

Monday night, 750 alumni and supporters of Notre Dame were present in the Lincoln Room of the Shirley Savoy hotel to hear and see the Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president of the University of Notre Dame, and Thomas E. Braniff, president of Braniff International Airways, principal speakers for the evening.

The banquet began with grace by the Most Rev. Urban J. Vehr, D.D., archbishop of Denver. Immediately following, Milton Shrednik and his orchestra played the Notre Dame Victory March. The group also entertained during the dinner.

Robert Dick, a past president of the Denver club and chairman of the banquet committee, welcomed the distinguished guests and friends to our celebration. He in turn introduced Eugene Blish, who introduced the distinguished guests to all present. Mr. Blish is our retiring president and a member of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association.

Don Miller, toastmaster, is one of the Four Horseman and present United States District Attorney for the northern district of Ohio and chairman of the National Juvenile Delinquency Committee. Mr. Miller introduced those sitting at the speakers' table.

Outstanding leaders in the field of religion, education, industry and civic affairs gather before the national headquarters observance of Universal Notre Dame Night in Denver. Left to right: Hon. J. Foster Symes, United States district judge; Toastmaster Don Miller, former member of the immortal Four Horsemen, and now United States district attorney for Northern Ohio; Hon. Wm. Lee Kasus, governor of Colorado; the Most Rev. Urban J. Vehr, D.D., archbishop of Denver; Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame; Thomas E. Braniff, Dallas, president of Braniff International Airways; George W. Straké, Houston, Texas, trustee of Notre Dame; Harry G. Hogan, president of the Alumni Association; and Frank Leahy, director of athletics.
The Hon. Wm. Lee Knous, governor of the State of Colorado, welcomed to Denver Universal Notre Dame Night and its distinguished guests from other states and from Notre Dame. Gov. Knous in closing his welcoming address said: "We trust that this will not be the last time that Colorado is chosen to play host for the headquarters of Universal Notre Dame Night."

Mr. Braniff was then introduced. His address to the radio audience is presented in full elsewhere in this issue.

Following Mr. Braniff, Don Miller gave a brief survey of the work being accomplished by the National Juvenile Delinquency Committee. He stated that he was remaining in Denver to conduct a meeting of the Mountain States sports writers.

Father Cavanaugh gave a significant address on God and the atom bomb. Said Father Cavanaugh: "Universities must accept the task of training youth for moral responsibilities as well as scientific know-how. The universities must fulfill their responsibility of emphasizing God and the moral law or mankind will perish of its own seed."

"It is a sincere satisfaction to the coaching staff as well as to our faculty when a Notre Dame team takes the field in any sport to know that each member has a scholastic average of 77 per cent or above, an average which is seven points higher than the required passing grade."

The banquet was brought to a close by grace said by Father Cavanaugh.

We are very greatful to our Colorado newspapers for the kind publicity given to our banquet. Many feature stories and pictures were published prior to and immediately following our celebration.

Also, we wish to thank the many distinguished leaders of religion, business, and civic affairs who contributed so greatly in making our banquet a success by their presence.

Some of those present were: The Most Rev. Urban J. Vehr, D.D., archbishop of Denver; The Hon. Wm. Lee Knous, Governor of Colorado; The Hon. Ben F. Stapleton, mayor of Denver; George W. Strake, Houston, Texas; Floyd P. Ogden, president Mountain States Telephone and Telegraph Co., with Mrs. Ogden; E. Ray Campbell, president Denver Post; Ben H. Parker, president Colorado School of Mines; R. R. Mickelson, president Western State College; Lloyd Yoder, manager, KOA, president of Rotary; Thurston Davies, president Colorado College; Rev. John Flanagan, S.J., president Regis College; General Thomas Lowe, Commanding General, Lowry Field; Caleb F. Gates, Denver University; Quigg Newton, chairman, Board of Trustees, D. U.; Eugene O’Fallon, manager KFED; Thomas J. Morrissey, United States District Attorney of Colorado; Hon. J. Foster Symes, United States District Judge.

Baltimore

Under the chairmanship of FRANK HOFER and his able committee, the club celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night at the Monte Carlo party at the Bonnie View Country Club. Eighty-three couples enjoyed the affair, of whom forty-one couples were Notre Dame men and their wives. Numerous prizes were given to us by local merchants and the bidding for them ran high; thus making the evening a financial success as well as a thoroughly enjoyed affair.

LEWIS J. O’SHEA

Blue Water District

The Blue Water District club has elected the following officers: WILLIAM L. WILSON, president; GRANGER WEIL, vice-president; and JOHN LEAHY, secretary-treasurer. This group will serve temporarily. We are planning an organizational drive to obtain as many members as possible within our district. Meetings for the entire membership will be held on the first Wednesday of every month. Several dinners, too, have been planned during the course of the summer season, for members and their wives. The club will grant memberships to some of the outstanding citizens of this district. It was decided that the members would informally attend Mass and receive Holy Communion every first Friday at the Catholic Church in Port Huron, Mich. BILL WILSON

Boston

It is a pleasure to report that the club held a dinner dance on Universal Notre Dame Night at the Myles Standish Hotel in Boston. We had a real Notre Dame atmosphere since we were graced with the presence of REV. GEORGE B. BENAGLIA, C.S.C., REV. RICHARD H. SULLIVAN, C.S.C., and MAJOR FITZGERALD, C.S.C., who was in our vicinity for his parents' 50th wedding anniversary.

The membership of the club owe their most enjoyable evening to the following committee members:

JOHN V. MORAN, FRED HOGAN, FRANK REILLY and JOHN VAUGHAN.

Frank Reilly did an exceptionally fine job of seeing to it that we all heard the broadcast originating from Denver, and also in arranging for us to hear a recording of the fight talk as given by Rockne, while we had a large picture of Rockne projected on a screen. This last feature stirred up fond memories of the older men and brought to life the legend of the great Rock for the younger men.

We also owe a vote of thanks to the local outlet of the Mutual Broadcasting System West Coast who went to the trouble to have the broadcast transcribed and then rebroadcast for our benefit and the residents of Metropolitan Boston.

JOHN HERBERT
Buffalo

Great educational advances are being made at the University of Notre Dame, MOST REV. JOHN F. O'HARA, C.S.C., bishop of Buffalo, told more than 5000 attendants at the 24th annual Universal Notre Dame Night in the Hotel Lafayette.

A former president of the university, Bishop O'Hara said plans call for establishment of an Institute of Medieval Studies at Notre Dame to rediscover the history of the past in order to avoid the pitfalls of the future. "The last two wars," the bishop offered, "have shown us there has been a total disregard of the lessons of history. If we are to have peace on earth, the real lessons must be learned."

Bishop O'Hara gave the principal address in the absence of THOMAS F. BYRNE of Cleveland, honorary president of the National Alumni Association.

With Bishop O'Hara at the speakers' table were Most Rev. Joseph A. Burke, auxiliary bishop of Buffalo; Very Rev. Francis L. Meade, president of Niagara University; Very Rev. Thomas Passman, president of St. Bonaventure College and Mayor Bernard J. Dowd of Buffalo.

Toastmaster was the Rev. John F. Donahue, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Limestone.

Canal Zone

Our local celebration of Universal Notre Dame Night went off smoothly, with the exception of the worldwide broadcast which we were unable to receive on the radio.

We had a banquet at the Panama Golf Club, which is located on the outskirts of Panama City on a hill overlooking the Pacific Ocean. About 20 persons attended, but this represented a cross-section of alumni ranging from a doctor to a cross-section of alumni ranging from a doctor to receive on the radio.

The grand ballroom of the Knickerbocker was the scene of the club's celebration of Universal Notre Dame Night. Four hundred and fifty members and their guests attended. REV. JOHN H. MURPHY, C.S.C., vice-president of the University, was the principal speaker.

JAMES KEARNS, former Chicago Journalist and now head of a publicity firm in Chicago, was toastmaster. Speakers included: ELMER LATYEN, JIM CROWLEY, JACK ELDEN, CHUCK COLLINS, RED MAHER, MARTIN J. COSTELLO, '57, the oldest member present, and RAY MEYER.

Three features made this banquet an enjoyable one for those attending. The new arrangements included (1) increasing the visiting time and decreasing the speaking time, (2) arranging the tables according to classes, and (3) definite reduction in cost of tickets. The success of the party was the result of the untiring efforts of Chairman BARRY O'KEEFE and his able assistant, BOB O'TOOLE.

COL. JOHN P. "JOCK" HENEBRY, an aviation executive, presented trophies to TOM GRADY, handball singles champion of the club, and to RAY McGRAH and JACK BUCKLEY, winners of the doubles matches.

The officers for 1947 are: PETER E. KEARNEY, honorary president; THOMAS S. McCABE, president; JAMES R. CRONIN, first vice-president; J. BARRY O'KEEFE, second vice-president; J. RAYMOND DONLAN, treasurer; and ROBERT LONERGAN, secretary.

Chicago

It was recently announced here that DR. ROBERTO A. JIMENEZ, '14, has been appointed to be Panama's ambassador to Bogota, Colombia. For the past two years he headed Panama's delegation to the United Nations.

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Calumet District

Our club met to celebrate U.N.D. Night at the Baby Inn in Hammond, and to listen to the broadcast from Denver.

As this was our first meeting since the war, considerable discussion was given over to re-organizing the club and to developing a program to provide more activities and create greater interest. The re-organization movement was furthered by FRANCIS MAYER's report of his week-end at the president's meeting held at Notre Dame last fall.

It was decided to hold another meeting at a later date for an election of officers and DAN LYNCH, presiding as president, appointed a committee to set a date for election of officers. The committee: AUSTIN BOYLE, Whiting, chairman, AMBROSE McGINNIS, Crown Point, chairman, FRANCIS MAYER, Hammond, chairman, IKE LOWER, Gary, chairman, and JOHN WALLACE, chairman of East Chicago.

FRED SOLMAN

Central Illinois

The club celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night with a dinner in the Illinois hotel, Springfield, attended by 30, including a large delegation from Decatur, Ill. Rev. James Suddes, Catholic diocesan director of the propagation of the faith, and WILLIAM R. DOOLEY, assistant alumni secretary, were the principal speakers.

Following the dinner the club listened to the national broadcast. Two films, one of the campus, the other of the 1946 football highlights, were shown.

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With REV. JOSEPH D. BARRY, C.S.C., rector of the new Farley Hall, at the helm, the "U. S. S. Syracuse" steamed into port, with over 50 Notre Dame men aboard for the annual celebration of Universal Notre Dame night at the University Club of Syracuse. It was the largest gathering in the club's 24-year history and doubled last year's representation.

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LEO D. KELLEY, national director of the Alumni Association, was the first speaker and he explained the new program of the association and emphasized the importance of the alumni fund. The vice-governor of the Alumni Association for the state of New York, JOSEPH R. BRANDT of Ogdensburg, was the next speaker. Mr. Brandt traveled over one hundred miles to attend the banquet. MARK E. MOONEY, president of the club, read committee appointments, discussed future plans, and introduced the principal speaker of the evening: Father Barry, former Syracuse, army chaplain, and now director of students activities at Notre Dame, told the club members of the present intellectual and spiritual program at Notre Dame and the changes that post-war problems have brought to the campus. JOHN H. TERRY was chairman of the dinner, assisted by Mr. Mooney, Mr. Kelley, Mr. VanSwall and HENRY M. KIRK, Jr. Mr. Vanwall was toastmaster.

Father Barry, principal speaker of the evening, was also a guest of Glenn Williams, local broadcaster, on his interview show over Radio Station WAGE of the American chain. The nationwide broadcast from Denver was heard over Mutual Network by the entire membership.
Notre Dame alumni in the Cincinnati area relaxed on Universal Notre Dame Night by staging a bowling party.

present, through special facilities, despite the telephone strike. BILLY CATE trucking company manager, was booking Army-Notre Dame game transportation. JACK McCauliffe, local club director, held a committee meeting, after having been appointed chairman of the June alumni-student party, with E. W. KENAFKE, JAMES HUXFORD and BILL KELLEY.

In conformity with the newly adopted constitution, Mr. Mooney, president, announced the appointment of the following committee chairs: Rev. JOSEPH B. TOOMET, Religion and Citizenship Committee; HENRY T. HICKEY, publicity and public relations committee; JOHN E. MADDY, preparatory school contacts committee; FREDERICK T. DELANY, JR., job counselling committee; JUSTIN CORCORAN, finance committee; HAWLEY E. YANKEWALL, membership committee. JOHN H. TERRY

Cincinnati

The club joined in the celebration of Universal Notre Dame Night at beautiful Hyde Park Country club. Elaborate preparations had been made for weeks in advance by our capable chairman, DICK SCALLAN. The entire Country club, including bowling alleys, main dining room and recreation room, was turned over to us. Dick was assisted in the details of arrangement by JACK BRODBERGER and BOB LEONARD.

Festivities began with bowling matches. Some of our more prominent bowlers, along with their "handicap-anchor-men", paired off to compete for the well known prizes that usually accompany stag parties. And there were many other activities.

At 11 o'clock the entire group assembled in the main dining room to hear the broadcast over the Mutual Network from Denver. Afterwards, an excellent buffet dinner was served. I noticed before leaving that MARC FIEHRER, president of the Hamilton, O., club, along with his delegation had somehow cornered HOWARD ROHAN and BOB McCAFFERTY and elected them pin boys "ex officio" for the balance of the evening. JOHN C. COTTINGHAM.

The Notre Dame Club of Dallas, assembled to celebrate Universal N.D. Night. This is an informal shot taken after the dinner.

President of the Central New York Club, Mark Mooney, looks over a record gathering at the Universal Notre Dame Night celebration at the University club, Syracuse.

Cleveland

The club held its annual elections the week of May 12 with the following results: HUGH M. O'NEILL, president; JOHN F. COLEMAN, vice-president; WILLIAM MULLIGAN, treasurer; and FRANK J. McGRODER, secretary.

The club is looking forward to a very successful year under the guidance of these men. JACK COLEMAN was chairman of the Rockne Memorial Communion breakfast. It was one of the finest affairs we had during the year. DAN DUFFY was master of ceremonies.

FATHER JOHN MURPHY, C.S.C., vice-president, gave a splendid talk on KNUTE ROCKNE. Other speakers were DON MILLER and STAN COFALL.

A very successful Easter dance was run off under the chairmanship of ED. SCHROEDER.

FATHER JOHN CAVANAUGH, C.S.C., president of the University, addressed the Chamber of Commerce here May 26. There were quite a number of Notre Dame men attending the luncheon and they heard Father Cavanaugh give a very powerful talk. TOM ENRIGHT.
Fort Wayne

The club held one of the largest meetings in our history in commemoration of Universal Notre Dame Night. The affair was held in the Chatterbox Room of the Hotel Anthony, with the wives and friends of the members as guests. About 150 people were in attendance.

Dinner was served at 7:30 p.m., and after that President, PAUL SAGSTETTER called the meeting to order. A letter from HARRY HOGAN, national president of the Alumni Association, was read, since Mr. Hogan was in attendance at the celebration in Denver. He was ably represented by Mrs. Hogan, who also delivered a short talk to us.

The main speaker for the evening was Father Leo Purcell, pastor of St. John The Baptist Church in Fort Wayne. We listened to the broadcast from Denver, and then games were played for the balance of the evening.

