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UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION NUMBER
TO NOTRE DAME MEN EVERYWHERE:

The most encouraging feature of the new University of Notre Dame Foundation to me is that we do not have to sell it to Notre Dame alumni.

You already have a phase of the Foundation well established, in the Annual Alumni Fund.

Our problem, or better, perhaps, our project—since we know we will have your fullest cooperation—is to advance the Notre Dame Foundation through our alumni.

As I told you at the Alumni Banquet in June, I am not asking you to give, but to get.

We have been pleased and encouraged with the history of the Alumni Fund. Naturally, we anticipate that as our program clarifies and our needs are outlined we will continue to receive the increasing gifts from increasing numbers of alumni that already mark the progress of the Fund.

But in the scope and the urgency of our needs, our total alumni potential would be inadequate.

So we turn by nature and by logic to our friends. Happily, we believe that our friends are more numerous and more generous than our needs—substantial as those are.

The problem of the University, then, and one which we enlist your aid in solving, is simply to translate the needs of Notre Dame to the friends of Notre Dame. We know our needs. We do not know many of our friends. You know them. They live in every community in this country. They are, as you are, in all walks of life.

Like yourselves, some can give a little each year. Some may be able to give substantially each year. And some may be interested in the major projects in our immediate future.

We will not be excessive in our demands, nor are we asking you to embarrass yourselves. This is a long-range, persistent program of the “infiltration” of Notre Dame needs. Many of you may be asked to participate in the direct work of the Foundation Committees in the local area. And as you ride to work with your neighbor, as your office friends ask you about the prospects for the team, as friends inquire about ways of entering their sons, as your organizations emphasize the need for responsible leadership and higher education, all of you will find many, easy and local openings for outlining the program of Notre Dame as the Foundation, and the ALUMNUS will bring it to you.

Over the years, by accrual—of understanding of our needs, of individual gifts, and of number of gifts—we confidently look forward to sufficient return to permit Notre Dame to weave its pattern of progress; to develop the University we all want Notre Dame to be; to produce the Notre Dame that will always have, as it has now, a sound record of achievement, a high and unswerving purpose, a prestige which it shares with all who are numbered as its friends.

(sig) REV. JOHN J. CAVANAUGH, C.S.C.,
President and Director of the University of Notre Dame Foundation.
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University of Notre Dame Foundation Formed

A Report to the Alumni on the Historical Step Taken by the University on July 25-26, Through the Executive Committee of the Board of Governors; Father Cavanaugh is Foundation Head

by HARRY G. HOGAN, '04,

President of the Alumni Association and Chairman of the Board of Governors of the University of Notre Dame Foundation

The University of Notre Dame is sharing the same problems of progress faced by all of the major colleges and universities of this country. It is inevitable logic that the same appeals for the aid of friends and alumni which are emanating from these schools should ultimately have to come from Notre Dame.

The Alumni Fund was the prompt recognition by alumni that the appeal from Notre Dame was deserving. The success of the Fund is a basic factor in the new Foundation. First, it inspired the University to continue its plans for progress. And second, it provides the essential basis for extending the appeal beyond the alumni limits into the vast field of friends.

Alumni Fund Inspiration

The 1947 Fund, the Fifth Alumni Fund, is already 78% higher in number of contributors than the 1946 Fund, as of August 1, and the amount contributed is exceeding last year's total in the same calendar period by 59%. The announcement of the Foundation program at Commencement was followed by a strong upturn in subscriptions. Many early contributors are adding to the original in the face of the new expanded program. As a result, the University is imbued with the confidence to embark on the larger, coordinated program of the Foundation.

The Alumni Fund will continue to be the basic agency of the Foundation, which is in effect only the expansion of the Alumni Fund appeal into broader and deeper alumni channels, and beyond those channels into the friends of Notre Dame whose legions are found in every part of this country, and far beyond its borders.

Progress Satisfactory

The progress in the promotion of the plans announced for the program of service to The University of Our Lady at Commencement time has been so highly satisfactory as to be an inspiration to the administration of the University and to the leadership of your Association.

This significant venture revolves about a unanimity of thought and of action which must be spiritual in concept and practical in plan. Your individual and collective judgment must be reflected in this unanimity through which success is to be achieved.

FOUNDBATION COMMITTEE INCLUDES CLUB LEADER

By agreement of the University of Notre Dame Foundation staff committee, and the Organization Committee of the Board of Governors, the city committees that have been called variously "public relations" or "Notre Dame" or "city committees," will henceforth be officially designated as "The University of Notre Dame Foundation Committee of . . . ."

And the president of the Local Alumni Club will be an ex officio member of the local Foundation Committee during his term of office. This effects the close tie and reflects the keen interest between the Clubs and their presidents and the program of the Foundation.

The Foundation which we now offer has had the prayerful consideration of the Reverend Father Cavanaugh and his administrative staff, the Alumni Association Board Executives and several of the local members of the Board of Lay Trustees.

A Crusade for Greater Benefits to Notre Dame

It is the desire of all the elements of University interest represented in this new movement that there be a leisurely, long range, thoughtful and dignified permanent organization and effort, but that there be an immediate and increasingly keen perception of the needs of the University as viewed in the light of its opportunities for service. Consequently, all of the ordinary captions related to University campaigns have been obviated; this is not the "Development Program" of an Illinois Institute of Technology; not a "Fulfilment Fund" of a Loyola University; not a "Progress Plan for a Williams College; not an "Endowment Campaign" or a "Building Fund Campaign."

Rather, this is to be the orderly accrual to the University of Notre Dame of a broadening constituency interest through annual sustaining gifts which many alumni and friends now give; of funds to provide the physical facilities needed to carry out programs of study and research; and of further amounts to assure the highest quality of instruction in a competitive field generally lacking in the spiritual bases which are the very heart of Catholic higher education.

A New Respect for Notre Dame

It is our belief that the movement in which we are entering must bear an attraction beyond mere novelty or glamour and that it must be so designated as to command a new respect for the broad purposes of Notre Dame. It must be inclusive in its inception so that every worthwhile interest developed toward the University may find a proper repository. It must be so protective, in its nature as to insure the use of every
gift to the wishes of the donor when such gift has been approved by University administration. It must be so challenging in its inception as to bring new levels of sights in the giving of alumni and of friends to the quality education which prevails at Notre Dame.

It is our judgment that the best vehicle through which these objectives may be promoted and consummated is the establishment of "THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION." Broadly stated, the objectives of the FOUNDATION are "to further the opportunities of the University of Notre Dame in inculcating the concepts of morally responsible leadership through Catholic education" and "to help in achieving this objective through modernisation and expansion of physical plant; through greater concentration of pure and applied research; through creation of endowment and continuing sustaining income to assure the highest standards of instruction and Catholic educational environment."

The UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION is being administered through the constituted authorities of the University with Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., as director, and by the Board of Governors of which Harry G. Hogan, '04, is chairman, James E. Armstrong, '25, vice-chairman.

A General Plan of Operation
It has been determined by the University that this new program use the "ready-made" organization of the Alumni Association and its back-log of interest toward the University for program implementation. This decision has met with ready and willing response.

It is not conceived, however, that the Alumni Association, per se, be listed as the fountain-head of direction for the movement. Rather, the UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION is a distinct (and separate) structure through which the Alumni Association and the Public Relations Department—both working with the University—function, even though presently the inspiration, personnel and the general program comes largely from the Alumni Association.

Co-Ordinated Program
It is sensed that there has been an acute need at the University for a coordination of activities and information in the whole scheme of public relations. Consequently, it is agreed that the University, the Public Relations Department and the Alumni Association, together with various other elements on the campus such as special programs of giving to individual causes, be channelled through the FOUNDATION. This central channelling and this cooperation and coordination bring a unity of direction in activities which strengthens each of the component parts and does nothing to diminish the efficacy of any present activity. It is noted now that there was no central source of information which showed the financial support of any one individual to the University: The Alumni records and gifts to the Association were in one file; gifts to special funds in the last fifteen or twenty years were listed at another place; the gifts received through the Public Relations Department were separately controlled; subscriptions made directly to the Administration were in other files; and many gifts of equipment or "in kind" to various departments were not recorded except in later files or other permanent listings within the departments. Consequently, any approach to a prospect to build interest or financial support lacked those basic elements to definitely compliment him on whatever he might have done heretofore for the University. The new structure

CITY CHAIRMEN ARE ALREADY IN ACTION

With the announcement that B. J. Voll and E. M. Morris will head the Foundation Committee in South Bend; with Frank Walker as City Chairman in New York and Joseph M. Byrne in Newark; with Walter Stuhldreher organizing his committee functions in Indianapolis; with the activity of the Fort Wayne Foundation Committee under Thomas McKiernan a matter of record and accomplishment already; with Frank Howland heading the Foundation program in Memphis; with C. W. Bader heading the program in Gary; and with the Executive Committee Governors pledged to set up Foundation Committees in the immediate future, under City Chairman appointed by Father Cavanaugh, September will find Chicago, New York, Detroit, Cleveland, Dallas, Milwaukee, St. Louis, Portland, and most of the nation's major cities organized for the long-range survey and the permanent approach to the Foundation's program.

Of the UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION is developing central files of information to eliminate these inadequacies.

It is a clearing house through which the right hand will know constantly what the left hand is doing in all matters of public relations where the immediate or remote objective is the securing of financial support.

Local Clubs Vital Agents
In the general plan of operation the fine values of loyalty already existing in local groups of alumni throughout the country will be capitalized. While direction will come from a central source, the basic activity of the FOUNDATION will be on a local level. Consequently, it is planned that there be a University of Notre Dame Foundation Committee established as soon as possible in each of the important areas of alumni concentration with the local Club president as ex officio member during his term of office, and eventually that all strategic cities of the country will have these Local Committees to advance public relations at this community level. It is assumed that each Committee will be directed by a chairman selected for his interest, his abilities and his willingness to devote reasonable time to this appealing proposition. His selection will be made by the President of the University with the approval of the State Governor and after consultation with leadership and membership of the local Notre Dame Club.

It is expected that the chairman of the Local Committee for the FOUNDATION will surround himself with five or more able men and that this total committee then will have specific functions. Many of these functions will be in conjunction with the activities of the local Notre Dame Club and others will be beyond those ordinary activities.

Local Committees Outlined
It is believed that the general program of the Local Committee will;

1) plan for greater participation and higher averages of giving by Alumni to effect an increasing annual sustaining contribution to the FOUNDATION;

2) build up a prospect list of individuals and corporations outside alumni circles (Catholic and non-Catholic) and assist in their education to an interest in Notre Dame and to a basis of annual support;

3) make careful analysis of both the alumni and non-alumni lists with a view to determining certain special prospects for particular cultivation;

4) carry out this special cultivation by bringing the prospects to the campus or the campus to the prospects and by judicious continuous dissemination of proper and individualized information;

5) secure eventually those gifts of major amount which will bring to Notre Dame the resources to make it comparable with the other great educational institutions of the country in financial backing.

Basic Policies
Of course this is a long-range program. The techniques of maintaining interest in a project lacking the intensification of the usual single objective will be worked out by the FOUNDATION staff and through the suggestions of the local committees. Undoubtedly there will be peak periods of interest and of activity such as tax-deduction thinking at the year-end; Alumni giving in the early months; tie-in with and encouragement of Notre Dame Club activities in
season; announcement of unusual research achievements whenever they may occur; and other events of special moment on the campus or in the general field of higher education and the specific field of Catholic education.

In the total outline of the FOUNDATION activities there will be a listing of certain specific needs at the University so that attention may be directed to these needs. There will be no reason why individual and specific interest cannot be catered to even to the establishment of certain Trusts within the FOUNDATION itself.

No Sacrifice of Progress

It obviously is impossible to comprehend every detail of operation and every matter of policy at this stage of planning. For those of us who have accepted responsibility, there must be a certain faith that the total program has great merit and that its integration with all things that now are good upon the campus will eventuate. We must believe that there will be a strengthening of every constructive activity and department related to this total picture and that there will be no sacrifices of component interest which are vital to the University. We must look to the achievement of certain objectives within a relatively short time but always must keep our eyes trained to the Notre Dame of the future and to the building of an interest and a loyalty which transcend athletics or academics or material or physical features and rise to the heights of real spiritual dominance.

The total significance of this whole proposition is so challenging as to be almost overwhelming. Its effectuation will depend largely upon a spiritual determination that this whole movement is to be a purposeful and beneficial crusade for Notre Dame.

Professional Guidance

In a desire to inaugurate this program under the very best auspices and under the most favorable conditions, your leadership

FALL MEETING CALENDAR

September 18—Indiana Club Presidents and City Chairmen of Foundation Committees in Indiana.
September 19-20—First Meeting Staff Organization Committee, N.D. Foundation.
September 26-27—Board of Directors of the Alumni Association.
October 17-18—Organization Committee meeting, Board of Governors of the University of Notre Dame Foundation.
October 24-25—Finance Committee meeting, Board of Governors of the University of Notre Dame Foundation.
November 21-22—Second Annual Council of Presidents of Local Alumni Clubs.

has enlisted the American City Bureau in a campus counseling association with the movement in these early stages. You have evidence of their interest and understanding of our situation in that they have collaborated in presenting this outline to you.

The Bureau is favorably known to many of us through its many satisfactory associations in related activities. As you have learned, it has had wide experience in all fields and in all types of fund-raising work. It presently is affiliated with more than a dozen colleges and universities in their public relations programs.

It was the judgment of the University and of my associates who have given liberally of time and counsel that the American City Bureau be retained. Our objective must be the acquisition, development and training of a competent staff to work efficiently in campus headquarters and understandably in the field to enhance the prestige of the University.

We suggest that this investment in individual and cumulative experience is one which will be an insurance against mistakes which we ourselves might make in our zeal and will be the foundation for orderly progress over a long period of years in one of the most important projects ever to confront our University. The Bureau will be a campus counseling guide, and will not engage in field work in the Cities.

Specific and Immediate Operations

It is indicated that those of us charged with the responsibility of executive direction within the Board of State Governors proceed to the opportunity of establishing the

Local Committees of THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION.

The selection of a chairman for the Local Committee of THE UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION in New York or Chicago or any other city or town must be a studied and a deliberate one. This selection will be a major task and must be approached with the same thoughtful zeal as has characterized our every action to this time. The chairman must carry a deep conviction into his work of organization.

We hope that many of the chairmen may be selected and their Committees recruited within the next few weeks and certainly not later than the early months of the fall. By the time that these Committees have been built there should be information at hand to direct their activities in addition to that material already assembled.

At the moment, there is being compiled an Alumni Directory which will serve effectively as a work sheet. It is arranged geographically and alphabetically by cities and towns; further, it will reflect pertinent points to make it a valuable resource for the Committee. It should be available for distribution not later than early September. In addition to information in a preliminary manual there will be other facts as to previous sources of giving and, of course, local Notre Dame Clubs will have information at hand and activities in the making. The Clubs already have been alerted to the new program. Their related activities will be coordinated in policy and planning with the FOUNDATION Committee in a manner determined by each Club through its President as a Committee member.

It is the sincere desire of your chairman that the program may be properly inaugurated by the fall months when visitors crowd the campus and when national interest prevails in the affairs of Notre Dame.

We are fully conscious that interest in this total project can be maintained only through campus staff and proper field direction. To achieve this purpose, I am willing—and others similarly motivated—stand ready, to give the cause the necessary time and attention to advance its objectives. Of course we have within the Administration of the University and within our various departments the capable men willing and able to direct field activities and ready to cooperate in effectuating a headquarters staff to continue this broadened and permanent work.

Summary

The vision of service of the UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME to the cause of Christian leadership have been given to us by the Administration of the University of Our Lady and the challenge to make that vision a reality has found acceptance under the leadership of the Alumni Association.

We believe that objectives best can be achieved through the UNIVERSITY OF NOTRE DAME FOUNDATION.

It is our conviction that the total of all public relations in the University can be channeled to great degree through this one new structure and that the sum total of that unified appeal of the FOUNDATION will be greater and more persuasive than the separate appeals of its prior component parts.

We are convinced that the direction of the FOUNDATION must be at the University but that its activities must be on a local level through Local Committees to be appointed by the President of the University to work in harmony with local Notre Dame Clubs and other friendly factors.

It is our judgment that professional counsel is a very sound and a very necessary investment in this period of planning and organization and we have retained such counsel.

It is our hope that the alumni and the Alumni Clubs will be so imbued with the spirit of this movement as to be inspired to immediate action in the development of local FOUNDATION committees within their respective communities.

MEDIAEVAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Three scholarships for advanced study and research in the Mediaeval Institute of the University of Notre Dame during the 1947-48 scholastic year, have been announced by the Very Rev. Gerald B. Phelan, Director of the Institute.

The scholarships have been awarded to: Bernard Gentre du de Sarnia, Ontario, Canada; Sylvester Theisen of Cold Springs, Minn.; and Patrick McInnis of St. Peter's Bay, Prince Edward Island, Canada.

These scholarships will be awarded only to students who have received the equivalent of a Bachelor of Arts degree and who have had adequate university training in Latin, English, French or German, Philosophy and History.

Mr. Gentre de Sarnia is a graduate of College Bourget, Rigaud, Quebec, Canada, and has done three years of graduate work at the University of Montreal. Mr. Theisen is a graduate of St. John's University, Collegeville, Minn., while Mr. McInnis was graduated from St. Bustan's College, Charlotte-town, P.E.I., Canada.

IN MEMORIAM: TWO GIFTS

The University has received a check in the amount of $969,76 establishing the Joseph W. Whelan, '27, Student Loan Memorial Fund. The late Major Whelan, long a resident of Grantwood, N. J., died in May, 1945, at Mercy Hospital, Denver, Colo., after a long illness. He was 39.

Major Whelan became ill while serving with the Army in North Africa and was returned to this country about a year prior to his death. Commissioned a captain in the Judge Advocate General's Department, he entered service in September, 1942.

Shortly after initiation of the Whelan Memorial Fund, the University received a gift of $2,000 from the Frank R. Huisking Foundations, Inc., in memory of Frank, '37, from Huntington, L. I., N. Y. This gift is to be applied to the Economic Research Fund.

