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HAMMES GIFT WILL PROVIDE BUILDING

A new building to house the Notre Dame Bookstore will be erected on the campus in the near future, it was announced recently by the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., university president.

Construction of the building has been made possible by a gift from Mr. and Mrs. Romy Hammes of Kankakee, Ill., Father Hesburgh said. As president of Romy Hammes Enterprises, Inc., Hammes operates auto dealerships in Kankakee and South Bend, Ind., and has established housing developments in Kankakee and Joliet, Ill., Fort Lee, N. J., and Las Vegas, Nev.

"Notre Dame is deeply grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Hammes for this practical gift which fills a genuine need on our campus," Father Hesburgh said. "The growth of the University in recent years has made the facilities of the present Bookstore inadequate. The handsome structure to be erected through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. Hammes attests to their concern for the development of Notre Dame. "The University is privileged to number them among its most devoted friends."

The new building, to be erected at a cost of approximately $250,000, will be situated along the new quadrangle between Badin Hall and the Post Office. It will be constructed of buff brick with a slate roof. Its architecture will harmonize with other campus structures.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Hammes have long been interested in the University of Notre Dame and its development. Mr. Hammes is a member of the College of Commerce Advisory Council, and Mrs. Hammes is active in the work of the Women's Advisory Council of the University.

Their support of the Church and Catholic education was recognized by Pope Pius XII in 1951 when Mr. Hammes received the Order of St. Gregory the Great, and Mrs. Hammes was honored with the medal "Pro Ecclesia et Pontifici." Each of the Hammes housing developments bear the name "Marycrest" in honor of the Virgin Mary. In each of them, Hammes has made provision for churches and Catholic schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Hammes have given substantial support for the construction of churches and chapels in North Carolina, Formosa, Africa and Japan. They have also assisted in the erection of an orphanage for thousands of homeless children in postwar Italy.

Recognized as a civic leader in Kankakee, Mr. Hammes is a former president of that city's Chamber of Commerce and is active in many civic and professional groups. He is also a member of the advisory board to the Commanding General of the Fifth Army on business matters.

ALL OF THIS FOR $20

Class Reunion Weekend

June 11-12-13

Class of 1904 Howard Hall Class of 1929 Lyons Hall
Class of 1909 Howard Hall Class of 1934 Morrissey Hall
Class of 1914 Howard Hall Class of 1939 Morrissey Hall
Class of 1919 Howard Hall Class of 1944 Walsh Hall
Class of 1924 Howard Hall Class of 1949 Sorin Hall

Friday, June 11

General Registration—Law Building. One fee, $20, will be collected at registration which will cover all of the general and class expenditures.

Class Registration and Room—Registration will be in the halls as listed above.

Weekend golf tournament beginning Friday.

Class events scheduled on Friday night.

1904—Informal class supper, Morris Inn, Golfers Lounge.
1909—Class supper, Morris Inn, Golfers Lounge.
1914—Buffet supper, Morris Inn, Golfers Lounge.
1919—Buffet supper, Morris Inn, Golfers Lounge.
1924—Evening buffet, place to be announced.
1929—Twenty-five Year Silver Jubilee Reunion Dinner, Morris Inn.
1934—Dinner, Lay Faculty Dining Hall.
1939—Buffet, Rockne Memorial.
1944—Class dinner, Walsh Hall Basement.
1949—Reunion supper, Vetville Rec Hall.

Saturday, June 12

Class Masses, Class Pictures (Election of Class Officers for ensuing 5 years can be held on Friday night, or on Saturday, as Class wishes.)

Golf Tournament, all day.

President's Luncheon for the 25-year Class, Lay Faculty Dining Room, Dining Halls.

Box lunches for all other reunion classes Saturday noon.

Progress Forums in the five Colleges of Arts and Letters, Science, Engineering, Law and Commerce, Saturday afternoon.

Tours—I. A. O'Shaughnessy Liberal and Fine Arts Building, Nieuwland Science Hall, Lafortune Student Center, Saturday afternoon.

Movies, Washington Hall, Saturday afternoon.

Annual Alumni Banquet—University Dining Halls, Saturday night.

Sunday, June 13

Low Mass, Sacred Heart, with a Sermon for Notre Dame Men.
REPORTS FROM 95 CLUBS ON UND NIGHT MEETINGS

Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated with 95 local clubs reporting special programs. It was without any doubt the greatest single event that has previously been sponsored by alumni groups throughout the nation and abroad. Sixty-three clubs featured campus representatives on their programs.

The Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., was guest speaker along with Vice-President Richard Nixon at the Washington, D.C., Club’s dinner affair of April 26. Father Hesburgh also was the principal guest in Philadelphia and in Detroit. The Rev. Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., Executive Vice-President, spoke to alumni groups in Toledo, St. Louis and Indianapolis. The Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., Director of the Notre Dame Foundation, was guest speaker at San Antonio, Tulsa, Oklahoma City and Kansas City. The Rev. Francis E. Gartland, C.S.C., editor of the CATHOLIC BOY magazine, was on the alumni club program in Dayton. The Rev. Thomas J. Brennan, C.S.C., professor of philosophy at Notre Dame, spoke to alumni and guests at Milwaukee and Kalamazoo. Alumni Secretary James E. Armstrong was guest speaker at Columbus, Youngstown and Canton.

Lawrence H. Baldinger, Dean of the College of Science, was campus representative at the Rochester, Syracuse and Schenectady meetings. Head football coach Terry Brennan was the Chicago Alumni Club’s speaker.

James G. McGoldrick, New York City, President of the Notre Dame Alumni Association, represented the University at Hartford, Boston and Providence. J. Arthur Rejniers, Director of Lobund Institute, spoke to alumni in South Jersey and Harrisburg. James E. McCarthy, Dean of the College of Commerce, was guest of the Calumet District, Twin Cities and Grand Rapids clubs. Athletic Director Edward W. Krause was the principal speaker at Paterson, the Mid-Hudson Valley, New York City, and Joliet. John F. Druze, assistant football coach, was campus guest at Akron. Assistant coach William Fischer spoke to the Elkhart alumni.

John J. Broderick, Assistant Dean of the College of Law, visited clubs in Dixon, Rockford and Springfield. Basketball coach John J. Jordan was the principal speaker in Muskegon. John Cackley represented the campus at Ft. Smith, Santa Fe, Albuquerque, El Paso, Tucson, Phoenix, San Diego and Jackson.

Progress Made in 12th Annual Alumni Fund

Oklahoma and Minnesota lead the nation in Notre Dame Foundation statistics as this issue of the magazine goes to press. Governor William Sherry’s solicitors have already attained 93.6% of the amount quota assigned to Oklahoma for 1954. Minnesota, under the capable direction of Governor Joseph L. Shiely, Jr., is first in the contributor quota column with 50% achievement.

States with more than half of their amount quota completed include Georgia, and Missouri. Delaware is runner-up to Minnesota in the contributor quota class with 48% received thus far.

Governors, chairmen and committee members in all of the key cities have been conducting a personal solicitation campaign since March 1 and which is scheduled to end on May 20. As of May 10 more than 700 alumni contributions have been received this year over a comparable period in 1953. More than $125,000 has been given to the University in 1954 than during the same time last year.

Unrestricted gifts from alumni to the 12th Annual Alumni Fund will be allocated for the Faculty Development Fund as announced by the Rev. Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., several months ago. The Distinguished Professors Program is underway with contacts being made to corporations for financial aid in underwriting an additional 45 distinguished teachers to the Notre Dame faculty.

WASHINGTON, D.C.—Hon. Richard M. Nixon, Vice-President of the United States, and Father Theodore M. Hesburgh, C.S.C., were principal speakers at UND Night dinner. L. to R.: Gaylord P. Haas, chairman, alumni club board of governors; unidentified guest; Dr. James M. Corcoran, club president; Mr. Nixon; and Valentine B. Deale, president-elect and chairman of UND Night event.
Notre Dame has named Jefferson Caffery, U. S. Ambassador to Egypt, as the recipient of its Laetare Medal for 1954. The award has been made annually since 1883 by the University to an outstanding American Catholic layman.

Ambassador Caffery has been a member of the American Foreign Service for 43 years. He is a senior in point of service to all American ambassadors and has held the rank of chief of mission as ambassador or minister for 28 years. Before assuming his present post in 1949, Caffery served as assistant Secretary of State (1933), and Ambassador to Cuba (1933-37), Brazil (1937-44) and France (1944-49).

**BULLETIN—**
The terrific job being done by clubs and classes is the primary reason why we were unable to get all photos of UND Night events in this magazine. Reports from 99 clubs and 40 classes sets an all-time record for activity in these two categories. Also, this is the largest edition of the ALUMNUS ever published! Our sincere thanks to retiring officers, newly-elected officers, UND Night chairmen and class secretaries for getting the news to us. The next issue will contain club pictures and notes which, because of space shortage, failed to get in this time.—John Cackley

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**Agenda for Club Presidents**

I. The Alumni Association pays transportation expenses of the Presidents.

II. Registration and room assignment, beginning Wednesday afternoon, Walsh Hall.

**THURSDAY, JUNE 10**

8:00 a.m. Mass, Walsh Hall Chapel
9:00 a.m. Breakfast, Cafeteria Dining Halls
10:00 a.m. Opening session, Morris Inn private parlors. James McGoldrick, presiding general sessions; introduction, John Courtney.

Administration welcome opening session, Father Joyce
10:20 a.m. Manual for Alumni Clubs—James E. Armstrong will lead discussion on this basic guide
11:00 a.m. Universal Notre Dame Night—developments, timing, expansion of guests, use of radio and television, campus speakers, and other phases. John N. Cackley will lead the discussion of this great annual Club activity
11:40 a.m. Universal Communion Sunday—James McGoldrick will lead the discussion of this New York Club-founded event, its expansion, possibilities of a family communion Sunday commemorating Knute Rockne, etc.
12:15 p.m. Adjournment
12:45 p.m. Luncheon, Private Dining Rooms, Morris Inn. Notre Dame Clubs as Notre Dame Sees Them, a talk by Father Hesburgh

2:00 p.m. The Notre Dame Foundation, Effect on Clubs and Club Part in Foundation. Father Cavanaugh will lead a discussion on this vital phase of Club activity

**FRIDAY, JUNE 11**

8:00 a.m. Mass, Walsh Hall Chapel, followed by breakfast—Cafeteria
9:30 a.m. Morris Inn private parlors. Open forum based on Question Box and floor discussion, on expanding and stabilizing the Notre Dame Clubs, with unfinished business from the limited discussions, new ideas, terms of officers, campus films, football films, and other pertinent questions such as Club directories, glee club and band concerts, etc.

11:00 a.m. Club financial support of other enterprises, such as charities, retreat houses, seminaries, missions, etc.
12:30 p.m. Closing luncheon, Morris Inn.
I’d like to take this meditative season to sing a little song of the unsung man—the Volunteer Worker.

We have, too often, a tendency to explain the mystery of Notre Dame (or miracle, if you prefer) by prayer, by the Spirit of Notre Dame, or by the patronage of Our Lady.

No one will find me arrayed against these common denominators of our progress.

But stop just a little to consider the Volunteer Worker, who, at the least estimate, has translated these great intangibles into the tangible.

Alumni Board: Possibly the meeting of the Alumni Board stirred this thought.

For all the years I have been Alumni Secretary, the policies and the programs of the Alumni Association have demanded hours of time, thousands of miles of travel, and much profound and unselfish thinking, from the dozen outstanding alumni who have comprised the annual membership of the Board.

Foundation: Possibly it is the forthcoming (at this writing) Foundation conference of 77 State Governors and City Chairmen assembled to be briefed on the arduous program of personal solicitation in their respective areas.

Certainly the magnificent showing of the Foundation for the University in its short years of operation has come in no small part from the spread of the story of Notre Dame into every State and Chairman City by these Governors, the Chairmen and their City Committees.

Class Secretaries: I know that my mind jumped backward a few months to the Conference of Class Secretaries. Their faithful pursuit of the Class Note, and their relaying it to the ALUMNUS pages, have made our unity and mutual interest a much richer thing than many schools can boast. The climax of this devotion of the Secretary, in my experience, was the tremendous labor of love that Louis Buckley contributed to the Silver Jubilee Survey of the Class of 1928. But Lou, and other Secretaries, have contributed many generous years to this maintenance of the admittedly rich ties of campus friendships.

Club Officers: It is inevitable in this soliloquy to anticipate the Club Presidents Council on next June 10. The men who serve as officers of the Local Alumni Clubs are carrying burdens that constantly increase in responsibility. Not only do the numbers of members grow, but the variety of Club programs, and the reflection of new University programs in the community, bring new significance and new work to the network of Volunteer Presidents, Secretaries, Directors, Committee Chairmen, and others who share these assignments.