Election of officers for the coming year produced: BERNARD KEARNS, president; JEROME O'OWD, vice-president; THOMAS SUELZER, treasurer; and BERNARD NIEZER, secretary.

Hiawathaland

The club met at the Ludington Hotel in Escanaba, Mich., to observe N. D. Night. We had a grand dinner in the Marine Room of the Hotel. Eighteen of the boys were present.

We elected officers for the year. They are: NORMAN HARTHOLOMEW, Iron Mountain, president; M. N. SMITH, Escanaba, vice-president; ROBERT LEMIRE, Escanaba, secretary; and HENRY LAUERMAN, Menominee, treasurer.

Houston

The club held a fine meeting on Universal Notre Dame Night. The program originating in Denver over the radio came in very clearly and we thoroughly enjoyed the evening.

We were indeed fortunate in having FATHER JESSE RICK, C.S.C., with us. He is the first priest to be ordained from the city of Houston and has been in India 18 years. He gave us a very interesting talk about India and held an open forum after our meeting and answered all questions regarding his missionary work.

I feel certain that our club is going to be more active as the days go by.

R. CONROY SCOGGINS

Dallas

A record crowd assembled for observance of Universal Notre Dame Night in Dallas. The newly elected board of directors includes ART SIMPSON, D. P. BUELL, W. A. DEFFERARI, J. J. FOLEY, BILL GRADY, BERNIE MOLIN, J. M. HAGGER, JIM SWIFT, and JIM WALSH. At the election of officers for the coming year, the president, WAITE LEVY, was re-elected, while EMMETT SUZER was drafted as hall carriers for another year while JIMMY SIMMONS, ED HAGGER and DAD FOLEY follow the group as vice-presidents. GEORGE BECKER will serve as treasurer.

Dayton

A record attendance was on hand to participate locally in observing Universal Notre Dame Night. The election of officers for the coming year was held. BILL HOYNE was elected president to succeed JOHN FERNEDING. DICK POHL was voted secretary-treasurer, replacing JOHN FOCKE.

The new officers planned a party to be held June 7 at the Towers in Dayton. Members and their wives will enjoy a chicken-in-the­rough dinner and plenty of entertainment.

JOHN FERNEDING

Detroit

Universal Notre Dame Night was a busy one for the Notre Dame Club of Detroit because it was on this night that our new officers were installed. They are JOE BACH, president; BERT BAUR, Jr., first vice-president; DAN BRADLEY, second vice-president; MAL KINLOCH, secretary; and ED HICKIE, treasurer. The officers were chosen by our new Board of Directors which includes, in addition to the officers, BERNARD L. CARR, FRANK R. QUVANNAGH, M. N. SMITH, W. H. DAVIS, and WILLIE FENTON. The program for the evening included the following: A. DONNELLY, CURLY ASH, NICHOLAS J. BECK, JOHN RYAN, THOMAS SUELZER, JOHN KELLY, and McCARTY L. STILLMAN.

The speaker for the evening was our own J. O. JOHNSON, secretary of the Alumni Association and retiring Governor of Michigan. He gave an inspiring talk to some 118 dinner guests.

President Joe Bach announced the major activities for the year which include: July 1, golf at Meadowbrook Country Club; Aug. 2, picnic at the university farm; Sept. 24, luncheon, football season rally; Oct. 21, dinner and veteran's night; Nov. 1, football, Navy at Cleveland; Nov. 20, football, Notre Dame at Miami; Nov. 21, bingos, Book-Cadillac Hotel; Dec. 7, Christmas dance; Dec. 27, Christmas Dinner; Feb. 12, 14, 15, 16, 15th Annual, Retreat, Xavier; April 5, Universal Notre Dame Night.

Malcolm F. Knox

Des Moines

The club had just two recent meetings, the first was the inauguration of the monthly First Friday luncheon meeting held March 3 at the Savoy Hotel. At this time the new constitution was adopted, and it now appears that the program is in full swing.

On April 14, Universal Notre Dame Night, the Des Moines group again met at the Savoy Hotel for a buffet supper, movies, and to hear FATHER CAVANAUGH in his nation-wide address. Due to a conflict in programs and the cooperation of KBCO, Des Moines' radio station, a recording was made and put on the air a half hour after the regular broadcast. This program was arranged by the Program Committee, headed by HARRY O'BOTLE.

The annual Drake Relays weekender for the Notre Dame team went off in fine style. Coach "Doc" Hardy introduced his track squad to the members attending the dinner.

Louis F. Kurtz

Indiana

The club joined with Notre Dame clubs in the observance of Universal Notre Dame Night with a dinner in the Green Room of the Indianapolis Athletic Club. One hundred and twenty members and guests gathered to welcome guest speaker WILLIAM H. CONOP, the general chairman, introduce the speakers. Most Rev. F. P. S. BERRY, archbishop of Indianapolis, introduced FATHER THOMAS J. BRENNAN, C.S.C., of the Department of Philosophy at Notre Dame.

It was most gratifying to the club to see the large turnout of the fathers of present students and past students of the University, as well as the number of guests that attended with club members.

We stopped off the evening by tuning in on WIBC to pick up the Mutual broadcast from Denver. At 19:45 that same evening we had our own broadcast over the same local station, with MIKE REDDINGTON handling the narration.

We are all still wondering how the handball game turned out between FATHER BRENNAN, AL SMITH, JOHN FORD and JOHN O'CONNOR, who all slipped away to the Athletic Club court between broadcasts. Our first informal spring dance was held on May 13 at the South­ ern Masonic, ROBERT M. FITZGERALD, was the general chairman with the following members serving on his committees:

Reservations—HARRY E. SCOTT, Sr., CHAS. K. LAYN, JOHN F. SHIEL, HENRY K. ENGLE, JAMES E. ROCAP, JR., PAUL J. SMITH and WALTER J. STÜHLREITER.

Tickets—JOSEPH RICK, C.S.C., TREASURER, BOB LEMIRE

Election of officers for the coming year produced: BERNARD KEARNS, president; JEROME O'OWD, vice-president; THOMAS SUELZER, treasurer; and BERNARD NIEZER, secretary.

Bob O'Brien

Retiring president, Paul Sagstetter, with back to camera, confers with newly elected officers of the Ft Wayne Club on Universal Notre Dame Night. Left to right: Sagstetter, Bernie Kearns, president; Tom Suelzer, treasurer and Bernie Nierez, secretary.

R. CONROY SCOGGINS

According to Bob the dance attendance would
have been much larger if the mid-week baby sitter problem hadn't reared its ugly head.

Another Indianapolis Notre Damer climbed into the local limelight on May 6; AL FEENEY, former football center and teammate of the late KNUTE ROCKNE, received the Democratic nomination for mayor of Indianapolis. Al's political career started back in the early '20s when he founded and became the first head of the state police system in Indiana. His next venture was that as sheriff of Marion County (Indianapolis).

Plans are being formulated for a club family picnic to be held sometime in July and of course for the annual golf tournament in August.

**Kansas City**

The club held a meeting on Universal Notre Dame Night at the Phillips Hotel. Officers who took office were: THOMAS HEARDON, president; JOSEPH STEWART, vice-president; JOSEPH VAN DYKE, secretary, and THOMAS HIGGINS, treasurer.

VINCE DE COURSEY, outgoing president, deserves plaudits for reorganizing the club after the war.

The club has outlined many activities for the coming year. These activities were read to the members and met with hearty approval. We were unable to hear the Universal Notre Dame Night program over the radio but pictures of the 1946 Notre Dame-Army game were shown and enjoyed by all.

JOE VAN DYKE

**Kentucky**

The club observed Universal Notre Dame Night with a dinner dance at the Colonial Gardens.

A fine turnout of fifty members and their guests were treated to a most enjoyable evening, climaxcd by the broadcast from Denver and the election of club officers.

The officers elected for the coming year were: WILLIAM J. GOERNER, president; PATRICK S. GREENE, first vice-president; JOHN N. MCKENNA, second vice-president; JAMES CARRICO, treasurer; OTTO J. MILESI, secretary. OTTO J. MILESI

**LaCrosse, Wis.**

The newly formed Notre Dame club of La Crosse observed its first Universal Notre Dame Night with a banquet and meeting at the Hotel Stoddard. Various committees were appointed by President JOHN A. ELLIOTT and plans were discussed for a football trip via air. This football committee is headed by FRED FUNK.

The Most Reverend John Patrick Treacy, coadjutor bishop of the La Crosse diocese, accepted the duties as spiritual advisor of the club and gave a brief talk. He also extended an invitation to the club for Communion breakfast at his home early in May.

The following officers have been chosen by the club: ARTHUR S. FUNK, honorary president; JOHN A. ELLIOTT, president; FRED FUNK, vice-president; JOHN A. RAU, secretary-treasurer.

On the board of directors are: AUGUST M. GRAMS, DICK PEARSE, JOHN ELLIOTT, R. F. BARTL, JOHN RAU, and D. F. HYDE.

JOHN A. RAUL

**Los Angeles**

Some two hundred and fifty members of the club met at the Rodger Young Auditorium to celebrate Universal Notre Dame Night. The meeting was presided over by TOM ASHE, the younger brother of GERALD "KID" ASHE and ED ASHE. He presented VERN RICKARD of the Class of '24, who was the leading man for the Duncan Sisters of the "Topsy and Eva" show 'way back in the middle '20s. An unusual program had been arranged by the committee headed by VERN RICKARD and through the efforts and acquaintanceship of LOU BERNARDI. (Some of you may have met him at what "Life" chooses to call "The Poor Man's Night Club." Schwab's Pharmacy on the famous Hollywood Strip. All the stars frequent this pharmacy, of which Lou is the pharmacist and assistant manager.)

Lou arranged the program which included Dennis Day; William Frawley, who on occasion has played the part of Rockne as coach; Eddie O'Brien, of Winged Victory fame; Jimmy Burke, and the famous comedian and entertainer, Danny Thomas. Pat O'Brien was the toastmaster and we enjoyed what in Hollywood is referred to as "a million dollars worth of talent." However, the show was "stolen" by the Rev. Vincent Lloyd Russell. Father Russell has been heard on the "Catholic Hour" from time to time, taking the place of Monsignor Sheen. . . . such professionals as we had on the program, not to mention some of our Notre Dame greats in the moving picture industry, such as ALLAN DWAN, were impressed with Father Russell's ability, message, subtle comedy and his sincerity.

To complete the program we had a message from the Hon. JOSEPH SCOTT who, despite the fact that he will be eighty years old on the 16th of July, shows little evidence of losing any of his exuberance and ability.

Those who are interested in our membership who obtained prominence in the public service may recall CLARENCE J. DERRICK, class of '14, of the Board of Public Works of the City of Los Angeles, and MICHAEL D. FANNING, postmaster of Los Angeles.

We were fortunate in having Pat O'Brien who, although a graduate of Marquette, has been so indoctrinated with Notre Dame lore after playing the part of Rockne in the moving pictures, that he feels quite at home at Notre Dame gatherings.


Board of Directors or Governors: Three-year term: TOM ASHE, GENE CALHOUN, ED ASHE, and LEO WARD.

Two-year term: ED CUNNINGHAM, VERN RICKARD, PAT SHEA, JOE O'NEILL.

One-year term: BILL CORR, CHARLES GASS, JOHN M'ARDLE, ED HOGAN and TOM FLOYE.

LEO B. WARD

**Memphis**

New officers of the club, elected on Universal Notre Dame Night, are: JERRY (T. J.) FOLEY, president; PHIL. M. CANALE, JR., vice-president; DORSEY MATHIS, JR., secretary; and LARRY THOMPSON, treasurer.


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Milwaukee

The club held a Communion breakfast on March 30 to honor the memory of KNUTE ROCKNE. REV. GEORGE WELSH, C.S.C., offered the Mass at the St. Charles Boys Home and the Brothers of Holy Cross and their charges were excellent hosts.

We were unable to go through with our original plan of participating in the Chicago School, served as toastmaster and he did an excellent job. We held our Rockne Memorial Communion Breakfast in Donora on April 10. We attended Mass at St. Charles, Father Fitzpatrick being the celebrant. One hundred and fifty-two men received Communion. Breakfast was served in St. Dominick’s Recreation Center.

JIM RUSSELL, head coach of Donora High School, served as toastmaster and he did an excellent job. KEN STILLEY came down from St. Bonaventure to give the group some fine stories of the steal background of Notre Dame football. The other speakers were ED DEAN, club president; John Houlihan, business manager of the Pittsburgh Steeler; Dan Hamill, outstanding Catholic layman from Pittsburgh; Tommy Preston, Donora High School principal; and Father Fitzpatrick, pastor of St. Leonard’s Church in Monessen.

Some forty men gathered for dinner at the Franklin Hotel of Malone, N. Y., on Universal Notre Dame Night, marking the first time in nine years the club had assembled. In the absence of president, RALPH CARDINAL, MITCHELL C. TACKLEY presided.

Count Judge CORNELIUS J. CAREY, JR., was elected president for next year. Rev. Russell O’Neill, assistant pastor of St. Joseph’s Church in Malone, and the REV. DONALD GALLAGHER, of Lyon Mountain, spoke.

Special guest of the evening was the noted foreign correspondent and lecturer, H. R. Knickerbocker. Following the meeting a round-table discussion on current subjects was held with Mr. Knickerbocker in charge.

The Los Angeles club honored Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president of the University, with a testimonial dinner in Los Angeles on March 11. Pictured here is part of the crowd of 400 people who took part in the affair.

The club met again for Universal Notre Dame Night at Johnson’s Restaurant in Monessen. Pa. Seventeen members, along with their wives and friends enjoyed an excellent turkey dinner and a short program. Father Owen J. Kirby, pastor of St. Leonard’s Church in Monessen gave the principal address. JIM DEVLIN

Montana

The club met in the Round Up Room of the Finlen Hotel, Butte, in honor of FATHER ROBERT SWEENEY, C.S.C., executive assistant to the president of Notre Dame, on March 29.

ED SIMONICH, president of the club, explained what was being done to reactivate the club. He particularly stressed that it was to be state-wide, and not merely for Butte alumni.

Initial steps to reorganize were taken in Butte only because there were more Notre Dame men in that area. Activities and meetings are to be moved about the state at the convenience of the members.

The business meeting terminated when the following new officers for the year were chosen: EDWARD SIMONICH, president; BERNARD GRAYE, vice-president; and ROY E. MURRAY, JR., secretary-treasurer.

Father Sweeney gave a short talk on the activities of the national alumni organization. Following this he showed films of the University and football highlights of 1946. It was decided not to hold a general meeting on Universal Notre Dame Night. Instead, members in various localities throughout the state were to gather in small groups to observe the occasion. The next general meeting will be held in Great Falls in August. JOE MORODICK was appointed chairman of this meeting.

ROY MURRAY

Northern California

Some forty men gathered for dinner in San Francisco’s Whitcomb Hotel for traditional “sociability” and powwow on Universal Notre Dame Night. BILLY BYRNE presided and we saw a fine film from the University. DICK FUTIE gave us a quick and effective resume of his meeting on campus with the club presidents last fall.

The club elected officers as follows: president, JOHN W. CAREY; vice-president, WILLIAM TOWN; secretary-treasurer, J. R. HAYLUND. Directors, one year, KEENE FITZPATRICK and BODIE ANDREWS; directors, two years, SLIP MADIGAN and WILLIAM BYRNE; directors, three years, MAL EDWARD and JIM PHelan.