A.C.S. LUNCHEON

Frank J. Sowa of the Sowa Chemical Co., New York, has completed arrangements with the American Chemical Society for a Notre Dame group luncheon to be held on Wednesday, Sept. 10, 1947, during the A.C.S. convention in New York City.

Frank asks that the Notre Dame men attending the get-together pick up their tickets when they register.
Local Clubs and the New Foundation

By ROBERT T. HELLRUNG, '30
Vice-President of the Alumni Association

The development of the Notre Dame Foundation is proving a stimulus to a closer relationship between the local Alumni Clubs, the University and the entire Alumni Association.

Many Clubs have already set the stage for the establishment of the Foundation’s Notre Dame Committee in the Club city.

The Council of Local Alumni Clubs held in November, 1946, set up a rich pattern for Club programs. This was a meeting of local Club Presidents from all over the country. It encompassed the spiritual, the intellectual, the cultural, the social, the fraternal, and the financial.

One of the Committees approved for all Club organizations was the Committee on Publicity and Public Relations.

This Committee, already established in some of the Clubs, has become the first Committee operating under the new Foundation.

The Foundation itself is an outgrowth in part of the Local Club Council. The proposed services from the University to the Clubs emphasized the fact that Notre Dame is increasingly pressed to render to alumni and students the proper services that would not only train responsible leadership on the campus, but follow its establishment among alumni and refresh them with continuous contact.

For example, the detachment of priests from campus duties, to serve as visitors to the Clubs, to prepare reading lists, to preside at Club Retreats, Communion Breakfasts, etc., calls for more facilities, more manpower on the campus.

The return of alumni groups, class groups, and club groups for visits to the campus for retreats, as well as business or professional symposia, will necessitate such improvements as the proposed Union Building, increased dining facilities and the Memorial Chapel.

Constant contact and stimulus of publications from the campus embodying religious, intellectual and cultural material for alumni relies upon improved facilities for research, writing, printing, mailing, and polling—all activities that are demanding of plant and personnel.

Such recommendations for the Clubs as increased moving pictures of the various phases of campus life, faculty speakers and preparatory school visitations, make demands for increased release of manpower at the University and increased budget provision for these services.

Just as the Foundation will serve as a means to implement the Club programs faster than any implementation previously outlined, so the State Governor is an expec­tator, and the City Committee an accelerator, of the general Club program.

The first obvious need of the Foundation is to go beyond the Clubs, into the alumni in non-Club areas, and then beyond the alumni in all areas to non-alumni who are essential to the numbers and total amount implicit in the Foundation’s objectives.

In the enlistment of the type of non-alumnus who will be interested in Notre Dame and in Notre Dame’s program, the Local Club has already pioneered in enough places to prove the values. It is from this local circle of friends that there comes the increase of enrollment of sons whose fathers are friends of Notre Dame. Among these men, many of them leaders in business and industry, the Club Placement Committee finds ready employers of Notre Dame men.

They are the men whose names are usually prominent in the Club Scholarship activities.

The Foundation will increase the circle of friends of Notre Dame. It will stimulate alumni participation in the development of the University. As the University reflects from these combined groups the realization of its opportunities and the maintaining of its leadership, the local Clubs and all the members of the Alumni will enjoy a deep satisfaction and strongly reflected prestige.

The new Foundation program has brought an imminent promise of the University’s ability to give the Clubs richer contacts that will stimulate local Club programs.

And in turn there is no channel more readily adapted to the success of the Foundation’s program than the existing Clubs, particularly the programs of public relations already in effect in some of the Clubs.

The meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Association in September, and the meeting of the Second Annual Council of Local Alumni Clubs (the Club Presidents) in November, will clarify even more the advantages that lie in the integration of the Clubs and the Foundation.

The Public Relations expansion phase of the Foundation gives the Alumni Association and the Local Clubs a clear-cut program of pursuing the broad objectives in the spiritual, intellectual, cultural and fraternal fields as well as a real purpose for coordinating all activities.

PROFESSORS TO BIKINI

Two chemistry professors from Notre Dame, Dr. William H. Hamill, ’30, and Dr. Russell R. Williams, Jr., were appointed special consultants to the United States Navy in atomic research studies made this summer at Bikini atoll, site of the 1946 atomic bomb tests.

They were included in a small group of scientists who conducted a survey of conditions at Bikini for the Office of Naval Research, Washington, D. C. The scientific survey lasted six weeks, and was intended to determine conditions on the atoll one year after the bomb experiments.

Both Dr. Hamill and Dr. Williams were concerned in their investigations with the radio-chemical effects on the atmosphere, particularly radioactivity.

Dr. Hamill is a native of Oswego, N. Y., and received his Bachelor of Science degree from Notre Dame in 1930, and his M.A. in 1931. He received his doctor’s degree from Columbia University in 1936. He formerly taught at Fordham University in New York City, and has been a member of the faculty at Notre Dame since 1938.

Born in Orchard Park, N. Y., Dr. Williams was awarded his Bachelor of Arts degree by the University of Buffalo, Buffalo, N. Y., in 1941, and his doctorate by Stanford University, Palo Alto, Calif., in 1944. He was associated, with the atomic bomb project at Oak Ridge, Tenn., for two years, then joined the faculty at Notre Dame in August, 1946.

Two other Notre Dame scientists, Dr. Bernard Waldman, professor of Physics, and Dr. Milton Burton, professor of Chemistry, have acted as special United States observers in previous atomic bomb tests in the Pacific area. Dr. Waldman was one of four scientists who witnessed the bombing of Hiroshima in 1945, while Dr. Burton participated in the Bikini experiments last year.

HEARST FELLOWSHIPS

Names of recipients of the Hearst Graduate Fellowships in American History for the academic year 1947-48 were announced by Rev. Philip S. Moore, C.S.C., Dean of the Graduate School. These fellowships were founded in 1946 by the Hearst Foundation with a grant of $100,000 and are awarded to graduate students for work in American History.

**II. Board of Governors: Organization Committee**

(Harry G. Hogan, Chairman)

*These are the members of the Organization Committee of the University of Notre Dame Foundation. This committee will meet at Notre Dame the weekend of the Nebraska game, Oct. 17-18. (The ALUMNUS regrets that it was unable to secure in time for publication a picture of Robert Dick, Denver, Colo., a member of this committee.)*
III. Board of Governors: Finance Committee*

(Harry G. Hogan, Chairman)

E. BRADLEY BAILEY
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Shreveport, La.

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DANIEL J. WELCHONS
Hutchinson, Kans.

HENRY C. WURZER
Davenport, la.

* These are the members of the Finance Committee of the University of Notre Dame Foundation. This committee will meet at Notre Dame the weekend of the Iowa game, Oct. 24-25. (The ALUMNUS regrets that it was unable to secure in time for publication pictures of A. R. Hebenstreit, Albuquerque, N. M., and Dr. Richard C. Monahan, Butte, Mont., members of this committee.)
Foundation Advocates Home Meeting

Experiences in Fort Wayne and Elsewhere Indicate Advantages in Family Spirit of Notre Dame Alumni and Friends as Fostered in Homes

(Ed. Note: One of the early trends in the Foundation is the family spirit that prevails between Notre Dame, its alumni, and its friends. This is most in evidence in the association of friends in home environment. The letter from Father Cavanaugh to Harry Hogan which follows is so much more than just a note of thanks that we reprint it as part of a guide to procedure for Governors and City Chairman.

As a matter of fact, a City Committeeman has already passed along the observation that when he broached the subject of giving to Notre Dame to a good prospect in his office, he was met with the reserve and the inherent refusal that is common to men whose desks are crossed daily by various appeals of varying merit. “The next time,” he added in his report, “I’ll talk to him in my home or in his.”

In almost every community there are alumni and friends who could foster the contacts of the Foundation program substantially by the donation of the facilities of their homes, their yards, their farms, their clubs. This is an important point for all involved to keep in mind.

Office of the President
Notre Dame, Indiana
July 3, 1947

Mr. Harry G. Hogan
Office of the President
Dime Trust and Savings Bank
Fort Wayne 2, Indiana

DEAR HARRY:

The meeting on Monday evening in your home was to me both revealing and pleasant.

You and I have discussed the new program in much detail in recent months, and I have been impressed from the outset by your theories, as you know. I felt that the University had much to gain, and that our alumni enthusiasm under your leadership would respond generously to the effort.

But the meeting in your home with the Fort Wayne City Committee proved beyond doubt that the program can be readily translated into the minds of the men in whose hands the plan will essentially rest.

Mr. Berghoff’s contribution to the field of thinking along the lines of bequests was as sound and refreshing as was his friendship for Notre Dame. Mr. Nill reflected the same generous interest, both of them proving your point that Notre Dame’s friends are many outside our immediate alumni.

The ready adaptation of Tom McKiernan and Donnelly McDonald, both alumni of long-standing loyalty and activity, was just as encouraging although not unexpected.

I feel that Fort Wayne, in spite of your position and ability, is not a unique city in the field we are entering. South Bend, for example, with leadership like that of Mr. Voll and Mr. Morris (who were very much impressed by the Fort Wayne picture) will hold its place as the first and most liberal community friend of Notre Dame.

One thing which impressed me and which I hope will be frequent as we make contacts across the country was the atmosphere provided by your home. I felt that it mellowed the contacts of the various men present. It emphasized the fellowship of Notre Dame. And it took away from the project any of the commercial element of drive or campaign meeting that too often prevails in hotel or auditorium environments. We certainly don’t want to impose on alumni or their wives, but wherever convenient I know that the Governors and the City Chairman will find the small group meeting greatly enhanced by the home background.

Let me thank you again for the stimulating “Exhibit A” in the possibilities of the extension of our Public Relations work through the Alumni Association and its community committees.

Yours sincerely,

(Rev.) John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C.

REILLY FELLOWSHIPS

Names of recipients of the Peter C. Reilly Fellowships in Chemistry and Chemical Engineering for the coming academic year were announced by Rev. Philip S. Moore, C.S.C., Dean of the Graduate School. These fellowships were founded in 1945 by Peter C. Reilly, of Indianapolis, with part of the income from a $1,000,000 benefaction. They are open to students in chemistry and carry a stipend of $1,000 for the academic year.

The fellowships will go this year to:


A meeting in the Fort Wayne home of Harry G. Hogan was attended by (seated, left to right) B. J. Voll, E. M. Morris, Father John Cavanaugh, Mr. Hogan and by (standing) Father Robert H. Sweeney and J. E. Armstrong.
In Memory of Father Hugh O'Donnell

When Father Hugh O'Donnell died on June 12, letters and telegrams by the hundred came to the University from all parts of the country. Expressing sympathy, these messages also indicate vividly the high esteem and warm affection in which the wartime president of Notre Dame was held. They accord due recognition to the accomplishments of a man who gave practically all his adult days to the service of Notre Dame.

"(Father O'Donnell)" . . . A pious priest, an eloquent orator, a distinguished administrator, and a great moral force have been taken from us, but his influence for good survives in the hearts of men whose minds and hearts he touched with his fire." "CHICAGO TRIBUNE," (editorial)

"The university marches ahead on a blue print of progress in which Father O'Donnell's handiwork is unmistakable. He becomes a part of a tradition in which many voices may be recalled, none of them more distinct than his." FT. WAYNE NEWS-SENTINEL, "(editorial)

". . . I offer Notre Dame my condolences in the death of one of its great Presidents, Father Hugh O'Donnell. I know that you will be kind enough to convey an expression of my sorrow to the relatives of Father O'Donnell and to say that I shall offer Mass for the repose of his great soul." FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN

"The spirit of sadness which must envelop Our Lady's University today, finds its echo on our own campus where good Father O'Donnell had so many friends and admirers. Yet, if this is a time of sorrow, it is also a time of triumph, for one who bore a heavy cross so nobly and so uncomplainingly must certainly deserve the victor's crown." SISTER MARY GERVsed, Mother General, Sisters of St. Dominic, Adrian, Mich.

"We are grieving in the passing of Father Hugh O'Donnell and desire to add our deep sympathy and love for his family and associates at Notre Dame with assurance that Father Hugh's life and devotion to his ideals will always be for us an inspiration." NOTRE DAME CLUB OF NORTHERN LOUISIANA (ARTHUR R. CARMODY)

"Please accept my deepest sympathy in the loss of our beloved Father Hugh. I would also like to express my sympathy of the class of 1923. I am sure the members individually will offer their prayers and masses for him. He certainly will go to his reward. I'm sorry I will not be able to attend the funeral." JOHN P. HURLEY Class Secretary

"The Notre Dame Club of Wabash Valley joins the University in expressing our bereavement upon the death of Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell." D. EMMETT FERGUSON, President KENNETH F. LAWS, M.D., Secretary

"Wire received we were very sorry to learn of Father O'Donnell's death. Notre Dame and the Congregation of Holy Cross have lost a most honored member of their community." C. ROY McCANNA

"We are deeply grieved to learn of the death of Father O'Donnell, a great priest, a leading educator, a loyal friend of Knights of Columbus and an outstanding American. May God receive his soul into paradise is the fervent prayer of 700,000 members of our order who have admired his sterling qualities. Supreme Council will be represented at the funeral." JOHN E. SWIFT, Supreme Knight.

"On behalf of the entire state of Indiana, I wish to express deep and profound regrets at the untimely loss of one of the outstanding educators and citizens of this state. His record as a leader at Notre Dame is paralleled only by the outstanding record of the institution which he guided during the trying years of this last world conflict. Notre Dame the Holy Cross Congregation and we of the state of Indiana all feel the passing of Father Hugh O'Donnell with great sorrow." RALPH F. GATES, Governor of Indiana

"To you and Notre Dame my deepest sympathy. Now striving for accommodations to attend funeral Monday. Affectionate regards." BISHOP GEORGE L. LEECH

"Deeply grieved to hear of Father O'Donnell's death. Notre Dame has lost a fine mind and great figure in progress. We of the Chicago Club mourn with the University the loss of a truly good and
cherished friend. A special committee will represent the Chicago alumni at the funeral.

THOMAS S. McCABE, President

"For the loss of Father O'Donnell my sincerest sympathy to yourself and the University and the Congregation of Holy Cross. I will attend the funeral as a representative of the Indiana members of the delegation to the United States Congress. Governor Gates will accompany me.

HOMER E. CAPEHART,
U. S. Senator

"A great figure in Notre Dame history has left us. His work as president of the University during the trying war years will be a lasting memorial to him." BYRON V. KANALEY

"Have learned the death of Father O'Donnell. Sincere regret of president and faculty of St. Mary's College." BROTHER AUSTIN, President

"My deepest sympathy to you and all the priests of Holy Cross in the loss of our beloved Father O'Donnell. I have been designated by Supreme Knight Swift to represent the Supreme Council Knights of Columbus at the funeral and will be present in that capacity as well as on my own behalf." TIMOTHY P. GALVIN

"Education and mankind have suffered irreparable losses in the death of Father O'Donnell. I extend the sympathy of Indiana University, its trustees and faculties." H. B. WELLS, President

"Wish to extend our deepest and sincerest sympathy in Father O'Donnell's loss. Will be greatly felt by all who knew him." Denver Club of Notre Dame (PAUL SANTO)

"We join with every Notre Dame man our sincere heartfelt sympathy the passing of a great and beloved character, Father O'Donnell. Our prayers will be said for the repose of his soul and the success of his teachings to live on wherever his men may be." GEORGE MEINKOVICH, President, N. D. Club of N. J.

"The priests of our diocese informed of Father Hugh's death at end of retreat. All join me in extending sincerest sympathy to you and your congregation. I will offer Mass for his soul and attend the funeral." BISHOP ALBERS (Lansing)

"Accept my profound sympathy in the death of our most beloved Father Hugh O'Donnell. His life was a great blessing to our country and to the Church and he will be well remembered by the beloved sons of Notre Dame. I regret that due to the clergy retreat it will be impossible for me to assist at the requiem. I send the assurance of my prayers and a Holy Mass for the repose of the soul of Father Hugh." BISHOP READY (Columbus, O.)

"The students, faculty and alumni of Bradley University extend their deep sympathy to you and Notre Dame University on the death of the Rev. J. Hugh O'Donnell. We mourn with you and with the rest of the country the loss of a great educational and religious leader." DAVID B. OWEN, President

"Notre Dame club of Phoenix, Ariz., wishes to join with the numerous other clubs throughout the world in an expression of sympathy for the family of Father O'Donnell and in acknowledgment of the magnificent work which he has accomplished in his lifetime. His name is revered among the legions of Notre Dame men and we sympathize with the Congregation of Holy Cross in the loss of one of its most able members. We join with you and your colleagues and the students of Notre Dame in mourning the loss of a distinguished man." ROBERT D. KENDALL, Secretary

"Just learned with great sorrow of death of good Father Hugh O'Donnell for whose happy repose I shall offer Mass. Please convey expression of my sympathy to the Fathers of Notre Dame University, to religious of your province and to the members of his family." ARCHBISHOP CICOGNANI, Apostolic Delegate

"The president and faculty of the college of St. Thomas extend sincere sympathy on the death of Father O'Donnell. The president will say Mass on Monday for him in presence of Twin City Notre Dame alumni." (REV.) VINCENT J. FLYNN, President

"Sympathy and prayers of the Sisters of St. Joseph of Nazareth to a great community in its great loss." MOTHER M. COLETTE, (Kalamazoo, Mich.)

"Deeply grieved to hear of the death of Father Hugh O'Donnell and regret cannot attend funeral owing to priest's retreat. The University has lost one of its leading figures who made an enviable
record as president during difficult times. I shall say Mass for him Monday morning.

ARCHBISHOP JOSEPH E. RITTER (St. Louis)

"In heartfelt sympathy I join you, the members of the University faculty and the community, the alumni and friends of Notre Dame in mourning the loss of a great hearted priest, an inspiring educator and a devoted friend. I said Mass for him this morning. I deeply regret that circumstances make it impossible for me to attend the funeral of Father Hugh."

EDWARD CARDINAL MOONEY

"The members of the University of Notre Dame Club of Milwaukee wish to express to you, the congregation and the University our sorrow at the passing from this life of our friend and counsellor, Father Hugh O'Donnell. He will be remembered in the Mass the Club's Chaplain will celebrate and in the prayers of all of us."