Prep School Visitors: I would like to separate from all others, too, the men who are constantly interesting young men in coming to Notre Dame. The great values of this work are self-evident. But the long hours of keeping informed on the facts about Notre Dame, the physical demands of the College Day, or the evening meetings with parents, would make a startling total if modesty should ever permit a reasonable tabulation.

Trustees and Councillors: The Alumni Lay Trustees, and the Alumni members of the Advisory Councils have added new and great lustre to the participation of Volunteer Workers in Notre Dame’s progress. And it is not the least of these contributions that they have made possible the asking of similar unselfish services from a growing, great, and appreciated body of friends of the University.

The ‘Talker-Uppers’: And for one last verse in this song of the unsung, I...

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ND Placement Office Appoints Chairmen

The following Notre Dame clubs had, up to April 1, notified the Placement Bureau on the campus that they have functioning placement chairmen who are prepared to assist all Notre Dame alumni, and especially the returning veterans, who are in need of employment assistance:


CHICAGO—James R. Martin, '23, Olney J. Dean Steel Co., 933 E. 95th St., Chicago, Ill.

CLEVELAND—Clayton G. Leroux, '27, Monarch Aluminum Manufacturing Co., Detroit Ave. at West 93rd St., Cleveland, O.


KENTUCKY—Joseph F. Donaldson, '23, 613 Wataga Drive, Louisvile, Ky.

MILWAUKEE—Edward J. Rogers, '17, Layne-Northwest Co., 6005 West Martin Drive, Milwaukee, Wis.

NEW JERSEY—Joseph P. O'Toole, Jr., '48, 74 Longfellow Ave., Newark, N. J.


ST. JOSEPH VALLEY—William R. Dooley, '26, Placement Director, Notre Dame.

Alumni who reside in and/or wish to work in these areas are invited to communicate with the men listed above. Alumni interested employment-wise in other club areas can communicate with the club presidents. The list of placement chairmen in the larger clubs will be expanded as fast as the club presidents make the necessary appointments and send the necessary notifications to the Placement Bureau.

Job-seeking alumni should be reminded again that a personal interview by the employer is a "must" in all employment procedures. On this account, it is virtually impossible for any placement chairman or club president to assist a man in getting a job unless that man is on the scene or prepared to be on the scene. Letters alone won't do it!

While the Placement Bureau at Notre Dame is not able to act as an "employment agency" in the usual sense of the term, it will be happy to assist all job-seeking alumni by giving suggestions on basic principles and procedures in the employment field. Trying in this way to "help the man help himself," the Placement Bureau cooperates with the placement activities of the clubs.


Did the history text that you used in high school contain the equivalent of this quotation: "Man's long struggle for human rights is the theme of this book; therefore, we must have a clear understanding of the term. Human rights are those rights which are based on the natural law: a law natural to man because it was written by God in the hearts of men and man's reason can know it through reflection. . . . Human rights were first expressed in the Ten Commandments. . . . Christ taught that all are equal before God despite mental and physical defects, and are destined for the same end: union with God. Thus the individual assumed new dignity. To a government based on such teaching, human rights could have real meanings."?

This book dedicated to young people of America does. It is written that they may obtain an understanding of man's successes and failures in the past in a manner to help them create a better world for the future.

The high purpose as stated is matched in uniform excellence in integration of content, abundant and superb illustrations, as well as in organization and inclusion of effective teaching and learning aids. Contemporary issues and problems are clearly traced to their roots in the past.

Whether you, fellow alumni, read this book to obtain a panorama of world events from Abraham to Malenkov in terms of their importance in the continuing fight for human rights or purchase it primarily for your high school age son or daughter or for their (or any other public or Catholic school) teacher, you and they will agree that it is masterful.

LARRY F. STAUBER, '29

NORTHERN FLORIDA—Universal Notre Dame participants included, L. to R.: Fred J. Rahaim, president; William R. Dooley, principal speaker; Most Reverend Thomas J. McDonough, Auxiliary Bishop of St. Augustine; Louis J. Finske; and Lester W. Foley, Man-of-the-Year recipient.

*William Neff, Superintendent of City Schools, Mandan, No. Dakota, received his B.S.F.C. from the University of Notre Dame in 1929 and his M.A. in 1930.
CLEVELAND—Participants at the alumni club's Rockne Communion Breakfast event were: Right photo (L. to R.), Charles E. Rohr, co-chairman; club president Flo McCarthy; Archbishop Hoban; and co-chairman J. P. "Pat" Canny. Left photo (L. to R.), Elmer F. Layden; Heartley 'Hunk' Anderson; Jim Armstrong and Pat Canny.

Rockne Communion Breakfast

600 Guests Attend Cleveland Meeting

The Cleveland Club held a most impressive Rockne Memorial Mass and Communion Breakfast on Sunday, March 21. Talks were made by Heartley 'Hunk' Anderson; Elmer Layden; Hugh Devore; Frank Leahy; Terry Brennan; Jim Armstrong; U. S. Senator Tom Burke; Flo McCarthy, club president; Father O'Donnell of the Notre Dame Foundation; Mayor Anthony Celebrezze; Louis B. Selzer, editor of The Press; Wright Bryan, editor of the Plain Dealer; Jack Kennedy, associate editor of the News; and Pat Canny, co-chairman of the Memorial Breakfast along with Charles E. "Chuck" Rohr. The Man-of-the-Year award was presented to Rohr. Joe Boland was toastmaster at the breakfast. The breakfast followed a Memorial Mass at St. John's Cathedral at which Archbishop Edward F. Hoban officiated. All Notre Dame head grid coaches since Rockne died attended the affair except Ed McKeever.

Editorial Comments

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would like to try to picture for you the magnificent contribution to Notre Dame's prestige, made in every part of the world, in all the seasons, and in all the hours of the days and nights, by that undefined army of champions who promote the telling of the great true story of Notre Dame, and are quick to challenge the voices of ignorance or prejudice, or misinformation that, unanswered, would build barriers in Notre Dame's way.

Reward in Heaven: You may not have met all these Volunteer Workers. You must have met some. I have met them all. There are degrees in their intensity, and in their results. And we seek constantly for more. But when Our Lady assembles her Knights in the Courts of Heaven, I feel profoundly that the Volunteer Worker, who gave to Her cause so heedless of his own gain, will be among the smiled upon.

—Jim Armstrong

Notre Dame Alumnus, May-June, 1954
Paterson Committee Solicits Non-Alumni

Two-Month Test Campaign Successful
In New Jersey Area

Foundation City Chairman Joseph A. Abbott, Paterson, N. J., has done one of the most effective jobs to date of soliciting non-alumni gifts in the brief history of the Notre Dame Foundation. Joe tried a test campaign for two months last Fall (November and December) and succeeded in getting 160 contributors to donate more than $1300. His method of operation is a remarkably simple one — and highly productive!

Members of the Paterson committee took five specially-prepared envelopes for non-alumni contacts. Each envelope was numbered which made possible a follow-up on the solicitor. The response of the committee was enthusiastic and many accepted more than the usual five contacts per individual. Two hundred envelopes were distributed to solicitors at this meeting.

These envelopes were stamped and addressed to the Notre Dame Foundation, Notre Dame, Indiana. On the inside flap there was space for the donor’s name and address as well as the solicitor’s name and class year. Contacts were made with sympathetic friends who had never been approached by the University for financial assistance. Concentration was mainly on a minimum of $5 per giver, and it is Joe’s impression that if the amount had been as low as $1 there would have been 100% response from the entire number solicited.

Envelopes were given to neighbors, to personal friends of the solicitor, to the grocery owner—to any one who seemed the slightest bit interested in the University of Notre Dame and a willingness to contribute toward the welfare of educating morally responsible leaders. Donors received a letter of thanks from the Rev. John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., director of the Notre Dame Foundation, and a wallet receipt card in the shape of the Gold Dome. Their names were placed on the mailing list for future editions of the NOTRE DAME magazine so that these new friends of the University could be kept informed of progress on campus.

While at Notre Dame, Joe Abbott was a star trackman and graduated with the Class of 1930. At the present time he is employed as Director of Personnel and Labor Relations of the Federal Telephone and Radio Co., a division of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corp. Joe has been active in the New Jersey Notre Dame Alumni Club and was co-chairman of UND Night this year. He is married and has one son, Joe, Jr., who will enter Georgetown Medical School next September.

It worked in Paterson—and Joe is convinced that with a little effort city chairmen all over the country can stimulate non-alumni giving either by the Paterson method or another similar version which could be just as effective.

JOSEPH ABBOTT, City Chairman

Suggested Reading:

*Mystical City of God*

One of the books most deserving of your attention, this Marian Year, is the Mystical City of God,—the complete life of the Blessed Virgin—as revealed to, and finished in the year 1665, by the Venerable Mary of Agreda. It is a book of private revelations accorded the saintly nun, and enjoyed great popularity in Europe during the late 17th Century.

It is here, for example, that one reads of her birth: “She was born pure and stainless, beautiful and full of grace, thereby demonstrating that she was free from the law and the tribute of sin . . .”

A detailed account of the first Christmas Eve unfolds before your eyes, as you walk through Bethlehem with St. Joseph who knocks at more than fifty doors to ask if there is room for the Author of Life Himself; and His Immaculate Mother.

For 30 years, His Mother was the only disciple whom Our Lord instructed in all that was to pertain to the Church which He was about to found, so that her knowledge was so vast, she knew each member thereof, what he was to do therein, and whether he was to be saved or not. All this was in preparation for the time after Christ’s Ascension when “she alone was the chief support of the primitive Church.” We are told that the Apostles loved her, and vied with one another to do her honor. There was one exception—Judas, who treated her with a coldness that later became outright hatred.

Replete with wonders though it is, this volume consists of private revelations which members of the Church are not required to accept as we do articles of Faith. Nevertheless, these writings have been declared free from error. And on April 29, 1929, His Holiness Pius XI granted the Apostolic Benediction to all readers and promoters of the Mystical City of God.* In this Marian Year it should be especially appropriate.

—Charles M. Carey, C.S.C.
Prefect of Religion

*Available through the Notre Dame Bookstore. The 4-volume set, $24.00; the abridged edition, $7.00; The Daily Meditation, $1.50.
New York’s Clinic
On Career Planning

BY ARTHUR DENNEHY
Public Relations Chairman
Career Planning Clinic

Alumni Club Sponsors
Unique Activity

The young marine wanted to be a salesman. He was due for discharge in about six months and he didn’t want to go back to his job with the public accounting firm. He came to the Notre Dame Club of New York’s clinic on Career Planning. He wanted help to make the switch in jobs without losing benefit of his “accounting major” degree.

After graduation from Notre Dame in 1949 he had been given a short training by the company that hired him at a campus interview. Actually he had only two months experience when he was hauled off to Paris Island. His vacation jobs had been as a soda jerk—he never had been even an assistant to a salesman.

Following Career Planning Clinic techniques he studied the qualifications of the sales job he wanted. After some help he came up with the conclusion he likely could get a sales job with a good company if he could prove he had these qualifications (that he): 1) learns quickly; 2) is a hard worker; 3) saves his money; 4) is a good “team worker”; 5) plans his work intelligently; 6) can handle a tough job; 7) creates a good impression quickly.

He got nine offers of interviews. He got six job offers.

To help such men as this lay plans for the future and carry them out is the satisfying activity of men and women working under Daniel F. Cunningham, Jr., ’27, chairman of the New York Club’s Vocational Guidance and Placement Committee, one of whose activities is the once-a-week Career Planning Clinic. Such extraordinary results, he said, often follow application of modern sales techniques to that special job every man has (but many neglect) the management of his own economic life.

Applied Techniques

The Guidance and Placement Committee drew up a program based on principles first developed by Sidney and Mary Edlund who have conducted classes at high school and college level to demonstrate that vocational guidance can be taught to groups just as are English and accounting and chemistry. These techniques are applied in clinics and forums open to adult men and women in all fields—are used also in individual practice. New York Club governors approved establishment of the clinic which was sanctioned as a “test operation” by the national board of directors of the Notre Dame Alumni Association.

“As we see it, the opportunity is wide open to every Notre Dame Club to sponsor a Career Planning Clinic as a grand public service even if there are not more than 50 or 100 ambitious men and women in the community.”
"Patriot' Award Given
To J. Edgar Hoover
By 1954 Senior Class

Presentation of Notre Dame's new
"Patriot of the Year Award" to FBI
Director J. Edgar Hoover was a high-
light of the 105th annual Washing-
ton's Birthday exercises of the senior class
held on campus.

Official business prevented the vet-
eran Justice Department official from
receiving the award in person but he
designated Harvey G. Foster, special
agent in charge of the FBI's Boston
office, to accept the award in his behalf
and deliver the address which he had
prepared for the occasion. Foster is a
former president of the Notre Dame
Alumni Association.