With this essential business out of the way, we explored the pleasures of the members regarding future programs and meetings. No agreements were reached, nor was it expected that we would—but ideas were advanced which we will try to crystallize in a forthcoming directors’ meeting.

JOHN W. CAREY

Northern New York

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COUNTY Judge CORNELIUS J. CAREY, JR., was elected president for next year. Rev. Russell O’Neill, assistant pastor of St. Joseph’s Church in Malone, and the REV. DONALD GALLAGHER, of Lyon Mountain, spoke.

Special guest of the evening was the noted foreign correspondent and lecturer, H. R. Knickerbocker. Following the meeting a round-table discussion on current subjects was held with Mr. Knickerbocker in charge.

Present at the meeting were K. E. MA GUIRE; HENRY M. MAGUIRE; MILTON J. VALOR; JOSEPH DAINENIAU; C. J. CAREY; T. J. MCKEE; FRANCIS CARVER; LEO G. FROSTAEU; HARRY W. LANEY; NORMAN LANGELOD; BERNARD BURKH; ALBERT SEYMOUR; M. C. TACKLEY; ALVIN J. MCKEE; MARSHALL FREESTT; FATHER GALLAGHER; and FATHER O’NEIL.

New York City

The club met for a dinner at the Hotel Commodore on Universal Notre Dame Night to hear Capt. Eddie Rickenbacker, president of Eastern Airlines, speak on “To Keep America a Free Land for Free Men.”
“Although no bombs are dropping or cannons roaring, we are, for all practical purposes, at war, the war of nerves,” said Capt. Rickenbacker, a veteran of two World Wars. He continued: “The best peace insurance we can carry is a policy of strength on land and sea and in the air—a strong Army, Navy and Air Force on hand and in being backed by intense research in laboratories and actual experiments. The Russians know as well as we do that if there is a next war it will be known as the war of know-how. Let us be so far ahead of the rest of the world in new weapon development and ready striking power that any nation that pulled the trigger of aggression would only aim bullets at its own head.”

The 250 members and friends at the dinner also heard Conductor Archbishop J. Francis A. McIntyre and Dean James E. McCarthy join in on the concerted attack on Communism.

Archbishop McIntyre complimented Captain Rickenbacker on his fine speech and emphasized the position of the Church in its opposition to Communism.

Beginning on a note of nostalgia which recounted the exploits of “RED” McIXERXEY of Rickenbacker on his line speech and emphasized also beard Coadjutor Archbishop X Francis A. McCarthy complimented Captain Rickenbacker on his fine speech and emphasized the position of the Church in Its opposition to Communism.

At the reception preceding the dinner the New York City Police Glee Club Quartet was well received for its renditions of old and popular ballads. FRANCIS "BUGS" WALT-TER and his ensemble supplied a pleasing musical background, preceding and during dinner. EDWARD A. BRACKEN served as chairman of the dinner committee.

JUDGE WILLIAM A. WALSH, of the club recently dug up from his wealth of souvenirs two things of interest to the general alumni. One is the original menu of the Second Annual Dinner of the Notre Dame Club of New York, which was held Saturday, December 17, 1904, at Healy’s Restaurant in New York City. The other is a newspaper clipping of the Annual Notre Dame Night held April 29, 1911, at which the guest speaker was FATHER JOHN W. CAVANAUGH, former president of the university. Both of these souvenirs have been presented to the Alumni Office for safekeeping.

Ohio Valley

The theme of the Notre Dame Night was the thread running through the program at the Ohio Valley club’s Universal N.D. Night observance at the Windsor hotel.

The theme was developed by principal speakers: Rt. Rev. John J. Swintz, bishop of Wheeling, W. Va., and Rt. Rev. JOHN KING MUS-SIO, bishop of Steubenville, O., and by FRANK WALLACE, author and vice-president of the Alumni Association, who was toastmaster for the program.

Out of a possible 40, the club had 35 members present for the April 34 get-together. Some traveled as far as 50 miles to get to Wheeling. At least 15 of the group came from 15 to 50 miles. All this from a club that had not held a meeting in seven years.

Further activities planned by the club include dances, picnics, sectional meetings, and attendance at N. D. football games.

New Jersey

The club elected officers for the coming year at the meeting held May 5. Those chosen included: GEORGE MELINKOVICH, president; CLIFF TALLMAN, vice-president; RUSS JAN- DOLL, secretary; and CLARK REYNOLDS, treasurer. Two members were also added to the board of directors. They are: GEORGE PLAIN and EDWIN KIRBY.

Following a short business meeting, DAN O’NEIL, discussed several plans about running a special train to the Army-Notre Dame game this season.

Thirty-eight of the 40 members of the Ohio Valley Club participated in the observance of Universal N.D. Night at a banquet in Belleair, O. Pictured here is the head table. Left to right, Louis Eich, Tom Howley, Frank Wallace, Bishop John J. Swintz, of Wheeling, W. Va., Bishop John K. Mussio, M.A., '25, of Steubenville, O., Edmund Sargus, president of the club; W. H. Hogan; and William Yaeger, secretary.
Oregon

On March 21 a dinner and meeting was held at the Multnomah hotel in Portland to honor FATHER ROBERT SWEENEY, executive assistant to the president of the University. A good number were present including FATHER MEHLING, president of Portland University.

DR. RALPH FRAG, president of the club, introduced Father Sweeney, who gave a very inspiring talk outlining to all present the happenings at Notre Dame and the aims of the University. Father Sweeney acted as narrator and color pictures of the football season and the viewings of moving pictures of the Notre Dame campus.

The club observed Universal Notre Dame Night in Portland. The following were elected officers for the next year: BOB MOLIN, president; JIM REVILLE, secretary; and LEE SHANNON, treasurer. The board of directors includes: RALPH FRAG, BILL SCHMITT, REV. THEODORE MEHLING, C.S.C., BARNEY MCELANAB and FRANK LONGERAN.

Peoria

The Peoria Club was to meet on Universal Notre Dame Night, according to advance information from ALEX SLOAN, president emeritus. New officers are: DAN RECHT, president; JOHN SCHERER, vice-president; JACK KING, master; and EUGENE WHITE, treasurer.

Phoenix, Ariz.

The club celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night with a meeting at the K. of C. Hall in Phoenix. The club, in addition to electing officers, listened to the radio program from Denver.

Officers for the year are: JOHN P. JOYCE, president; TOM O'MALLEY, vice-president; ROBERT D. KENDALL, secretary and treasurer. Board of Directors: GLEN J. MCDONOUGH, TOM O'MALLEY, BILL MAHONEY, REGIS J. FALLOON, M. E. TRUDELLE, and DR. C. F. RISBER.

ED BEINOR, former All-American, has taken over the head coach's position at St. Mary's High School in Phoenix. JOHN P. JOYCE

Puerto Rico

Several members of the Notre Dame Club of Puerto Rico got together in mid-March to observe the visit of the president of the Alumni Association, HARRY HOGAN, and his wife. Mr. Hogan appointed PAUL McMANUS as district governor of the Alumni Association for Puerto Rico.

While our alumni group here is very small, we are certain the membership will unite under Paul in working up a progressive organization. One of our aims is to offer a yearly scholarship to some deserving student from the United States Navy. BOB FORBES

During the Hogans' stay in San Juan, they visited with BOB BEAUDINE, a commander in the United States Navy. BOB FORBES

Rhode Island and S. E. Massachusetts

Universal Notre Dame Night was observed by over 200 members and guests of the club at Johnson's Grille, Providence. The observance was combined with a testimonial to JOHN B. McKEOUGH '31, lieutenant governor of the state of Rhode Island.

Speakers included REV. THOMAS C. DUFFY, C.S.C., superior of the Eastern Mission Band of the Holy Cross Fathers at North Easton, Mass.; REV. RUSSELL J. MCVINNIE, club chaplain; Dennis J. Roberts, mayor of Providence; JOHN MCLAUGHLIN, president of the club; and McKeough. CLEM GRIMES was the toastmaster.

The guest of honor was presented a class ring, to replace one lost while serving in the armed forces, a leather swivel chair and a gavel bearing an appropriate inscription and the seals of the University and the state of Rhode Island.

The committee arranging the affair included JOHN J. FITZGERALD, chairman; President MCLAUGHLIN, LEO MALDON, JOE MCKEALD 'Jr., THOMAS REPF, ANDREW M'MAHON, JOHN MINTRE, CLEMENT GRIMES, CORNELIUS SHACKETT, JACK BRADY and RUS HUNT.

Plans have been started for the annual summer dance to be held June 5 at the Metacomet Golf Club.

Rochester, N. Y.

The scholastic side of Notre Dame was emphasized at the alumni observance of Universal N.D. Night in the Sheraton Hotel REV. PHILIP S. MOORE, C.S.C., dean of the Graduate School, told of the great future possible in new fields of education at the University.

Bishop James E. Kearney of Rochester urged the alumni always to be true to the tradition of the "University of Our Lady." Other speakers included Rev. William Duggan, O.S.B., principal of Aquinas Institute and Federal Judge HAROLD P. BURKE. HARRY WRIGHT served as toastmaster and DON SCONFZIETTI was in charge of arrangements.

Mr. and Mrs. Vince Dollard, '39, of Rochester, N. Y. Before the wedding Mrs. Dollard was Jean Boyd, Vince's brother, Gene, a student at N.D., served as best man, while Bill Whelan, '39, was usher.
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Joining in Universal Notre Dame Night the club in Rochester, N. Y., at a dinner in the Hotel Sheraton, heard these speakers: Bishop James E. Kearney (center) with the Rev. W. J. Duggan, C.S.B., principal of Aquinas Institute, (left) and the Rev. Philip S. Moore, C.S.C., dean of the Graduate School at N.D. Standing are Joe Geraghty, club president, Toastmaster Harry Wright and Federal Judge Harold F. Burke. ’16.

Rock River Valley

The club observed Universal Notre Dame night with a dinner meeting at White Pines State Park Lodge. There were 31 members present.

Following the dinner, business details were taken care of and tentative program of activities arranged for the coming year.

The new officers are: DON HENNESSEY, president, Sterling; CLIFF HYLAND, vice-president, Rockford; PAUL FIT, treasurer, Dixon; WARREN WAHL, secretary, Sterling.

Tentative arrangements were made to resume the annual picnic in August. JOE BITTORF of Sterling has offered the facilities of his summer cabin on Rock River for the occasion.

Movies highlighting the Notre Dame football season were shown by DR. DAVID MURPHY of Dixon.

WARREN P. WAHL

Saginaw Valley

The club held a smoker on Universal Notre Dame Night and an election of officers. The following were elected for 1947-1948: JOSEPH GODDEYNE, president; CARL DOOZAN, vice-president; JIM KAVANAUGH, secretary.

Board of Directors: HERB SCHNETTLE, ED MAHAR, GERALD CARROLL, and WILLIAM HURLY.

TOM VAN AARLE

St. Louis

Universal Notre Dame night was observed in conjunction with our annual Monte Carlo party.

The party was a success, with close to 200 people in attendance; prices varied from a 15-pound ham (won by BERT COUGHLIN,) to a pair of live, white mites (won by FRED McNEILL), a Bob Bellinger, vice-president of the Alumni Association, presented AL RAVARINO, retiring president of the club, with a twin pen set. A small inscribed plaque on the base expressed the thanks of the members for Al’s fine work during the past year.

The newly elected officers were presented. They are as follows: FRED WEBER, president; FRED McNEILL, vice-president; JACK GRIF- FIN, treasurer; JIM O’NEAL, secretary.

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Toledo

Universal Notre Dame Night was observed in Toledo at the Hotel Hillcrest Tower Room on April 14.

A large crowd attended with several out of town guests. FATHER LEO R. WARD, C.S.C., was the principal speaker and was, as usual, very fine.

Plans were made for a Communion-breakfast, sometime in June.

R. J. MITHE

Tri-State

The club held a meeting in the Hotel McCurdy, Evansville, Ind., in observance of Universal Notre Dame Night. The meeting was attended by some thirty alumni and the feature of the evening was a southern style chicken dinner.

The principal speaker was LYLE MILLER, attorney of Vincennes, Ind. The theme of Mr. Miller’s talk was the furtherance of the functions of the Notre Dame alumni club and the building of a stronger alumni group.

Plans were proposed for regular bi-monthly meetings with the next meeting tentatively arranged for June 15 in Robinson, Ill. Plans were also made for the club to sponsor a concert by the Notre Dame Glee Club on April 25 in Evansville.

The following were elected new officers: FRANCIS J. HENNEBERGER, president; BERNARD F. WITUCKI, first-vice-president; WILLIAM BRADBURY, vice-president; EDWARD E. MATTHEWS, secretary; and BERNARD W. UNDERBRINER, treasurer.

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Wabash Valley

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The six directors chosen by the committee are: REV. JOSEPH TOOMEY, JOHN ROBERT DON, GEORGE J. HAINES, JOHN L. MURPHY, JOHN DONNELLY, and PAT QUIRK.

Twin Cities

The club assembled in the Brunswick Room of the Andrews Hotel in St. Paul to observe Universal Notre Dame Night. All dinner Toastmaster LOU REGAN put PAUL CASTNER, DANNY COUGHLIN and LUIS GODOY, 21, of Havana, Cuba, in the places. Godoy brought to ‘the States his Cuban featherweight champion, Miguel Acevedo, who was to test the tough and veteran Minnesota contender, Jackie Graven.

A treasurer’s report by LEO MAUREN followed, and its black ink nature sounded a pleasant note. Following this the film highlights of the 1946 football season, was shown. The members, after the film, elected ROBERT ROGERS, president; MARTY RED DOLAN, vice-president; FRANK BIAGI, treasurer; and GENE DELAY, secretary.

The unexpected but most welcome stopover for FATHER SWEENEY in the Twin Cities provided an occasion to gather on April 1. Working smoothly and caring for our comfort behind the scenes at the Hotel Radisson was JERRY CONWAY. Father Sweeney had the football highlights film of the ’46 season.—Thus we had a sneak preview of the films shown again on Universal Night. BILL GUIMONT, with the help of guest sportscaster Rollie Johnson, an efficient attorney of "Vincennes, Ind. The theme of Mr. Johnson’s talk was to test the tough and veteran Minnesota Fighting Irish films under way. The exciting sound track came from Father Sweeney.

The sudden start of the meeting didn’t deter a lot of N.D. men from appearing. A friend of Notre Dame, the veteran stage and screen actor, John Boles was guest of JERRY CONWAY.

GENE DE LAY

Utah

The club have held its annual election and the new president is JACK W. GALLIVAN, whose address is 1017 Kearns Building, Salt Lake City.

We were unable to arrange a special meeting for Universal Notre Dame Night because of the fact that a number of the members of our club were unable to join us. All were notified of the broadcast and we have heard a number of very favorable comments regarding it.

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WALTER LANGFORD, head of the Department of Foreign Languages and coach of the tennis team at Notre Dame, was guest speaker.
In a vivid address he informed club members of present activities—religious, intellectual and athletic—on the campus.

The club is planning a picnic at Francis Murphy's clubhouse on the Wildcat Creek this summer. At present no date has been set for the affair.

**Tulsa**

A short time ago the local club embarked on the program partially incorporated within our constitution by holding an election of officers. The new president is ED LEROY, vice-president, FRANK MCNULTY; secretary-treasurer, R. J. SULLIVAN, C. J. SINGER, and LOYD WORLEY, will remain directors.