THOMAS E. DIXON, President

"We have lost a great, good priest whose priestliness was resplendent in all his activities. Shall remember him with Holy Mass. Very sorry but I shall not be able to be at the funeral."

SAMUEL CARDINAL STRITCH

"My sincere sympathy to the entire community. Shall offer the Holy Sacrifice for Father Hugh tomorrow."

BISHOP MURPHY (Saginaw)

"Grieved to hear of the death of my good friend Father Hugh O'Donnell. The Church has lost a fine priest and educator. The country an outstanding loyal citizen. Those who knew him a loyal friend. The world is a better place because Father Hugh O'Donnell lived in it. God have mercy on his soul. Will say Mass for him Monday."

BISHOP TOOLEN (Mobile, Ala.)

Father O'Donnell says goodbye to Notre Dame men leaving for war service

"Please accept my heartfelt sympathy on the occasion of the death of Father Hugh O'Donnell. Father O'Donnell bequeaths to Notre Dame the precious memory of a cultured gentleman and able administrator who was always a zealous priest. As the place of his origin the diocese of Grand Rapids joins with the Congregation of Holy Cross in voicing its sentiments of great loss. I regret that because of another funeral at the same time I shall not be able to attend the solemn rites for Father O'Donnell. The Vicar General and the Chancellor of Grand Rapids will represent the diocese. I shall offer the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass for his eternal reposo."

FRANCIS J. HAAS,
BISHOP OF GRAND RAPIDS

"On behalf of Catholic University I extend sincere sympathy to University of Notre Dame and Holy Cross Fathers on loss of Father Hugh O'Donnell, and assurance of prayers that he will be richly rewarded for his great and untiring service to Catholic education."

MSGR. PATRICK J. MccORMICK, Rector.

"The Sisters of Mundelein College extend deep sympathy in the loss of your beloved Father O'Donnell and offer prayers for the reposo of his soul."

SISTER MARY JOSEPHINE (Chicago)

"Great sorrow over sad news of Father O'Donnell's death. Am confident he has gone to claim a well earned reward for labors well done. He will be remembered in my prayers."

JOHN P. MURPHY

"News about my beloved friend, Father O'Donnell, truly saddens me but out of it comes profound belief that he is now enjoying his just reward. Please convey to his family my condolences."

GEORGE W. STRAKE

"I am profoundly grieved by the passing of Father O'Donnell. It was known of course he was to be taken from us but nevertheless I was hoping the unexpected would happen and that he would be spared us. His display of faith and resignation to his fate... is a demonstration of faith that will live many many years on the Notre Dame campus."

P. C. REILLY

"Shocked and grieved I join in extending my heartfelt sympathy to you and all the confreres of Notre Dame's beloved apostle, Father O'Donnell. . . . God rest his sterling soul in his everlasting arms."

JOSEPH SCOTT

"On behalf of the national officers and directors of the Outdoor Advertising Association of America, Inc., and personally I wish to convey to you and your associates our heartfelt sympathy in the loss of the Reverend J. Hugh O'Donnell, past president of the University who was greatly admired by all of us, and to whom we owed a deep measure of appreciation and gratitude for his encouragement and assistance in establishing our foundation at Notre Dame."

H. E. FISK, Exec. Vice-President

"Sad as I am I can only thank God that Father O'Donnell has been spared further physical suffer-
The tragic recording of Notre Dame's war dead. Father O'Donnell with

ing. Spiritually I am sure that he was ready. May
God bless him." GEORGE E. SOKOLSKY

"To the community and family of Father O'Don­
nell sincerest condolences." ALBERT F. ZAHN.

"Mrs. Carpen|er joins me in very deepest sym­
pathy at the loss of our beloved Father O'Donnell." ARTHUR S. CARPENDER, Admiral, U.S. Navy

"On behalf of the board of the trustees of the
Nutrition Foundation we extend our sincerest symp­
pathy in the death of Father O'Donnell, a most
valued and highly esteemed member of our board.
GEORGE A. SLOAN, President

"All of us, at the National Broadcasting Company
are distressed at the news about Father ODon­
nell. He was a great friend and a true Christian and he
will be missed by all of us who admired him so
greatly!" NILES TRAMMELL

"In expressing my deepest sympathy to you in the
death of Father O'Donnell I want you to know that
the whole Navy shares the same feeling that we have lost a great friend." JAMES FORRESTAL, Secretary of Navy

"The Notre Dame Club of Memphis extends
depth sympathy to the University in the loss of
one of her great sons." T. J. FOLEY, JR.,
President

"Heartfelt sympathy to Notre Dame on its great
loss. May Father Hugh's noble soul rest in peace
eternal." RICHARD REID

"The Notre Dame Club of Washington extends
its sympathy to the University in its great loss.
Father O'Donnell was a true man of God and a
great leader of men." DANIEL C. CULHANE, President

"The Sisters of Mercy of province of Detroit
sense the loss of a brilliant educator in Father
Hugh O'Donnell. Sympathy is offered with the
tribute of their prayers for the repose of the great
soul who has gone to its reward." MOTHER PROVINCIAL AND COUNCILORS

"The Notre Dame Club of Detroit wishes to ex­
press its deepest sympathy to the faculty, the stu­
dents and to the alumni throughout the world in
the passing of its great son, student, athlete, priest
and friend, Father Hugh O'Donnell." JOSEPH A. BACH, President

"The Notre Dame Club of Grand Rapids and
Western Michigan tender their sincere and heart-felt
sympathy on the loss of Father O'Donnell, our honorary
president, fellow townsman and be­
ed friend. We join our prayers with yours, the
Congregation of Holy Cross, the student body and
the alumni for the repose of his soul." JOSEPH F. DEEB, President

"The members of the Fort Wayne Notre Dame
Club express their deep regret upon receiving news
of Father O'Donnell's death. He will be remem­
bered with deep affection by those of us who knew
him well. We share your grief in this great loss
to the University." BERNARD KEARNS, President

"My deep sympathy and that of all the Dominican
Fathers at Providence College on the passing of a
great and noble educator and priest of God. We
at Providence College will remember the soul of
Father O'Donnell in our prayers and Masses." (REV.) ROBERT J. SLAVIN, President

"The Notre Dame Club of Los Angeles extends
sincere expressions of sympathy over your loss in the
passing of Father O'Donnell, an outstanding priest,
leader and friend. Masses are being offered for the
repose of his soul." TOM ASHE, President

"The Notre Dame Club of New Orleans extends
its deepest sympathy to the University and the
alumni in the loss of Father O'Donnell who per­
sonified the tradition and spirit of Notre Dame." JULES K. de LAVERGNE, President

"Shocked at word of Father O'Donnell's death.
He was a great priest. Sympathy to you and all at
Notre Dame." BISHOP IRETON (Richmond, Va.)

"On behalf of the Notre Dame Club of Western
Pennsylvania may I extend through you to the
family of Father O'Donnell, the Community and the
sincere sympathy of our group on the untimely death of Father O'Donnell." LAWRENCE J. O'TOOLE, President

"Accept our sincere condolence on the death of
Father O'Donnell, outstanding educator and truly
great priest." (REV.) THOMAS F. FLYNN, C.M.,
Acting President, St. Johns University, Brooklyn

"Prayerful sympathy on the occasion of the
death of Father Hugh O'Donnell." ADMINISTRATION FACULTY AND STUDENT
BODY, DUNBARTON COLLEGE

"Deeply regret my inability to be present at the
funeral of my dear friend and fellow student.
Father Hugh was really a man, a great Notre
Dame man, and did a wonderful job. Please extend
my sympathy to his family." JOE BYRNE

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STATEMENT OF FATHER JOHN CAVANAUGH

Father O'Donnell died nobly as he lived. He sensed, an hour or so in advance, the
approach of death, called in his brother priests and spent his last moments on earth mentally
repeating the prayers provided for the dying by his Congregation and his Church. Four
months before, he had taken from his Provincial word of his incurable disease with complete
resignation; in fact, his first action after hearing that he had cancer of the pancreas was to
went to go with Father Steiner and Father Walsh to the Infirmary Chapel and there, at the Com­
munion rail, to make an act of humble and complete resignation.

The disruption in his plans, which, at fifty-two, included immediately a trip to South
America and Europe, the suffering and nausea that he endured, he bore gladly. His own
reaction to these miseries he expressed in these words: "If I who have preached for thirty
years resignation to God's Will should now falter, what a piker I would be!" Father
O'Donnell suffered and died nobly.

He lived nobly. He was a model of temperance in his use of this world's comforts. He
was unfailingly charitable in his speech and in his dealings with others. He conceived at
Ordination the highest ideal of the priesthood and strove prayerfully every minute of his
life to live up to that ideal. Sometimes he may have given the impression of attempting to
be a "grand" character; he succeeded notably in being a grand character—an alter Christus,
another Christ.

As President of the University for six and one-half most difficult years—in anticipation
of war, while the war went on, and in the first stages of the post-war readjustment—he
distinguished himself by manifesting excellent judgment, foresight, and unusual administrative
tact and ability. His high rank among the presidents of the University can not be questioned. I
shall always remember him, however, after six and one-half intimate and pleasant years,
as one of the most exemplary priests and dearest friends with whom a human being could
be associated. The universal sorrow, when Father O'Donnell died, among the faculty, stu­
dents, alumni, and friends of Notre Dame was proof that his rapid priestly career had not
been underestimated. Anyone who knew him realizes that through seeking first the King­
edom of God, he not only lived nobly and won acclaim in this world, but bought an imperishable
mansion for the eternity he has so lately entered, and which he shall so long enjoy.
Letter from Voss, Norway

By ARTHUR L. DENCHFELD, JR., '28

This is the "letter from Voss" that I promised you in my postcard from Oslo. We arrived yesterday at nineteen o'clock (or seven o'clock by a South Bend watch!) and took the lovely room reserved for us at Fleisher's Hotel. From our hotel veranda we can look across beautiful Vangsvann Lake to the backdrop of snow-capped mountains, one of them, Grasida, being some 1,300 meters high. The township proper of Voss only contains some 3,500 hard-working souls, while another few thousand populate the nearby valleys and outlying district. We looked up Johannes Rokne, whose father, George, now deceased, was Knute Rockne's brother. Johannes, who speaks fluent English—as do many Norwegians—told us of the hardships during the five years when the people of Norway, as in other occupied countries, were held as virtual prisoners for some five years.

The people of Voss were prepared for no great resistance in April 1, 1940; although they knew that the Germans were capable of occupying their land, they didn't for a moment suppose that they were to be subjected to bombing and strafing. On April 23, 24, and 25, 1940, the German planes flew over the center of Voss and bombed practically all the central part of the town, sparing only the old town church built in 1270. The reason, as given later by a German Luftwaffe officer to Johannes Rokne, was that the Germans were informed that some 20,000 Norwegian troops were quartered in Voss, which information was erroneous. Only nine of the villagers were killed during the three day's bombing due, fortunately, to signals given by a siren alarm. Johannes put his wife and all he could grab in his old Ford and headed for the mountain roadways nearby, where he witnessed his town being blown up by incendiary bombs. The house of George Rokne, on the present site of Johannes' hardware business, was also blown up and that is the house where Knute Rockne was born.

I told Johannes Rokne, who has been to the U.S.A. and left there in 1935, of the Rockne Memorial Gymnasium at the University, and he knew nothing of this new building on our campus. I told him that you would send him some photographs of the campus and of the Rockne Memorial Gym in exchange for which he will try to send you some photos of the house where Rockne was born, taken before the bombing. Old photos and pictures are hard to find because the photographer's shop, as also the family albums of all the villagers, were burned in the bombing. The Germans thought at first that the Allied invasion would take place in Norway and, consequently, had many fortifications built all along the coast. Near Voss the Germans built an air strip and planted two wooden decoy planes thereon so the British would waste their bombs. This airstrip cost the Norwegians some seven million kronor (350,000 dollars at present rates).

Johannes is the nearest kin of Knute Rockne in Norway, since Rock's parents and family all settled in or around Chicago. One of the sisters, the youngest is still working in the Byllesby Engineering Company, in the Illinois Trust & Savings Bank Bldg., at LaSalle and Jackson, Chicago, while the other two sisters are married. Johannes has three brothers, Berger, Olav, and Knute, all living.

Johannes says that Rockne put a "c" before the "k" so that the proper pronunciation of the name might be conserved. He added a "c" also when he visited the U.S.A. before he visited the United States, as are all his brothers, and his father, George, before him.

Across the beautiful Lake Vangsvann, high up in the hills, is Knute Rockne's father's farm. Knute Rockne's father was also named Knute. Johannes is going to take us up to this hillside farm in a few minutes, just before we catch the train for Bergen. I promised you a letter from Voss, and here it is. Johannes wants me to say "hello" to you and all the Notre Dame men everywhere; maybe he'll visit the U.S.A. again sometime in the future.

Kindest regards,
A. Denchfield
Football Tickets, 1947 Style

Three Games Sellouts in Early August; Demand Strong for Others

As this is written (on Aug. 21), three Notre Dame football games are sellouts: Army (as though you didn't know), Navy and Northwestern. The sale for other games has been strong and it's probable that additional sellouts will be announced before this issue of the ALUMNUS reaches its readers.

Judging from correspondence in the Alumni Office and in the Ticket Office, the regulations covering football ticket preference in 1947 have, in general, been well understood. And the cooperation of alumni has been admirable. First printed in the February, 1947, ALUMNUS, these regulations were repeated in the April ALUMNUS, and then in May each member of the Alumni Association was mailed a copy of them.

To sum up briefly: (1) Alumni in good standing (apparently an unpopular way of saying contributors to the Fifth Fund) as of June 15 were eligible for ticket preference; (2) alumni preference blanks for all games were mailed late in June only to alumni in good standing as of June 15; (3) the alumni preference sale opened on July 1 and closed on July 25; (4) late in July a general public sale opened on July 1 and closed on July 15; (5) those who had by June 15 contributed to the Fifth Annual Fund in keeping with the regulations as published. (Religious, and Honorary degree holders are automatically in good standing according to the constitution of the Alumni Association.) There is no other meaning, intended or implied, in the term.

We appreciate the fact that for substantial reasons some alumni did not or could not contribute to the Fund by June 15. Others "just forgot." All of these are still good Notre Dame alumni. Please understand that. It's just that, in offering ticket preference to alumni, a great many colleges don't attempt it, it's necessary to utilize some yardstick of measurement, some mechanics by means of which the limited number of preferred tickets can be allotted equitably. The plan we have is the best one we can think of under the conditions as they exist. Suggestions from alumni for practical improvement would be sincerely welcomed.

Thanks for your cooperation all around. We'll be seeing you this fall.

APPLICATIONS FOR 1946

Applications for enrollment at Notre Dame in September, 1948, are now being received according to an announcement of Rev. Louis J. Thornton, C.S.C., registrar. Those interested in entering the University at that time can procure the necessary bulletins and application forms by writing to Father Thornton. Early action is advised.

No beginning students will be accepted for the semester starting in February, 1948, Father Thornton said. He explained that the capacity enrollment in September, 1947, strains all the facilities of the University to the utmost, makes necessary this ruling.

VAN WALLACE TO LOURDES

Making his long-awaited pilgrimage to Lourdes in France, David Van Wallace, '27, Mt. Clemens, Mich., was to sail from New York City on Aug. 27 accompanied by his mother and his cousin. Aboard the ship with him was his new, specially-equipped station wagon presented to him on Aug. 8 through the efforts of the Notre Dame Club of Detroit to replace the travel-worn car given by the club which Van had used for years.

Enroute to New York, Van, who has been paralyzed since a diving accident in 1924, stopped for a short time in Buffalo, N. Y., and overnight in Rochester and Albany. In each place, and in New York City, where he spent several days, he was welcomed by members of the local Notre Dame club.

With the assistance of funds raised by the Detroit Club and the University of Detroit High School alumni, Van was about to sail for Lourdes when World War II broke out. The money originally raised for the trip was retained in a trust fund and is being used now.

For God, Country, Notre Dame in Glory Everlasting

The Alumni Office has just learned that ROBERT E. FOX, ex '44, Chicago, was killed in a plane crash on May 28, 1945, near Hutchinson, Kans. Twelve other officers were also killed when two Liberator bombers collided in mid-air. Bob was one of the pilots.

Bob, who was a student at Notre Dame from September, 1940 to February, 1941, is survived by his mother, two sisters and a brother.

AAF UNIT ESTABLISHED

An Army Air Forces Reserve Officers Training Corps unit is being established at the University it was announced recently by the Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president.

Father Cavanaugh revealed that Notre Dame officials had accepted an offer by AAF Headquarters to set up an Air ROTC at the University to train Air Corps administrative reserve officers. Notre Dame has had a Naval ROTC since 1941.

Two crack Army fliers, Lt. Col. Leonard W. Palmer, Gwinn, Mich., and Major Arthur Small, Durant, Okla., and an AAF administrative officer, Capt. Thomas J. Hardy, Logansport, Ind., have been assigned to Notre Dame and are currently organizing the ROTC unit so that it will be ready to enroll qualified students when the University opens in September. The three officers will be assisted by four non-commissioned officers who have been transferred to Notre Dame from other Air ROTC units.

The student quota for the Notre Dame Air ROTC has not yet been established, but indications are that it will start with around 100 students in the Basic Course. In addition, World-War II veterans with at least two years left in the University will be eligible to enroll in the Advanced Course. Graduates of the Advanced Course will be commissioned as second lieutenants in the Air Corps Reserve, and may apply for extended active duty.

No pilot training will be given. The entire ROTC course will consist of an average of four hours per week during the scholastic year for four years. Standard ROTC instruction will be given in the Basic Course, which will last two years. The first year of the Advanced Course will consist of general instruction in communications, navigation, aircraft maintenance, administration, personnel management, armament and other subjects. During the second year specialized instruction will be given in one of the above.

More than one-third of the 10,000 Notre Dame alumni and students who served in the United States Armed Forces in World War II were in the Air Forces.