More than 700 Notre Dame seniors
participated in the traditional Wash-
ington's Birthday convocation in the
University Drill Hall. Continuing a
century-old custom, William J. Guil-
foile of Fond Du Lac, Wis., president
of the senior class, presented an Amer-
ican flag to the University. The flag,
which traditionally is flown for the
first time on the day of the seniors'
graduation, was accepted by the Rev.
Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., executive
vice-president of the University.

Hoover, who has served as Director
of the Federal Bureau of Investigation
since 1924, recently was named "Pa-
triot of the Year" in a poll of Notre
Dame's senior class.

Father Hesburgh was chairman of the 1953 Awards Jury of Freedoms Foundation and is a
member of the Board of Directors. At a recent meeting in Valley Forge, Pa., the Freedoms
Foundation announced the names of 1034 individuals, organizations and schools to receive
honors for their work in bringing about a better understanding of the American Way of Life
during the past year. In the above photo are (L. to R.): Dr. Milton Eisenhower, president,
Penn State College; Kenneth W. Akers, Director, Freedoms Foundation; Father Hesburgh;
Senator Karl Mundt; and Dr. Kenneth D. Wells, president of Freedoms Foundation.

COLUMBUS—The speaker's table at UND Night included, L. to R.: Msgr. Mattingly;
Mrs. Igoe; Jim Armstrong, principal speaker; club president John Igoe; Mrs. Eckenrode;
Foundation City Chairman John Fontana; Mrs. Fontana; and Robert Eckenrode.

SPOKANE—(Photo on left): Frank Herron, president; Dr. John R. Tobin, "Man of the Year"; and Judge Raymond Kelly, speaker.
(Center, new club officers): L. to R., Dr. Robert Mahar, president; Robert L. Rotchford, Jr., vice-president; James Presley, secretary; Ed-
ward J. Bethke, treasurer. (Photo on right) "Men of the Year" at dinner were (L. to R.) Dr. Tobin, 1954; Vincent P. Slatt, 1952;
Thomas A. Lally, 1949; and John P. O'Neill, 1951.
N. D. Basketball Team
Attains New Records

Establishing the best basketball mark percentage-wise since 1942-43, and the most wins since 1935-36, Coach Johnny Jordan's 1953-54 Notre Dame quintet broke seven all-time Notre Dame cage records by compiling 22 victories against only three defeats. Added to this was the fact that the Irish reached the regional finals of the NCAA tournament for the second straight year.

Excluding Jordan, who received "coach of the year" honors from the New York Basketball Writers, much of the credit for Notre Dame's fine season must go to the three 1952-53 regulars who returned this season to form one of the most potent trios in the nation. The returning regulars were Captain Dick Rosenthal, senior center, Joe Bertrand, senior forward, and Jack (Junior) Stephens, junior guard. Combined, they scored 1,339 points of the team's record smashing total for one season of 1,896 points. Rosenthal, gaining second team All-American recognition by INS, and first All-Catholic, paced Notre Dame's "big three" with 506 points, the highest single season total ever registered by an Irish cager. He also set a new three-year record of 1,227 points, surpassing the career mark of 1,065 set by Kevin O'Shea from 1946-50. Bertrand, who was third in Irish scoring with 412 points, set a new single game record of 35 points in a December game with Loyola (Chicago). His three-year mark of 1,052 points places him third behind Rosenthal and O'Shea. The team's second highest pointgetter was Stephens with 421 points. Probably the most consistent player on the squad, Stephens, along with Rosenthal, won a place on the NCAA All-Regional team.

Filling in the other two starting positions were Billy Sullivan, senior guard, and John Fannon, sophomore forward. Sullivan, a reserve in 1952-53 season scored 169 this season and proved invaluable as a rebounder. He played his best game in Notre Dame's 65-64 triumph over Indiana in the NCAA tourney. Fannon, fourth highest scorer with 222 points, was the leading scorer against Navy and Penn on Notre Dame's second eastern swing. Possibly the greatest highlight of the season, in addition to knocking defending champion Indiana out of the NCAA tournament, was a regular season 83-61 victory over Holy Cross, in Boston. This is especially true inasmuch as Holy Cross went on to win the National Invitational tourney.
Alumni Football Ticket Privileges Are Basically Unchanged for 1954

By ROBERT CAHILL
Athletic Ticket Manager

Continuing the policy in effect for the past several years, we set forth again the basic points of information concerning alumni football ticket distribution.

1. Contributors to the Eleventh Annual Alumni Fund in 1953 (please note this year-ahead requirement — a 1954 contribution qualifies you for 1955 — NOT 1954), plus religious and honorary degree holders, are eligible for Advance Sale order forms for 1954. Exception will be made for 1954 graduates of January and June, who will receive Advance Sale forms in their first year as alumni.


3. Advance Sale order forms are good for TWO tickets per game, are not transferable, and will be honored until July 15 or until the ticket supply is exhausted. If an alumnus needs more than two tickets, he must do one of two things: (a) Utilize his Alumni Advance form for two preferred tickets and order additional seats via the General Use form which will arrive the latter part of July; or, (b) if he requires that his total...
order be **adjacent** seats, he MUST waive use of his Advance form and order all his tickets on the General Use application (see paragraph 5 below). Advance orders received which ignore the two-limit will be returned.

4. Advance Order forms for Penn at Philadelphia and SMU at Dallas will be restricted to contributing alumni residing in the area of the game sites. Alumni outside these areas who desire to order such tickets for their personal use (there will be no public sale for these two games) may apply by letter to the Football Ticket Committee. At the close of Advance Sale July 15, these requests will be honored if sufficient tickets remain.

5. General Use application blanks for most games will be sent to ALL alumni the latter part of July. (Distribution of such blanks for Penn and SMU will be determined by extent of the Advance Sale.) This blank must be used by the contributing alumni who requires more than two adjacent seats. It carries no priority and is good only after Alumni Advance Sale closes July 15. It is transferable and will be honored for tickets not claimed during Alumni Advance Sale. General Sale opens August 2 and the Ticket Committee will be glad to send general public blanks to anyone you may designate so long as tickets are available.

6. Consult the accompanying diagram for ticket locations. Please keep in mind that we have about 21,000 alumni, about 10,000 of which are contributors. There are 4,000 seats in Notre Dame Stadium (usually less for away games) available to alumni between the 50-yard line and the goal line. Of these, only 1,600 are in the area between the 35 and 50. Undoubtedly for the Michigan State game, two or three thousand applications will arrive here the first day or two of Alumni sale. Thus alumni seats all the way to the goal line will be accounted for in that brief period!

7. Alumni Clubs interested in group orders should notify the Ticket Committee before July 1 for tentative reservations. Accommodation of group orders, however, depends entirely on demand from individual alumni and no definite assurance can be given until individual sale closes July 15. And we repeat, for the benefit of all Alumni Clubs—seats available for bloc orders can be only the least desirable of our allotment, or what is left after individual orders are filed. Generally speaking, group orders for games away from home are impracticable because of our relatively small ticket allotment.

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**MAILING DETAILS**

No alumnus may use more than one Advance Sale application, nor will a group of orders filled out for various names and addresses be sent to one person.

If for some reason you want your tickets mailed to an address other than your own, you must first fill in your name and class, IN CARE OF the name and address to which you desire the tickets to be mailed.

Our normal ticket mailing is scheduled about ten days in advance of each contest. Please don’t ask for exceptions. Make your own arrangements for forwarding, or furnish address effective for our mailing date, in accordance with instructions of preceding paragraph.

Alumni who wish to be seated together should forward their applications clipped together IN THE SAME ENVELOPE. We can’t seat you adjacently if your orders are filed separately. Nor can we oblige if the order forms are not of the same category; i.e., “Alumni Advance” cannot be seated with “Monogram” orders.

Keep a careful record of your orders as to GAMES, quantities, addresses, amount of each remittance, and DATES submitted. Orders are not acknowledged, and it is often impossible to answer inquiries as the pressure of the season’s detail increases.

To protect you against delay, we urge SEPARATE CHECKS for Michigan State, Pennsylvania, and SMU orders.

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Notre Dame Alumni, May-June, 1954
GREEN BAY—Alumni and guests celebrated UND Night in Green Bay. Participants included, L. to R.: William F. Kerwin, club president; Norbert J. Christman, 'Man of the Year' recipient; Rev. John Feeney; and Jack Vainisi, secretary-treasurer.

TRI-CITIES—Gerald Jones (L) receiving Man-of-the-Year award from past-president Edward Sullivan.

SOUTHERN COLORADO—Alumni and guests enjoyed a dinner party on Universal Notre Dame Night in Colorado Springs.

HAWAII—The head table on UND Night, L. to R.: Father Norman Johnson, C.S.C., '28, chaplain; Mrs. Flynn; Club President Tom Flynn, '35; Mrs. Kelley; Vice-President William Kelley, '44; and Club Secretary Pat Henry, '53.
MUSKEGON—Coach John Jordan was Notre Dame speaker at Muskegon on UND Night. George Ludwig (extreme left) was 'Man of the Year'; George W. Cannon, Jr., club president, is to Jordan's left.

SAN DIEGO—Rt. Rev. Msgr. Francis C. Ott, Pastor of Blessed Sacrament Church and club chaplain, received San Diego's 'Man of the Year' award.

CONNECTICUT—The four state clubs held combined UND Night meeting in Cheshire. Men of the Year are: (L. to R.: (first row), Francis T. Ahearn, Connecticut Valley Club; John J. Galla, Southwestern Connecticut Club; James G. McGoldrick, president of ND Alumni Association; Norbert Henchey, Naugatuck Club; and Joseph Kennedy, New Haven.

CINCINNATI—UND Night was featured by dinner meeting with Father John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., as guest speaker.
SOUTH JERSEY—(Left photo), Reverend Kevin B. O'Doherty; Professor Reijniers, principal speaker; and Reverend Joseph M. Hayden. (Center group), Professor Reijniers; Man of the Year John C. Murphy; and Matt Campanella. (Photo on right), Club President Jim Webb; Mr. Chase; Professor Reijniers; Father O'Doherty; Toastmaster Hyland; and Father Hayden.

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UND Night Meetings

TWIN CITIES—L. to R.: Dean James E. McCarthy, principal speaker; Joseph J. Shiely, toastmaster; and Allan Powers, of the Foundation staff.

DAYTON—(Photo on left), New officers are, L. to R.: Andy Amam, treasurer; Leo Condron, president; Frank McBride, vice-president; and William MacMillan, secretary. (Other photo), Ed Steiner (L.) receives Man of the Year award from Hugh Wall.
Alumni Clubs

Akron
Assistant football coach Johnny Druze was guest speaker at the Akron club's celebration of Universal Notre Dame Night.

Aurora
The club gave a farewell party for BILL FISCHER prior to his departure for Notre Dame as an assistant coach on TERRY BRENNAN's staff. Highlights of the 1947 season film were shown.

Baltimore
Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated with a dinner-meeting at the Park Plaza Hotel. Talks were given by FRANCIS R. CAWLEY, '33, and the Rev. THOMAS FITZPATRICK, C.S.C., '31. The Man of the Year award was presented to PETER HAJEWSKI. FRANK HOCHREITER, '35, was toastmaster. Officers elected for 1954-55 are: JAMES H. MURRAY, president; JOSEPH FONS, vice-president; JAMES BARRETT, secretary; and PETER HAJEWSKI, treasurer. About 80 alumni and guests attended the dinner which was preceded by the usual cocktail party.

A check for $210 was received by the Notre Dame Foundation as a result of the Vagabond Theatre party on January 12. The contribution was applied towards Baltimore's chemistry room. The club gave a farewell party for BILL FISCHER prior to his departure for Notre Dame as an assistant coach on TERRY BRENAN'S staff. Talks were given by FRANCIS R. AWaley.

Highlights of the 1953 football season were shown and talks given by MARCE VERBIEST,

Blue Water District
The local alumni club held a meeting in January with Highlights of the 1953 football season being shown and talks given by MARCE VERBIEST, Foundation Governor in Michigan, and JOHN CACKLEY from the campus office. HARRY ERB, Jr., '46, introduced the program. President WILLIAM WILSON, '42, presided.

Boston
The Boston Club's Communion Breakfast was held on Sunday, December 6, 1953. Nine o'clock Mass was celebrated by Rev. CORNELIUS J. DONOVAN, '39, at the Blessed Sacrament Chapel, the Holy Cross cathedral, Boston. Breakfast followed at the Statler Hotel. JOHN V. MORAN, '30, chairman. It was the largest turnout the Boston Club has had in recent years for a communion breakfast and we hope it's an indication of larger numbers for future affairs.

The Boston Club's Scholarship Fund.

Birmingham
An informal meeting of Notre Dame Alumni was held in Birmingham on March 31, at the the Knights of Columbus home. Proposed projects for the year were outlined and communion breakfast were planned for the latter part of April.