**Washington, D. C.**

On March 16 the club held its annual Rockne Memorial Mass and Communion Breakfast at Dunbarton College of Holy Cross.

This year the change was made from Holy Cross College, Brookland, to Dunbarton College, conducted by the Holy Cross Sisters, to make it possible for the wives and friends of the club members to attend, making the occasion a family affair.

Eighty persons were present. Everyone was much impressed by the school and its beautiful chapel, and the fine breakfast arranged by the club members to attend, making the occasion a family affair.

**West Virginia**

One of the most successful meetings this year was the Universal Notre Dame Night smoker held at a local hotel. New officers who were sworn in included JOE NEENAN, president; BILL KENNEY, vice-president; JOHN CACKLEY, secretary and BILL REISHMAN, treasurer. President Neenan appointed committees for the coming year, and a club constitution was approved by those in attendance.

On March 20, fifteen of our local members met at the K. of C. clubrooms to discuss a program and elect officers for the coming year. It was voted then to adopt a club constitution.

Dean James E. McCarthy, of the Commerce college was one of the principal speakers at the State Safety Meeting, sponsored by the West Virginia Safety and Health Council, in Charleston, on March 26. The dean gave an excellent address before the educational representatives of the council.

Dean McCarthy was a guest of the local club at a luncheon, during his visit to Charleston.

**Western Pennsylvania**

On Universal N. D. night, the club met at the Royal York banquet room in Pittsburgh. Notre Dame's FRANK O'DONNELL, manager of the Royal York bar, dining room and banquet room, turned out another of his prize buffet suppers.

About 100 turned out for the meeting including SAM NIEHL who was in town for two weeks while working out some problems for "Better Homes & Gardens Magazine."

There was a big turnout of old-timers including JACK BROWN, DR. LEO D. O'DONNELL, JIM DEVLIN, LEO VOGEL and JOHN MCMAHON. The bench was represented by Judge HUGH C. ROY. The barsters included new president LARRY O'TOOLE. DR. FRANCIS REGARDY, PHIL DONAYAN and JAMES HABEAN showed up after a long absence from the club's affairs.

Old officers who were succeeded at the night's elections were: president H. CARL LINK, vice-president LARRY O'TOOLE, secretary HUGO IACOVETTI, treasurer EARL BRIEGER.

The men who will do the worrying this year are: president, LARRY O'TOOLE, vice-president, HUGO IACOVETTI, secretary, JOHN PATTERTON, treasurer, GEORGE KINGSEY.

**Wisconsin—So. Central**

Through the wonderful efforts of JOHN W. ROACH and FRANK SWEENEY, the Wisconsin South Central Notre Dame Club was organized at the Park Hotel, Madison, on April 14, 1947. A meeting was scheduled for May 26. Plans are also being considered for a stag outing in June or July, and a party during the Christmas holidays.

We have the manual for local alumni clubs, and propose to draw up a constitution and cover other details at our next meeting. We are determined to have a working organization.

The following men were elected as officers: president, JOHN W. ROACH; vice-president, DAN W. MCCLUSKEY; secretary-treasurer, RUBE GRUNDEMAN; directors, for three years, CHARLES F. SMITH; for two years, FRANK H. SWEENEY, TOM HENNEY; directors for one year, KARL T. BRENNAN, WILLIAM A. SHARP, RUBE GRUNDEMAN.

**Youngstown**

Nearly 40 alumni and former students of Youngstown and nearby communities attended a dinner in the Colonial Room of the Toled Hotel, when the club observed Universal Notre Dame Night.

JIM BRUZ, who is opening a sporting goods store in Warren, provided entertainment with movies of the 1935 Ohio State-Notre Dame game, and of the Michigan game.

CLARENCE T. "PETE" SHEEHAN, Jr.

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The ninth annual memorial Field Mass, sponsored by the Washington, D. C. Knights of Columbus was on May 25. Vice-President Patrick J. Conway (left) and Bill Sying (right) of the Notre Dame Club of Washington represented the club at the Mass, offered by Bishop Peter Iretan of Richmond, Va., before the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. The Notre Dame club was one of a number of clubs which placed wreaths before the tomb.
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Almost every one of our 15,000 alumni can be of great help to the University in furthering our plans; and I might add that one of the most satisfying developments of recent years is the growing realization among alumni that their continued support is an essential part of Notre Dame’s growth and development. I have already implied that when I say “support” I am not limiting the word to “financial” support. I know, as you do, many good alumni who cannot give money to the University, but who are nevertheless its active supporters, and who have been the means of turning potential into actual benefactors.

Alumni as Agents

Each alumnus can, in effect, become an agent of the University, interested in its current and future welfare. There are few alumni indeed who have not among their circle of acquaintances, men of means who have an appreciation of the work that Notre Dame is doing in providing the leadership that the world so desperately needs. I do not think it is too much to ask an alumnus to do what he can to quicken that interest. As a matter of fact, we have ever so many alumni who consider it a privilege, if not a duty, to do so, in the light of the ultimate benefits that will accrue to society through the University.

If each of us should devote himself seriously to the work of increasing the number of men and women who would take an active interest in Notre Dame, what would be the result? Notre Dame, for her part, would become the truly great institution that she is capable of becoming if only she can grasp all the opportunities that lie before her. The United States would be assured a greater leaven of leadership.

And what benefit would we derive as alumni? There would be many benefits, tangible and intangible. For one thing, we would have the purely selfish satisfaction of knowing that we are graduates of a university to which all others look with unqualified respect. But there would be a satisfaction deeper than this, if I know Notre Dame alumni as well as I think I do, and that would be the knowledge that in some small way we have joined hands in furthering a tradition of education that had its origin in the lips of Our Lord when He said, “Go therefore and teach all nations.”

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to put their relationship with the University on a three-hundred-and-sixty-five-day-a-year basis. The principal instrumentality through which the friends of Notre Dame can work is, of course, the Alumni Association of which I am only the temporary head. “That a generation arose who knew not Joseph,” makes me conscious of my official brevity and place in the continuing picture. However, like the seasons, the Association ceaselessly functions year in and year out under the able direction of men like Jim Armstrong, Bill Dooley and their associates. Both are in a very real sense, devoting their whole lives and all their talents to serving both the Alumni and the University. However they cannot do the job alone—they must have your help. Through participation in the new program of the Alumni Association—in what we have called “The Cavanaugh Plan,” loyal Notre Dame men everywhere can bring the strength and purpose of Notre Dame to their own community level.

In conclusion, I have nothing more important to say than to repeat my appreciation of the honor which has been paid me and the high value I place on the opportunity which has been given me to play a part in the accomplishment of Notre Dame’s very important objectives.

However before closing, I want to urge you to “Take your hats off to the past, but take your coats off to the future,” put your collective alumni shoulders behind our 1947 model, so the substations in each city and town will transmit their power to the main plant here. Let the appeal of our cherished Victory Song “What tho’ the odds be great or small,” inspire our Public Relations workers with its swelling refrain, flowing to and from the community to the campus, as a thanksgiving and tribute to the lovely lady garbed in blue.”

Alumni of the Western Pennsylvania Club take time out from celebrating Universal Notre Dame Night to pose for a picture.

was elected president, succeeding GABRIEL E. MORAN. Other new officers are THOMAS KERRIGAN, vice-president; GEORGE KELLEY, secretary-treasurer; and Attorney PAUL FLEMING, MORAN, and RICHARD A. KILLET, trustees.

President Moran urged all the members to tune in on the Denver broadcast of FATHER CAVANAUGH’S speech when they get home. GEORGE KELLEY

Eastern Indiana

The Club celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night by attending a dinner at the “67” Supper Club in Muncie.

After a very enjoyable dinner the Club listened to short talks by “BUTCH” DEVADLT, HARRY B. HART, and attended a dinner at the “67” Supper Club in Muncie.

Officers elected for the coming year were: CHARLES F. VOGT, president; WILLIAM F. CRAIG, vice-president; HARRY HART, secretary; and JAMES FITZMAURICE, treasurer. HARRY B. HART

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Miss Agnes Dwyer and HAROLD J. DRUECKER, '37.
Miss Geraldine O’Roarke and BERNARD M. NIEZER, '37.
Miss Helen C. Dinneen and C. DONALD SCOFIETTI, '37.
Miss Rosemary Rordan and EDWIN J. HUGHES, Jr., '39.
Miss Eleanor Joan Dick and JOHN J. MURPHY, '39.
Miss Mary Farrell and BERNARD N. BROCKMAN, Jr., '41.
Miss Angeline E. Bonest and ALBERT A. MASTERS, '42.
Miss Pauline Zeman and ROBERT M. LANGENFELD, '43.
Miss Mary Lou Reddish and LAWRENCE J. TIERNEY, '43.
Miss Martha Hayes and D. COYNE CALLAGHAN, '44.
Miss Rita Quinn and JAMES V. CUNNINGHAM, '44.
Miss Jane Hannon and EARL R. ENGLERT, '44.
Miss Zelma Zonenberg and MORRIS WAGNER, M.B., '46.
Miss Gloria Verret and JOSEPH V. ZIMMERMANN, '46.

Marriages

Miss Lucile Anne Clements and A. HAROLD WEBER, '22, April 14, Notre Dame.
Miss Mary Woesslin and VINCENT M. MCCOOLA, '37, April 15, Scranton, Pa.
Miss Margaret Mahar and WILLIAM M. SHERIDAN, '38, Xrv. 16, 1946, Toronto, Canada.
Miss Jean Boyd and VINCENT E. DOLLARD, '39, April 7, Brockport, N. Y.
Miss Betty Frowshour and MICHAEL J. MCGUIRE, '39, May 16, Notre Dame.
Miss Betty Lou Roberts and HAROLD D. MADDEN, Jr., '40, April 7, New Orleans.
Miss Lois Marie Rendich and ARTHUR R. OBERHOFER, '40, Rockville Centre, N. Y.
Miss Mary Catherine Byrne and WILLIAM E. BUENGER, '41, April 26, River Forest, Ill.
Miss Barbara Plateau and RALPH A. GERRA, '41, May 31, Brooklyn, N. Y.
Miss Eleanor Pecore and DR. SALVATORE J. LAFAYLUSA, '41, Feb. 6.
Miss Mildred Frances Prewett and LAWRENCE A. SCHMIDT, '41, May 25, Bosnia, Mo.
Miss Patricia Pagun and WILLIAM E. FORD, '42, April 26, Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas.
Miss Cecilia Emig and GEORGE ROBEK, '42, May 17, Milwaukee, Ore.
Miss Barbara Ann Rempe and CHARLES J. PATTERSON, '44, June 14, Chicago.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. CLARENCE J. KLINE, '21, announce the birth of David Andrew, Feb. 26.
Mr. and Mrs. JOHN J. GARVEY, '21, announce the birth of Martin Donovan, June 14.
Mr. and Mrs. ROBERT E. DEWNEY, '33, announce the birth of Carol Anne, April 9.
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Mr. and Mrs. GORDON L. FORESTER, '46, announce the birth of Gordon Lawrence, Jr., April 2.

Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM A. NELSON, '46, announce the birth of William Asher, Jr., April 17.

Mr. and Mrs. FRANK A. PELUSO, '45, announce the birth of a son, April 8.

Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD R. ECKENRODE, Jr., '46, announce the birth of Anno, Feb. 13.

Mr. and Mrs. LEO A. KLIER, '46, announce the birth of a daughter.

Deaths

One of the Congregation's best known and beloved priests, BROTHER MAURIUS, C.S.C., C.C. (formerly Wilfrid J. Pourier), was born in Illinois, in 1875. He was the son of a French father and an Irish mother. He entered the Congregation on August 15, 1896, just in time to meet the last week-end.

He was destined to have a distinguished career in the Congregation. He was a student at the University of Notre Dame from 1915 to 1919, where he was a member of the faculty at the University from 1952 until his death.

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"Those talks of his at the beginning of the semester were really something to hear. The study hall was always jammed full the night he was slated to speak. Usually students from other halls dropped in to hear him. Of course we remember him best of all at mid-night, as he paced back and forth by the watchman's booth, chewing his inevitable black cigar and worrying about his charges who might not get in on time. I used to like to bring him a cigar now and then and get a kick out of the gruff thanks with which he pocketed them. I guess he was afraid to be too enthusiastic for fear that he might give the impression that one student or another was in his favor. Anyway he would smart and put them into his desk, and as he left the building it was gallivanting around the Palais Royale and the beer Joints of South Bend.

"I often wondered whether Brother Maurillus* good nature would last if he were destined to meet the survivor of the little band of seven who founded Notre Dame, in the person of Brother Francis Xavier."

After a year's novitiate, he spent some time in study. His first appointment as a teacher was to St. Columba's School, Ottawa, Ill. Afterward he taught for some years at St. Joseph's College, Cincinatti. Never a devotee of books, he found the life of the teacher but little to his taste. His teaching days over, he was ready to put his hand to whatever his superiors wished. For many years he assisted in the students' confectionery store of Brother Francis Xavier, who was for a brief period a solicitor for "The Ave Maria." Later on he helped in the mailbag department of the University.

His years as prefect and rector in Carroll Hall, however, are the ones by which he is best remembered. It was truly "en Serm a Cheron A Cien" as a rector his devotion to duty—something always characteristic of him; his interest in the students' welfare; his sympathy in their troubles—real imaginary; his sternness, invariably seasoned with kindness, enabled him to wield an immense influence over his freshmen. On their return to the dormitories every Saturday night even seniors were known to seek his advice. Presumably, pondering a disciplinarian of this type, led Sir Shakespear, 111,-1,1,-1, to write: "The headmaster of Eton has more to do with the soul of England than the Primate of Canterbury."

A prayer for the soul of Brother Maurillus—

Mr. and Mrs. James P. Nelligan, Sr.,敬请为克里夫顿学院的校友们做祈祷。

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He was a cousin of the parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Moore, four brothers and three sisters.

The Alumni Office was advised of the sudden passing of CLARENCE J. JAMES, ex '19, died suddenly in his home in Philadelphia on March 17. He was a member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity and the Notre Dame club of St. Joseph, Missouri. An outstanding basketball player on the campus for three years, he was captain of the basketball team in 1913-14. He also participated in baseball. In his spare time, he was known as one of the city's best golfers and best billiard players.

Surviving Jim are his wife and his son, James F., Jr., a Notre Dame graduate of 1945, and two daughters, Mrs. Mary Denise Canale of Memphis and Mrs. Jane Dorgan, Winnipeg, whose husbands are married to Notre Dame alumni.

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1911
Fred L. Steens, 105 S. LaSalle St.
Chicago, Ill.

1913
Paul R. Byrne, University Library, Notre Dame, Ind.

1914
Ira W. Hurley, Continental Illinois Bank Bldg., 231 S. LaSalle St., Chicago

1900-04
Robert E. Proctor, Monger Building, Elkhart, Ind.

1915
James E. Sanford, 501 Cherry St., Winnebago, Ill.

1917
B. J. Volle, 206 E. Tutt St., South Bend, Ind.

arranged to have photostatic copies of the register, which was signed that night, made for all who signed and these have already been sent out by your secretary with the compliments of the Miller Brothers.

Rev. Speer Strahan, Rev. Frank C. Brown, C.S.C., and Rev. M. A. Mulcaire, C.S.C., came to join their old classmates. Rev. William J. Lyons, C.S.C., of St. Edward's University, Milwaukee, was unable to come (examination time). Rev. Larry Calm of Proctor, Va., was unable to attend since he was confined to his home, recuperating from a slight coronary thrombosis.