The money originally raised for the trip was retained in a trust fund and is being used now.
Graduation Climaxes Summer on Campus

Catholic Action Sessions and Liturgical Program Are Features of First Postwar Summer School Attended by 1,743; History Symposium Is Conducted and Flight Demonstration Program Initiated.

Over two hundred received degrees at graduation exercises in Washington Hall on Aug. 12, marking the formal end of Notre Dame's first postwar summer session. The graduates heard Rev. John H. Murphy, vice-president of the University, as commencement speaker.

The total enrollment of the term was 1,743. Of these 1,250 were undergraduates and 493 graduate students. Sisters, representing more than 25 religious communities, comprised nearly one-fourth of the enrollment.

A former Chicago attorney who later became a professed Sister, had the distinction of being the only Sister appointed to teach during the summer school at the University of Notre Dame. She was Sister Mary Joseph, B.V.M., '32. She taught a course in Social Problems.

Study Catholic Action:

Students attending the summer session were given an opportunity to extend their understanding of the nature, purposes and means of specialized Catholic Action at a weekend program of Catholic Action study held on the campus July 12 and 13.

Rev. Bernard Mullany, C.S.C., Catholic Action chaplain at St. Mary's College, opened the two-day program with a talk on "Catholic Action: the Twentieth Century Apostle." Rev. Raymond Cour, C.S.C., also a Catholic Action chaplain at St. Mary's, spoke on the "Apostolate of Like by Like."

The July 12 sessions also featured a Catholic Action Workshop in various groups. Discussion in the Young Christian Workers section was led by James Cunningham, '44, publicity director of the Young Christian Workers in South Bend, and Miss Catherine O'Connor, leader of Young Christian Workers in South Bend. The Young Christian Workers were divided into two groups, the college section being led by Robert Reynolds of Notre Dame, Miss Mary Kain of St. Mary's and Miss Patricia Olliver of Mary Manse College, Toledo, O. The high school group was led by George McDonnell, of Loyola University, Chicago.


The University was host on Aug 4-8 to the fifth annual Catholic Action Study Week for priests. The week featured lectures by such world-renowned Catholic Actionists as Patrick Keegan, England's national YCW president. Mr. Keegan led a discussion on "The Personal Apostolate."


Specialized forms of Catholic Action were spotlighted when discussion centered around the Young Christian Workers, the Young Christian Students, and the Young Christian Farmers. The latter's role was reviewed by Msgr. Luigi Ligutti, director of the National Rural Life Conference.

Rev. William Ferree, S.M., of Dayton, O., discussed "The Institutional Apostolate." and Rev. Raban Hathom, O.S.B., of St. Meinrad's Abbey, St. Meinrad's Ind., told of "The Liturgy and Catholic Action." Arrangements for the study week were handled by Father Putz of the Notre Dame faculty.

A history symposium, sponsored by the Teacher's History Club of the University, was conducted on the campus, July 11 and 12. The symposium acted as a reorganization meeting of the club whose operations were suspended during the war. The Teacher's History Club is composed primarily of present and past students of the Department of History at Notre Dame and their friends who are engaged in the teaching of history in high schools.

New Liturgical Program

As the summer session came to a close the success of the new liturgical program under the direction of Rev. Michael A. Mathis, C.S.C., became more apparent. Dom Thomas Aquinas Michel, O.S.B., of St. Paul's Priory, Keyport, N. J., delivered a series of lectures on the History of the Sacred Liturgy according to the Latin Rite from Christian antiquity up to and including the modern liturgical movement. Seven other series of lectures were given by lecturers of national importance: Dom Godfrey Dickman, O.S.B.; Dr. Willis D. Nutting, of Notre Dame; Rev. H. A. Reinhold; Very Rev. Msgr. R. Hiltenbrand; Rev. Bernard Lunkemper; Dom Bede Scholz, O.S.B.; Dom Damanus Winzen, O.S.B., and the Rev. Gerald Ellard, S.J.

Another unique program instituted during the summer session is the engineering flight demonstration program which is designed to supplement theoretical principles of aerodynamics and airplane dynamics taught in the classroom with actual flying experience.

The program, believed to be the only one of its kind in colleges and universities in the United States, is designed to provide each of the advanced aeronautical engineering students enrolled in the course with eight hours of flight demonstration.

Lt. Col. Francis X. Bradley, A.C. Reserve, '39, instructor in mathematics at the University, was appointed by Prof. F. N. M. Brown, head of the department of Aeronautical Engineering, to provide instruction in flight demonstration in the air.

Meanwhile, many other Notre Dame students were taking advantage of the summer school at Mexico City, Mexico. The session, sponsored by Notre Dame as a contribution toward better inter-American understanding, ran from June 23 to Aug. 22. Prof. Walter M. Langford, head of the department of Modern Languages at Notre Dame, served as director of the summer session in Mexico.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

The Madison Products Co., 3005 Detroit Ave., Toledo 10, Ohio, through John A. Hurst, president, is seeking dealers in mothproofing products, but also for the sale of additional company products. Dealers are responsible not only for the sale of mothproofing products, but also for the sale of additional company products.

Those interested can get additional information by writing to John Hurst.
Members of the Notre Dame Club of Cleveland and their families gathered at Gilmour Academy on July 26 for a family picnic. A few of those in attendance are lined up here alongside the new school bus. As you can see, all ages were represented.

A year ago the Alumnus carried an article on Gilmour Academy, Cleveland's new residential preparatory school for boys, operated by the Brothers of Holy Cross. I represented the Brothers in the negotiations for the purchase of the beautiful Drury estate which was to become Gilmour Academy and have been closely connected with the school since it opened. I have always been conscious of Cleveland's wealth of educational and cultural opportunities and I was pleased when Gilmour began to tap this cultural wealth.

My personal pride in Gilmour was refreshed again when I read the school's aims which were recently released by Brother Theophane Schmitt, C.S.C., headmaster. Quite naturally the overall aim of the school is teaching Christian thinking. But I was impressed by the supreme effort and means used to accomplish this goal.

The Brothers have chosen to complement the traditional courses of science, mathematics, English, languages, social studies with forums for study of cultural arts. This feature is best pointed out in their own statement of aims—"In the freshman and sophomore years a course called 'Cultural Arts' begins with a basic explanation of the meaning of culture, and then the growth of architecture, painting, sculpturing, landscaping, and home decoration is studied and evaluated in the light of the principles of real culture and the Catholic principles of art.

"The sophomore year is complemented by the philosophy of music. In this course the basic elements of art are applied to the study of the important forms of vocal and instrumental music: folk music, the chant, polyphony, overture, the tone poem, and the ballet. The theory of the 'Cultural Arts' course is supplemented by visits to the Cleveland Museum of Art, attendance at the Metropolitan Opera, and the Cleveland Symphony.

"The philosophy of democracy enriches the third year. This forum brings to light the Christian foundations of American democracy. The Declaration of Independence and the Constitution are analyzed. Also the student learns the relationship between his democracy and tolerance, voting, military service, universal education, and diplomacy.

"The fourth year has forums on literary criticism where reviews and discussions of books, ideas, and the theater develop the analytical habit of mind, enabling the student to make a choice on the grounds of principle.

"These four forums, designed to integrate the entire curriculum, assure the students the tools for analysis and fair judgment of people, ideas, politics, cultural arts, books, the theater, and new cults."

Gilmour Academy is living up to its best hopes. It is filling a long needed want in our Cleveland community life. A Catholic school with the finest of Christian and American ideals. I am most pleased to have this opportunity to congratulate the good Brothers who are operating the school and to tell our alumni how proud they may be over this venture in the work of God and our Country.

OUTDOOR ADVERTISING SCHOOL

Through the Outdoor Advertising Foundation at Notre Dame, important steps are being taken to "harmonize" outdoor advertising with newspaper, magazine and radio advertising, according to Dean James E. McCarthy of the Notre Dame College of Commerce.

Dean McCarthy made this statement in June at the close of a special Outdoor Advertising School at Notre Dame which had as its faculty many top-ranking advertising experts. The school was attended by nearly 100 plant operators and employees of many outdoor advertising firms in the United States.

This June, for the first time because of previous wartime conditions, Dean McCarthy revealed, twenty Notre Dame graduates were absorbed into individual outdoor advertising companies or into the Outdoor Advertising association, which is seeking to improve professional, technical and other standards in the industry.

Dean McCarthy also said that, at the request of the outdoor advertising industry itself, working through the Notre Dame Outdoor Advertising Foundation, the College of Science and the College of Engineering at the University of Notre Dame are conducting important research for that industry.
FOOTBALL

Coach Frank Leahy will welcome back 39 monogram men early in September when the Irish footballers start drills for the season opener against Pittsburgh on Oct. 4.

Seeking to go last year's record of eight wins and a tie with Army, the team will be well stocked with veteran performers in nearly every position. Only at guard is there any visible shortage of depth.

At the guard posts, Notre Dame will keenly feel the loss of All-American and captain John Mastrangelo, Fred Rosai, Tom Potter and Vince Scott. Returning for the 1947 season, however, will be such notables as Bill Fischer, Marty Wendell, Joe Signaigo, and John Connor. Joe Yonto, a fullback on last year's aggregation, has been switched to a guard for the forthcoming campaign.

Coach Leahy's team is flanked with good material at the ends. Returning are Jim Martin, regular last year; Leon Hart, who showed up especially well late in the 1946 season; Bill Wightkin, Frank Kosikowski, Doug Waybright and Bill Leonard, who was a regular on the 1945 Irish eleven.

A slight question mark looms in the tackle spots, since at this writing it is not certain whether or not Ziggy Czarobski, who held down a regular tackle berth last year, will return to school, and Jack Fallon is bothered with a bad knee. Others who will be on hand for the opening of practice, however, include All-American and Captain-elect George Connor, George Sullivan, Gus Cifelli; Ralph McGeehe and Gasper Urban.

At center, Notre Dame fans have little to worry about, since the regular Irish pivot man in 1946, George Strohmeyer, heads a list of five top-flight centers. Closely pressing Strohmeyer are Bill Walsh, Walt Grothaus, Bill Vangen and Art Statuto.

The loss of George Ratterman, who signed during the summer, to play professional football with the Buffalo Bills, will be sorely felt by Coach Leahy as he had counted on him to replace Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johnny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for Johny Lujack at quarterback. As it now stands, Lujack will be followed by Frank Tripucka, Ratterman as an able replacement for " 

Mello, last year's regular, but will be able to counter with John Panelli, Floyd Simons, and Corwin Clatt. Mike Swistowicz, aforementioned as a halfback, also may be used at fullback during the season.

Fans who watch the Notre Dame team during the 1947 season may expect to see one deviation from last year's Irish style. It is expected that Johnny Lujack, in addition to filling the air with his noted passing attack, also will do a little ball-carrying on his own behalf. Lujack experimented in the running department during the Old Timers-Varsity tilt and the result was little short of sensational.

Until shortly before the Irish begin practice, Coach Leahy will be busy coaching the College All-Stars for their game with the Chicago Bears to be played in Soldiers Field, Chicago, on Aug. 22. Coach Leahy was named to serve as head coach of the All-Stars.

TENNIS

The powerful Notre Dame tennis team, undefeated during regular season play and victorious in the Central Collegiate Conference meet, showed up well in the National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament held in Los Angeles but not quite well enough to capture either team or individual titles.

William and Mary College, also undefeated during the 1947 season, for the second consecutive year won the team title in the national meet as they placed three men in the quarter-finals. And it was Gardner Larned, William and Mary ace, who defeated the only remaining Notre Dame man in the quarter-finals of individual play, Captain Jimmy Evert, 6-3, 7-5.

The Irish doubles combination of Jimmy and Jerry Evert advanced to the semi-finals before losing. In other singles play, Notre Dame's Bob David lost in first round competition, but Charles Samson, Bill Tully and Jerry Evert went in to second round play before dropping out.

Before the national tourney, Jimmy Evert won the Illinois state tennis championship in singles competition, and the Irish team captain teamed with his brother Jerry to cop the Illini doubles crown. In the Oklahoma state meet in Oklahoma City, the Evert brothers played exceptionally well before bowing to nationally-known Ted Schroeder and Don Tucuo of Tulane in the doubles finals, 12-10, 7-5, 6-3.

Upsets in singles play featured the Western Junior and Boys' 1947 tennis championship ships held July 21 to 26 at Notre Dame, as top-seeded entrants in both divisions fell by the wayside in singles competition.

In the boys' division, after John Saharian, of Detroit, had upset second-seeded Hamilton Richardson, of Baton Rouge, La., top-seeded Richard Holroyd, of Del Ray Beach, Fla., lost to Conrad Woods, unseeded entrant from Los Angeles. In the finals of the boys' singles division, two unseeded competitors battled in an all-Los Angeles encounter. Robert Perry was crowned the boys' champion after defeating Conrad Woods, 6-2, 6-2, 6-2.

Competition ran true to form in the boys' doubles division, when the highly-favored combination of Holroyd and Richardson swept to the championship by defeating the No. 2 team of Fred Hagist, of Hollister, Calif., and Whitney Reed, of Alameda, Calif., 6-2, 6-4, in the finals.

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The top upsetter among the juniors proved to be Tony Trabert, 16-year old Ohio Interscholastic champion from Cincinnati. In the quarter-final round the fifth-seeded Trabert disposed of fourth-seeded Sidney Schwartz, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and the following day ousted top-seeded Herbert (Buddy) Behrens, of Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., Trabert won the junior title by rallying to beat third-seeded Alex Hetzck, who had beaten second-seeded Dick Mouloudous, of New Orleans, 9-7, 4-6, 6-4, 6-4.

Behrens and Mouloudous topped the junior doubles title by eliminating Schwartz and McDonald Mathey, of Princeton, N. J., 7-5, 4-6, 8-6, 6-4.

GOLF

The Irish golfers were off their game in the NCAA golf tourney at Ann Arbor. Notre Dame, coached by the Rev. George Holderith, C.S.C., finished well down the list in team play, but Dick Seidell, captain-elect of the Irish linksmen, posted a 137 to keep pace with the leaders in first round play before losing out.

ALL-STAR GAME

Frank Leahy, director of athletics and head football coach, was the head coach of the College All-Stars who played against the Chicago Bears in Chicago on Aug. 22. Two of Frank's assistants were Ed Krause, Notre Dame line coach, and Marchy Schwartz, head coach at Stanford. The game was sponsored by the Chicago Tribune through Arch Ward, '21, sports editor, and his department.
ALUMNI CLUBS

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At the evening banquet meeting on Universal Saturday, September 28th, the University Club of Akron, the following officers for 1947 were elected: PAUL A. BERTSCH, president; HUGH M. COLOPY, vice-president; JOHN M. KELLY, secretary; and ROBERT KOLS, treasurer.

Monthly luncheon meetings are informally conducted at the Akron's Old Heidelberg Restaurant, the Student Room, on the first Tuesday of each month.

A summer dance sponsored by the Club was held at the Seiberling Country Club on Aug. 1, with WIL- LIAM AHERN as chairman of the dance committee and Mrs. THEODORE A. LEY as chairman of the ladies. The proceeds of this dance will be applied to the scholarship fund.

JOHN KELLY

Baltimore

On June 27 the club held a meeting at the Galtier Dining Home, Baltimore, Socially friendly from a business standpoint, the affair was most successful. More than sixty members and their wives attended, and nineteen guests of the club were on hand.

The next get-together was to be a club picnic in August.

Central New York

President "ZERE" MOONEY called the rolls and strikes, at a gala event held June 12 at the Cavalry Club, near Oswego, N. Y. The affair was attended by over 30 N. D. men and students. Starting at three, the horseshoe-pitching contest, the baseball game and animated and fun continued the afternoon until a delicious buffet dinner was served. DUKE KINNEY, recently returned from Florida, gave a most interesting account of his stay out of Sorin Hall to ROBERT TAYLOR and GEORGE MURPHY, both alumni who will be here for that climactic battle should send in for their reservations at once. Tickets will be $2.50 per person; it will be a show you won't want to miss—but we won't be able to accommodate you that night—reservations must be made in advance.

LEO POWERS, "25, director of Community Activities, reports that Chairman JAMES RONAN, "26, had two meetings in the South Shore area. Chairman JOHN SULLIVAN, "27, held a joint meeting recently for their East and Oak Park Clubs respectively. Chairman Joseph A. Bailey "25, and Patrick Crowley, "33, plan a summer picnic for their North Shore group. CHAIRMAN CHARLES A. COLLINS, "25, general manager was appointed vice-president of Western Division—National Carloading Corp.,"25. Chairman JOHN BOURKE, "25, was appointed regional personnel director of the Liggett Drug Company. "38, was appointed principal personnel director of the Liggett Drug Company. "38, has been appointed to the board of directors of the company with headquarters on the northwest side.

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Cleveland

On the 15th of May a meeting at Chuck RUSS' wasn't a success. the 28th of May was unanimously elected president of the club. This, along with serving as governor of the Notre Dame alumni of Ohio, will keep the latter busy for the next year. JOHN M. COLEMAN, FRANK J. McGRODER, JR. and WILLIAM C. MULLIGAN were elected to assist HUGH in the offices of vice-president, secretary and treasurer respectively. Father OTIS WINCHESTER was appointed chaplain and NORMAN J. McLEOD, honorary president.

At a meeting at the Shaker Country Club on the 5th of May the newly elected officers, along with their predecessors, THOMAS C. BYRNE, EDWARD H. SCHROETER, FRANCIS M. PAYNE, JR. and THOMAS E. ENRIGHT, appointed THOMAS F. BYRNE, JOHN J. COLLINS, GEORGE T. KO- ZAK, EUGENE W. OBERST, and DENNIS J. O'NEILL to the board of directors.

A newly created advisory committee of 33 mem- bers met at the home of CHARLES H. ENRIGHT on the 7th of July where the events of the coming year were discussed and agreed upon. It was a most successful meeting with spirit and enthusiasm running second only to perfect attendance.

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Father John Cavanaugh receives from Walt Nienaber, president of the Cincinnati Club, a check for two thousand dollars representing the first payment on the club's scholarship fund at the University. The club will add to the fund from year to year and ultimately the money will provide for a Notre Dame scholarship to be awarded in the Cincinnati area. In the picture, left to right, are other members of the club: Jerry Holman, Bill Middendorf, Bob Burke and Bert Schloemer.