—Harry C. Reich, '48

Manchester
The Manchester Alumni Club held its annual meeting on January 20, 1954. President JAMES H. MURRAY outlined club activities for the coming year and appointed committees for the same.

The officers for the ensuing year are:

President: CHARLES J. PATTERSON, '44; President-Elect: WILLIAM SULLIVAN, '50, Vice-President: WILLIAM M. HEALY, JR., '44 Treasurer: MICHAEL B. MANZO, '46, Secretary:

ARMS D. HOLLAND, '34, Secretary.

The members of the board of directors at the Annual Meeting were: JOSEPH W. O'REILLY, '40, JOHN W. JORDAN, '53, and JOHN F. SAUNDERS, '31. John Burke has served as Club President for two years. He is Vice-President of John C. Dowd, Inc., Advertising Specialists, 212 Park Square Building, Boston 16. President Patterson outlined club activities for the coming year and appointed committees for the same.

Two most welcome visitors for UND Night from the Notre Dame campus were Father ROBERT J. LOCHNER and Asst. Dean SMITH of the Commerce School, who were in Boston for a convention.

Notre Dame is well represented with feature writers on the Boston papers. J. RICHARD LAMERE '49 is with the Boston Herald-Traveler, JOHN J. SULLIVAN '50 with the Boston Post and JOHN E. CONWAY '46 with the Boston Advertiser. The latter two have both been recently married. John Sullivan is living in Lynn and Jack Conway has moved to Winchester following a Bermuda honeymoon. Jack was married February 6, 1954.

—Dick Herlihy

ST. LOUIS—Head table at UND Night dinner included, L. to R.: John J. Griffin, Jr., toastmaster; Mrs. McNeil; Father Marchetti; Mrs. Convy; Father Joyce, principal speaker; George Convy; Msgr. Byrne; Mrs. Griffin; Father Reeves; and Fred McNeil.

BUFFALO

At an enthusiastic meeting attended by about 100 members and presided over by retiring President, JIM CLAUS, ’44, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, RICHARD THOEN; ’39; Vice-President, CHARLES HANNA, ’16; Treasurer, NICHOLAS WILLETT, ’48; Secretary, PAUL ALLWEIN ’49.

Added to the Board of Directors were:

JACK SHINE, MAURY QUINN, RALPH ELSE, PAUL ALLWEIN.

President Thoen dedicated the Club to the Blessed Mother for the Marian Year. We planned a football excursion to Pittsburgh in the Fall.

When the Irish basketball squad came to town to play Canisius we held a luncheon the day of the game. Co-chairmen TOM DOWD and NICK WILLETT, ’48, had the SRO signs out with a full house. The rival coaches, Joe Curran and JOHNNY JORDAN gave excellent talks followed by Father Dobson, president of Canisius, and FATHER JOYCE of Notre Dame. Movies of the Football Highlights of ’53 were also on the program.

Our annual Retreat at Derby-on-the-Lake run by the Columban Fathers set a new attendance record, 19 Club members spent a fruitful weekend. MAURY QUINN was the Chairman.

JIM FRICK was in town April 6, and, after dinner with about 10 of us, presented some startling and encouraging figures on Alumni giving. Plans were set up to complete the Buffalo Area Foundation program by May 20.

Universal Notre Dame Night, May 3rd, was a genuine success. Co-chairmen DON MAHONEY and JACK LEVIGNE earned our appreciation for the excellent program which followed a smorgasbord. WILLIAM B. LAWLESS, ’44, Corporation Counsel for the City of Buffalo, was the principal speaker. The Scholarship Committee, led by RALPH ELSE, finished a year’s hard work by awarding a 4-year scholarship to Notre Dame to GEORGE NAVADEL. George and his parents were our guests for the evening. Our goal is to set up a permanent scholarship fund at the University.

—Paul J. Allwein

SAGINAW VALLEY—The combined alumni groups in Saginaw, Bay City and Midland celebrated UND Night with stag dinner meeting.

CALUMET

Universal Notre Dame Night was climaxd by the Calumet Club when, before a capacity crowd of members and their guests, they presented their “Man of the Year” award to TIMOTHY “TIM” GALVIN of Hammond. The presentation was made at Phil Smith’s Restaurant in Whiting.

Galvin, class of 1916, is an Attorney in Hammond, Indiana. He was honored by the Club for his many civic activities and contributions to his community, as one of the charter members and first officers of the Alumni Club, for his many activities in the Knights of Columbus, and for his active support of the University during and since his graduation.

The address of the evening was made by Dean JAMES McCARTHY of the School of Commerce. He dealt with the great need for moral leadership in the United States. He went on to say that since 1897, when the U. S became for the first time a creditor nation, as opposed to a debtor nation, they have made tremendous strides until today when they are looked upon by the
whole world for leadership. However, moral leadership has not developed as quickly as they have in other fields—political, military and economic. McCarthy emphasized the need for great teachers in all of the country’s educational institutions to guide Americans to higher moral values.

Among the approximately 185 in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Armstrong of the Alumni Office and Mr. and Mrs. William "Bill" Dooley. Bill, a former officer in our Club, received quite a few old acquaintances.

Jack Ogren, 1949, was elected president of the Club for the next two years. He will be assisted by Jerry Gainer, 1913, re-elected vice-president, Tom Clifford, '49, treasurer, and Ernie Huffman, '49, re-elected secretary.

James Morrison, the outgoing presby, was elected to a spot on the Board of Directors, where he will join Bill Riley '38, and Jim Purcell, '42.

In a special presentation, the Board of Di¬rectors awarded James Glenn, '43, an appropriately engraved plaque for his outstanding work as president of the Club from 1949-1951. Jim was commended for his excellent efforts in reviving the club after the war years.

—Ernie Huffman, Sec'y.

Canton

The Notre Dame Club of Canton enjoyed a stag observance of Universal Notre Dame Night on Thursday, April 29. In a very attractive country club atmosphere, highlighted by the presence of eight high school seniors accepted for Notre Dame in September of 1954, by an excellent crowd, an excellent meal, and by the first appearance in the Club of James E. Armstrong, alumni secretary, Lou Singer, '48, new president of the Club, who succeeded Charles J. Kennedy, '49, president at the dinner. The talk was followed by a question period for the new students present, and a later informal group at the Belden Hotel asked and answered all other questions. A good background of well-blended membership should keep the Canton program increasing to meet the promising addition to the Club of such young men as those who were at the Belden Hotel asked and answered all other questions. A good background of well-blended membership should keep the Canton program increasing to meet the promising addition to the Club of such young men as those who were attending a dinner followed by dancing at the Yates Hotel.

Lawrence Baldinger, Dean of the College of Science at the University of Notre Dame was the guest speaker. He chose as his topic the College of Science at the University of Notre Dame Night dinner April 26 at the Morrison hotel, enthusiastically applauded talks by former coach Frank Leahy and his successor, Terry Brennan, on the past, present, and future of football at Notre Dame.

Loudest applause of the evening came follow¬ing another feature of the dinner—the presenta¬tion of an award by the club to Leahy as "Man of the Campus for 1953." Awards of this nature, which are made with the cooperation of the University, are an annual event at Universal Notre Dame night in Chicago.

Football was not the only activity receiving attention during the evening, however. Another favorite concern of the Irish—politics—also came in for its share of attention when the toastmaster of the dinner was announced. He was Shannon, Illinois, who was lieutenant governor under Adlai Stevenson, and fought a gal¬lant battle in the last gubernatorial campaign as Democratic nominee.

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Central Illinois

The alumni club observed Universal Notre Dame Night with Mr. John J. Broderick, as¬tistant dean of the College of Law, as guest speaker from the campus.

Central New York

The University of Notre Dame Club of Central New York celebrated Universal Notre Dame night with over 100 alumni, wives and guests attending a dinner followed by dancing at the Yates Hotel.

Dale Carman, Lawrence Baldinger, Dean of the College of Science at the University of Notre Dame was the guest speaker. He chose as his topic the "Great Teaching Project," which is being em¬phasized this year throughout the United States.

Doctor Thomas E. Snyder of East Syra¬cuse, was chairman of the dinner assisted by Mrs. Daniel A. Kelley who is serving as auxiliary chairman.

Philip G. Kelley is President of the Alumni organization and Thomas R. Herbert and Robert G. Sullivan are Vice Presidents, and Paul Lener is Secretary and Treas¬urer. Mrs. Edwin W. Kenefake is President of the Auxiliary.

Central Pennsylvania

The Notre Dame Club of Central Pennsyl¬vania held its election of officers at the resi¬dence of Father Philip O'Donnell in Altoona on Sunday, March 28. The following officers were elected:


We were fortunate in having secured Father John Cavanaugh as principal speaker for our Universal Notre Dame Night Dinner on April 27.

Chicago

Nearly 650 members and friends of the Notre Dame Club of Chicago, gathered for the 1954 Universal Notre Dame Night dinner April 26 at the Morrison hotel, enthusiastically applauded talks by former coach Frank Leahy and his successor, Terry Brennan, on the past, present, and future of football at Notre Dame.

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George Menard, '34, and the new secre¬tary, Murphy, were co-chairmen of the annual event.

Retiring president Gil Seaman, '31, num¬bered the year's events and paid tribute to his officers, board of directors, and committee chairmen. "Only at the end of his year can a club president realize what a heavy burden he assumed at the beginning of his term," said Seaman. "Only then, too, does he realize the true extent of his debt to the friends who under¬took the responsibility of running affairs such as this one, the golf tournament, communion breakfast, and so forth."

President O'Shaughnessy also spoke briefly, welcoming the guests and assuring members he would make every effort to continue the fine rec¬ord of his predecessors in the coming year.

A social get-together following the speeches concluded the evening.

BUFFALO—Participants in the luncheon, given by ND Club of Buffalo, preceding Canisius¬Notre Dame basketball game. L. to R.: Coach Johnny Jordan of Notre Dame; Coach Joe Curran of Canisius; Father Edmund P. Joyce, C.S.C., executive vice-president of Notre Dame; Father Dobson, president of Canisius; and James F. Claus, club president.
Cincinnati

The NCAA Convention was held in Cincinnati during the first part of January. Our Club gave a party in the Victory Room of the Sheraton-Gibson Hotel for all ND men attending the convention. JOE MORRISSEY was the able chairman, as he was two years ago when the Association met here. He was assisted by JOE MEYER, PAUL SCHWETZCHENAU and JIM BARTLETT.

Our observance of Universal Notre Dame Night took place on April 29, with a formal dinner in the Restaurant Continental of The Netherlands Plaza Hotel. The dinner was preceded by a reception, Father JOHN J. CAVANAUGH, C.S.C. Director of the Notre Dame Foundation was the guest of honor and principal speaker. Others on the program were Archbishop Carl J. Alter, D.D. and Councilman JOHN J. GILLIGAN, Councilman Gilligan, a Notre Dame graduate and club member, represented the city in the absence of Mayor Edward N. Waldvogel, who was unable to attend because of illness. BOB McGINNESS, '47, Secretary.

Johnny Lattner, Notre Dame's All-American halfback, was the winner of this year's Cleveland Downtown Club's Player of the Year award. The dinner, which was attended by many alumni, was held at the Cleveland Athletic Club. The Cleveland Club observed Universal Notre Dame Night at Rohr's Restaurant on April 29, 1954 at which time the annual election of officers took place.


Ohio Valley

The Ohio Valley Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated on April 26—and it was a grand affair. Ninety members and wives enjoyed a deluxe dinner of chicken paprikas (a Hungarian entree) and fresh fruit. Nineteen honorary guests and their wives were guests and their comments on the occasion were noted for the manner in which they counseled the participants. One of our newest members, LARRY STEMPEL, was elected to the Board.

Kalamazoo—The Kalamazoo and Battle Creek clubs combined to celebrate UND Night. Photo on left (L. to R.) Mrs. Yaeger; George Sargus, retiring president; William Yaeger, ‘Man of the Year'; Russell Rickus, new president; and Robert Sincavich, vice-president.
SAN DIEGO—Alumni and guests attended UND Night dinner in Marlin Inn. Jack McClaren, club president, was toastmaster. John Cackley represented the campus as guest speaker.

William Murray of the Southwestern Club organized the dinner and received the cooperation of the other three clubs in the state. I would say that, in every respect, the dinner was a complete success; by acclamation the affair was deemed worthy of repetition in years to come.

—Joseph F. Burns, Sec-Treas.

Dayton

Our annual UND Night was held Monday, April 26, at Asticole's Restaurant with the largest turnout that we have ever experienced at this annual affair. It was our privilege to have as our guest the Editor of the Catholic Boy, Fr. Frank Garlold, C.S.C., who spoke on the subject, "Great Teachings."