Chuck Reagan had planned on attending but at the last minute business necessitated his remaining in New York. Ed Rogers of Milwaukee had his calendar marked to come but could not get away for his presence there. Oscar J. Dorwin, New York City; Leonard Swift, Bronxville, N. Y.; Dr. Frank O'Donnell, Alpena, Mich.; Harry Kelly, Detroit, and Brian O'Dem of Huston, Texas had planned on being present but he best of plans are sometimes upset and business demanded their presence elsewhere.

Jerome J. Miller, Fort Wayne, Ind., and R. J. Miller of Cella, O., had to shelve their planned trips because of illness in their families.

The following sent in "regrets" and asked to be remembered to "the gang": George A. F. Franze, Lancaster, Wis.; W. J. Hynes, Des Moines, Ia.; J. F. Mahoney, Rawlins, Wyo., Sherman May, Superior, Wis.; Philip K. Retz, Springdale, Ill.; Dr. Leo D. O'Donnell, Alpena, Mich.; Harry Kelly, Detroit, and Brian O'Dem of Huston, Texas had planned on being present but the best of plans are sometimes upset and business demanded their presence elsewhere.


John Riley, of Portland, Maine, and B. V. Hareen of Ft. Worth, Texas, travelled the greatest distances to be present.

I think you will all be interested to know that Dr. Leslie Yaeger writes he has only recently returned from overseas after having served for over five years in the army of World War 2 and has resumed his practice in Trenton.

Austin McNichol's advice he lost a lighter which had a great sentimental value to him. About the only distinguishing mark about it was that it was made in Vienna. If any of you should find it in a pocket you will please forward it to Austin at A-412 Insurance Exchange, 175 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, or return it to your best.

At the request of the class, Masses are now being said for Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C.

Memory is a treacherous thing and undoubtedly some of those present, both members of the Class and friends, have not had their name recorded, for which we make due apology.

The night was rather cool and the rooms pretty crowded, but, if you who could return enjoyed yourselves as much as I enjoyed having you I believe our 35th reunion will be one of our happy memories in the days to come.

1918


Rev. Charles J. Williams celebrated the silver jubilee of his ordination to the priesthood on June 10, at St. Malachy Church, Ran­tooi, Ill.

Jim Hanlon has been a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, Denver, for seven months. He has been laid up for nearly two years with a broken leg. He would welcome letters from his old pals.

1919

Clarence W. Boder, 221 Broadway, Gary, Ind.

Gonzalo Restrepo Jaramillo of Walsh Halls is currently serving as ambassador from Colombia to the United States. Several years ago he wrote a book, "Contemporary Crisis," which was published by the University of Baltimore press. A copy was sent to the Notre Dame Library.

1920

Leo R. Ward, 458 Spring St., Los Angeles 13, Calif.

John Bucklet, of Youngstown, O., suffered a heart attack on May 31 and was at the latest report, in a serious condition.

Mrs. Emma Stephan, of Ft. Wayne, Ind., has sent the University Library five boxes of books in memory of her two sons who attended Notre Dame: Lawrence, who graduated in 1920 and Raymond, who attended the University from 1921 to 1923, are both deceased.

1921

Dan W. Duffy, 1600 Terminal Tower, Cleveland, O.

Jake Kline has been elected president of the Indiana-Michigan league, composed of semi­pro teams in northern Indiana and southern Michigan. He continues on course as professor of Mathematics and baseball coach at Notre Dame. Jake had a busy spring: he and his wife, Edith, became parents again (see "Births" this issue) one of his daughters was graduated, summam cum laude, from St. Mary's and the baseball team did a great job despite the rainy season.

Senator Norm Barry was a member of the Illinois state legislative committee investigating the recent Centralia coal mine disaster.

Joe Sanford, brother of Jim, '15, was recently re-elected to his third consecutive six­year term as circuit judge of Muskegon Coun­ty, Michigan.

At McGann, president of the McGann Securities Company, Ind., South Bend, was elected a member of the board of directors of the Children's Aid Society.

1922

Gerald Ashe, 39 Cambridge St., Rochester 7, N. Y.

From kid Ashe:

All who attended pronounced the reunion gathering a huge success, even better than anticipated. . . . A quick count late Saturday showed 91 arrivals, and it is hoped all of those registered, as well as those who came later. Cold weather and prediction of rain caused the Committee on Arrangements to shift Friday afternoon's social party from Harold Weber's at Diamond Lake to the Town Club, South Bend. The party at the Town Club was
simply wonderful with good fellowship, fine food, and appetizing beverages.

Our hosts for the party at the Town Club are surely deserving of our appreciation and thanks. Our hosts were: AARON HUGHES, NARROW, RYAN, Ed BAYNE, and HAROLD WEBER, all of South Bend.

FRED DRESSEL as chairman of the Arrangements Committee surely arranged things to perfection.

Long distance traveling honors go to BILL PURCELL, J. J. CLARK, and LUCIUS LEE, who worked in perfect unison. The publicity committee of AARON HUGUENARD and HAROLD WEBER, under the direction of HUMBERTO ROYAL and HAROLD CARSON, worked In perfect unison. The publicity committee was headed by AARON HUGUENARD and HAROLD WEBER, and was anxious to see that every man was on hand for the reunion.

Kansas City had 100 per cent participation. The reception committee and FRED DRESSEL'S transportation Division, and all of those loyal South Bendites from Kansas City had 100 per cent participation. The reception committee and FRED DRESSEL'S transportation Division are surely deserving of our appreciation and thanks. Kansas City had 100 per cent participation. The reception committee and FRED DRESSEL'S transportation Division are surely deserving of our appreciation and thanks. Kansas City had 100 per cent participation. The reception committee and FRED DRESSEL'S transportation Division are surely deserving of our appreciation and thanks.

CHARLIE CROWLEY, JIM DOOLEY and KY KELLETT motored from Massachusetts as a party. They arrived on time and attended the banquet with HUNK ANDERSON, JOHN young, JOHN HIGGINS, WALT MATTIES and MORGAN SHERRY. Credit BILL CASTELLINI with the photograph. He has so generously offered to compile and print.

Many nice compliments were directed to our publicity boys: DAN YOUNG, ED BAILEY, BILL CASTELLINI, ED BAYNE and BILL CASTELLINI. Most of the compliments were for the "Pony Party" he has so generously offered to compile and print.

ARDO and ROMAN REICHERT, as well as AL and JOE RUMANSKY, were there. Also RALPH CORNY, FRANK BLOOMER and many others.

The athletes made a good showing with HUNK ANDERSON, ED BAILEY, DANNY COUGHLIN, JOHN McGEE, FRANK "DOC" HUGHES, GEORGE PROKOP, SYLVESTER STEINLE, FRANK "DOC" HUGHES and HAROLD WEBER, all of South Bend, and BOB GALLOWAY. By the way, please send that snapshot and write up to Harold McKee for his headquarters.

AARON HUGUENARD. PAT ilANION, BERGER, NoNAN, CHUCK CROWLEY, JIM DOOLY and SPIKE FLINN were present. 

Just a few words of appreciation now to those who were unable to attend for various reasons. Many thanks to every man who attended. You made the reunion a success. Our deep appreciation to every man who attended. You made the reunion a success. Our deep appreciation to every man who attended. You made the reunion a success. Our deep appreciation to every man who attended. You made the reunion a success. Our deep appreciation to every man who attended. You made the reunion a success. Our deep appreciation to every man who attended. You made the reunion a success. Our deep appreciation to every man who attended. You made the reunion a success.
1925 John F. Hurley, The Toledo Parlor Furniture Co., Toledo, O.

From JOHN HURLEY (on April 11): A letter from DUKE CLANCY prompted your secretary to give a passing review for the year of the '25ers I've seen.

Duke says, "Just a short line to let you know that I have changed addresses again. I am now in the insurance agency business with my father-in-law. I left the U. S. Navy Ordnance Dept. last September, and settled up here in the Irish Hills, and it fits very much. All things being equal, I plan on being in South Bend for the Army game next fall. (BOLAND, KOCH, LIVERGOOD, MAHONEY and POLHOUSE take notice).

"Regards to all the class of '25 you happen to see around and if you happen this way, stop in at Hilldale. I hold all the offices in the Notre Dame club here, from president to treasurer, being it's one and only member." Duke's address is 42 South Howell, Hillsdale, Mich.

Spokeking of Army games—I had a pleasant visit with JOHN BARTLEY. We happened to meet on the subway to the game last fall. John looks the same as he did back in Sorin. (As long as he keeps his hat on.) He is still with Reynolds & Co., in the Sherry-Netherlands, 5th Ave., at 49th St., New York City.

BILL BELL seems to have about the same "pull" with the football ticket committee as your secretary or we drop our blanks in on the same day in July. He has met near me at the last three Army games. Bill is fine and here's hoping we are both lucky enough to be inside the Notre Dame stadium this fall when we play the Cadets.

RAY CUNNINGHAM dropped me a line a few weeks ago that he was flying down to Florida for a short vacation, and upon his return, he planned to open a swanky studio in Detroit. Ray is still with the Moffet Studios (Russell Studios to you '25ers) and has enjoyed the most successful season he has had since the 1925 "Dom,' and that's saying something.

PAUL DOOLEY is president of a very busy plant, the Auto Marine Manufacturer & Enameling Co. here in Toledo. Paul has two fine boys, Richard and John Patrick. BUTCH HAECKER is still with Goodrich in Pittsburgh and is doing right well.

Saw CHARLIE MOUCH,Batch's old roomate, the other day in Sandusky. He's trying to keep that town happy, dispensing his limited number of cars. GIL SCHAEPFER is having that same problem in Detroit. I hear his radio advertising every once in a while. Charlie has four children, two boys and two girls. His oldest boy is a freshman at the University. The next oldest, a daughter, hopes to enter St. Mary's College next fall, and another son is a freshman at the Josephslm Preparatory school near Columbus, O. The youngest daughter is still at home. How these '25 families do grow up!

CLARE HAFEL is an engineer at the Allis-Chalmers plant in Springfield, Ill. JACK SHEEHAN is a Studebaker dealer in New Rochelle, N. Y., and is doing exceptionally well according to a report from his pal BERT DUNNE, '25.


FRANK DEITEL is secretary and treasurer of the Winkelman Co., South Bend, engineers and industrial designers. BOB CAREY is the new head man at the Hawthorne race track in Chicago as the result of shifts following the death of CHARLES RDWILL, Chicago sportsman, brother of ART '26.

ROME FELDPAUSCH, Hastings, Mich., and son, Dick, dropped into the Alumni Office on April 34. Rome has three retail food stores in Hastings. Dick will be at M. D. in September.

NICK SMITH is an attorney for the Railway Express Agency in New York.

FATHER KRITHEM ROCHE, former Peerlaw and pastor of St. Ann's church in Toledo, Ill., is reported recovering in St. Francis hospital, Peerla, from injuries incurred in an automobile accident near Michigan City, Ind., on May 6.

JIM DWYER is legal advisor to Doubleday Company, major publishing concern in New York. Jim took BERT DUNNE to Doubleday to talk about an advanced baseball instruction book. The result: Bert wrote it and it will be published soon. Bert has his own picture company now which makes 16 mm. sports pictures, 28 mm. sports pictures for Hollywood and also industrial pictures. His attorney in New York is ED FALLON.

Bert's newest picture, to be released this fall, is titled "Eye in the Sky" and will star BUCK SHAW, '21, of the San Francisco Forty Niners. All American Conference. Bert screened his two pictures "Play Ball, Son" and "Swing King" at the February meeting of the New York Club at the Waldorf-Astoria.

"I Remember"—a story of Notre Dame reminiscences, is the latest project that Bert and Jim have in mind. They want stories about Notre Dame, with the emphasis on campus life, and not too much football. The book will be published in a limited edition and sold at cost. It is hoped the book will encourage other classes to do likewise and build up a priceless series of class books about Notre Dame. Jim and Bert expect to print 500 copies. Stories like the time George Keegan's pants were stolen at Georgia Tech in 1924 are wanted. It happened that George had a two-pants suit and—but that is the story '26ers will want to read about.

Add note on "I Remember": Your name will not be mentioned unless you have made alumni contribution. All profits on the book—if any—will be turned over to JAMES ARMSTRONG, who will be asked to edit the final manuscript and delete all libel.

Prints of Bert's "Play Ball, Son" and "Swing King" have been sent to the University for the film library.

JIM PEARSON is practising law at Flint, Michigan, and plans to attend the Notre Dame-USC game where the class of '26 (Pacific Coast section) plan to hold a reunion this year...

JIM DWYER and ED FALLON, New York, plan to make the reunion. Headquarters for the '26 Coast reunion will be the Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles.

1927 Joseph M. Boland, Radio Station WSBT, South Bend, Ind.

From JOE BOLAND:

Another great day in history has come and gone . . . another milestone passed for all you gay blades of yester-year . . . blades dulled, no doubt, by the Commencement week-end thoroughly enjoyed by a really remarkable turnout of men from '27.

All who returned to the campus will need no notes to bring them up-to-date. Those who didn't will have to catch-up when they come back for the twenty-fifth reunion, because I'm still feeling the effects, as this is written.

A report on reunion activities is due those who returned. And here it is: the Friday meeting set the class back $80 for everything . . . some $20 remains in the "treasury," after everything had been paid for. Right now, we contemplate using this to pay for the mimeographing and mailing of a list of names and addresses of those present at Commencement to these members.
The youngest and the oldest members of the class of '27, it says here. Take your choice. The characters in the skit: Joe Boland, class secretary, and Joe O'Donnell, thanks for his great assistance in making the '27 reunion such a whopping success!

The man who had the most content-intelligent, healthy and wholesome reunion—with a maximum amount of sleep and worthy research while on the campus—ROSE DUGAN, who looks like an undergraduate.

The men who have accomplished most since graduation—FATHER HARRY RYAN, and FATHER BOB GOODENOUGH, S.J.—a personal semblance.

The man who hits the longest golf-ball—THE MAN WHO HITS THE LONGEST GOLF-BALL, without question! And MIKE M'DERMOTT, from California-way.

The man who looks the least-changed in 20 years: JIMMY QUINN.

The man who had the most contented, healthy and home use. The Herberts have one child at present, but by the time this goes to press there will be two. Thanks, John, for your kindness.

The man who was four years: JIMMY QUINN. 750 students in his division.

The man who contributed for a union, for all of us. Adios!

The man who surmounted most obstacles: they "contributed" for a maximum '27 reunion such a whopping success!

The man who had the most collections—DAVE VAN WALLACE, without question! And MIKE M'DERMOTT. from California-way.

The man who came the longest distance: JAMES GIVREN of Rockland, JOHN NYKIOS, '30, now of Boston, formerly of the New England and Bill's father died in April. Bill is now a partner in the law firm of Hamilton & HAMILTON in Chicago.

The man who had the most contented, healthy and well-furnished home. The Herberts have one child at present, including TOM BYRNE, JOHN FREDERICK, and BILL DOYLE, '30, now of Boston, formerly of the New England and Bill's father died in April. Bill is now a partner in the law firm of Hamilton & HAMILTON in Chicago.

The man who took-up the most collections— class totaled 150 . . . and was given to Father for further Masses for that intention.

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The man who sobreptitiously surveys the class reunion.