Connecticut Valley

NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS of the club, to serve for the year 1947-48 are: FLOYD RICHARDS, president; JIM FLAHERTY and BILL REID, vice-presidents; DON FOSKETT, secretary; and TIM MURPHY, treasurer. The Board of Governors consists of: TOM CURRY, BILL HURLEY, JOHN CIANCI, JOHN ROBINSON, and RAY SNYDER.

The June meeting was highlighted by the presence of ANGELO BERTELLI and MILT PIEPUL. Bert and Milt provided the club members with a most enjoyable evening. Football, of course, was the principal topic of discussion. A great many of the outstanding Notre Dame football games of a few years ago were replayed, with vigorous participation by members of the local "Monday Morning Quarterback's Association." Bertelli also told some of his interesting experiences in professional football.

JOHN ROBINSON, newly-appointed alumni governor for Connecticut, outlined for the club members the objectives of the Alumni Association under the new set-up, and explained what his functions, as governor for this area, would be.

A great deal of interest is already developing among the brethren with reference to the Notre Dame-Army game, and it is expected that a goodly delegation of Nutmeggers will be present at kick-off time next Nov. 8.

DON FOSKETT

Dayton

NEARLY A hundred persons were on hand for the chicken-in-the-rough party staged by the club on June 7. Plenty of chicken, beer, a good quartet and the best crowd in local club history were the component parts. BILL HOYNE and DICK POHL put in many hours preparing for the party. The telephone committee worked exceptionally well, bringing out some old faces who had long been absent.

Dallas

THE club sponsored an address by DEAN MANION before the Dallas Bar Association, June 14. Dean Manion's subject was "Morals and the Law." There were many members of the Dallas Club and more than two hundred attorneys present for this lecture.

Detroit

VAN WALLACE is finally going to Lourdes. The sailing date is set for Aug. 23. The Notre Dame Club of Detroit is giving Van a new car to take with him, and we are busy raising additional funds for his expenses. Spark plug for this affair is JIM FOREN and contributions are pouring in every day.

We had a golf tournament July 1, at Meadowbrook Country Club in Detroit at which we had a fine turn out of 75. TOMMY SHEEHAN and MARV MARTIN were co-chairmen and, under the watchful eye of vice-president Bert Baur, they handled the details in first class shape.

On Aug. 2, JOHN ANHUT was host for a picnic at his farm for the club of Detroit and the Detroit Club of Notre Dame. MAL KNAUS.

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 BUTCHE DE VAULT, BILL CRAIG, and the retiring president, NORS HART.

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

Fort Wayne

OUR Monte Carlo party was held on the evening of June 25, and 100 guests (members and their wives or girl friends) were in attendance. The party was sponsored by Mrs. Harry G. Hogan, wife of our national president, and Mrs. Oscar A. Fox, wife of
OSCAR A. FOX, '07. The party was given on the spacious grounds and gardens and surrounding the swimming pool at Mrs. Fox's home. It was a huge success, socially and, incidentally, financially.

Our guests included HARRY G. HOGAN, our national president, and the graduating seniors from Fort Wayne: JOHN L. GOOD, KENNARD E. GOTTA, JOHN E. LILL, JAMES E. McGILLOTTO G, DONELLY P. MCDONALD, JR., CHARLES P. FOINSAUTTE, and ALBERT E. YOUNGHAUS. BERNARD M. NIEZER

**Fox River Valley**

The club held its first meeting, after a lapse of a number of years, April 14, at the St. Andrews Country Club. The meeting, of course, was held in celebration of the Universal Night.

There were forty members present from this area which includes all between Aurora on the south, Crystal Lake on the north and Sycamore on the west and Wheaton on the east. After a very fine dinner our president, DR. PHIL HEMMING, called the meeting to order. A board of directors was appointed and consisted of the following men: CLARENCE RUBBY, of Aurora, CHARLES CASE, of Wheaton, PAUL FUNK, of Elgin, VERNON KNOX, of Crystal Lake, and LEN FRETT, of Aurora, the member at large.

Our president appointed the following to the Events Committee: WILLIAM CHAWGO, of Aurora, ROLAND SCHLACKER, of Elgin, VERNON KNOX, of Crystal Lake, and CHARLES CASE, of Wheaton.

President Hemming next reported on the weekend spent at the University last fall when the plans of the school and the alumni were discussed. The report was well received and all agreed that there should be a closer endeavor of activity between the two.

After the meeting a movie, sent to us by the Public Relations department at school, was shown by ED PHALAN

The club had a meeting of the officers, directors and Program Committee members June 25, at DR. PHIL HEMMING's home in Elgin to arrange for a summer golf outing and stag dinner, to be held in August. Present students are being invited. BILL CHAWGO

**Indianapolis**

The club started the summer social season with its annual formal dance at Westlake Terrace on June 19. Some three hundred couples attended the proms, complete with leather bound programs and by ED PHALAN

Notre Dame friends will not forget him when he needs them most. OTTO J. MILETI


The next function on the summer agenda was the annual golf tournament at the Highland Golf and Country Club on Aug. 9, followed by a steak dinner. ED CUNNINGHAM was general chairman.

The club is running special trains to several of the games next fall. More information later.

Weekly noon luncheons are still being held each Tuesday at the Canary Cottage. NICK CONNOR

**Kentucky**

The observance of Universal Notre Dame Night in April brought to a close one of the most successful years in the long history of the Kentucky Club. Under the able leadership of our past president, TOM BULLEIT, a great number of activities were accomplished, highlighted by two Communion Breakfasts, the annual stag outing, club trips to the Purdue and Northwestern games, a dance in coordination with the Kentucky-Notre Dame basketball game, and resurrection of our bowling league.

**Milwaukee**

Highlight of Club activity for August was the annual dinner dance at the North Shore Country Club, Aug. 2.

The Lactare Medal awarded for 1947 will be presented to William George Bruce, outstanding Catholic layman, at a testimonial dinner on Sept. 9 at the Hotel Schroeder. The dinner is sponsored by the club, under the direction of CHARLES O'NEILL. Several Catholic organizations and civic groups have requested that they be permitted to participate in honoring Mr. Bruce.

REV. JOHN CAVAUGH, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame, has been invited to Milwaukee. He and ROBERT HAMILTON, alumni governor for Wisconsin, recently conferred with TOM DIXON and CHARLES O'NEILL and officers of the Bruce Publishing Co. concerning plans for the presentation of the Lactare Medal. Father Cavanaugh will also attend a session at a recent convention of Young Republicans here.

During the past year the club has been very happy to receive several members transferred from other cities. Among them are CLIFFORD BUCKLEY, '41, JOHN LINNEHAN, '40, ED HUFF, '40, JOHN STAUBER, '42, HAROLD LANGTON, '38, FLOYD SULLIVAN, '40, and HENRY GARVEY, '40.

BISHOP CLAUDE CHAMBERLAIN, former club president, is conducting the annual football ticket activity.

Evening meetings on the first Tuesday of each month are now being held at the Knights of Columbus Club. Our thanks to the Knights for giving us a regular meeting place. At the last meeting, members heard an interesting presentation of labor problems by John Khuvin, labor mediator and outstanding speaker.

Luncheon meetings at the Maryland Hotel every Thursday are being attended by many of the alumni.

REN DE LA HUNT surprised us recently by telling us that he is leaving to study theology in the Seattle diocese in preparation for Holy Orders.

Participation of alumni in community activities, especially recommended by the Alumni Association, was recently exemplified by CHARLES O'NEILL who served as spokesman for the Catholic Laymen at a meeting of the Y. W. C. A. Teen-Agers. The group discussed "Bridges Between Groups Who Differ." Other speakers were a Jewish rabbi and a Presbyterian minister.

CONRAD L. GLEASON
The Notre Dame Club of Eastern Kansas met in Leavenworth, Kans., to observe Universal Notre Dame Night on April 14. Dan Foley, '23, who sent along this picture of the group, said that the club was planning a picnic at the Joe O'Bryan ranch at Hettsville, Kans.

Northern California

The revived club had a dinner-meeting of officers and directors on May 19 in the Olympic Club. Numerous questions with regard to membership, tenure of office of the officers, dues, and club fund were discussed and decisions made. The group voted that SLIP MADIGAN should be empowered as a committee of one to select his own organization to conduct a tour to the U.S.C.-N.D. game in Los Angeles, on Dec. 6.

New Jersey

At the Board meeting May 26, DAN O'NEILL was named chairman. Several suggestions were forwarded to increase attendance at general meetings of the club. It was proposed that the president appoint a program director and name at the next meeting the committee, which will be conducted the coming club year. An activities schedule will be prepared and distributed. Dues were also discussed.

RAY GEIGER, newly-appointed alumni governor for New Jersey, reported on the national alumni association's gubernatorial system.

PETE QUINN, who had been appointed to investigate the possibility of running a special train to the Army game, reported that on the basis of a survey he had made the prospects were good that sufficient eligible Jersey alumni would be interested to fill a train.

In accordance with the new policy of selecting all events chairmen at the beginning of the club year, the membership approved the following nominations of President Melinkovich: TOM HOGAN, Freshman Welcome; PETE QUINN, Raffle; BILL SMALL, New Year's Eve Dance; JIM FAGAN, Communion Breakfast; FRANK McDERMITT, Universal Notre Dame Night; and TOBEY KRAMER, Day at the Shore (1948).

At a meeting of the Board of Directors on June 25, TOM HOGAN, chairman of the Freshman Welcome, outlined tentative plans for the affair, which will probably be held Sept. 11. Local alumni, speakers from the University and members of the Class of '47 will be asked to attend. The affair will also be the occasion for welcoming new alumni, who have already been invited to participate in the club's activities.

On George's suggestion, the club will have a month's mind Mass said for Father O'Donnell on the campus.

Letters from HARRY HOGAN and JIM ARMSTRONG in answer to a request from the club for a clarification of University club relations and the new gubernatorial system were read and received a favorable response. Invitations have been issued to both to speak at a fall meeting.

BILL CARTER, '47, in his capacity as program director, was invited to talk over plans for the coming club year with the Board of Directors at its July 23 meeting.

BILL SMALL is selecting his committee and making arrangements for the New Year's Eve Ball, which is expected to be the club's outstanding social event of the year.

Russ JANDOLI

New York City

We had a very pleasant visit on "President's Night" with FATHER CAVAUGH, and at the same time announcement was made to the effect that our Trust Fund had made two rather substantial donations to the University.

We were all grieved to learn of the death of FATHER O'DONNELL. In addition to sending a resolution to the University, the Board of Governors arranged to have a memorial Mass said for Father O'Donnell at St. Patrick's Cathedral on July 12.

Two important things have happened with respect to both of the vice-presidents of the Club. ED BECKMAN very proudly announced that as of September his son will enter Notre Dame as a freshman. He is very proud of this and it is interesting to note that this is the third generation Beckman to attend Notre Dame. Ed graduated in 1916 and his father before him was a student at Notre Dame.

Martin Callagy, who is also a vice-president of the Club, and who was for several years a Domestic Relations Court judge in New York, has just been appointed chief counsel for the Legal Aid Society of New York.

Under chairmanship of COLMAN O'SHAUGHNESSY, aided and abetted by BOB HAMILTON representing the Trust Fund Committee, the club and the Trust Fund Committee will run a joint trip to South Bend for the Army game. Arrangements have been made for Pullman car sleeping accommodations through to South Bend, with permission to sidetrack the cars and use them as hotel accommodations for the week-end, the train leaving New York Friday afternoon and returning Sunday evening. According to Colman the big rush is on for reservations.

As usual, the Trust Fund Committee will have an activity for the scholarship fund and its other related charitable activities, which will be conducted under the guidance of BOB HAMILTON and his able committee.

John Hoyt, Jr.

Resolution, Special Meeting, Board of Governors of Notre Dame Club of New York

Whereas, the Board of Governors of the Notre Dame Club of New York has noted with particular regret the death of Father Hugh O'Donnell, C.S.C., former President of the University of Notre Dame, on June 12, 1947, and

Whereas, Father O'Donnell was associated with Notre Dame through the war years and shaped the University life to conform with National defense demands, and

Whereas, he was, along with other members of the Congregation, instrumental in establishing a Naval Training Program at the University during World War II, and

Whereas, his great leadership and priestly life exemplified the highest ideals in society and in particular in Catholic educational circles,

The Board of Governors of the Notre Dame Club of New York submits the foregoing memorial to the Faculty of the late Reverend J. Hugh O'Donnell, to the Trustees of Notre Dame, to the Faculty, to the students and to the alumni of Holy Cross and offers the following resolution:

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This photograph, taken June 12 in Providence, R. I., shows Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., president of the University, being congratulated by John J. McLoughlin, president of the Notre Dame Club of Rhode Island and Southeastern Massachusetts, after receiving an honorary degree and delivering the Commencement address at Providence College. Shown (left to right) are: John O. Fugarty, governor of Rhode Island, John McLoughlin, Father Cavanaugh, Judge Robert E. Quinn, associate justice, Superior Court and former governor of Rhode Island, and Congressman John E. Fogarty.
"RESOLVED, That a copy of such memorial be included in the record of the proceedings of the Board of Governors of the Notre Dame Club of New York and that a copy of same, under the Seal of the Notre Dame Club of New York be sent to Father O'Donnell's Family, to the Superior General of the Holy Cross Congregation, to the Trustees of the University and to the President of Notre Dame."

JOHN A. HOYT, JR.,
Secretary

New York, N.Y.
June 13, 1947

S. E. Connecticut

Members of the club met on July 18 to plan the annual outing set for Aug. 23 in Boemmel's Grove. Officers of the club include JOHN GALLA, president and NICK LANESE, vice-president.

St. Louis

BISHOP O'HARA, C.S.C. recently visited the city, attending the consecration ceremonies of Bishop Cody. At the same time, FATHER GERALD PHELAN, director of the Medieval Institute at Notre Dame, was guest lecturer at St. Louis University for a period of six days. A send-off dinner was arranged for Father Phelan by club president FRED WEBER and JOE MCCLEARY, Notre Dame's general director. Those in attendance included Rev. Patrick J. O'Holloran, S.J., president of St. Louis University, DICK MUCKERJMN, president of the St. Louis Browns, entertainment the group in his newly constructed private box at Sportman's Park.

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During the first week in July, BOB HELLKRUNG arranged for a requiem Mass to be said at the new Cathedral for the late REV. HUGH O'DONNELL, C.S.C.

The annual Club picnic was scheduled for July 27 at CORLEY'S farm . . . a beautiful place that includes pool, tennis courts, ball field and plenty of green lawn space. FRANK PIZZLAK was top-kick of the entire affair, assisted by ROLAND DAMES, MARTY HUGHES, DR. BERT COUGHLIN and ED OLEWSKI. The GRIESEDIECK BROS. ED, BOB, and BILL, took care of the liquid refreshments, naturally! And former pesty, AL RAVARINO, supplied his favorite dish—spaghetti.

JIM O'NEAL

St. Joseph Valley

On June 23 the officers and directors of the club met to elect four new directors as well as a new staff of club officers. The new officers for the current year are as follows: JOHN McINTYRE, '31, president, who succeeds ALBERT DOYLE; ROBERT SWEENEY, '41, vice-president, who succeeds JOHN McINTYRE; THOMAS HICKEY, JR., '39, who succeeds ROBERT SWEENEY as treasurer; and FRANCIS MESSICK, '30, secretary, who succeeds WILLIAM BRODERICK, '27. The new directors elected for the term 1947-1950 were: DR. ROBERT BRYAN, '38, THOMAS HICKEY, JR., '35, JAMES LAHEY, '38, and FRANCIS MESSICK, '30. JAMES LAHEY was elected to serve the remaining term of the late ROBERT FITZSIMMONS, '33.

On June 24, the club held its annual golf party at the South Bend Country Club. The program was in charge of JACK MOULDER, and a great deal of credit is given to Jack and his able assistants for a fine program and an exceptionally good time.

An afternoon of golf was followed by a delicious chicken dinner. After the dinner, JOHN McINTYRE, new president, outlined the job ahead for the club in 1947-1948. FATHER JOHN H. MURPHY, C.S.C., vice-president and Capt. A. L. Donis, commanding the NKOTC unit at Notre Dame, both gave brief talks.

Following the dinner program golf prizes were distributed to the good golfers present and several clubs carried home an award for sincere effort. This was followed by some excellent moving pictures of the National P. G. A. Tournament. The movies were splendid from a technical standpoint, but everyone agreed that they could not compare to the interesting exhibition put on by club members during the afternoon.

FRAN MESSICK

Tri-State

The first summer outing of 1947 for club members was held at the Princeton Country Club, Princeton, Ind., on June 26, with FRANCIS HENNEBERGER club president, acting as chairman, and ART MILLER as co-chairman. A golf tournament was held for which prizes were awarded to SONNY SANDERSON, Jasper, Ind., and LYLE MILLER, of Vincennes, Ind., for low and high scores respectively. Fifty attended. Following the tournament a dinner party was held.

This meeting, in addition to being the first summer outing, was also the first meeting of the board of directors of the newly formed corporation, named the Tri-state Notre Dame Club. Directors present at this first meeting were the following: EDWARD E. MATTHEWS, BERNARD WITUCKI, RALPH F. HEDER, FRANCIS J. HENNEBERGER, BERNARD UNDERRINGER, LYLE E. MILLER, and WILLIAM BRADBURY.

FRANCIS HENNEBERGER acted as chairman of the meeting, and EDWARD E. MATTHEWS as secretary. The following were elected as officers: FRANCIS HENNEBERGER, president; BERNARD WITUCKI, vice-president; EDWARD E. MATTHEWS, secretary; and BERNARD UNDERRINGER, treasurer. WILLIAM T. FITZGERALD was requested to prepare a set of by-laws appropriate for the corporation.

The following committees and their chairmen were appointed: Membership, BOB LANEY; Finance, BERNARD UNDERRINGER; Religion and Citizenship, JIM McQUAID; Job counseling, RUDY STURM; Preparatory school contacting, JOE O'KANE; and Publicity and public relations, PETE THOLE.