Mr. Hugh Wall, Jr., prominent Dayton attorney, was the recipient of our ND Man of the Year award. This presentation was made by our former president, Ed Steiner. Also, Mr. Steiner announced the Board of Directors. They are Ed Steiner, Gene Mayl, Frank McBride, Leo Condon, Dick Pohl, and Ed Duffy.

After Fr. Garlold's fine talk, Mr. Leo Condon presented him with $865 for the Scholarship Fund and $200 for the ND Foundation. This, incidentally, brings the Scholarship Fund to the total of $2,000.

At the conclusion of festivities, the following officers were elected—John Murphy, '28, president; Gene Coyle, Vice-Pres.; Larry Steimer, Secretary and "BO" Nestor, Treasurer. Joe Kinneary and Bob Echenrode were installed as Trustees.

The agenda (in alphabetical order) was as follows:

1. Recognition of those members who have sponsored the UND Night dinner for the past five years.
2. A report on the Foundation Fund showing for this current Foundation year.
5. A report by the Alumni Secretary, Jim Armstrong, as the eye catching setting of Honka's Provincial House.
6. A report by the President, John F. Robinson, '28; Vice-President, William Gallo, '25; Treasurer, John Bright, '43; Secretary, James Flaherty, Jr., '53.
7. A report by the President of the Notre Dame Alumni Association. Other Man of the Year award recipients were: Norbert Honka, President of the Notre Dame Alumni Association; Bishop McGuinness; and Ed Kavanaugh, '38, club president. Father Alfred Mendez, C.S.C., was guest speaker from Notre Dame.

OKLAHOMA CITY—Man of the Year' was Bishop Eugene J. McGuinness. L. to R.: Dick Hoff, '52; Bishop McGuinness; and Ed Kavanaugh, '38, club president. Father Alfred Mendez, C.S.C., was guest speaker from Notre Dame.

Notre Dame Alumni, May-June, 1954
NEW JERSEY—Athletic Director Ed Krause was principal speaker on UND Night. Other guests are: (seated) L. to R., Father Philip Hoover; Dr. Philip Provisiero, vice-president; Krause; toastmaster Jack Lavelle; dinner chairman Joe Abbott; John Law, ’29 grid captain; John Winberry, ND Foundation Governor in New Jersey; and (standing) L. to R.: Frank Ruggiero, Angelo Bertelli, Frank Tri-pucka, Jim McGuirk, Norm Burnett, Dan Halpin, Jim White and Jack Long.

men were elected to the respective positions: Pres., LEO CONDRON, ’49; Vice-pres., FRANK McBRIE, ’50; Secretary, BILL MacMILLAN, ’32; Treasurer, ANDY AMAN, ’50.
—Harry E. Worman

Dearborn

The Dearborn Club was honored on the occasion of its 5th Annual Communion Breakfast Sunday on April 4th by having Notre Dame University’s President, REV. THEODORE M. HESBURGH C.S.C., celebrate the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass at St. Bernadette’s Church and give the principal talk after breakfast at the Dearborn Inn. His inspiring talk on “The Notre Dame Family” was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Mr. Henry Ford II, president of the Ford Motor Company, was named the Dearborn Club’s “Man of the Year.” Fr. Hesburgh presented the award to Mr. William C. Fine, director of the Ford Motor Company Scholarship Fund, who accepted it for Mr. Ford in behalf of Fr. Hesburgh and the other collegiate educators who have encouraged and assisted the Ford Foundation and its educational philanthropies.

The newly elected club officers were introduced by outgoing president and chairman of the board, FRANK DEANER, ’49, who presented the club’s annual past-president plaque for a job well-done in ’53. The new officers are: President—FRANK DEANER, ’49, 5711 Waterbury Rd., Des Moines 12, Iowa.
Vice-President—DR. JOHN CONDON, ’36, 306 60th Street, Des Moines 12, Iowa.
Secretary—TONI POJMAN, Jr.
Treasurer—ROBERT DREY, ’53.

While in Denver, he made three television and one radio appearance. About 70 members of the club attended the luncheon which was arranged by Dr. DAN MONAGHAN, ’38, and ROY FLYNN, ’50, co-chairmen; Judge AL FRANTZ, ’29, and TOM GARGAN, ’49.

FATHER THOMAS O’DONNELL, C.S.C., assistant to Father Cavanaugh in the Notre Dame Foundation, was guest speaker at the Universal Notre Dame Night celebration in Denver.

The Denver Notre Dame Club has elected the following named officers and directors for the term of April 22, 1954 to April, Universal Notre Dame Night, 1955:

Judge ALBERT T. FRANTZ, ’29, 549 South Josephine, Denver—President.
DR. PHILLIP J. CLARKE, ’44, 1956 Hudson, Denver—Vice-President.
WALTER L. SCHRADER, ’37, 2714 South Hooker, Westwood, Colo.—Secretary.
JOHN D. RYAN, ’47, 1900 Eudora, Denver—Treasurer.
THOMAS J. GARGAN, ’49; ROBERT J. FLYNN, ’39; Dr. JOHN G. HEMMING, ’34; and GERARD J. SMITH, ’27, as directors. The new president automatically becomes the fifth di­rector under our organizational setup.
—Anton Pujman, Jr.

Des Moines

The Club has elected the following officers for 1954:
President—LOUIS F. KURTZ, ’43, 213 42nd Street, Des Moines 12, Iowa.
Vice-President—KENNETH J. RENSTREW, ’30, 256 60th Street, Des Moines 12, Iowa.
Secretary Treasurer—ROBERT DREY, ’53, 5711 Waterbury Rd., Des Moines 12, Iowa.

Detroit

Since the Alumnus went to press the club has held a supper-dance at the Latin Quarter with LARRY SMITH, ’49, serving as chairman in charge of reservations.

The club had special reservations at the Detroit Times Downtown Club’s annual dinner which honored Lattner, who received the club award, and head coach TERRY BRENNAN and Athletic Director ED KRAUSE.

The club’s annual Manresa Retreat was held the weekend of March 5-7. TIM CRUICE, ’38, and ROY BARRON, ’57, served as chairmen. Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated on April 4.

GRAND RAPIDS—Dean James E. McCarthy was featured speaker at the club’s UND Night dinner. L. to R.: Joseph Moore, Frank Fallon, Dean McCarthy, Leo Walsh and John Flanagan. The Club gave $300 to the University at the meeting.
at the Latin Quarter on April 28 with FATHER HESBURGH, Ralph D. Paine, Jr., publisher of Fortune magazine and Maj. Gen. Frank A. Armstrong, Commandant of the Second Air Force as guest speakers. Toastmaster was John J. Pugla, vice-president of Ford Motor Company. EDWARD A. GAGE, '29, was chairman of the affair.

New club officers are as follows: JOHN W. ANHUT, president; ARTHUR D. CRONIN, JR., first vice president; JAMES J. BYRNE, second vice president; EDWARD A. GAGE, secretary; WILLIAM C. RONEY, JR., treasurer.

**Eastern Kansas**

On Sunday, March 14, 1954, the first meeting of the Notre Dame Club of Eastern Kansas was held at Hayden High School, Topeka, Kansas, JOHN PARRY, temporary chairman, called the meeting to order. He announced that the purpose of the meeting was to form the Notre Dame Club of Eastern Kansas. The following Notre Dame graduates were in attendance:


Also attending were members of the Hayden High School Booster’s Club, and fathers of present and former Notre Dame students.

Chairman PARRY turned the meeting over to GEORGE SCHWARZ, '25, of Wichita, Kansas, who outlined the purpose of the club and its functions in relation to the University.

Larry "Moon" Mullins, '31, Director of Athletics at Kansas State College then addressed the group. He recalled some highlights of his college days; particularly the Army games of 1928-29-30. Following Mullins’ talk an election of officers was held in which these men were elected:

President, JOHN PARRY, '49; Vice-President, LARRY "Moon" MULLINS, '31; Secretary-Treasurer, PAUL HURD, '44.

The Notre Dame Club of Eastern Kansas had its second meeting on Universal Notre Dame Night, April 26, 1954. The meeting was attended by the following alumni:


The last two men on the above list were unexpected guests at our meeting. They were both lieutenants in the Air Force and are now stationed at Forbes Air Force Base in Topeka.

In addition to the alumni members, there were thirty associate members at the meeting. President JACK PARRY opened the meeting with a talk on the origin of Universal Notre Dame Night and its purpose. He specifically mentioned that the theme for 1954 was the Distinguished Professors Program. This talk was followed by a movie which was sent to us by the University. The movie, "The University of Notre Dame—Today and Tomorrow," was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

The closing item on the program was a thirteen minute movie entitled "The Rock of Notre Dame," a graphic and interesting film hitting the highlights of the life of Knute Rockne.

**Elkhart**

The annual business-dinner meeting of the Elkhart Club was held on February 4. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

ROBERT F. HOLTZ, '38, president; ALPHONSE J. SPAHN, '48, vice-president; DANIEL P. WYNYKOSKY, '50, secretary-treasurer.

About 40 members and guests of the Notre Dame Club of Elkhart County attended the dinner held at the Empire Room of the Hotel Elkhart on April 26 to observe Universal Notre Dame Night.

Pres. ROBERT HOLTZ gave a brief talk on the club’s work in our county and to the work alicad.

AUSTIN GILDEA, committee president, introduced the speaker of the evening.

The guest speaker, BILL FISCHER, the new line coach at the University, commented on the promising prospects for the coming years in football.

CHARLES OWENS, a member of the committee, helped show movies of the runaway game of the 1953 football season were shown and JOHN CACKLEY of the campus office gave a brief talk about the University. Chairman for the affair were LEON WOODFORD, '16, and A. J. DeDARIO, '59.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Father Hesburgh and William D. Kavanaugh, 'Man of the Year' recipient, at UND Night dinner in Sheraton Carlton Hotel.

KENTUCKY—'Man-of-the-Year Roger Huter (left), Father Louis Thornton, C.S.C., principal speaker, and Otto J. Ailet, Jr., outgoing president.

FORT WAYNE—Robert Kearney (left), club president, presents 'Man of the Year' award to Roy E. Grimmer.

NEW ORLEANS—'Man-of-the-Year was Jules D. de la Vergne (left); Father Thornton was principal speaker; and William Johnston was re-elected club president.
Fort Lauderdale

Representing practically all the available membership in a small club, 50 members and their guests gathered in the Governor's Club Hotel in Fort Lauderdale on April 26 to observe Universal Notre Dame Night with a dinner meeting which was a huge success! 1953 Notre Dame football movies and group singing were enjoyed by all. The large turnout made Universal Notre Dame Night in Erie a huge success! —Thomas J. MacCorkle, Sec'y.

Fort Wayne

The Ft. Wayne club observed their third annual Day of Recollection on March 21 at the Sacred Heart Seminary. The Crosier Fathers were host and the Rev. Fred Westendorf, club chaplain, was moderator. The committee consisted of Roy Grimm, Jr., ’46, chairman, John Palmer, ’40, Paul Schirmeyer, ’40, and Robert Klingenberg, ’51.

Grand Rapids

Dean James E. McCarthy was featured speaker on UND Night. Francis X. Fallon was chairman and Leo W. Walsh acted as toastmaster. George Jackboice received the Man of the Year award. Fr. Strahan, club chaplain, was also on the speaking program. About 150 alumni and guests attended the affair. New officers were elected: Edward N. O’Malley, Pres.; Joseph W. Waters, V-pres.; Francis J. Geary, sec'y.; and Charles W. Duffy, treas.

Green Bay

About forty members of the Notre Dame Club of Green Bay and their wives met for cocktails and dinner in the main dining room of the

Pittsburgh—Father John J. Cavanaugh, C.S.C., Director of Notre Dame Foundation, was guest speaker. L. to R.: Father Vince Brennan, chaplain; Hon. David L. Lawrence, Mayor of Pittsburgh; Father Cavanaugh; Lawrence R. Smith, club president; Earl W. Brieger, president-elect; and John A. Briley, ‘Man of the Year.’


—William Gorman Brock, ’49, Sec’y-Treas.

Erie

A summary of events sponsored by the Erie Club in the past few months.

Last summer on July 20, a luncheon was enjoyed by 25 alumni at Sugartas Cafe to discuss plans for the Annual Picnic. On August 1, new officers were elected. Then August 9 our Summer Picnic took place with an attendance of 170 alumni, students and friends. In the heart of heavy traffic, on Nov. 24 we held a ‘smoker’ at Erie Brewing Company featuring football highlights and refreshments with an attendance of 27 alumni. Dec. 8 we celebrated Universal ND Communion Sunday with Mass and Communion at St. Peter’s Cathedral and breakfast at Howard Johnson Restaurant. Our speaker was Mgr. Watson, pastor of St. Peter’s Cathedral and his subject was ‘The Role of the Catholic Graduate in His Community.’ Our Christmas Dance was held on Dec. 28 at Dore’s Auditorium. It was a beautiful affair and we received many compliments. Attendance—80 couples. An autographed football was raffled off.