The man with the first son from the class to enter Notre Dame—GEORGE GORDON.

The man who had the most collections—DAVE VAN WALLACE, without question! And MIKE M'DERMOTT. from California-way.

The man who looks the most—LOU BUCKLEY.

The man who leads the fight from Mellon Institute—JOHN ANTON, who can speak best for himself.
K St., Sacramento, Calif. Joe is married and has two children.

ED DEAN promises to give us some news for the next issue. Ed has four children: 10, 8, 4, and 2. He is with the Pittsburgh steel Co. and lives at 11 Linden Ave., Monessen, Pa. Drop Ed a note at once so he will have some news for all of us next month.

JOHN F. "RAM" DUNNE is executive with the Pope and Talbot Steamship Company, San Francisco. JIM CULLEN recently accomplished an outstanding job as general chairman of the Community Chest drive in Sayre, Pa.

GEORGE STRICKLER, who recently resigned as the National Football league's director of public relations, signed a three year contract as assistant general manager and publicity director of the Green Bay Packers of the same league.

ART DENCHFIELD and his wife, Recipe, Braxi, where Art is general superintendent of the Singer Sewing Machine Co., recently visited the campus. He planned to visit the Scandinavonian countries, return to the States and then go south to Brazil.

TOM BYRNE of Cleveland, honorary president of the Alumni Association, and his wife, recently lost their sixth child. A son, John Hugh, was born April 13 and died on April 15.

BERNIE ABBOTT is executive vice-president of Telo-coin Company with offices in New York.

On May 14, MARTIN Y. CALLAGHY, former justice of the Domestic Relations Court and secretary of the New York City Commission for the temporary care of children, delivered the third in a series of free public lectures under the auspices of the Citizens Committee on the Courts, Inc.

1929

James R. Nowery, P. O. Box 1545, Shreveport, La.

Paul Henny is an attorney in Juneau, Wisc. Dr. CORIN HODGSON is a physician in Rochester, Minn. TED GRIFFIN is again practicing law in Binghampton, N.Y.

John Hinkel, head of the department of public information at the University, was recently chosen vice-president of the Northern Indiana Reserve Officer's Association.

1930


JIM LEAHY would like to hear from some of his old friends in the class. He's a partner in the Buckeye Building and Engineering Co., Tiffin, O., and has six children.

Bill Walsh is an executive with the McGrath Stevedoring Co., New York City.

Henry Clark is a registered professional engineer in Detroit and operates the Transformer Inspection Co.

Joe Abbott has recently purchased the franchise of the Paterson, N. J., team in the American Football League. Ray Young is attorney for the Continental Foundry and Machine Co., East Chicago, Ind.

Carl Bauer and Vince McAlloon are continuing to develop Catholic Lay Leaders. Their latest undertaking is a layman's study institute located on an 16-acre farm near Herman, Pa., some forty miles from Pittsburgh.

1931

Walter F. Phillip, 4 Pickwick Lane, Newton Square, Pa.

From Walter Phillip:

Harry Merzinski, late of the U. S. Navy, and now one of the up-and-coming members of the legal profession, was my gracious host during my stay in Grand Rapids, Mich., several months ago.

Walt Ridley, the Deutcher, is doing his level-best to try to move the builders' supply organizations to facilitate him with some materials. Rooms without doors just aren't rooms.

Al Stepan, the Chicago chemical manufacturer, tells me that married life must be agreeable with him—Judging from his present weight.

Dan Halpin was feted at a luncheon during a recent visit to Los Angeles by the Leo Ward, '20. Those present were Tom Ashe, Gene Kennedy, Ed Brown, E. Ashe, and Gene Calhoun. Dan was toastmaster for Universal Notre Dame Night in Philadelphia. He did a bang-up job.

Fathers Philip Schaefer and Richard MURPHY, both '31, are spending themselves at Portland University. I enjoyed several pleasant hours with them and a stroll about the campus.

Jack Saunders was recently appointed by Harry Hogan as governor of the Alumni Association for the state of Massachusetts. Congratulations, Jack!

Happy vacationing to all of you '31ers, and please make a memo that you will drop me a line occasionally beginning next Fall.

Dan Clark's new restaurant had its grand opening on April 2 in South Bend. Ben Oakes Trans-World Airlines representative, went to Stockholm, Sweden, on June 5 for a meeting of the Olympic Games committee. He was with a group of Los Angeles people interested in securing the Olympic Games for L. A. in 1932.

Larry "Moon" Mollins has been signed as head football coach and coordinator of athletics at St. Ambrose college in Davenport, Iowa.

1932

James K. Collins, 17 Triangle Ave., Dayton 9, O.

From Jim Collins:

Thanks to CHARLEY PETRETTIC and his amiable staff, we had a fine time at the 15th Reunion. The turnout was smaller than expected but it was lively, and a continual round of events took place from Friday morning until Sunday afternoon.

Many were there for the first time since graduation and it was fine to see them.

One of the principal things which grew out of the reunion was the formation of a committee to arrange a class party after the Army game.

Clem Theisen was selected as chairman to handle all the arrangements, and can be reached at St. Joseph, Mich. He hopes to be able to secure some hotel reservations for that week-end for members of the class, but on that score he really has his fingers crossed. Hotels in South Bend have been sold out for months past for that week-end. Frank O'Malley is working with him on this. A slogan "32 Is Expecting You" was agreed upon, after being suggested by BARRY O'KEEFE. Any further news of their activities will be in the next issue of the "Alumnus."

Cliff Prodehl was full of suggestions for the 20th Reunion, and I think he talked himself into the job of running it. However, all of his suggestions were good and you will be hearing more about them. He has been in contact with the Philadelphia representatives. Paul is secretary of the Chamber of Commerce there.

Flo McCarty has taken a position with the Federation for Railway Progress and has his office in the Terminal Tower, Cleveland. He is handling the promotion work for the organization which was formed by Robert E. Young, president of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad.

Mac plans to move his family to Cleveland on about June 15.

Johnny Gostisha, who incredibly looks not a day older than when he graduated, is with the State Department and was preparing to go overseas again soon. He recently returned from Europe, where he spent three years in counter intelligence work. Jack Doyle is also with the State Department.

Pete Trolio, as wide as he is high, said that ANGELO LUCKETT is with ED MEHRENS' Squirt Company in Memphis.

Vince Donohue just completed the bar exams in Pennsylvania; he and Bill Cooney wired regrets. Frank Norton is living at 444 Harvard St., Rochester, N. Y. He said Bill Jones has been quite ill since returning from the Navy.

This sedate gathering is composed of members of the class of 1932 who got in on the class picture at the Oliver Hotel.
ED KELLY is in the brokerage business in New York, and was back for the first time. FRANK OBERKOTTER is in business in Rochester and lives at 112 Buckland Ave. ROY CAYZONKE is practicing medicine in Merrill, Wis. FATHER JAMIE O'BRIEN is in business in Cleveland. Gene has two restaurants in New York, and five children. PAUL O'TOOLE is in the real estate business in Chicago, and TACO COLLINS is back in Cleveland practicing law.

FATHER PAUL HALLIAN was there one day, and GENE CONNOLLY got there Sunday and the Pollack Convention was in Cleveland. Gene has two restaurants in New York, and five children. PAUL O'TOOLE is in the real estate business in Chicago, and TACO COLLINS is back in Cleveland practicing law.

LEO SCHIALVONE was very active all week, and he is back in Chicago after a long time in the Army.

FATHER HARRY STEGMAN said the Memorial Mass in Morrissey Hall Chapel Sunday morning. The priests statement of the week came shortly after Mass when FLO McCARTHY saw Father Harry in the cafeteria, slapped him on the back and said "Nice Mass, Father."

The above is only a small list of who was there and what was going on but for any of your friends who give your friends an idea of the reunion. Those who were not there can be sure they missed a good session, and that they were very probably mentioning your absences. For those who were, it was swell seeing you, and I'll look for you at the Army game party.

From JOHN KIERNEN: "Bill Constan came over to shake hands with my brother, Tom, '29, and myself at 6.11, a hour and a day recently. Bill is located in Chicago. Shortly after that, HENRY ASMAN came to Cleveland for a surgery's convention and he and MIKE CRAWFORD and I met at ROHR'S for a swell lunchtime but had an appointment and couldn't make it. I forgot to bring my medical dictionary along but Henry and Mike interpreted as they went along so I wasn't too high in the clouds." They had to listen to me a bit for I had to tell them about our taking over another large coal company on the east side of Cleveland."

ROB GORMAN has been appointed advertising manager of the All-State Insurance Co., Chicago. Before the war Bob was advertising manager of the Local Loan Co. and, previously, was assistant to the advertising manager of Ditto, Inc.

BILL WALZ is a busy man these days. Besides caring for his three boys and two girls and tending his office work of bank auditing and purchasing, he is helping on a drive to raise funds for a Catholic Central high school to be erected between Canton and Massillon, O.

ED RHATIGAN is welfare commissioner in New York City under Mayor O'Dwyer. ROBERT STRICKLE of Canton, O., is a salesman for the Ohio Dairy Co. in the local Sanitary Milk Co.

JOHN CONWAY is now overseas with the American Red Cross. His home is in Rochester, New York.

JOHN DONOHUE, Washington, D. C., was married Sept. 30, 1944, to Hazel Taylor, Almas, Ga. They now have a daughter, born July 3, 1946.

BILL OTTO is in charge of testing aggregates for the Nebraska Department of Roads and Interstate Highway Testing Laboratory. He has three children.

BEGIS McNAMARA has resigned from the engineering staff of the city of Binghamton and is now in business for himself.

WALT MULLEN is district manager for Ozalid in Detroit.

1933

Mr. and Mrs. FRANK MARBA have announced the adoption of Kathleen Ann, born June 30, 1946.

TIGHE WOODS has been named deputy housing divider for the Office of Rent Control, Washington, D. C. Tighe was regional rent divider in Chicago.

ROBB PURCELL is a lawyer in the Central Life Bldg., Ottawa, Ill. PHIL DARMOY has moved to Washington, D. C. from Chicago. He is now an airways engineer at C. A. A., Washington.

From PAUL KNEZU, Nominees, Mich.: "RALPH SHANG MOYLER of Shanghai, China, spent a month with me last summer, with me after spending four years in a Japan prison camp in Shanghai. At present he is in London, England, and his address is Lloyds Bldg., London. If any of his friends would like to write him, I am sure he would welcome their letters. He is now in the best of health and plans to stop in the States this summer on his way to Hong-Kong, China."

1934

Joseph R. Glennon, Jr., Commercial Salvage Co., 17 E. 42d St., New York City 17.

Hovie GILLESPIE of Westfield, N. J., is with Mack Truck Co. in the sales department. Long Island, N. Y.

The Notre Dame Glee Club was entertained in Pittsburgh, Mass., on Easter Sunday by a group of N. D. fathers of GEORGE NESBIT, '41, PAUL LIMONT, '45, and JERRY, BOB and BILL GUTLTIAN, spearheaded by JAMES O'BRIEN, '34. The club sang the high mass for Father Marshall in Pittsburgh.

NICK MOLNAR is supervisor of inter-office placement, Indiana State Employment Service, Indianapolis.

ED MANSFIELD is now living in Chicago and working for the NATA Products Co. His address is 500 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago. He has seen MIKE LATY, JOHN CARR, JOHN LOGAN and BILL VIELEMANN.

Up to late May, according to a report from BOB MULY, the class fund to procure a chalice for FATHER JIM MOSKOW had gathered approximately $450. Contributions were still coming in.

The chalice, you will recall, is to be inscribed with the name of the '34 men who lost their lives in World War II. These men: ANDT LOGAN and BILL VENEMAN.

Father Jim was during the spring studying for the U. S. probation and parole officer for the Northern District of Indiana. The appointment was made by the Honorable LUTHER M. SWYGGERT, '25, federal judge.

"I have your column in the "Alumnus" quite faithfully during all these years and I'm sure Father Marshall would be interested if I could make it to the reunion. Those who were not there can be sure they missed a good session, and that they were very probably mentioning your absences. For those who were, it was swell seeing you, and I'll look for you at the Army game party."

From JOHN KIERNEN: "Bill Constan came over to shake hands with my brother, Tom, '29, and myself at 6.11, a hour and a day recently. Bill is located in Chicago. Shortly after that, HENRY ASMAN came to Cleveland for a surgery's convention and he and MIKE CRAWFORD and I met at ROHR'S for a swell lunchtime but had an appointment and couldn't make it. I forgot to bring my medical dictionary along but Henry and Mike interpreted as they went along so I wasn't too high in the clouds." They had to listen to me a bit for I had to tell them about our taking over another large coal company on the east side of Cleveland."

ROB GORMAN has been appointed advertising manager of the All-State Insurance Co., Chicago. Before the war Bob was advertising manager of the Local Loan Co. and, previously, was assistant to the advertising manager of Ditto, Inc.

BILL WALZ is a busy man these days. Besides caring for his three boys and two girls and tending his office work of bank auditing and purchasing, he is helping on a drive to raise funds for a Catholic Central high school to be erected between Canton and Massillon, O.

ED RHATIGAN is welfare commissioner in New York City under Mayor O'Dwyer. ROBERT STRICKLE of Canton, O., is a salesman for the Ohio Dairy Co. in the local Sanitary Milk Co.

JOHN CONWAY is now overseas with the American Red Cross. His home is in Rochester, New York.

JOHN DONOHUE, Washington, D. C., was married Sept. 30, 1944, to Hazel Taylor, Almas, Ga. They now have a daughter, born July 3, 1946.

BILL OTTO is in charge of testing aggregates for the Nebraska Department of Roads and Interstate Highway Testing Laboratory. He has three children.

BEGIS McNAMARA has resigned from the engineering staff of the city of Binghamton and is now in business for himself.

WALT MULLEN is district manager for Ozalid in Detroit.
Facing Cartier Field. He told me that Carl is now employed at Princeton. has acquired a delightful beauty that visited the campus in the ten years since gradu.

In the cemetery farther down the road shoved a field Mass in progress for the first time we saw that now familiar sight back in September of 1933. A field Mass in progress. John had a Commerce degree and was discharged as a lieutenant colonel. He was with part of the New York contingent that started out from New York on the New York Central’s “Pacemaker,” Thursday evening at 5:15 p.m., E.D.S. Aboard were ED HOYT, ED NEAHER, recovering from a battle with a "strep" throat; JERRY GILLESPIE, all of 1937, VIC MERCADO, "28, and BADEN (72) and Lucy (Mrs.) POWELL. Baden and his wife were headed for an Iowa vacation. Later on we ran across some younger N. D. graduates who had finished in February of this year and were going out to receive their degrees.

In chronicling the events of the week-end which were highlighted by the ’37 party at the Oliver Hotel Friday night under the capable direction of JERRY CLAETS, JOHN BRASSELL, LARRY DANBOM, JOHN LECHNER, JERRY DAVIES, LOU HICKEY, and others who served on the committee, and the Alumni Banquet, Saturday night, I’m going to resort largely to the reservation cards which were returned to the Alumni office. These contained a good bit of information about our classmates, and wherever possible I’ll augment what’s on the card by what I learned from talking with these fellows before I do, however. I’d like to put this information at the head of the list: PHIL, B. BONDI reports that he is back at work after an illness—enforced absence of seven years. Phil reports that he has a temporary assignment in the marketing division of Standard Register Co. in Dayton, Ohio. Address there is 112 Delaware St., Dayton, 5, O.