The highlight of the evening was a speech by the Honorable WILLIAM T. FITZGERALD, attorney of Evansville. Mr. Fitzgerald discussed the past successful athletic season and outlined Notre Dame's prospects for 1947.

Plans were tentatively formulated for the next meeting of the club in Jasper, Ind., during September.

Any Notre Dame men, students, ex-students, or alumni who reside in the tri-state area and are not members of the club are urged to contact EDWARD...
WASHINGTON, D. C.

The second annual retreat of the club was held at Holy Cross College, from June 27 - 29. REV. HAROLD W. RILEY, C.S.C., of the North Easton, Mass., Mission Band was retreat master.

On both Saturday and Sunday the retreatants attended a Mass and a Eucharistic service. An important part of the soul of father FATHER HUGH O’DONNELL, C.S.C.

Fifteen members of the club attended this function and it was the unanimous opinion that FATHER RILEY did a wonderful job. FATHER RANSING, the club’s chaplain, and the superior of Holy Cross College, was a most generous, hard-working host. The priests, Brothers, Seminarians and Nuns provided a wonderful group of men so truly a mark of the Congregation of Holy Cross.

The attendance at this function showed 100 per cent increase over the previous year, and it is expected that this most worthy activity will become the outstanding event of the club’s calendar year in the years to come.

About sixty couples attended the summer dance and cocktail party given by the club on June 15 in the Carlton Hotel. JOHN KENKEL, chairman of the committee, assisted by HAL RODDY, MILES QUAIL, JR., ROBERT SCHELLENBERG, and WILLIAM SYRING, was highly commended for his part in putting on one of the most enjoyable events in club history. Ten members of the campus club were present with their dates.

ROBERT W. CAVANAUGH was elected chairman of the Board of Governors of the club, at a regular meeting of the Board.

Any Notre Dame Alumus in the District of Columbia who desires to become associated with the Washington Club may do so by contacting HAROLD V. BOISVERT, secretary, on 516-G.

HAROLD v. BOISVERT

WISCONSIN—SO. CENTRAL

On July 26 the club held its summer outing at the Stoughton Country Club. Some 120 members and their guests turned out for the affair. JOHN P. TURLEY, past president of the Cincinnati Notre Dame Alumni Club, represented the University. He showed the group two films, one, the Notre Dame campus scenes, and the other, the football team highlights of 1946. MAURICE LEAHY was chairman of the highly successful affair.

IN MEMORY OF FR. O’DONNELL

(Continued from Page 14)

“A great man has passed away and you and we have lost a true friend. Will you be kind enough to express to Father O’Donnell’s relatives our deepest sympathy?”

MR. AND MRS. I. A. O’SHAUGHNESSY

“I felt impelled to make a few remarks on the floor of the House and, in accordance with some remarks I inserted the story of his life that appeared in Friday’s South Bend “Tribune.” I said at that time that in the passing of Father O’Donnell we have lost one of the great men of our times and at a time when we can ill afford to lose them. A copy of the ‘Record’ is coming under separate cover.”

(Congressman) ROBERT A. GRANT

“If I convey to you and to your associates, and to the Notre Dame University company in the death of Father Hugh O’Donnell. I do not know that Congressman Bob Grant intended to speak and insert some information in the ‘Record’’ of the ‘Record’” that should have added to his remarks at the time they were placed in the ‘Congressional Record.’”

(Congressman) JOSEPH P. O’HARA

“The death of Father O’Donnell which brought to a close a life-time of active service for others in God’s service, was a severe blow from which will open the treasures of the Divine Heart of Jesus since it is especially significant that He chose this month to call His faithful servant to Himself.”

MOTHER MARY TERESA, SERVANT OF MARY

“I have known most of the presidents of our great University. All of them were fine men of high character and excellence in education and in religious fervor. Father O’Donnell was outstanding among them. The splendid work he did in building the Notre Dame University and passing on to us the treasure of his services to humanity.”

A. J. JANATA, Assistant to the President, University of Illinois

“Father O’Donnell has left us as great a living influence as Father O’Donnell and to all of his friends at Notre Dame. He should be proud in death. The University stands as a great University. All of them were fine men of the University and to your associates, and to the Notre Dame University and passed on to us the treasure of his services to humanity.”

MOTHER MARY TERESA, SERVANT OF MARY

“I convey to you and to your associates, and to the Notre Dame University company in the death of Father O’Donnell, a great loss to his many friends. He was an educator whose life's work was devoted to the education of students in our academic pursuits. He was outstanding not only in his chosen field but also in the activities of our nation.

“Father O’Donnell was a true patriot and a courageous leader. His memory will remain as a guide to future generations, and those of us in the FBI who knew and loved him are deeply grieved in the personal loss we have sustained.”

J. EDGAR HOOVER

“In these turbulent days in the life of our country and the world we can ill afford to lose such spiritual leaders as Father O’Donnell. His contribution to the civic and spiritual life of each community and each individual with whom he came in contact will long be remembered. No finer fighting heros than a band of young men who were fortunate to have come under his leadership and guidance during the period of his inspiration at Notre Dame University.”

WILLIAM E. JENNER, U. S. SENATOR

“Our prayers have been offered for the speedy repos of his precious soul; may Almighty God be pleased to raise up in his place another such luminous star in the firmament of Catholic education to point the way for educators and lead the present and future generation of youth on and upward to their true destiny.”

MOTHER MARY IRENAEUS, President Mt. Mercy College, (Pittsburgh)

“At one who had the privilege of knowing him through official association and through a personal friendship which I cherish, may I express to you and to the officials of the University of Notre Dame my deep sympathy, and appreciation of his services to humanity.”

A. J. JANATA, Assistant to the President, University of Illinois

“My deepest sympathy to the family of Father O’Donnell and to all of his friends at Notre Dame. He was a man who has contributed so magnificently to educational and religious thought. He will be missed.”

EDWARD E. MATTHEWS

OF THE BISHOP John F. O’HARA Fellowships for the academic year 1947-48 have been announced by Rev. Philip S. Moore, C.S.C., Dean of the Graduate School. These fellowships were founded in 1946 with a sum of $3,500 to be set aside annually from the Alumni Fund. They are awarded to outstanding advanced graduate students in the fields of English, History, Philosophy, and Political Science. The maximum stipend is $1,000 per academic year for each student.


CARDINAL MINDZENTI

Joseph Cardinal Mindszenti, of Hungary, on a brief tour of the United States and Canada, visited Detroit, June 26 to 30.

Cardinal Mindszenti came here from Ottawa, Canada, where he attended the Marian congress. In Hungary, Cardinal Mindszenti is archbishop of the diocese of Estergom, which includes the national capital, Budapest, center of the strife caused by Communist attempts to take control of the country.
THE ALUMNI

Deaths

Rev. DENNIS A. O'SHEA, C.S.C., '10, died June 29 in the Community Infirmary, Notre Dame, after a prolonged illness.

Father O'Shea was born in Chicago, on Oct. 3, 1886, and was ordained at Notre Dame on June 26, 1914. He had been engaged in parish and chaplaincy work since his ordination. His last assignment prior to his illness was as chaplain at Villa Anthony Old Peoples Home, Comstock, Mich.

Funeral services were conducted in Sacred Heart Church on the campus with Rev. Patrick Haggerty, C.S.C., as celebrant. Surviving are a brother and sister.

JOSEPH F. REBILLOT, '91, Canton, O., "dean" of the Notre Dame graduates of Stark County, died on June 19, at the age of 76.

Mr. Rebillot, who was a staunch Notre Dame booster since graduation and a subscriber to The Ave Maria since his undergraduate days, is survived by his widow, four sons and four daughters.

Dr. ROLLAND A. CASE, ex '93, Cleveland, O., one of the early American pioneers in physiotherapy, died May 23, in his home.

For many years Dr. Case operated the Cleveland Physiotherapy Clinic at his home. He was graduated from the Homeopathic College in 1900 and the Cleveland College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1901. Until two years ago Dr. Case was in charge of the physical therapy department of Huron Road Hospital, Cleveland. Ill health caused him to resign.

A member of many medical organizations, he was past president of Phi Upsilon Rho medical fraternity; of the Academy of Physical Medicine, and was also a member of the American Institute of Homeopathy and the American Congress of Physical Therapy. Surviving him is his wife.

J. WALTER LOSHBOUGH, '99, died June 16 in Los Angeles, Calif., where he had been visiting in the home of his daughter. He had been ill for a year.

Mr. Loshbough was born in South Bend, on Nov. 12, 1879, and had spent the greater part of his life in this area. He was employed by the Standard Oil Co. from 1917 to 1944, when he retired.

Surviving are a son, Bernard E., '29, his daughter, who is the wife of William P. Clarke, '27, and a nephew.

As this issue was being prepared, word came to the University of the death of WILLIAM N. BOSLER, '06, Louisville, first president of the Notre Dame Club of Kentucky and for long years one of the most devoted and active members of the club and of the Alumni Association. Further information about Mr. Bosler will be available for the next Alumnus.

Just as the June Alumnus went to press word came of the death of GERARD T. DEGEN, '10, Gas City, Ind. The following information has since been received.

Mr. Degen was born in Holland in October, 1882, came to the United States in 1892 and resided in New Jersey. In 1906 he moved to Philadelphia. He was graduated from Notre Dame in 1910 and employed by the Philadelphia Electric Co. and remained with them until his retirement on May 1, 1945.

He is survived by a sister and a brother, Henry P., '12, both of Gas City, Ind.

DANIEL R. SHOUVLIN, '14, Alexandria, Va., died July 7 following an illness of four months. He was 58. His death was not unexpected, although it was hastened by pneumonia. He had been ill since Easter with a rare blood ailment which resulted in a weakening of his body functions.

At one time associated with the National Supply Co., Dan was a director of the War Production Board during World War II. Formerly a resident of Springfield, O., he had been doing professional engineering in Washington, D.C., prior to his illness. He was a member of the Notre Dame club in that city, and a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Surviving are his father; his widow; two sons, Roger, '41 and Dan, Jr., '42; one daughter, Patricia, who is the wife of Robert C. Bolz, '39; three brothers; two sisters and four grandchildren.

Former U. S. Senator DAVID I. WALSH, LL.D., '17, former United States Senator from Massachusetts, who during the war headed the senate naval affairs committee, died June 11.

Most Rev. MICHAEL J. CURLEY, D.D., archbishop of Baltimore, who died recently, received an honorary LL.D. degree from the University in 1920.

PAUL A. LAUTERMILCH, '24, a Tiffin, O., mechanical engineer was drowned in Lake Mohawk near Tiffin on July 11. Paul gave his life in a futile attempt to save his three-year-old daughter who had toppled from a rowboat while fishing in the lake.

The tragedy struck while Paul was on his vacation. He was rowing ashore in the early evening when his daughter fell out of the boat. He plunged into the water after her and brought her to the surface. Then both disappeared according to his 10-year-old son, also a companion on the fishing trip.

Paul was born in Tiffin on Aug. 1, 1900. After receiving his mechanical engineering degree from Notre Dame, he went to work in Philadelphia. Only recently he returned to Tiffin.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, a daughter, his mother, and four brothers.

NORBERT A. "DUKE" CLANCY, '25, died July 4 of a heart attack in Hillsdale, Mich.

Duke was born in Indianapolis in 1902, and was a resident there until September of last year when he moved to Hillsdale to become secretary of the Hillsdale Chamber of Commerce and to join his father-in-law in the insurance business. While in Indianapolis he had been employed by the G.M.A.C., Consolidated Finance Co., and the Lucas Harold Co., as an insurance writer. He was also active in the Knights of Columbus.

Duke is survived by his widow and his parents.

J. CLYDE SIMONS, '29, South Bend, died Jan. 30, 1947, after an illness of eight months.

For fifteen years prior to December, 1946, the time of his retirement, Clyde was the owner and operator of Simons' Pharmacy in South Bend. He married Rose Moore of Los Angeles, who survives, in June 1936. Also surviving are his son, two sisters and a brother.

WILLIAM M. CANNON, '33, of Rolling Prairie, Ind., died June 18 in St. Joseph's hospital, South Bend, after an illness of eleven weeks. He was 38.

Born in Hope Hampton, N. J., on May 24, 1909, Bill came to South Bend in 1934, where he lived until last year, when he moved to nearby Rolling Prairie. He had been an employee of the Studebaker Corporation and was a member of the Knights of Columbus.

He is survived by his widow, seven chil-
dren, including two sets of twins, his mother, three brothers and a sister.

WALTER F. SHEAHAN, '35, Lowell, Mass., died suddenly June 7 after an illness of only six days. On June 1 he had suffered a heart attack.

A member of the firm of Thomas A. Sheahan, Inc., of Lowell, he was well-known in local business circles.

Wally was a graduate of Keither academy and a member of a Lowell Lodge No. 87, BPOE, the Knights of Columbus, the Exchange Club and the Holy Name Society. He is survived by his widow, his father, a son, a daughter and a sister and brother.

ROBERT J. BODIE, '38, of Hinsdale, Ill., died in his home on June 13 after an illness of four and a half months.

Bob was born in Chicago on April 7, 1915, At the time of his death he was vice-president in charge of sales of the Bodie-Hoover Petroleum Corp., in Hinsdale. After taking a degree at Notre Dame in science, he continued on at the University and secured a law degree in 1939.

He was a member of the Illinois state bar association and an army veteran of World War II, serving four and one-half years. He was in the European theater for thirty months.

Bob is survived by his widow, Mrs. Peggy Lang Bodie, his parents and a brother, Dr. Richard C. Bodie, '45.

MICHAEL F. SHANNON, JR., ex '39, died, as noted in the June issue of the Alumnus, on June 5 in Los Angeles, after a long illness.

Mike, well-known in the Los Angeles area, was 30 at the time of his death. Despite the tuberculosis which finally claimed him, he remained an active member of the Notre Dame Club of Los Angeles, and ran an automobile agency from his bed. His flaming, joyful spirit was an inspiration to all who knew him.

Among the very large number of people who participated in the rosary recitation for Mike, fifty were members of the Notre Dame Club of Los Angeles. Twenty-five members of the Club were at the funeral Mass in St. Paul's Church and four members were pallbearers: Tom Ashe, '31, president; Bill Sidenfaden, '29; Tom Foye, '39, and Bob Huether, '39.

Mike is survived by his parents and two sisters.

MARION LLOYD HARBERT, ex '40, Boise, Ida., was killed on Dec. 29, 1946, while working on a high power line for which he and his father had the construction contract. Lloyd was associated with his father and brother in the conduction of the Harbert Electric Co., a large and progressive electrical company in the state of Idaho.

He is survived by his wife, two sons, a daughter, his father and mother and his brother.

ALEX C. JERAWSKI, JR., ex '48, Cicero, Ill., was killed in a plane crash at Cicero Field, Jacksonville, Fla., on June 12. He had received his wings on Feb. 14 of this year. Alex was in the V-12 program at Notre Dame for a year and a half.

As this "Alumnus" was being made into page form, word came to the Alumni Office of the deaths of CHARLES J. O'CONNELL, ex '26,Holyoke, Mass., and JOSEPH M. O'DOWD, '28, Fischer's Store, Texas. Details will appear in the next issue.

The "Alumnus" extends sincere sympathy to CHARLES E. "GUS" DORAIS, '14, on the death of his son; to FRANK J. HISS, '16, on the death of his brother; to THOMAS H. BEACOM, JR., '20, on the death of his mother; to JOSEPH S. MORRISSEY, '28, on the death of his mother; to BERNARD E. LOSBROUGH, '29, on the death of his father; to RICHARD MAHONEY, '32, on the death of his father; to JAMES L. BOURKE, '33, on the death of his mother; to MILDON J. BOCK, '37, on the death of his mother; to DAVID J. CONNOR, '38, on the death of his mother; to WALTER WINEBOLD, '40, on the death of his father; to WALTER L. O'BRIEN, '42, on the death of his father.

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Engagements

Miss Helen Mae Beauty and JOSEPH J. WALDROP, '36.
Miss Elizabeth Anne Harshall and EDWARD R. ESCH, JR., '39.
Miss Rosemary Labbers and GERALD A. HICKLEY, '41.
Miss Ann Ellen Farley and EDWARD J. HICKLEY, '43.
Miss Lillian Hildridh and JOHN H. BRIGHT, '44.
Miss Genevieve Shea and WILLIAM M. HEALY, JR., '44.
Miss Nancy Catherine McIntosh and HARRY F. VERSEN, JR., '44.
Miss Rosemary Ann DiSabato and JOSEPH A. TRANJ, JR., '46.

Marriages

Miss Dorothy Lillian Lee and WILLIAM F. ARMIN, '39, Chicago, July 31.
Miss Patricia Mary Delehanty and JOHN J. MORAN, '36, Pittsburgh, Pa., July 26.
Miss Joan Marie Dwyer and HAROLD J. DRUECKER, JR., Notre Dame, June 21.
Miss Beatrice Cecilia Joliat and BERNARD J. KEFFLER, '37, June 7.
Miss Anna Catherine Shields and JOHN G. ELSE, '40, Notre Dame, June 28. Ralph F. Else, '34, was best man.