The Notre Dame Alumni Club of Erie, Pennsylvania, celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night on Wednesday, April 22, 1954, at the ‘Rathskeller.’ 1953 Notre Dame football movies and group singing were enjoyed by all. The large turnout made Universal Notre Dame Night in Erie a huge success! —Thomas J. MacCorkle, Sec’y.

El Paso

New officers for the El Paso Club are as follows: President, William E. Ford, ’43; Vice-President, Richard S. Smith, ’57; Secretary, William G. Brock, ’49; Treasurer, Gus F. Momsen, Jr., ’49; Invocation was given by the Rev. James Elliot, pastor of the St. Thomas Catholic Church.

Formal installation of new officers and directors for the coming year was fulfilled.}

between Notre Dame and Southern California.}

Invocation was given by the Rev. James Elliot of the St. Thomas Catholic Church. New officers and directors for 1954 are: President: Robert Holtz, ’38; Vice-Pres.: Alphonse J. Spain, ’48; Secretary-Treas.: Daniel Wynykoski, ’50; 3-year terms: James Cavanaugh and O. Probst; 2-year terms: Austin Gildea and James Simpson; 1-year term: Carl Burnet and Leon Woodford.

—Daniel Wynykoski, Sec’y-Treas.

FORT WAYNE—Father Philip S. Moore, C.S.C., was guest speaker on UND night. L. to R.: William Middendorf, chairman; Father Moore; and Henry Hasley, toastmaster.
Olton Transportation Company April 26 to celebrate tie-up with nine transit routes.

President WILLIAM F. KERWIN and Secretary-Treasurer JACK A. VAINISI planned the program for the evening festivities.

The Rev. JOHN FEENEY, '48, addressed the audience on the subject: "Great Teaching." He said that in this era of American world leadership, the nation desperately needs great teachers to educate our young people for the responsibilities ahead.

NORTER J. CHRISTMAN, '32, prominent Green Bay businessman, was awarded the Notre Dame Man of the Year Trophy. Mr. Christman is more than qualified for this award because of his Catholic principles, devotion to family, and uniting work toward civic welfare.

The program closed with the showing of the 1933 Notre Dame football highlights.

—Jack Valensi, Sec'y.

Harrisburg

UND Night was celebrated with a dinner meeting which featured an address by Prof. James A. Reynolds of Lubon. He described the work underway in the theology labs on campus.

ROBERT M. JOHNSON was toastmaster. Club officers are: LOUIS O'BRIEN, pres.; CYRIL WILSON, Jr., vice-pres.; GILLESPIE, JR., treas.; and JOHN McNEILL, sec'y. About 60 alumni members and guests were present.

Hawaii

Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated on April 26, with 40 alumni and guests in attendance. Club president THOMAS W. FLYNN had charge of the program and talks were given by Father NORMAN JOHNSON, C.S.C., and PAT HENRY.

Houston

The club held a luncheon in honor of Notre Dame students when they were home during the homecoming during the fall. Father W.H. WHALE, '23, was in charge of the arrangements and did an extremely fine job. Also, since the Alumni last went to press, the club has held a Communion Breakfast and a Christmas Dance.

The club sponsored a successful University Glen Golf club concert in February for the benefit of St. Michael's Church and netted in excess of $1,000 for their efforts. Father Tom Cenon of St. Michael's instructed the money in helping to erect a new school.

The club also held recently a very successful retreat.

Idaho

The Notre Dame Club of Idaho held its 1954 UND Night celebration at the Victoria Dining Room, Boise, on Saturday, April 24, with 23 people attending and Rev. ROBERT H. SWE-NEY, C.S.C., director of the University of Portland Foundation as guest speaker.

In his second appearance before the Idaho UND Night gathering in as many years Father Sweeney delivered another excellent address stressing the immediate aims of the Notre Dame Foundation in Idaho and the need of more great scholars for Notre Dame. Father described a great scholar as one who knows truth when he sees it, and uses it, and has as his primary purpose in instructing students to learn and understand them in college, and consequently to use these truths to properly evaluate situations in real life. Father Sweeney told of some of the more pressing problems being faced today by private schools and spoke of Christian education in general. A surprise guest for the evening was R. CON-ROY SCOGGINS, '24, Houston, Texas, past National President of the Notre Dame Alumni Association, and presently Supreme National Di-rector of the Knights of Columbus. Mr. Scroggins in Bainbridge was the Idaho Knights of Columbus at their 7th Annual Holy Communion Rally the following day, and by this coincidence we had the pleasure of his company.

Newcomer MIKE FRAWLEY and his wife were welcomed into the Idaho Club having been transferred to Seattle from California with the National Cash Register Company.

JOE NETTLETON, '29, of Murphy, Idaho, extended his kind hospitality for the Club's sum-

and a recipient of an Honorary Degree conferred in 1911.

On April 29th, the Kansas City Notre Dame Club was honored with the presence of FATHER MENNEZ, Director of Scholarship and Awards for the University, who was guest speaker for our Universal Notre Dame Night program.

Kentucky

The celebration of UND Night, April 26, successfully brought to a close the 31st year of our Kentucky Club’s existence. It was a gala affair highlighted by an address by Father Louis J. Thornton, Director of Admissions at the University.

The Annual Notre Dame Man of the Year award was presented to ROGER J. HUTER, Foundation Governor of Kentucky and former club president, in recognition of his work on the Notre Dame Foundation, his many club activities and his all-around loyalty and devotion to Notre Dame.

The newly elected club officers who were introduced on UND Night are: J. L. “BUD” WILLENBRINK, ‘47, president; JOHN BANNON, ‘32, first vice-president; CHARLES MARGUET, ‘36, second vice-president; PAUL MALONEY, ‘32, secretary; JACK BARRETT, ‘47, treasurer; JOE HARMON, ‘28, scholarship chairman; BILL PALMIER, ‘48, scholarship treasurer.

The arrangements for UND Night were under the direction of OSCAR VAN ALLEN, Jr., who did a magnificent job.

—Otto J. Miletich, Jr.

Los Angeles

The Notre Dame Club of Los Angeles observed Universal Notre Dame Night at a dinner meeting held at the Los Angeles Breakfast Club. The program, arranged by Co-Chairmen CHARLES MURPHY, ‘28, and CHARLES GASS, ‘30, had Mr. Frank Fay as master of ceremonies and included an interesting talk by Rev. W. H. ROBINSON, C.S.C., Mr. John Kirby, and Rt. Rev. Mon. Patrick J. Digan, the Superintendent of Schools for the Archdiocese of Los Angeles. Mr. Kirby was a Vice President of Grace and Company for many years and now is working for the Family Theater, having donated a year of service to Father Peyton’s work.

New officers of the Los Angeles Club recently elected are: LEO V. TURGENCE, M.D., ’42, president; CHARLES S. MURPHY, ’28, first vice-president; EDMOND SHEERAN, ’31, second vice-president; EUGENE C. CALHOUN, ’33, secretary-treasurer.

Memphis

The Rev. Louis J. Thornton, C.S.C., director of admissions at Notre Dame, was featured speaker at the club’s celebration of UND Night on April 28.

Miami

WILLIAM R. DOOLEY, Placement Director of the University, was the chief speaker as the club observed Universal Notre Dame Night on April 27 with a dinner in the Shelborne Hotel, Miami Beach. EDWARD A. KELLY, club president, I. L. PROBST was the toastmaster.

Rev. Rev. Mon. WILLIAM BARRY, L.L.D., ’46, of Miami Beach, a special friend of the University and of the club, was present for the dinner and spoke briefly. The club’s Man of the Year award was presented to JEROME P. HOLLAND. To Mrs. Walter D. Rowlands the club presented a special memorial award in honor of her late husband, long a devoted and generous member of the club and a constant participant in University affairs.

Michigan City

The following are the names of the new officers: Pres.; J. EMMETT MILLER; Vice-Pres., ROBERT N. SCHIEL; Tres., WALTER A. TIMM; Sec’y, FRANCIS G. FEDDER; Bd. Dir., Dr. ROBERT J. FROST.

After the election of officers, discussion was had as to the possibility of 100 per cent participation in the University Foundation Fund by the club members. Every effort is being made by the club to cooperate with JOHN P. DONNELLY, local Foundation Chairman for this goal. The club voted the contribution of $100 to the University Foundation, in addition to the individual contributions.

—Francis G. Fedder, Sec’y.

Mid-Hudson Valley

The club’s observance of Universal Notre Dame Night featured Ed Krause as principal speaker, on April 27th.

Milwaukee

The Milwaukee Club’s celebration of Universal Notre Dame Night was featured by an address given by the Rev. THOMAS BRENNAN, G.S.C. of Notre Dame.

Mohawk Valley

New officers elected recently for the ensuing year are: President, ANTHONY J. GIRUZZI, ’36; JOSEPH KeUSCH, treasurer; and LEO NEW, ’28, second vice-president.

Memphis

The club celebrated UND Night with a dinner for alumni and guests. About 50 people attended the affair. CECIL JORDAN, club president, was in charge of the program. Talks were given by Rev. Butler and award, and John Cackley from the Alumni Office.

New Jersey

Universal Notre Dame Night was held on April 25 with EDWARD W. KRAUSE, Director of Athletics, and JOHN LAW, ’29 football captain, as toastmasters. Football movies of the 1953 games were shown. JOE ABBOTT, ’30, and Dr. P. M. PROVIVISIO, ’39, arranged the event.

New Mexico

The club celebrated UND Night with a dinner for alumni and guests. About 50 people attended the affair. CECIL JORDAN, club president, was in charge of the program. Talks were given by Rev. Butler and award, and John Cackley from the Alumni Office.

New Orleans

The clubs’ UND Night celebration was featured by a talk given by Father Louis J. Thornton, C.S.C., Director of Admissions at Notre Dame. JULES K. de la VERGNE received the Man of the Year award. Officers for the coming year are: Pres., JOHN JORDAN, PETER HILBERT and BILL REDMANN all re-elected to the offices of president, vice-pres. and secretary; and JIM SMITH has been named as treasurer. One of the guests at the dinner was Andy Pilney, former Irish backfield star and now head coach at Tulane.

—Wm. Redmann, Sec’y.
New York City

The new officers for 1954 are as follows: JAMES J. CLYNES, JR., ’45, president; HERBERT P. GIOIA, ’52, executive vice-president; JAMES G. MCGOLDRICK, ’39, vice-president; LOUIS J. BURNS, ’49, president; JOHN S. MACAULEY, ’41, vice-president; EDWARD BECKMAN, ’46, director; ANTHONY F. EARLEY, JR., ’44, secretary; WILLIAM JOHN-  

son, ’43, assistant secretary; FRANCIS J. CON-  

FORT, ’43, treasurer; REV. BERNARD E. RAN-  

SING, C.S.C., chaplain.

The Notre Dame Club of New York held its annual UND night celebration on Wednesday evening, April 28th, at the New York Athletic Club. Approximately two-hundred seventy-five members and their guests attended. Under the co-chairmanship of BILL FALLOn and HARRY WALTERS, the committee presented an outstanding program which was headed by ED "MOOSE" KRAUSE, Director of Athletics at the University of Notre Dame. Mr. Krause spoke on the newly adopted Distinguished Professors Program and in behalf of the Notre Dame Foundation. He also gave a brief summary of the athletic program at the University and on the prospects for the coming 1954-55 athletic seasons. Following his talk Ed entertained questions from the floor, the majority of which concerned the outlook for the 1954 football season, the progress of the new Head Coach TERRY BRENNAN and Ed, gave the principal talk of the evening. It was introduced by JOHN LANAHAN.

North Florida

Recently reorganized, the club has its first annual observance of Universal Notre Dame Night, when it met for cocktails and dinner on April 28 in the Officers’ Club at the Naval Air Station, Jacksonville. Since persons, including a large proportion of the club’s membership, were present, WILnIAM R. DOOLEY, Placement Director of the University, gave the principal talk of the evening. It was introduced by JOHN LANAHAN.

Another speaker was Most Rev. Thomas J. Mc-  

Donough, of Jacksonville Beach, who is auxiliary Bishop of St. Augustine. LESTER W. FOLEY,  

Jacksonville, received the club’s first annual Man of the Year award.

FRED RAHAIM, club president, presided at the dinner and was in charge of arrangements, with special assistance from Lt. Cmdr. DICK DONA-  

HUE, of the Naval Air Station who arranged for the banquet. DICK BAU-  

MER, BOB COYLE and LOU FENsKE also lent a special hand. Lou and WINK WINGERTER,  

were special hosts to the visiting placement director.

Ohio Valley

WILLIAM YAEGER, ’43, Wheeling, was honored  

as “Notre Dame Man of the Year” at the Universal Notre Dame Night Observance of the Ohio Valley Notre Dame Club April 23 in Wheeling.