DON HENNESSY, now of 219, 12th St., Sterling, Ill., reports on his card that he has had a successful year coaching at Catholic Community High School. His football team won eight games, lost two by one point; basketball team won 20 and lost seven. Don says he is now in track, which he instructed last year for the first time at the school. He will have a baseball team in the Pioneer of Summer H. S. Baseball Conference in Illinois; the N.C.C. Don looks fine, was up early for handball with LARRY DANBOM, FRANK GAUL and one other of our classmates the night after the ’37 party. I met Don and Larry getting ready for a golf match with JERRY CLAETS and JOE QUINN.

Harry Koehtler of South Bend said he would be on hand Saturday, I presume he meant for the banquet, but I failed to see him. JOHN McKENNA of West Orange, N. J., was on hand with his brother. John is coaching at Orange (N. J.) High School, my old alma mater. Coaching keeps these fellows looking awfully young. John having changed not a whit since last we met. Heading the list of ’37 medical men was FRANCIS A. MARINO, Utica, N. Y. Frank is married and is practicing medicine in Utica. He was married in 1943 and has two sons: Joseph and Francis. Frank had a very lucky week-end if you must know. He drove out with LL SENATOR DELO, who is also a doctor I believe, and is stationed at Mitchell Field, if I’m not mistaken.

CHUCK DUFFY, 731 Prince St., S.E., Grand Rapids, Mich., said he’d be there and was. He wrote that ROB DICYE would come down from Chicago for the affair and Bob was on hand. He’s at a new address in Chicago: 1547 Arthur St. Bob may have told me what he was doing but I can’t seem to recall, nor do my battered notes give any inkling. BERNARD P. DONELLY, ex. ’37, writes he is married, has three children and is vice-president and sales manager of Donnelly-Kelley Glass Co. Bernle is living at 30 W. 24th Street, Holland, Mich. He said he’d be there, “maybe.” From the rock bound coasts word came that ED UHILL of Tamworth, Mass., is flying from Provincetown, Mass. “weather permitting.” Evidently the weather permitted for Ed was there large as life and roomed with TIM KING. If I’m not mistaken, next to me. It was hard to tell who was rooming with whom with what the crowd that kept pouring in and out of Ed’s quarters.

JERRY CLAETS, of the candy clan, was much in evidence. Jerry and his young son were at the ball game on Saturday afternoon. ROY MARRON predicted he would come down from Detroit for the reunion and did. Roy is married (1944) and has two children: a boy and a girl. He came down with his brother, LO. HABRIN of 140. Roy’s new address: 15544 Evergreen St., Detroit 35, Mich., on his card.

The South Bend committee which arranged the 1897 party in the Oliver Hotel.

Front row, left to right, Jerry Doney, John Krossell, Tom Delker and Lou Hickey.

Back row: John Lechner, Larry Danbom and Chairman Jerry Claways.)
From Chicago came HARRY BALDWIN, who reported the birth of Harry A. Baldwin, Jr., on Feb. 11 of this year. Harry is with Arrow Products Co., 120 S. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. Harry hasn't changed too much, Harvard notwithstanding. JIM BACON, another Chicagoan, was also on hand for the reunion. Jim is still following his career as a journalist being at present night city editor at the Chicago Press bureau in Chicago. Jim lives at 2810 S. Wernon St., Berwyn, Ill. He reports that FRANK FOX, '37, heads the AP Bureau at 1785 S. Michigan Ave., N. C. Frank was missed at the reunion. And still another Chicagoan, PAUL BIAGIONI, was there. Paul is a general assignment reporter for the Chicago Daily News. Paul was married last summer while on leave at Battin, Barton, Durstine & Osburn, Inc. MORTON ROCK, of Mishawaka and journalism days of "DOC" COONET, showed. He is doing general assignment reporting for the South Bend "Tribune." A South Bend neighbor of his, JOHNNY BRASSELL, of Bendix, lives at 1302 Oregon St. John has a wife, two children and a nice little home.

BERNIE REILLY, HERB and MRS. KENYON and I sat up until about four o'clock in the morning Saturday night recalling the old days at Notre Dame. Joe Lotis, with the Navy, being stationed in Philadelphia for a while, John and I vend for herons as to who had the most stories. I hold the edge by a whisker. TOM CONDON of Buffalo wrote that he would be at the reunion and I heard he was there. I believe he got a chance to see others. Who others wrote in and said they were coming, but little else was! JOHN F. BURKE of Grand Rapids, BOB BURKE of Cincinnati, TOM BYRNE of Lakewood, O., and A. L. ERSKINE, DEAN DELANEY of 510 North Street, Burlington, Ia., reportedly a doctor. I confirm it, he was there for a large as life. Of course, when you mention Delaney you immediately wonder about CRICK MURPHY, another American, AUREL BERMAN, et al. Yes, they were all on hand. Art Hoff- man is a practicing medic of Ft. Wayne. Augustus, Decatur (deceased), was there, too. Bill was on hand and still plays a pretty wicked round of golf. JAMES FOLTZ from Mishawaka labored under the firm name of Gorman and Electric was there, as was TEX MULCAHY, reformed journalist now teaching school.

Just to change the subject for a moment, someone who was at the reunion was JOHN RILEY of Parson's, Kans., where he operates a retail store. I must have seen him, for he filled up with my old New Yorker. Ed HENRY, of Chicago, who has varied service in London, Algiers, France, Germany, etc., Joe was recently married. Arch, on the other hand, labors for International Harvester Co. in Chicago. Arch is very much married and is the proud popper of two young children. Arch was with the Navy during the war. ARCH COYLE and ED BRENAN, '35, left their labors long enough to spend the week-end at Notre Dame. Arch is teaching the language and while ED is selling space for "Sport" magazine. He was formerly with "Aero Digest."

Switching East for a moment, more delegates from the New York environs included JIM O'BOYLE, of 1740 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill. Jim is in the soap business with his father and brothers: WLFRED KIRK, Grand Street Branch manager of National City Bank, who was present with his brother, Fr. Cassien Kirk, O.F.M.; HERB KENYON, who is selling for Blue Cross Hospitalization and who had his wife with him for the reunion, which Herb took in as part of a vacation trip; Ed Neaher, he of the law, who is now busily engaged in pro- moting the World's Fair in New York. Notre Dame alumni and friends of Ed Hoyt, energetic young credit manager for Vick Chemical Co. in New York, were absent this year, as were a number of the members of the firm. The birth department also covers TOM HUGHES, whose wife presented him with another girl, their third child, and JOE SCHILLING, whose third child was born about the time of the Hughes' third arrival.

Fort Wayne, Ind., was well represented at the '37 reunion by, among others, BERNIE NIEBER, who is a manager for the Saturday Evening Post in York, N. Y. Joe VANDERLEY and DICK MARDLE, JOE NYKOS of South Bend and BILL MYERS of Fort Wayne, also attended. For the Out West party for the class, I didn't see VINTER MURPHY or CHUCK LEIBN at the Oliver, possibly a hangover aversion from collegiate days, but later I ran across both boys in the cafeteria and at the banquet. HANK WIRTY, FRITZ WOLTER, BILL GRAHAM, FRED GAST, LOU FEHLING and BILL TUNNEY all put in an appearance at the Friday night affair. FRITZ is now with the Chicago Tribune in Rockford, Ill., while Lou and Bill are living and working in St. Louis. Lou is in the box and lumber enterprise and surrounded by jovial ALEX SLOAN and Bill T. J. is connected with Owens-Illinois Glass Co. If I'm not mistaken, BILL GRAHAM is working in Chicago City, while Brother CHUCK is down in Texas.

Far westerners at the reunion included TIM KING of Tucson, Ariz.; JOHN E. SHAW who made the trip from Tulsa, Okla., where he is in the insurance business; ARCH GOTT and (of course) JOE DORGAN. Just to change the subject for a moment, more delegates from the West were none other than the Chicago gang (is there an election going on?)? New Yorkers? TEX HAGGAR? RUS REDDIE? BUNNY MCCORMICK? That Indianapolis gang (is there an election going on?)? Don't telegraph, write!

ROY DRYER, once with the New York Yankees (where he won 6 and lost 3 in 1941) has organized Sports Film of the Month in the town of the city. This is a rental bureau which features outstanding sports films. Roy shot down eleven Jepp planes before he cranked up at Munda, when Jepp asked him to crash land at a small airport after he was shot down. Roy is on his feet but his physical condition prevents him from returning to the Yankees. His address is 57 Post St., San Francisco.

Ed Hogan, lock up of five years in the service with the 7th Infantry Division, is now a patrolman for the city of Binghamton, N. Y. Ed is now the proud father of a baby girl, born last week.

ENNIO ARROSTI, St. Ambrose College grid coach last season, has returned to his former football and basketball coaching position at Spalding Institute, Peoria, Ill.

JERRY CLIFFORD is now in Houston, Tex., as representative of the Burroughs Adding Machine Co. He has been with them since graduation.

JOE COTE is married and his address is Parsons, Kansas, where he operates a retail store.
1939 Vincent DeCousery, 1917 Eliza-
在上海 see the supposed news of the class of 1939. This time I had visions of being able to visit the campus at Commencement and get a lot of low-down in person, but the sun finally came out in the great state of Kansas and the dairy business began to edge back toward normal, which this year seems to be just a short put back of satisfactory.

Not much news has accumulated over the past few months and I feel rather hopeful that BILL DOOLEY is able to garner a lot of information from and about the boys on the campus.

Received notice of LOUIS McKEAN's ordination and a little later the following note, "Thank you for remembering me at Ordination. This occasion has offered me an opportunity to contact other alumni. It has been pleasant hearing from VINCENT HARTNETT, REV. ROBERT LOCKNER, C.S.C., and about 12-14 other Holy Cross priests. I hope to hear from JOE HARRINGTON and TOM FOYE.

"As the invitation indicated I am a priest for the diocese of Reno, Nev. It is a privilege to be able to join the priests of this missionary diocese, whose limits are those of the state of Nevada."

Around the first of the year we received a letter from DICK BERG, who pulled me through many problems in economics. Says Dick: "I can't give you much news, except about myself. Occasionally I see GEORGE FESIT, who was in our class but graduated (40)." "As for myself, since returning from the Army, I have finished law school and was admitted to the legal profession on Jan. 26, this year. I am now doing editorial work on law reports, for Commerce Clearing House, while waiting for that 'break' to get a chance to get into practice. By the way, I just remembered hearing that FRANK PARKS was admitted to the Wisconsin Bar and started in practice last summer and understand that he is working in Chicago."

"I am still unmarried and still looking for the right girl. It looks like all of you fast to Chicago."

JOE MULQUEEN is retail representative for "Life" magazine in the southwest Philadelphia and Wilmington Areas and in Chester and Delaware counties, Pennsylvania. He has three children.

GEORGE HAGGERTY is in the restaurant business in New York City, at the Union Club on Park Ave. JOHN GORDON is in the district traffic office of Northwest Airlines in Chicago. He lives in nearby Richmond, Ill.

Attorney BOB SULLIVAN recently of Lima, O., has been appointed football coach at Ft. Wayne, Ind., Central Catholic High School.

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From JOHN PATTERSON:

Communiques regarding the various reunions have been sadly lacking. BOB DORAN, one of the stalwarts at the 1941 class's fifth in 1946, wrote me's card saying that he would not get out to the campus for graduation exercises this year. His reason—a very good one—his card came from Buenos Aires. When it was written, Bob had been in Brazil and Argentina for seven weeks, expected to hang around South America for seven more.

"A round our table were gathered BILL BURNS (beaming happily as beutting the proud father of twins—making three children in all for BILL), RUBE MARGUARD, BILL MOULDER, JACK RETNOLDS, gentle JIM McDOWE-ERN, JIM MCCARTHY, TOM GALLAGHER, BOB DE MOSS, GEENE CONNERS. We chatted with HARRY MURRAY, ROCCO MONTANA, DON MURTAUGH and GEO ROCCO MARCUCC.

"BILL MOLDS left May 1 for San Francisco where he'll park for good. He is district manager for the Harvester Co."

From Scoop Scanlan:

"Last wend from Walter BRENNAN came in March. At that writing he was looking forward to farouche in Ireland and discharge sometime this month. He wrote that PHIL McCANNA, also a doctor, was in uniform somewhere in Europe. Walt hopes to take up residency in or near the Windy City, particularly since his major feminine interest resides on Chicago's South Side. My good friend, HAWLEY VAN SWALL, writes occasionally. He is very proud of his three daughters."

So much for the mail.

Note to 1942's "Scop" Scanlan—one of your boys, TOM POWERS, has left the "Pittsburgh Press" to join Pittsburgh's new radio station. He is working on the airways with a local news broadcast four times a day, writing scripts for all other local news broadcasts. Tom is very happy with his new job even though it keeps him hopping from 12 to 14 hours per day, seven days per week.

BOB O'DONNELL is in the seminary at Mt. St. Mary of the West, Norwood, O., and has finished his second year of theology. GENE DUCKWORTH is with the Precision Parts Co., Ann Arbor, Mich., where he is chief engineer of the electrical division.

A third oak leaf cluster to the air medal has been presented to Mrs. Charles E. Schlayer of Harrisburg, Pa., in recognition of the service of her son, 1st Lt. CHARLES E. SCHLAYER, who died in the third raid by bombers on Nagoya, Japan.

LOU RIEGEL lives at 7636 Jeffery Ave., Chicago, and is an accountant with the Pure Oil Co. Another recent mover is GENE DeLATT, who is now working for the Bank of America in San Francisco.

From Scoop Scanlan:

"Most of the major news developments regarding the Class of '42 took place reunion week-end at Notre Dame—and yours truly wasn't on hand. I hope some of the people close to the scene of things will have contributed reports on developments by the time this reaches the "Alumnus" headquarters."

Postcarded from New Jersey, via one Josephine RAGOLIA was this note regarding JOE:

"The portrait photographer caught this sector of the 1942 party in the Oliver Hotel on Friday night. May 30."
"Is now employed by the State of New Jersey as parole officer and is living in a small town in Southern Jersey—Elmer, N. J., 201 Broad St."

Gosh, now we know where Elmer really is. ELMER LATYEN will no doubt be glad to get this news.

GEORGE UHL breezed into Chicago one morning, commemorating those members who were killed in the Cavanaugh Hall chapel Sunday morning. It was a huge success.

While chinning with one of us, JOHN RORICK called between scoops for the Alumni Banquet Saturday night to continue his public relations work. Perhaps you didn't know that the Roricks now run a huge bombing factory in Western Air. Joe through his own volition, has lost nearly fifty pounds since graduation and had to be introduced most gently to many of his old classmates. By the way, Gene is planning to attend the reunion in the near future.

BOB HARGRAVE and RAY EBLI reviewing some of the Army games in which they played with BERNIE CRIMMINS, who is now Assistant Coach Crimmens for Fighting Irish. A flock of the boys from the East coast were present—John and TOSI were well in attendance.

FRANK POLLNOW, former saxaphone man in the Notre Dame band, was in the air with a Hartford, Conn., radio station,漫 counters and backfield coach in football at St. Lawrence College, Canton, N. Y. He will assume his duties with publicity man JIMMY TEAMEY, by the way, was doing graduate work in architecture at Yale University. ED GLASER Is a first lieutenant in the Marine Corps and is doing duty in the Veterans Hospital in Alexandria, Va.