Miss Elizabeth Strain and WILLIAM C. FAY, '40, June 19.
Miss Mary Louis Hammer and THOMAS J. MINOOGUE, '40, Aug. 9.
Miss Rose Marie Marks and JOHN A. RATIGAN, '40, Bordentown, N. J., July 3, Joe Ratigan, '36, was best man.
Miss Marie Maciera and KEERAN F. MCKENNY, '40, Ford City, Mo., June 23.
Miss Mary LaMulline and FRANCIS J. MCGRODER, JR., '41, Cleveland, May 31.
Miss Eleanor Kyme and GEORGE F. MELTZER, '41, Notre Dame, June 21.
Miss Ruth Eleanor Burke and MATTHEW J. MIHOLICK, '41, South Bend, June 21.
Miss Winifred C. Tore and EDWARD M. WEINFURTNER, '42, Cleveland, June 7.
Miss Mary Jane Richardson and JAMES E. MADIGAN, '43, Little Rock, Ark., April 15.
Miss Frances Neehoff and THOMAS D. MAHER, '43, May 17.
Miss Mary Regina Burns and RICHARD G. SCHAU, '43, Wilmette, Ill., June 14.
Miss Martha Celcie Hayes and DANIEL C. CALLAGHAN, '44, Chicago, June 26.
Miss Janes Frances Hannan and EARL R. ENGERT, '44, South Bend, Aug. 16.
Miss Stella Marie Keating and ROBERT E. FAUGHT, '44, Detroit, June 7.
Miss Margaret Frances Shea and JOSEPH F. GALL, '44, North, N. H., June 14.
Miss Patricia Daley and JOSEPH D. O'KEEFE, '44, River Forest, Ill., June 14.
Miss Dorothy Anna Shea and ARTHUR B. CONNORS, '45, Needham, Mass.
Miss Sheila Donovan and FRANCIS E. MALONE, '45, Toledo, O., July 5.
Miss Kathryn Jane Mahoney and ANTON POJMAN, JR., '45, Denver, Colo., June 7.
Miss Mary Ann Carroll and FREDERICK R. FUNK, '46, Bay City, Mich., Jan. 4.
Miss Betty Louis E. Stombaugh and EUGENE L. MOLTER, '46, Goodland, Ind., July 14.
Miss Marie Selma Elzard and JOHN J. AGNONE, JR., '47, South Bend, Ind., Aug. 3.
Miss Jo Ann Bering and JAMES P. BAILEY, '47, Houston, Tex., Aug. 2.
Miss Gloria Mary Fullerton and DAVID J. CHAMPION, '47, Cincinnati, Ohio, June 14.
Miss Mary LaVonne Burns and THOMAS J. MAHONEY, '47, Virginia, Ill., June 4.
Miss Rose Marie Mehert and WILLIAM P. WEBB, '47, Oney, I11., June 17.

Births

Col. and Mrs. RAYMOND R. BRADY, '24, announce the birth of Raymond John, July 1.
Lt. Col. and Mrs. DONALD J. WILKINS, '27, announce the birth of Donald James, May 29.
Mr. and Mrs. ORVILLE E. OCKULY, '32, announce the birth of John David, May 28.
Mr. and Mrs. JAMES D. ASH, '33, announce the birth of a son, June 25.
Mr. and Mrs. ROGER P. BRENNAN, '35, announce the birth of a son, July 9.
Mr. and Mrs. JOHN M. CRIMMINS, '33, announce the birth of Constance Margaret, July 13.

Dr. and Mrs. ROBERT E. DONOVAN, '33, announce the birth of Shawn Michael, July 13.

Mr. and Mrs. IRWIN L. GOLDMAN, '36, announce the birth of William Mark, July 1.

Mr. and Mrs. D. BERNARD HENNESSY, '34, announce the birth of David B., July 15.

Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM A. McCARTHY, '34, announce the birth of Maureen, July 25.

Mr. and Mrs. EUGENE J. O'REILLY, '35, announce the birth of Kevin Patrick, July 12.

Mr. and Mrs. CHARLES J. SLOTT, '35, announce the birth of Carla Jean, May 24.

Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD G. LEJEUNE, '35, announce the birth of Dennis II, March 28.

Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH W. SCHMIDT, '36, announce the birth of Noreen, June 13.

Mr. and Mrs. EDWARD J. HOYT, '37, announce the birth of James, April 26.

Mr. and Mrs. CARL W. DOOZAN, '38, announce the birth of Kathleen Mary, July 29.

Dr. and Mrs. ROBERT J. Bryan, '38, announce the birth of a son, July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. WALTER J. HARRIS, JR., '38, announce the birth of Kathleen, May 22.

Mr. and Mrs. M. RICHARD BURKHOLDER, '39, announce the birth of Robin Lynn, March 2.

Mr. and Mrs. CORNELIUS J. KVASNOK, '39, announce the birth of Robert Neil.

Mr. and Mrs. JOHN P. MULDERIG, '39, announce the birth of John Francis, June 29.

Mr. and Mrs. JOHN C. COLE, '40, announce the birth of Carol Ann, June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. VINCENT A. DOYLE, '40, announce the birth of Christopher, July 10.

Mr. and Mrs. JOSEPH E. CASEY, '41, announce the birth of Mary Louise, June 13.

Mr. and Mrs. LEOY J. WIESCHHAUS, '41, announce the birth of a son, June 8.

Mr. and Mrs. WILLIAM R. HOUSE, '42, announce the birth of Michael, June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. RICHARD E. McHugh, '42, announce the birth of Richard Thomas, May 21.

Dr. and Mrs. J. THOMAS MANGAN, '43, announce the birth of Michael Daniel, June 25.

Mr. and Mrs. DALLAS A. MILEM, '43, announce the birth of a daughter, June 10.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS W. PERRY, '43, announce the birth of a daughter, June 10.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS W. KANE, JR., '45, announce the birth of Patricia Ann, June 11.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS W. KANE, JR., '45, announce the birth of Thomas W. III, July 9.

Mr. and Mrs. JOHN BURKE O'DONOGHUE, '45, announce the birth of Deirdre Garrity Mary, July 16.

Mr. and Mrs. DAVID A. WALSH, '45, announce the birth of Michael Mark, May 26.

Mr. and Mrs. ALFRED M. TRUEAX, '46, announce the birth of William Robert James, May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. JOHN O. ROBINSON, '47, announce the birth of Charles Joseph, July 16.

Mr. and Mrs. THOMAS G. WACK, '47, announce the birth of a son, July 29. George J. Wack, '23, is the grandfather.

**PERSONAL OF CHA**

At the recent 32nd annual convention of the Catholic Hospital Association the Rt. Rev. Msgr. Maurice F. Griffin, '04, LL.D., 22, pastor of St. Philomena Church, East Cleveland. O., was elected president.

Monsignor Griffin was on the original executive committee of the CHA and has been its vice-president for 17 years. He is likewise an important figure in the American Hospital Association.

**PERSONAL**

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From Father MAC:

"I'm sorry I haven't news from the gay '90s, but that's to be expected at this time of the summer. I was delighted to get the message from the old timers about your arrival in Cleveland, and I am sure that you and I appreciate it very deeply. While I couldn't be on the old campus physically I was there in spirit, you may be sure."

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

From JIM SANFORD:

"In addition to Father DOLAN and Father HEALY members of the class who attended the funeral of Father Hugh O'Donnell were Ray Eichenlaub, Joe Farrell and Jim Sanford."

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

BERRIE VOLL recently heard from MAtt TRUDELLE, who gives his address as 720 E. McDowell Rd., Phoenix, Ariz. Matt said he has been down in Arizona for three years and likes the climate very much. He had intended to come back for the reunion last May but his office was too busy for him to do so. We had him for luncheon at the Calhoun Hotel and he said that he hoped to make his way to South Bend the next time he is in the area.

1920 Leo B. Ward, 458 Spring St., Los Angeles 13, Calif.

From LEO WARD:

FATHER FRANK GOODALL spent several days in Los Angeles visiting relatives, during which time he visited several members of the class of 1920, as well as other Notre Dame alumni, had the pleasure of visiting with him. We had him for luncheon at the Los Angeles Athletic Club, others present being OSCAR SIDENFADEN, ED McMahan, Gene Kennedy, CLARENCE DERRICK, TOM ASHE, president of the Los Angeles Notre Dame Club, LARRY O'TT, Lay Theer 7. B. COSGROVE, BILL COOK and GENE CALHOUN, secretary of the Club. It was on short notice and such fellow classmates as CHUCK McIVER and ELLIS Moore, Father Tobin sew to Stuy, Griffin, '04, '22, pastor of S.f. Mary's Church, Canton, Ohio, had never seen Father Goodall's being in connection with the Benedictine University. Monsignor Griffin was on the original executive committee of the American Hospital Association.

1924 James Kevin Sullivan, 13-year-old son of RED SULLIVAN, Milwaukee, recently was released from the hospital after an operation for appendicitis. He was in the hospital for two weeks and is now convalescing at home.

From REV. FRED MANN, a Redemptorist from Wichi­ta, Kan., conducted a Cursa Conference in South Bend on Aug. 5. Father Mann spent two years at Notre Dame with the class of 25.

1925 John P. Hurley, The Toledo Por­til Furniture Co., Toledo, O.

JIM MCGUERN, 225 St. 21st St., Canton, O., recently wrote that he was sorry he couldn't get back for the May reunion. He says that he has been away for some time, but is now back in Canton and is in good health.

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been employed by the Government for the past 14 years and is at present with the Internal Revenue Bureau at Canton.

BILL CERNEY, South Bend, is an industrial representative for the Associated Film Libraries, Huntington, Ind.

AL MUELLER was recently advanced to the coast of eastern divisional sales manager for Nuodex Products Co., Elizabeth, N. J. He is living in Hillside, N. J., with his family, after seven years in Clearfield, Pa., and was formerly with the North East Central region for Nuodex. Prior to joining the Nuodex Co. in 1940, Al covered the midwestern and southwestern states for five years for Jones-Dahney Co., selling grinding liquids and synthetic resins to the paint industry. Before that he was employed by Co., Indianapolis, where he was in charge of industrial sales.

At the annual meeting of the board of directors of the Studebaker Corp., A. J. PORTA South Bend, was promoted from assistant comptroller to comptroller.


ART HALEY, director of public relations at the University since 1940, has been named governor for the state of Indiana of the new Notre Dame Foundation.

LARRY GRODEN toured the Philippine Islands and then went to Boston, Philadelphia and New York via Honolulu and the Panama Canal.

At the member-guest tournament held at Monteil Golf Club, (N. J.) CHARLIE TOTTMEN and JOHN ADAMS, two former Notre Dame golf captains, gained victories in the second round before being eliminated. Charlie headed the 1926 Irish golf team.

Various national writers have given WALT TROHAN credit for "ghosting" the Jim Farley series in "Colliers" magazine. Walter is head of TROHAN credit for "ghosting" the Jim Farley series in the "Chicago Tribune" Washington Bureau.

From TOM FARRELL: "... A little news—EDDIE BURKE, '26, is starting in the automobile business in Perth Amboy. From JOE BOLAND: "Pickin's have been slim since Commencement ... and, we're in a mid-summer slump for news. A few items—new and old—would be:"

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From JOHN ROBINSON, Hartford, Conn., is treasurer of the Associated Film Libraries and director of the educational religious program of the Library.

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From DICK NOWERY: The following information comes from TOM JONES, Boise, Idaho:

"Since my graduation from school I have been practicing law in Boise and, like the rest of the Notre Dame lawyers, have been engaged in numerous activities of civic and political nature, and while I am doing these things, my family is growing older. My oldest son is ready for college."

1929 James B. Nowery, P. O. Box 1545, Shreveport, La.

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chain of grocery stores and are also engaged in a finance business. JOHN MALONEY is manager and executive officer of a cleaning and dying establishment here in Boise.

"MARION LLOYD HABERT" was killed in a pole accident while out with his construction company erecting a high tension power line. He is survived by his wife and three children, who reside in Boise.

"I have been appointed on the Board of Governors, and am now chairman of the Association, and in about six months I will be able to give you considerable information."

BILL CRONIN, Oakland, Calif., writes:

"Allow me to congratulate you on your success in getting some news into the personal column for the class of '29. I am trying to wonder about the boys and if we were dying a slow death.

"I recently attended the Universal Notre Dame Night meeting of the Northern California Club and renewed many acquaintances. WILLIAM T. BYRNE, '22, was president of the meeting and we hashed over old times.

"During my three years in the Navy I did run into JOHN NASH, a major at the Pentagon in Washington. FRANK LEAHY who was stationed at St. Mary's Preflight, and even saw my old roommate, JOE SCALES, in Chicago. Joe is working for the Chicago Sanitation Department.

"I am now living in Oakland, and working for Frigidaire Sales Corp. I would enjoy hearing from any of the old '29ers who go through. We are just across the Bay from San Francisco. Say hello to Cyp, Pinky, and any of the rest for me.

From MICKEY MACHALAN:

"I got my April "Alumnus" and read where you had heard from HOWARD DOLL and that he had told you I was being transferred to New Orleans. I came down here the last of February and am now in the process of attempting to get a house.

"I will be delighted to see you in New Orleans, where you can locate me for the time being at 818 Whitney Blvd. and in about thirty days at 624 Gravier St."

The class of '29, I know, will hear with deep regret the fact that CHARLES W. "BILL" HEINEMAN of Connerville, Ind., and THOMAS "TOMMY" RYAN, Rushville, Ind., lost their lives recently. Please remember them in the usual way.

The responses to my appeal for letters from you has been more than encouraging. The powers that be have been most kind in their promise to help get you on the list of those to receive a copy of the next "Alumnus," which is due out in about six weeks.

From LEO MCSHANE:

"CONNIE SHACKETT is working here in Pawtucket, R. I., for the Pantex Pressing Machine Corp. My brother, ALLEN B., who has been appointed co-coordinator for the juvenile court system here in Rhode Island."

1931 Walter F. Philipp, 4 Pickwick Lane, Newton Square, Pa.

JIM CARROLL, now of Cleveland, former hotel executive, has been appointed monopoly division manager of Brown-Forman Distillers Corp. Jim, a native of Buffalo, has held various executive hotel positions with the Sheraton Corp of America and Knott's Hotels.

MATT GARRIGAN announces the opening of the Garrigan Insurance Agency in Detroit.

From SPIKE MCDAMS: "My partner, BILL KIRBY, '32, resides at 406 Parnalace Place, Waukegan, Ill. His occupation is a lawyer and he is a partner in our law office, Mcdams and Kirby, 1 South LaSalle St., Chicago."

1932 James K. Collins, 17 Triangle Ave., Dayton 9, 0.

From JIM COLLINS:

"BADDEN POWELL is the manager of station relations for the Mutual Broadcasting Co., in New York. He writes that he was very much pleased with the reunion because he recently took over this position after having been in charge of audience promotion with Mutual since returning from the Navy.

"Badden was married to the former Miss Lucy Jackson in the Patrick's Rectory, New York, on Dec. 23, 1944."

GEORGE AIREHAN is sales manager for the Universal Metal Products Co., Saginaw, Mich.

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"Right after the consequent First Mass and vacation I was sent to our place in New York. You may know or remember the place.—St. Francis of Assisi on West 51st St. It is over by the Pennsylvania and may easily be recalled to your mind as the place that has the 2:30 A.M. Mass (for priests, of course). In fact, therein lies the story on how I chose the Franciscan life to others. When working in New York this Mass became quite a habit and it was through its influence that I learned about the Franciscans.

"I stayed there until last September when they put me on the Mission Band. This work as you probably know entails the giving of Missions, retreats, novenas, etc. In fact, the reason you did not have me answering you in New York last Fall (If you needed an anchor) was because I heard the Army game by short-wave while up in back-country, at a place near Sudbury, Ontario. I am supposed to have a 'perfectly wunderbarre' verse, aptly suited for this work. It all began when a man named Reilly (and right?) took JOE CASANATA and his "50 Beautiful Girls 50" on an extended hay ride the summer of 1933. From that time on the popular saying 'You Boys' in all seriousness, that background, plus regular life, plenty of singing, and chanting the Office two hours every day made us all 'Oblates,' as they like to call it.

And since September, I have been living the life of a salesman—out of suitcases. We are confined to the United States, but that by invitation. And my clippings haven't blinded me yet. Strictly G. I. Joe.

"That briefly covers the last eight to ten years. Quite a record, I do believe, and we have never regretted the change one bit. It is a far cry from the aspirations of many years ago. However, all that transpired during those years have fitted in to an extent. My education at Notre Dame didn't hurt a bit either. I could go on and gush all over the place about the life in the Navy, the air force, Joe, and the greatest thing of all, to work for others. But then you would probably get roped into a week-end return."

WALTER KENNEDY, former sport publicity director at Notre Dame, recently signed a contract to broadcast 12 games for the Baltimore Colts of the All-American conference this fall. Ted Husing will give the play-by-play and Walt will handle the color and statistics.

By mistake, ANDY AUTH'S name was included in the June "Alumnus" as one of those from 1934 who gave his life in World War II. On the contrary, we are exceedingly happy to report, Andy is very much alive. He was in service during the war, but is now back in Washington, D.C., where he resides at 304 Second St., S.E. He is sales manager for Auth-Loeffler, Inc.

1935 Franklyn C. Hochreiter, 1237 Pautow Rd., Baltimore 12, Md.

From HOCH:

"We come to greet this time with FRANK HOLAHA, and in the company of old boys. As long as we are here now we can give you an accurate statement of Frank's new location. Says Frank, "I was given charge of the new Onancock Co., and had a great time finding a place to live, but we finally moved to the above address (521 Garber St., Ballardburg) in February. We have just about settled with our two sons, Johnny, age 4, and Billy, age 8 months."

Incidentally, Frank's two sons were never noted in these columns or in the "Birth" column. We congratulate their proud parents.

Pulling out bits of Frank's letter he says, "Our annual return trip to New Orleans was a beautiful last year than usual. (Army game). At our cocktail party in our room at the Roosevelt after the game we had TOM FLYNN, CAMILLE GRAVES, NED ROWAN and RAY BRODERICK. Camille "brought several other Louisianaans with him by plane, all without tickets of course. We had a great time helping him out; but they managed to get in the stadium."

"JIM HAMILTON . . . is a senior executive in the Dunmore Electric Co., Racine, Wis. . . . C. T. BELLHOUSE, manager of the Wisconsin Electric Power Co., New York, Pa., and represents the Electric Welding Alloys Co. of N. Y. as field engineer in this area."

Frank put a F.S. on the car, telling us he had recently heard from INDIANA JAMES down in Atchison, Ia., and he has set himself up in the insurance business since getting back in civies.
He mentioned that GRAVEL is adding to his four youngsters with number five this Fall.

Thanks a lot for coming through with the copy Frank, and for the additional info. Please keep copies, and let me know if any may slip away some time but will try not to.

Since our last 'chat' with you we had two unexpected visits. One evening in May ROY SCHOLZ gave us a ring from the Hopkins University Faculty Club and asked if we were going to be there, and if so, would he drop over to see us. Ned is still a bachelor. On his way to officiate in an assistant's capacity at a Washington Affair, he had stopped off to spend the night with the Scholzs. Ned is practicing law in the home town in Pennsylvania and is active in the Naval Reserve Unit there.