Yaege,r, known to all members as the “work-  

horse” of the club, was awarded a scroll emble-  

matic of his achievement by retiring club presi-  

dent, GEORGE SARGUS, ’28. Yaege,r was se-  

lected by a committee of three.

New officers for the coming year, elected at a previous meeting, were also installed at the UND Night. They are RUSSELL RICKUS, ’34, president; ROBERT SINGAVIC, ’50, vice-president, and JAMES HARANZO, ’55, secretary-treasurer.

Following a tasty New York “I-streak” dinner,  

members, their wives, and guests enjoyed viewing the Notre Dame football highlights of 1953 and then heard HARRY BUCH, a graduate law student at ND, speak interestingly on this year’s football prospects and the new Irish coach, TERRY BRENNAN.

Oklahoma City

The Oklahoma City Club had a very successful  

Universal Notre Dame Night banquet on April 28 in the home of our Bishop, Most Rev. EUGENE J. D. O’ROURKE, C.S.C., president of Notre Dame, on March 6. A dinner in his honor was held at the Fairmont Hotel, San Francisco.

Rev. ALFRED MENDEZ, C.S.C., represented the university in a more than suitable manner. His very fine talk left you with the feeling that this was just what a speaker should say on Uni-  

versal Notre Dame Night.

A special feature was the announcement of a gift to the Foundation from Rev. URBAN DE-  

HASQUE, one of the first priests in the Okla-  

homa Diocese and a graduate of Notre Dame.

The program was topped off with a showing of the four football highlights of the year.

DICIl HOFF, ’32, was chairman of the affair.

Guests, in addition to the club members, num-  

bering about 100 of the old friends of the university, and by the time the program had ended some new friends, too.

Oregon

The Oregon club was honored with the visit of FATHER HESBURGH on his Western "get acquain ted” trip. A banquet on Monday, March 30, at Portland Hotel was attended by more than 200 members of the club and their friends. The Most Rev. Archbishop Edward D. Ho-  

ward, D.D., joined in honoring Father Hes-  

burgh giving the invocation at the banquet. Mayor and Mrs. Fred L. Peterson were also in attend-  

ance. A special feature was the presentation of the Oregon club reactivated In the past few years.

Earlier in the day Father Hesburgh and ART HALEY were guests of Oregon’s Governor Paul L. Patterson for a luncheon in Salem. Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated by the Oregon Club on April 26 at the Tap Room of the Blitz Weinhard Brew-  

ery. Chairman for the event was PETE TRIX-  

LER, ’48.

The Oregon club held an annual Universal Notre Dame Night at the Blitz Weinhard Brew-  

ery. Chairman for the event was PETE TRIX-  

LER, ’48, treasurer; DR. RALPH FRAGG, ’27, director for one year.

Phoenix

The club celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night on April 24 with a dinner meeting for alumni and guests. Retiring club president REGIS LYNCH and the program chairman were guests. About 60 attended the event. Campus representative was John Carkley from the Alumni Office. A brief talk was also given by Robert Kendall, Foundation city chairman.

Pittsburgh

Father JOHN J. CAVAUGAIt, C.S.C., Direc-  

tor of the Notre Dame Foundation, was the club’s guest speaker on UND Night, April 26, at the Hotel Schenley. Other guests included Msgr. Thomas J. McGuire, Superintendent of Parochial Schools, and Bishop of Pittsburgh Diocese, Mgrs. Nicholas T. Elko, Vicar General of Byzantine Catholic Diocese, and Mayor David L. Lawrence of the City of Pittsburgh, Judge HUGH BOYLE, ’24, was chairman of the affair and the Man-of-th-
NEW ORLEANS—Father Louis J. Thornton, C.S.C., was featured speaker at the club's UND Night dinner.

Year award was presented to JOHN BRILEY, '42, by Father VINCE BRENNAN.

New officers who assumed their duties on UND Night are: EARL W. BRIERER, '51, president; LEO J. MURBY, '43, vice-president; THOMAS G. GILLESPIE, '39, secretary; and JAMES E. MCNULTY, '49, treasurer. Elected for a four-year term were: JOHN B. REARDON, '22, ALEX F. LESKO, '49, EUGENE J. COYNE, '33, and WALTER G. MONACELLI, '38.

Racine-Kenosha

The Racine-Kenosha alumni recently organized and elected the following members as officers: JAMES RICE, '42, president; JOHN BRANNO, '28, vice-president; JOSEPH GHANIGA, '31, secretary-treasurer.

The club's initial meeting was a Communion Breakfast in Kenosha. DON KOTZ, '43, of Kenosha, and DICK MURPHY, '50, of Racine, were instrumental in advancing the club's organizational plans.

The club sponsored Universal Notre Dame Night with a special meeting and presented the Alumnus of the Year award to ROBERT L. HAHNL, '43.

Rock River Valley

The Notre Dame Club of Rock River Valley observed Universal Notre Dame Night, Tuesday, April 27, 1954 at the Plum Hollow Country Club, Dixon, Illinois. The speaker was John Broderick, Assistant Dean of Notre Dame Law School.

Our annual scholarship to the University will be awarded to Gerald Francis Saucy, Oregon, Illinois. Gerald ranks second in his class and desires to study pre-medicine at the University.

The selection was made by a committee consisting of ED J. COLLINS, E. J. HEINZ, and JOSEPH C. REPINE.

San Diego

We held our annual elections on March 23 at the home of PHIL P. MARTIN. Results: JACK J. MCLAREN, re-elected president; JERRY G. REYES, elected vice-president; R. JERRY MCCARTY, secretary-treasurer; UGO D. ROSSI and WALT J. GEUDTNER, board of directors. The board of directors also endorsed Rev. Francis C. Ott, Chaplain, W.N. S. DAY, past president, and the officers.

Rev. Mgr. Francis C. Ott was selected as the Notre Dame Man of the Year in San Diego. He is a Notre Dame alumnum and pastor of Blessed Sacrament Parish.

On Monday night, April 26, the San Diego Alumni Club celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night with a dinner meeting held at the Martin Inn, located on beautiful San Diego Bay.

San Antonio

Sixty persons comprising alumni, their wives, and friends attended the San Antonio Alumni Club's observance of the 31st Annual Universal Notre Dame Night April 26 at Green Pastures restaurant. The dinner was preceded by a cocktail hour.

Rev. ALFRED F. MENDEZ, C.S.C., was principal speaker. Monsignor MENDEZ is the University official who has visited San Antonio for this event. Father Mendez emphasized the Foundation's reliance on alumni support for the continuing program of maintaining the position of pre-eminence among universities in the Catholic educational system.

Newly appointed Club Chaplain, Rev. ARMAND MARCHETTE, G. O. L., 15th District Director of the Man of the Year award to President RALPH T. STRUHS. The selection was made by a committee consisting of ED J. MCLAREN, E. J. HEINZ, and JOSEPH C. REPINE.

Visiting alumni were Fathers EUGENE DORE and HENRY GUESS of Austin and JOHN BUCKLEY, with Mrs. Buckley, from Midland. Other guests included Rev. ALEXANDER WANGLER, officer of the Alumni Register, and a number of friends of Father Mendez from Austin and Shiner, Texas.

Santa Fe

Alumni and friends gathered for an observance of UND Night. Talks were given by Sam Adalo, Bill Woods and John Cackley from the Alumni Office. AL ORTIZ was in charge of the program and made arrangements for the affair. Movies of the Iowa game also were shown.

Schenectady

Universal Notre Dame Night was observed with a dinner meeting featuring Dr. LAWRENCE BALDINGER, dean of Notre Dame's College of Science, as guest speaker.
Southern Colorado

On April 26 the club met celebrating University Notre Dame Night. The meeting was held at the Minneopa Club in Pueblo. Arrangements were made by JACK THOMAS and MARION MAURELLO from Pueblo.

Following dinner a talk was given by Rev. Elwood C. Voss, Superintendent of Catholic High in Pueblo. Installation of officers was as follows: president, WILLIAM J. DONELAN, '29, re-elected; vice president, A. JACK THOMAS, '49; secretary-treasurer, CHARLES A. MULRENAN, '37, president, Fairfield; EDWARD J. BETHKE, '28, treasurer, Bridgeport; and ROBERT J. NORTHERN, '49, secretary.

We were happy to have as our guest Dick Armstrong (son of Jim Armstrong of the Alumni Office) presently stationed at Camp Carson.

—James F. Abbott, Sec'y

South Jersey

Sixty persons gathered at Kenney's Restaurant in Camden, on Tuesday evening, April 27th, to join in the Notre Dame Club of South Jersey's celebration of Universal Notre Dame Night. The principal speaker was Prof. JAMES ARTHUR REYNERS, head of Labund Institute. Club President JAMES A. WEBB, '48, handled the introductions, and the Hon. William F. Hyland, member of the N. J. State Assembly, acted as toastmaster. The Rev. KEVIN B. O'DOHERTY, '43, and the Rev. JOSEPH M. HAYDEN, '44, club chaplains, were in attendance.

The Notre Dame Man of the Year award was given to DR. THOMAS O'CONNELL. Other Alumni in attendance were: GLYNDON MATT J. AMPEANELL, '49, chairman secretary of the Alumni Office, presently stationed at Camp Carson.

—James J. Fortune, Sec'y

St. Louis

The 31st Annual Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated in St. Louis, with Father Joyce, Executive Vice-President of the University, the principal speaker.

George J. Convey, President of the St. Louis Club presided at the head table. Among the guests were Rt. Rev. Msgr. Leo Byrne representing Archbishop Riiffner, who was unable to be present.

The invocation was given by the Club Chaplain, Father Reaves. Due to a last-minute change in plans, the duties of toastmaster were taken over by JOHN J. GRIFFIN, Jr., Jack, as 1953 "Man of the Year" award winner, also had the honor of introducing the 1954 award winner—VINCENT J. HEFILG.

Announcement was made of the Annual Scholarship Award, which was won this year by James Krone of Chaminade High School. In addition, a special scholarship was awarded Ernest Haberstroh of Chaminade High School. In addition, a special scholarship was awarded Ernest Haberstroh, Jr., son of the late ERNEST "BUD" HABERSTROH.

The scene of this year's affair was the Starlight Roof of the Chase Hotel, and was attended by approximately one hundred fifty Notre Dame men and guests. A cocktail hour preceded dinner, after which followed the introduction of guests, the words of Father Joyce, and dancing for the remainder of the evening.

—H. L. Dahm, Jr., Sec'y-Treas.

Southwest, Connecticut

New officers recently elected are: WILLIAM MCMURPHY, '50, president; WILLIAM BERBOCK, Moline, Illinois; Vice-President, JEROME CULLIGAN, Rock Island, Illinois; Secretary-Treasurer, WALTER DRAY, Davenport, Iowa; Directors, ROBERT REAL, Rock Island, Illinois; CHARLES KING, Rock Island, Illinois; ROGER MILLER, Davenport, Iowa; JAMES DOYLE, Davenport, Iowa.

Tidewater

The local alumni club celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night and honored Catholic High's President, Thomas Culligan, with a banquet featuring Johnny Lattner. Lattner spoke to the group at Catholic High's gym. RAY CHBERLAND, '49, was toastmaster.

—James P. Doyle

Toledo

The Rev. EDMUND P. JOYCE, C.S.C., was a special guest at the club's Communion Breakfast on April 25th.

Tri-Cities

The 31st Annual Universal Notre Dame Night, which was celebrated nationally on Monday, April the 26th, was celebrated locally at our annual family corporate Communion on Sunday the 25th of April.

The alumni club held the annual Rockne Memorial Breakfast with a Mass in Dillon Hall followed by a tour of the art gallery in the O'Shaughnessy Hall of Liberal and Fine Arts. Approximately 145 members and their wives attended. The Notre Dame Man of the Year Award was presented to BERNARD J. VOLK, honoring his many and varied activities in behalf of the club and the community.

—FRANK MILES, the newly elected Honorary President, installed the new officers for the year as follows: JOSEPH HANNAN, president; ROBERT L. LEIDMAN, vice-president; JERRY HICK, treasurer; and WILLIAM GIBBONS, secretary.

There has been a slight change in our club recently with the following members getting transferred to other clubs: PAT HAGGARTY is preparing to leave for Pearl Harbor; HOMER BARON has been transferred to New York City; TOM BECKER, FRANK GERGER and FRED HARTMANN have been released from service and are civilians once again.

Tucson

The club observed UND Night with a dinner for alumni and guests. Elmer Bennett, president, was in charge of the program. JOHN CAILKEY of the Alumni Office represented the University. About 30 attended the event.

The Tucson Club is proud of this year's record of two vocations to the priesthood in the Congregation of Holy Cross. ALEXANDER SANCHO, a student in the seminary at the University, is entering Old College this February as a postulant.