LEVETTE has moved to Racine, Wis., from Plainfield, N. J. News has got around that GENE SCHUMAKER is engaged to be married on June 21.

In the school department: JOHN CANNEY is doing graduate work in architecture at Yale University. FRD FLYNN is assistant professor of philosophy at St. Ambrose College, Davenport, Ia. GEORGE UHL received his master's degree from Ohio State in June. Another graduate this summer is GEORGE YORK who received his doctor of medicine degree. JOHN RORICK is at law school at Marquette. DAVE BAGLEY Is at Catholic University Law School. He examined the week-end of the reunion, so he could not attend. FRED PAYNE, too, is going to law school. He's in Cleveland and married to Margaret Clarke, class of '44. A baby girl was born to them on April 5.

CHARLES MACFARLANE, Jr., has registered in the University of Colorado Extension Center in Denver. Working on his master's in industrial relations. The University of Minnesotta is BILL MEIER. AL THOMAS is in the graduate school at Boston College.

PAUL PATTEN has been appointed hockey and backfield coach in football at St. Lawrence University, Canton, N. Y. He will assume his duties in September. At the present time, he is coach at Saratoga Springs, N. Y., high school.

BOB DUNNE, who has been with the "South Bend Tribune," is doing graduate work in architecture at Yale University. A baby girl was born to them on April 5.

FRANK PLATT has signed as head football and basketball coach at Portage, Pa., high school. He will also teach health and physical education.

JERRY HEINLEN is employed as farm service sales representative for the B. F. Goodrich Tire and Rubber Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind. On May 25, he married in Germany. He's a first lieutenant in the Army Medical Corps.

WALT MINDER is in Manila as U. S. Army employee. He is traveling auditor and expects to be back in the States next fall.

J. McDONNELL, from Tulsa, Okla., ED RYAN, from Hingham, Mass., and THOMAS SOMERS, from Clarksdale, Miss., have been married since 1945 and are the father of a fourteen-month old son. He's employed with the Veterans Administration in the physical rehabilitation division, DR. ED GLASER, was a first lieutenant in the Marine Corps and is doing duty in the Veterans Hospital in Alexandria, Va.

The reunion could not have been the success it was, it was not for the aid in arrangements and preparations by TOM TEAMEY and MIKE HINES, who are both employees at Notre Dame, and PAUL NEVILLE, who is an expert in his coverage of politics for the "South Bend Tribune." All three did more than their share of the work in helping with the pre-party arrangements. Tearney, by the way, was married in October at Notre Dame a week after the reunion.

Not to be outdone by Joe Barr, '42 (see February, 1947, ALUMNUS), LEA APOLE, '41, sends along his twin girls, Jacquelin and Jilda, born Dec. 12, 1946.
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Edward C. Roney, 1723 Iroquois Ave., Detroit, Mich.

From ED RONEY:

'43 may not be the largest class. It may not have crowded the campus thus far on reunion week, but don't say there isn't great shakers as letter writers, but it sure grabs hold and helps show the way each year in the Alumni Funds. Our year to top the rest must be this one as with our big Five-year reunion coming up next June; we want something to talk about.

And a letter, or five or ten, would do a lot to help this column along. Lately there's been talk of a man who should be written on a small grain of rice during the dry season.

Again we've had but one letter and very few people seem to be finding their way to Beloit. One of the most recent is from GEORGE COPPIN in San Bruno, Calif., on April 7:

"Yesterday, BOB MADDEN was up from Mountain View for an Easter dinner. He brought along the December '46 issue of the "Alumnus" and I decided to send you a correction.

"I'd like to know which one of those men of leisure, BILLY UNGERSHICK and JACK WIETHOFF, is responsible for the correction? It is a boy [not a girl] in my family as of the 30th or July last year.

"Regarding work, I was checked out as a flight singer on Sept. 1, 1946. Our runs at present are San Francisco to Sydney or Aukland; San Francisco to Los Angeles via Honolulu, or San Francisco to Manila. A survey flight will be run very soon to Shanghai and that will be a new terminal point. It would be good news to see Pan American awarded domestic runs. That way, I might get to travel to New York once in a while, and see MEL RUMMEL and the rest of our class at Pan on La Guardia Field.

"I'd appreciate any news you might give me of ARKY HIEGEL or JOHNNY NICHOLSON. Neither has written for some time. Oh yes, BOB MURPHY is back at Lockheed and I hope to see him approximately ten days from now."

Thanks for the news. George. Haven't heard anything about Hiegel but Nicholson was seen around New York a short time ago. Before he left for overseas, from the front office carries non-graduates as "former students," but that is just for accuracy. Anyone who put in time on campus and would like to join the Alumni Association can do so. If any of you regulars know of any one on the outside, tip them off and get them on the inside. A card here, or to the office at Notre Dame, will get you the details.

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There was a party Friday night in one of the rooms and most of the fellows met Saturday night in town. All, I believe, would declare it a worth-while week-end and will be in the vanguard of those returning next year.

That's about all for this time but a few letters will produce more news. How about it?

BOB RENSBERGER is the new head basketball coach at Beloit, Wis., senior high school.

FATHER KEVIN B. DOHERTY was ordained to the priesthood for the diocese of Camden, N. J., on May 31. He said his first Mass on June 1, at Our Lady of Mercy Church in New York City.

DR. BOB MURKANE received his M.D. from Ohio State University at exercises held in Columbus, O., on March 14.

43. The evening was spent recalling old timers and friends. We were all at Pearl Harbor together on the same ship. Last week I was in San Fran­ cisco, O., and a couple of swell days with the ALEXANDERS. GUIDO and AL '46, are now the proprietors of a new and modern night club, and really big time. Guido was down for the Southern Cal game but I missed him then.

Next letter is from CHARLES LOHRE of West Orange, N. J., on May 30:

"I am not a graduate of Notre Dame, but still I am a member of the Alumni Association and the class of '44. You sent me a school in April, '43, after my mother's death.

"Have been trying to return to the higher levels of literature and knowledge. Seems as though advanced students are con­tagious in these parts. Would like to return to Notre Dame, but can't tear away from home at present. Been moving around too many years already (six to be exact!)."

"I had the pleasure of returning to the campus from the fleet in 1944. Those high school fellows gave me rough competition, after being away from them for so long. At best, I got another term under my belt."

"While on campus I ran into my old roommate PETE EVERSLAGE again. He was helping out at the Science Building and studying for his master's degree in civil engineering at the University of New Hampshire. He ought to be getting that white collar about now. I believe it was at St. Paul's seminary in Ontario, Idaho, that he spent his time. Like me, he spent two years at N. D. and hasn't lost a bit of the old spirit.

"Had the pleasure of watching the Irish beat N. Y. U. at the garden. It was good to see FRAN CURRAN playing ball again. Almost like old times at the field house.

Charlie has been heartily welcomed into the ranks, and this is as good a time as any to say that men of the class that didn't graduate, are welcome as alumni members. The front office carries non-graduates as "former students," but that is just for accuracy. Any­one who put in time on campus and would like to join the Alumni Association can do so. If any of you regulars know of any one on the outside, tip them off and get them in on the inside. A card here, or to the office at Notre Dame, will get you the details.

And now for the latest (7 April) on CHUCK URRUELA, the man with the stripes and a half on his sleeve, or the one who could get a suite in any hotel on the West Coast. From the proprietors of Coltunbu's newest and most modern night clab, and really big time. Glad to see FRAN CURRAN playing ball again. Almost like old times at the field house.

"I have finally resolved to carry out my New Year's resolution (of 1946) and write a few lines. Not that I have anything to say, or any red-hot news to impart, because most of my N. D. news is ante-bellum. I have managed to keep in touch with a few of the fellows, most of them back at school under the GI Bill. Also an occasional letter from such as MIKE FESSEMER, now studying in New York, and from AUSTIN JONES, working for an accounting company in the same area.

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Columbia M.A. in Journalism in June.

Dramatic Art. at Columbia. The Duke, by the
plant. He adds that BILL TALBOT has just
They'll live in Willmar where Lou is busy at
the family Coco-Cola and soft drink bottling
ports that he really likes Georgetown Law
inspectors. With RCA in Camden on Fob. 17. Have been
across the country and in the West and South. Have been
mutually know, and who happen to be on the
this situation somewhat, would you kindly ask
I regret about the present is my inability to
be in that direction.
Jeanne wants a boy. I want a girl.
New York for four months. After that we
for a tour of duty. So far the Navy has
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done enough.
turned to Notre Dame to study what looks like, for the first time, actual engineering. (Note from Schaefer—Jack: I'm a poor liberal arts man in the dim of electrical engineering."

"The discipline at school has let up considerably since the veterans have returned. I guess the climax came last week when a bulletin came out permitting drinking anywhere in a place, within the boundaries stated in the little green book. [And subject to the Indiana age law—Ed.]

"Since graduating I have not met anyone from Notre Dame.\n\n"I have no idea how many fellows from that class, since my class is actually the class of '46, but because of the accelerated program, I graduated in February '46. I did hear however that JohnNey Mack, of Niles, Mich., is learning the steel business from the bottom up, in a steel plant in Gary, Ind. I guess that's about all for now, except that I'm teaching Math here at N.D. while going to school."

Last letter in the mailbox comes from Bill Carpenter,Extract from 30th N. Y. with report that Bill is in the Navy out at Guan. He received his D.D.S. from Marquette last year and married a Wisconsin girl, who joined him on Guam in February. Bill was all set to hang out his shingle in Lockport when he was called to the service to replace a man from California on Dec. 6, for the So. Cal.-N.D. game.

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BILL FAHRNER is a test engineer in Detroit, Mich.

The Los Angeles Dons of the All-American coast have secured the signature of Psycho HEBE!ZEN, 240-pound tackle who played for N. D., in 1943-44-45. In the football department, the word that STEVE NEMETH has placed his signature on one of JIMMY CHOW-LEY's contracts for 1947. Steve led the Chicago Rockers in scoring last season by totaling 56 points on nine field goals and 22 successive kicks after touchdown. FRANK DANCWICZ of Lynn, Mass., helped with spring football practice at Boston University recently. He is with the Boston Yanks of the All-America conference.

JACK STEWART, who, as a State Department man, is now with the United States Em-bassy in Japan, is the most traveled man in the class. He has so much to say, and says it so well, that the "Alumnus," is giving you here his letter of May 18 from Paris:

"After over 150,000 miles of travel by plane, ship, train, and auto, I have not lost my desire for new places. But then ten months of travel, regardless of its constancy, is not a long time. Perhaps some day I shall settle down in the States as a clock-punching citizen; now the idea seems remote and unpleasant. With these many miles behind me it is only natural that some places should take precedence in my mind from a point of interest to beauty, oddity, and even sentiment. I am almost certain of resolution of this sentiment—when I will jump from country to country, from continent to continent.

"The saddest place I have ever seen, one that would arouse a pang of sympathy in the most callous heart, is in Warmow, Poland. Never before had I seen such systematic, total, diabolic destruction. Poland was destroyed from the East. The destruction of Poland has been leveled to the cold, unproductive ground. Very aged men and women straining everything they have, and old horses to remove the mountains of rubble that fill the city of Warmow. With bent backs, cold, bruised hands in the January freeze, they labored aimlessly; brightly shawls strut down the streets and squat in the parks on the pavement; they refuse the relative comfort of the benches. More than once on the drive from the airport it was necessary to stop the shiny new car while a ragged quetchus chased the vehicle. The blood had not yet been dried and removed from the streets where political fanatics had fallen; more will flow soon again.

"And then back on the other side of the world. This time at the blazing-blow, modern airport at Moscow. The thrill of Rus sia had been lost in the four nights and three day train trip from Berlin, but a nervous thrill was there. It was so. I was plenty nervous and fearful as I went in the door of that half-green—half-ruin C-47 with the red star on the side. My fears were augmented when in a trode a crew member, flight plan under one arm and a bottle of cognac, not vodka, under the other. I was ready to jump out then and there but they no sooner were in the ship when the engines began revving and we were ready to take off. Since there is no competition in Russia there is no need for safety precautions, comfort, or solicitude of passengers on the So. Cal.-N.D. game.

"May 1 must be Health Day the world over. In Algiers I saw a grimy Arab washing his feet in a public Introne, blow his nose on his fingers, rinse off his hand. Then he walked down the Rue Vernet, with a battered head, and ready to see his best girl. Earlier that day I had witnessed a Communist demonstration in Tunis. To judge from the number of betulized Arabs, were carrying banners and placards for the revolution and ready to take his best girl. Earlier that day I had seen a Communist demonstration in Tunis. To judge from the number of betulized Arabs, they were carrying banners and placards for the revolution.

"Peasant feelings are many: the scenery in eastern Switzerland and western Austria, the Anchol Chianti in Naples, Dols du Bologne in Paris on a sunny day, lobster preparation in the Canterbury in Brussels, steaks in Buenos Aires, lovely, fresh-looking girls in Stockholm, flying over Rio's harbor, and Nice—Dame—in Paris and in Indiana.

"Private first class BOB MEUNIER of Kansas City, Mo., is now assigned as a clerk-typist in G-2 section, Headquarters, lst Corps, Kyoto, Japan.

THAT BOY OF YOURS

(Continued from Page 26) major part the United States has now been called upon to play in world affairs. We approach this new responsibility hesitatingly, but with an idealism that is the product of an inheritance of freedom from fear, unlimited opportunity and lavish prosperity. We would like to see the whole world share in the benefits of Democracy. We recognize its imperfections, but we recommend it as a substitute for other systems which have failed. Perhaps this generation of youth, which has been hardened in the crucible of world battlefields, may be more realistic than we have been about dealing with the peoples of the world. Our record is one of great generosity but of limited success. We are still mistrusted by a world which cannot seem to comprehend us.

Blessings of Real Freedom to All

We would be less than realistic if we failed to recognize the dangers in the tedious, quarrelsome world peace negotiations that are now in progress. In these negotiations this country is represented by men of character, experience and ability, who correctly express the desires of a Democracy that the blessings of real freedom be extended to all peoples of the world. They have encountered opposition from sources whose philosophy of government would defeat every purpose for which we fought the recent war. Patience is a virtue. It has been generously extended in these negotiations.

Preparedness with a purpose for the next 20 years is less a virtue, and may stand between us and the destruction of our nation. No sacrifice at this time is too great to make to preparedness. Those responsible for the conduct of our government are entitled to know that we the people are for security above sentiment—for the preservation of our national defense at all costs.

If world leadership has become our destiny, let us face it as the pioneers faced the building of the West. The qualities of the pioneer still run fresh in our blood. We now face a new phase of our history which calls for the best minds and strongest characters of our generation. Particularly do we need men who in addition to possessing the learning of the classroom and the competitive spirit of the athletic field, have been trained in the precepts of the Divine Savior. The men of Notre Dame are well qualified for the job.

CARDINAL TISSERANT ON CAMPUS

Eugene Cardinal Tissierant, secretary of the Congregation of Oriental Rites in the Catholic Church, was given an ovation by students and faculty of the University on May 8, following his address on the influence of the Vatican in promoting cultural relations between eastern and western Europe.

The world-famous scholar was introduced by Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president, who paid high tribute to the cardinal's scholarship, and to his patriotism in World War I during which he was decorated for bravery while serving as a French soldier.
BENGAL, India—Rev. John W. Kane, C.S.C., '24, Dacca, East Bengal, India (key man).
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