About a month after Ned's visit we had a call at the office one morning from FRED BROOKS-MEYER, of Cleveland when we last saw him, but of Chicago since the week after graduation. Fred is back with the Maris Signal Co. as general sales manager and has the office in the building which used to be ours. For you uninformed (like your scribe), the Maris Co. makes the revolving lights found on the front of diesel engines. He spent over four years in the Army, in the Army and Airway Communication System working on radar. Fred came out to the house to return the evening and the Scholzs dropped in for another reunion.

Late in June we received a letter from Mary L. Sheahan who asked us to bring to your very sad news about Wally who died on June 7. He had just turned 22. His death came as a terrible shock to us. His death was very sudden and unexpected. Fred was thrown both the court and his legal opponents in the neighborhood and stopped in. He also incurred liability, since 'there can be no liability to one who was not at fault.'

"Would you please print in the next issue of the "Alumnus" the very sad news of the death of my grandson, Wally Sheahan who asked us to bring to you some very sad news about Wally who died on June 7. Because Wally was a student there some day, just as his daddy wanted him to be, besides little Wally, Walter is sadly missed by Marlyn, his four-year-old daughter.

"It has been terribly hard for me to write this letter to you, but it is my only way of notifying all the boys Walter thought so much of.

We have already expressed the sympathy of the class. Wally was a fellow class secretary, and now editor of the Sun. We thought that all of you who were close to Wally drop a note to Mrs. Sheahan at 24 Chauncey Ave., Lowell, Mass.

We think that we neglected to announce ED LEJUNE's son in our last trip to press. So here come felicitations on Timothy James, weighing in at 9 lbs., 6 oz. on March 31 this year. We are sorry it was delayed, Ed.

The other day we picked up the "Rutland Herald" (foundled 1794) remembering that one "Dugan" was carrying on the most recursively from that East Vermont metropolis. And there in banner lead we read "Justice Sherburne and Caroline Cloth during Friday afternoon. It is stated that John Dugan Caroline was arguing a case before the Supreme Court of Vermont and the Justice found himself unable to keep up with Dugan's legal material relating to "duties and liabilities of a dam owner."

Representing the Bellows Falls Hydro-Electric Co., Dugan was brought in to the court from a $7,000 flood damage suit brought by one of the natives. From the news account, it would seem that Dugan's material was built to present by his ultra modern legal reasoning, during which he contended that "a damn court is the enemy of the landowner. The contention of a legally constructed dam, may ruin another's property without incurring liability, since there can be no liability without fault."

More power to you Dugan! When do you be- come chairman of the Board?
who covers the June reunion in his first contribution to these notes. Mr. Mercado:

"Those of our class whom I saw were JACK BUCKLEY, ED BRENNAN, CHARLIE CALLAHAN, TOM WEIGAND, CHARLIE "BUD" KOLP, and ROCCO MONTENGA. Surprisingly, those whom I didn't see, but tried unsuccessfully to reach were DON MICKEY, CHARLIE DUKE and JOHNNY FLOUKE. KOLP is in the real estate business in Canton, O., and doing fine. Bud says that his old takedown, CHARLIE MORNOW, is in business in his home town of Louisville. Buckley, Brennan and Montenga came down from Chicago. Jack is in either the building or real estate business. Ed is Chicago representative of "Sports Magazine," and one of their super salesmen. I believe he also writes articles for them. I saw Rocco for a few minutes in the Office. He is a lawyer and looks extremely well. Tom Weigand is an engineer. He told me that DICK SWISHER is in great shape and one of their super salesmen. I believe he also gets more letters than this. How about some news, boys?"

ARThur MULHERN is doing law work with Roy C. Collins in Newark, N. J. GENE VASLETT is now located at 11423 Burnham, West Los Angeles 24, Calif. JACK LACEY is with the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co. in Chicago.

1939 Vincent DeCourney, 1917 Elizabeth, Kansas City 2, Kansas
ED SIMONICH, coach of Boys Central High School, Butte, Mont., since November, 1945, resigned, and has taken a job at Trinity High School, Sioux City, Ia.

NORM JANDOLI is now in Cleveland for the Bankers Indemnity Insurance Co.

HARVEY FOSTER, special agent in charge of the Indianapolis office of the F.B.I., recently instructed South Bend city police on F.B.I. standards for marksmanship training.

ANDY WILSON has moved from the Buffalo "Evening News" to Detroit, where he is employed in the Detroit bureau of the United Press.

1940 Robert G. Sanford, 1226 W. Wisconsin Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.

ED HUFF is now working with Dun and Bradstreet in Milwaukee. BOB SHEA is with the National Training School for Boys in Washington, D.C.

JIM BARRETT was separated from the service in February and since then has been working as a training officer for the Veterans Administration.

1941 John W. Patterson, Jr., 5330 Darlington Rd., Pittsburgh, Pa.

JOE Casey is in San Francisco, Calif., with the Consultants, Ltd., general public relations. BILL DUNHAM is teaching political science at Seton Hall College. He recently moved from New York to South Orange, N. J.

MIKE KEEGAN is now in Minneapolis, Minn., where his address is: 915 E. 25th St.

JIMMIE GONNER is now out of the service and back on internship at the Cook County Hospital, Chicago.

BERNIE JAAGER received his master's degree in aerospace engineering from the University of Minnesota last June.

NOEL McCARRY is now editor of the "Maritime Reporter" a bi-weekly magazine for marine executives, and is living in New York. Noel continues: "I guess my last record of one of me was an editor with the Associated Press Philadelphia bureau. I left the AP in Philadelphia last October, and took a trip to South America with my wife. We planned to stay there for a while, but finally turned it into three months visit to Peru. We did some broadcasting for the U. S. Information Service in Lima, but spent most of our time wandering around gathering free-lance material which my wife has already succeeded in getting into print. We both live in New York and plan to settle down here for a while."

From TOM GRADY: "After graduation in '41, I went to work for Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corp., Pittsburgh. The week of Pearl Harbor I was called to New York to work in chemical allocation. In October, 1941, I was called to active duty in the naval reserves. Served in armed guard in the north and south Atlantic and Mediterranean waters. Then served with the Army Transport service attached to the 5th and 7th Armies. Saw some action in the British Isles and Indian waters and was wounded at Anzio. Then I was sent to the Pacific, via Miami, and the Gulf and ended the war as a commanding officer of the AUS-6 in Japanese and North China waters. After 33 months at sea and over 47 in the Navy, I returned last August to Caribbe in New York. I am now in the Chicago office."

ED KLEHEF is entering the public accounting field and in September will begin work with the Charles S. Rockey firm in Philadelphia. He will specialize in budgetary control work.

1942 William E. Scammon, 213 N. Cayler St., Oak Park, Ill.

CHARLIE NELSON, Plymouth, Ind., is working for National Cash Register Co., South Bend. JIM DIVER, formerly of Bridgeport, Ill., has been appointed United States probation officer for the Indianapolis area.

On June 14, BILL MEIER received his master of arts degree from the University of Minnesota.

A "note from Eastern Airlines" and ANDY McCAFFREY: "I have been tied up with finishing my studies at Columbia University. Within the last few days I have spoken with TONY MALONEY (he's back with the Navy) and TOM DELLA. Both asked to be remembered to everybody. JOHN POWERS was working with us at Eastern for a while, but now he is writing for an oil company."

Under "Deaths" in this issue, you'll read the story of Mike Shannon, '39, Los Angeles. Confined to his bed for years, Mike was still an unbeatable, inspiring person, cheerfully active in the Notre Dame Club of Los Angeles as well as in his own business, which he conducted by telephone. One of the high moments of his life was the Mass which Father Frank Guriland, C.S.C. offered in the Shannon home shortly before Mike died. Father Frank and Mike are shown here.
Thanks for the swell letter, Steve. There aren't any definite plans as yet for the Army week-end, but most of the gang seems to find its way down to the Hoffman Hotel after the games. That's only a suggestion. Hope to see you there if I can get away from here. There's some question of the time off and the expense, from N.Y.

That's the end of the letters, so let's see what FRANK KING has been able to remember. BILL BENET owns a sporting goods store in Grand Rapids, Minn. HANK KANE is keeping the wheels of advertising moving for Kenyon & Eckhardt in New York. He plans to be married soon. JOHN MALLOY should have his master's degree in Engineering from Columbia by this time.

And that's the end of Frank's news. I've managed to pick up a little myself in the last couple of weeks here. Talked to TOM MALONEY over in Jersey City the other night. He contributed the following: PAUL TOLONAD was married in late July in Paterson, N. J. NICK VILLAROSA and CHARLEY WADE are both doing fine and we all expect to get together soon. Tom himself is almost fully recovered from his serious illness of our senior year.

Saw BILL FISHER the other night and met his lovely wife Reggie, and a bouncing William Anthony, about six months. Bill hadn't seen anyone in some time but expected to see soon.

News in Detroit as I left was about JIM BYRNE who was on the verge of selling his launderette business for a fancy profit and ED HICKEY's engagement to a perfectly wonderful girl, Ann Fairley, daughter of the former postmaster general. The wedding is to be in New York in late fall.

The above finishes up the news of this issue. How about dropping the column a line. We've had three members of the Class will feel many times rewarded in every way.

And don't forget that we're trying to set a record for the Miss Barbara Rempe—CHUCK PATTERSON wedding in Chicago, June 14, BEN PATTERSON, one of the Class of '44, the groom's brother, was best man. JIM ARMSTRONG was there, spurred on by love, football tickets or whatever. It was on hand since June 6 and we can pick a little news from that.

"No news of CHRIST HERRING, '45, for months. Believe he's with the Czech army. Future plans are for the University to the officers of the Class of '44 in the 1946 Drive led all other Classes and this fact deserves the praise and gratitude of the entire administration of the University, REV. JOHN J. CAVANAUGH, C. S. C. We hope, of course, that this will not tempt the Class of '44 to rest with their laurels, but will relight any fires that may be dimming.

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"May God ever bless you abundantly."

As you know, the Fifth Annual Fund is under way and will close Dec. 31. Our participation so far has been strong and we expect it will stay that way, spurred on by love, football tickets or whatever. If you have not checked in, try to do so soon.

A letter from HARRY YEATES of Kankakee has been on hand since June 6 and we can pick a little news from that.

"Tom O'Conner has taken a new 'position' (that's what he calls it) with Sears at their State Street store in Chicago in the advertising department. He's been with Butler Bros. now for six months and is definitely climbing up the ladder. His brother Jack, '42, is with Reynolds Metal in Chicago. I saw 'The Iremann Comedy' with them several weeks ago.

"Had a brief note from Ed Cashman last week. He's getting back to summer school in several weeks and I hope to hear from him when he has some time. This news comes from Bill Boss, now of Camden and environs, who was trying to fit his RGA vacation so he could be on hand.

"For the Miss Barbara Rempe—Chuck Patterson wedding in Chicago, June 14, Ben Patterson, one of the Class of '44, the groom's brother, was best man. Jim Cunningham was also in the wedding party."
When DUKE LEARY married Miss Pat Berigan in Omaha July 5, ART McGrath went out from Notre Dame to be best man and yours truly wrote the script. We had a lot of laughs along for added support. The Duke fared all right and he and the wife stopped through Detroit, July 17, to pick up a car and have a free beer. They were on their way to Milwaukee where Duke will start as a reporter on the "Journal."

And that is the column for this month. Needless to say, we need letters. Just send them along any time, but the sooner the better.

Last June, NORM MUELLER received his master's degree from Washington University, St. Louis. The same month DR. TOM MANGAN graduated with highest honors in medicine from St. Louis University.

For the information of NORB WLEKINSKI, a lawyer in the Union National Bank, Ltd., East Chicago, Ind., GERRY CAFFNEY's address is 44 W. 15th St., Bronx, N. Y.

1945
James W. Scheller, P. O. Box 389, Schenectady, N. Y.
TED WEBER writes from Bridgeport, Conn., where he is doing publicity work for the General Electric Co. He informs us that the only Notre Dame man he has run into so far has been JIM GRIGGS. Ted and Jim have traveled to nearby New Haven and New York during spare time from office duties.

JIM MURPHY of "Meet the Missus" fame is attending the graduate radio school at Northwestern University. He is concentrating on engineering writing. On a recent visit to the Alumni Office he gave his address as Pastor House, Northwestern University, Evanston.

HARRY WALTERS, of the class of '45, has been made a Harris Stowe Scholar in Columbia Law School for the 1947-48 academic term. Two prior recipients of the award were CHARLES COLGAN, '39, and RALPH GILBERT, '39.

OWEN DOYLE graduated from the Yale University school of medicine last June.

TOM NOLAN recently was separated from the naval service. He is planning on entering Northwestern University for graduate work in the fall.

1946
JACK STEWART, vacationing at Deauville, France, was to leave shortly for Moscow for a month's duty. He is stationed at the American Embassy in Paris.

1947
J. D. Usina, 219 S. Scott St., South Bend, Ind.

Introducing the new secretary of the class, J. D. USINA:

As I start something new here for Notre Dame and BILL DOOLEY, I come to realize that graduation is just six weeks away. Seems more like six hundred. In a dramatic attempt to have some news of the class for this issue, I tried sending a few postcards out. Got a few results.

HARRY J. GILLIGAN, JR., of down Cincinnati way, says: "There isn't much Notre Dame news this way for the time being and little or none about the class of '47. DAVID J. CHAMPION, was married here on June 14 to Miss Gloria Mary Fullerton. JAMES HORN, ex-'46, was best man, F. J. GILLIGAN and 1, plus help from WILLIAM FERRY, '48, ushers. . . . ED MERSMAN, ex-'47, is to be married July 26. . . . Cincinnati Alumni Association is giving a picnic for the Class of 1947 and others up at N. D. . . . We missed you at Dave's wedding and it was quite a time. BOB SNEE, ED BALL, JOHN CARON, and HANK SLEOMAN all came down. I was so impressed that news while flat on his back with a fever—some of you other gents might get good examples.

Have been seeing quite a bit of DON CLEAYS in South Bend. Occasionally run into HENRY HOOVER. A few weeks back met JACK McGrane, in town for a few days. His constant companion was J. J. L. JOHNSTON who is back for some more work on his M.A. during the summer. Several nights ago had a good talk with BILL BERN, on his way home to Chicago after a few days in Bloomington. He is working with consulting engineers—I think the firm's name is Gates and Hanson in Chicago. Bill told me that he spent fifteen days at Quantico, Va., in Marine Corps refresher. Seems it was pretty good duty.

BILL GRANT writes from Erie in response to a plea for news:

"I'm afraid I can't do too much. The only fellows I've seen have been HERB DAIKER and JIM LEDWITHE, who stopped for a little while on their way to N. Y.—they were 'thumping' their way home.

"Maybe some news is that my day is set for joining the throngs of the married—Aug. 9, is the day and ED STRICKL is going to be one of my ushers. You know Mary Agnes Cashane, the girl I'm going to marry, don't you? Ed is still up at Harvard and doing fine."

Met JACKEY KEARNEY on the sun deck at the Rockne Memorial the other day and asked for some news of the fellows from New York. Next day I found the latest news in the form of a full report letter from Jack. Jack, incidentally, with one degree already tucked away, is aiming to get an undergraduate degree in Electrical Engineering next June. During the regular sessions at Notre Dame he is teaching in his spare time. Here's what he had to say:

"I'll start with New York. TOM MULHERN is working for Allied Purchasing Co., which owns a string of department stores across the U. S. . . . BILL BRACKEN went on a Navy cruise for a month . . . RUDY ANDERSON is doing part time work in the Patent Office in Washington and is studying patent law at night at Georgetown. . . . JOHN TOOLE receives his B.S. in Comm. at the end of the summer session and will work for his father in New York. . . . FRANK MARTIN, after getting out of the Navy, went to N.Y.U. and I think he is studying to be a doctor; in fact he might be an M. D. by now . . . Outside the New Yorkers, the only ones I can think of are: JOHN JOHNSON who is teaching at St. Vincent's college in Penna. and doing graduate work at Notre Dame in the summer . . . LOU STONE is going to school now and expects to get his degree come next June."

My old roommate, BOB GRIFFIN of Bridgeport, Conn., who is working in New Hampshire but will be returning to Law School in the fall, Grif writes the following:

"At BILL BRACKEN's big party in Brooklyn were BOB CLARY, JACK NEARY, TOM MULHERN, HERB DAIKER, DAN O'DONNELL, BILL CLEMENCY, RODDY HAYDEN, plus their dates and a lot of others. BILL CLEMENCY is teaching in Chicago. . . . VINCE LAURITA will be teaching in Chicago. . . . JACK NEARY is going to Seton Hall . . . BOB CLARY is with American Car and Foundry Co. . . ."

CONGRATULATIONS are in order for these two who are taking the big step, and also the many more whom we have been hearing from.

Now that we have started a Class of 1947 column in the "Alumnus," all of you please drop me a line, a card—anything with something about you or members of the class. I need plenty of news and you fellows have really got it I'm sure. Please write it.

(J. D. modestly refrains from adding that he himself is employed by MacDonald-Cook advertising agency in South Bend)

BILL MALONE, law graduate, is working for Miles Laboratories in Elkhart, Ind.

ERNEST DONATH expects to return to the University in September, following his separation from the service.

MILT PRESSON is taking the special pre-State Department exam. course at George Washington University, Washington, D.C.

Michael D. Fanning

The de Porres award, named for a Negro member of the Dominican Order whose canonization is pending, is made each year to the Catholic layman outstanding for his service. As head of one of the largest postal areas in the United States, he installed a personnel policy of hiring and up-grading postal employees on the basis of ability and qualification alone.

Negro leaders in that community have widely praised Mr. Fanning for his policy which has resulted in equal opportunity for Negroes. Whereas previously only two Negroes held supervisory positions in Los Angeles, ten have been able to advance themselves to such posts in his administration.

Mr. Fanning, a member of St. Peter's parish in Los Angeles, is the second Notre Dame man to be postmaster in Los Angeles. The late P. P. O'Brien was also postmaster.

Laymen's Retreat

The Laymen's Retreat, conducted annually at Notre Dame before the war, was resumed Aug. 21-24, with an attendance of 1,500.
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