CALUMET DISTRICT—Tim Galvin receives 'Man of the Year' award on UND Night. L. to R.: James Morrison, outgoing president; Dean James E. McCarthy, featured speaker; Galvin; and Jack Ogren, newly-elected president.

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Tulsa

The Notre Dame Club of Tulsa celebrated Universal Notre Dame Night on Tuesday, April 27, by holding its Third Annual Ladies Night under the chairmanship of JOSPEH P. MORAN. The affair was held at the newly-completed Tulsa Catholic Community Center and was attended by 100 members, wives, and guests. Guest speaker was Father ALFRED MENDEZ, C.S.C., Director of Scholarships and Assistant Director of Admission, Notre Dame. The evening was spent discussing affairs at the University of Notre Dame. Toastmaster for the evening was JOSEPH P. MORAN, Jr., Int'l Director of the G.K.C. and a former member of the ladies committee.

JAMES M. CORCORAN, dub president; Honor­

Twin Cities

New officials of the Twin Cities Notre Dame Club installed at their annual meeting on April 27 were: CARL HILLERS, '50, president; JAMES McGOLDRICK, '53, secretary; and GEORGE O'CONNOR, treasurer. The alumni club is now operating under a corporate structure. Aims and policies of the corporation have been definitely established with emphasis on promotion of activities to aid, finan­cially, the Holy Cross Novitiate at Jordan, Minn.

Dean James E. McGarthy of the College of Commerce was featured speaker at the club's observance of Universal Notre Dame Night.

Virginia

We celebrated the Thirty-first Universal Notre Dame Night on April 20, which is always considered to be the finest dinner meeting we have had to date. The chairman for handling the evening was FRANK CROWLEY, and his two able assistants MILTON FARLEY and FRANK STUMPF. After dinner we enjoyed the football highlights of '53, as well as a reel of "campus life." Our program was attended by more than twenty alumni, as well as several parents of present or past students, and it lasted more than five hours.

We are listing below some of the members present: Father LEO FRIERSON, WILLIAM E. PURCELL, Dr. GEORGE E. ROSANELLI, Dr. WILLIAM E. ROSANELLI, Dr. WALTER BRENNAN, Dr. FRANK. R. KELLY, JR., Dr. CHARLES R. REILLY, CHARLES LaFRATTA, PAUL B. NOTT, ROBERT BURKHouser, FRED WM: SCHURR, JACOB CRIBBS, THOMAS C. BURKE, ROBERT I. HOWARD.

—Charles M. Morrison

Wabash Valley

Prof. ROBERT ERVIN was guest speaker of the Wabash Valley's UND Night meeting on April 8. New officers elected for 1954 are: FRANCIS ENGLISH, president; DICK MacDONALD, secretary; and GEORGE O'CONNOR, treasurer.

Washington, D. C.

On Monday, April 26, alumni and friends of Notre Dame numbering more than 175, gathered together in the Alumni Club in Washing­ton, D. C., to celebrate the Thirty-first Annual Universal Notre Dame Night. Guests included rep­resentatives from the executive and judiciary branches of the Federal Government. This was the high spot of the local club's activities for the year, and the hotel banquet room was filled to capacity.


A cocktail hour added a note of conviviality and sociability before the assemblage took their pre­ arranged seats in the banquet room.

Following dinner, ROBERT W. CAVANAUGH

took over as toastmaster and launched a sparkling program that will be long remembered. Out-going president Jim Corcoran quickly reviewed a highly successful club year. His last official act was presenting the Scroll to WILLIAM D. KAYNAUGHER, Governor, District of Columbia, University of Notre Dame Foundation. The Scroll cited his outstanding work for the Foundation and the club and his exemplary life as a family man, and leader in business, reli­gious and civic activities.

The gavel was then turned over to the new president, Val Deale, who introduced the other members of the official family: Vice President JOHN T. BARBER; Secretary, HOWARD J. SCHILLER, HERBERT T. POWER, Treasurer, WALLACE B. SHORT. Not to be outdone by the old admin­istration, proxy Deale launched his official program by presenting a plaque to Jim Corcoran in recogni­tion of his outstanding service to the club during the past year.

Western Washington

Alumni club members held a dinner-meeting on January 26 at Seattle University Skelly Union Building. A Highlights of 1952 football film was featured.

The alumni club of Western Washington honored the Rev. THEODORE M. HESSBURG, C.S.C., at a reception and dinner on March 9 at the Rainier Club in Seattle. PAT GOGGIN, '30, club president, gave the welcoming address and intro­duced the toastmaster EMMETT G. LENIHAN, '31. Others on the program in addition to Father Hesburgh were the Hon. Allan Pomeroy, Mayor of Seattle, Dr. Henry Schults, President of the University of Washington, the Rev. Robert Beh­bahn, S.J., of Seattle University, and the Very Rev. Cornelius M. Power, Chancellor, represent­ing Archbishop Thomas A. Connolly. The dinner was attended by 114 people. EMMETT LENIHAN was general chairman and his committee consisted of FRED N. HOOVER, '43, W. JER­OMIE KANE, '38, CHARLES S. LaCUAGNA, '43, BERNARD J. LEOUDE, '31, J. DONALD SUL­LVAN, '48, and PATRICK D. SUTHERLAND, '45.

Universal Notre Dame Night was celebrated on April 26 with a committee consisting of Sen. PATRICK D. SUTHERLAND, chairman, JOHN P. ENGLISH, '33, and J. DONALD SULLIVAN.

Baltimore—UND Night was held in Park Plaza Hotel and featured address by Frank Cawley, '33. L to R: Rev. Thomas Fitzpatrick, C.S.C.; James Murray, Jr., club president; Cawley; and Frank Hochviertler, '35, toastmaster. (Ed. Note: In case any of you '35 men arc worried that 'Hoch' is working around the clock that white hair and moustache were part of makeup for play he appeared in later that same evening.)

Wichita

The Wichita Club celebrated UND Night with a dinner-meeting attended by alumni and guests. GEORGE SCHWARTZ, club president, spoke to the group on the history of UND Night. Campus films also were shown.

Wilmington

Two outstanding events in recent months staged by the Wilmington Club include a dinner with Notre Dame students as guests, WILLIAM R. DOWNS, '70, club president, presided at the dinner and JACK WILLIAMS, Jr., was toast­master. HARRY KRIEMM, '28, and FRANK H. MILLER, '28, were chairman of the dinner. JOSEPH ORSO, JR., a senior law student, spoke for the students.

The annual K of C Sports Night program featured a homecoming for CLARENCE "JAKE" KLINE, popular head baseball coach at Notre Dame and a native of Williamsport. Jake was honored by more than 400 K of C members and guests and the Williamsport Notre Dame Club. He received a K of C trophy and a gift from the alumni club.

Youngstown

Alumni from Youngstown, Warren, Sharon (Pa.), and the adjoining areas, gathered, includ­ing wives, parents of present students, and friends, to observe the 31st Universal Notre Dame Night on April 28. JOHN KANE, '23, former Youngstown Club president, was on hand from Cleveland to M.C. the event. Principal speaker was JAMES E. ARMSTRONG, alumni secretary. RAYMOND G. "GRIFF" ALLEN, '44, succeed­ed WILLIAM LYDEN, JR., as president of the Club, and an expanding program is on its way with the enthusiasm and the addition of the families and friends to the Club activities. The Glee Club had appeared in Sharon, Pa., shortly before UND Night, and made a big impression on those who attended the concert, which was on short notice for the Club. 
Engagements

Miss Joanne Therese Jankowski and William T. Bonovich, '48.
Miss Ione Berry Edwards and John D. Witty, '48.
Miss Louise Kleinrichert and Richard Eykholt, '50.
Miss Joan Ann Lehre and David F. Sweeney, '51.
Miss Patricia Kalish and Carl Bachle, Jr., '51.
Miss Agnes Fischbach and Frank Semetko, '52.

Marriages

Miss Bryce Leavitt and Frank E. Eck, '44, Wilmette, Ill., April 24.
Miss Miriam Lucile Wagner and Thomas P. Murray, '49, Canton, Ohio, Jan. 30.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. J. Harvey Daly, '28, twin daughters, Anne Carson and Maura Aiken.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Crowe, '32, a son, Ronald Edward, December 16, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Holahan, '35, a daughter, Rita Louise, March 4.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Doyle, Jr., '36, a son, Kevin Thomas, December 3, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Dahill, '37, a son, Thomas Stephen, February 4.
Mr. and Mrs. William L. Piedmont, '39, a daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Jordan, '40, a son, Timothy John, December 26, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. Bernhard Teah, '40, a daughter, Christine, February 5.
Mr. and Mrs. John F. Christman, '42, a son, James Anthony, January 27.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Wright, '42, a daughter, Patricia Ann, March 17.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Christman, '43, a daughter, Mary Margaret, February 22.
Mr. and Mrs. Dominic F. Boetto, '44, a daughter, Elizabeth Marian, December 14, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Hackman, '44, a daughter, Barbara, March 23.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward F. Schmid, '44, twin daughters, Anne Carson and Maura Aiken.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Lauguna, '46, a daughter, Mary Teresa, March 1.
Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Goodman, '47, a son, Paul Joseph, December 17, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. James W. Kelly, '47, a son, Brendan James, March 5.
Mr. and Mrs. James E. Murphy, '47, a son, James Edward, March 24.
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Costello, '48, a daughter, Patricia Lynn, January 14.
Mr. and Mrs. Orville E. Dunn, Jr., '48, a daughter, Elizabeth Jane, January 24.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard B. Hart, '48, a son, Kevin Joseph, November 22, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. C. Edward Mella, '48, a son, Edward Joseph, March 14.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Satti, '48, a son, Charles Robert, Jr., January 28.
Mr. and Mrs. William A. Weiler, '48, a son, Mark Alan, December 16, 1953.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Bushey, Jr., '49, twins, Jonathan Raymond and Deirdre Mauro, December 5, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. John P. Dempsey, '49, a son, January 25.
Mr. and Mrs. Myles H. Quail, '49, a son, Matthew Alan, February 3.
Mr. and Mrs. Philip D. Shea, Jr., '49, a son, Kevin Michael, February 24, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. John E. Courtzney, '49, a daughter, Colleen.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. McHale, '50, a daughter, Eileen Marie, January 23, 1953.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard W. Murphy, '50, a son, Kevin Patrick, January 10.
Mr. and Mrs. John M. Bannon, Jr., '52, a daughter, Anne Margaret, January 9.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Esser, '52, a daughter, January 30.
Mr. and Mrs. James G. Richeson, '52, a son, James Jr., January 22.

Obituary

ARTHUR T. JACKSON, '84, died last fall in Los Angeles, Calif.
ERNEST F. DUBRUL, '92, Cincinnati, Ohio, died March 8.
WILLIAM R. BURNS, '96, died January 11 in Michigan City, Ind.
REV. THOMAS A. CRUMLEY, C.S.C., '96, former vice-president and professor at Notre Dame, died recently in Anderson, Ind., where he was serving as Chaplain at St. John's Hospital.
JOHN N. Goekc, '99, died at his home in Wapakoneta, Ohio, December 22, 1953. For over thirty years Mr. Goekc was associated with numerous business enterprises. In 1984 and 1985 he was a member of the Notre Dame varsity football team. Surviving are his wife and three daughters.

ARTHUR A. SCELLINGER, '11, of South Bend, Ind., died February 21.
FREDERICK N. COUNTISS, '14, died December 18, 1953, in Chicago, Ill.
DR. ROBERT J. BURNS, '17, Kenmore, N. Y., March 16.
HERBERT G. HELLRUNG, '18, died last year in Altoon, Ill.
JOSEPH R. Mccraw, '21, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, died January 21.
JEROME D. JUERGENS, '23, died December 22, 1953, in Elmhurst, Ill.
REV. KEITH L. ROCHE, '26, died January 21. Father Roche had served as pastor of St. Anne's Catholic Church, Toluca, Ill., for the last fourteen years.
WILLIAM H. Downey, '28, professor in the Department of Economics, died at his home in Niles, Mich., January 11. He had been ill since December 24. Professor Downey was co-organizer of the National Catholic Economic Association and had been a member of the faculty since he received his master's degree at Notre Dame in 1935.
SISTER M. ANICETA O'CONNOR, O.M., '28, died recently in Latrobe, Pa.
REV. JOSEPH LUTTMAN, C.S.C., '29, died recently.

Before 1900

ARTHUR COLE is associated with the Art Dry Cleaning Company, Cincinnati, Ohio.
1916 Grover F. Miller
612 Wisconsin Avenue
Racine, Wisconsin

A letter from ART DENNEHY, '30:
"Just thought that you would like to know about ED BECKMAN being so favorably quoted in the March issue, 'The Sign,' re the article 'So You're Looking for a Job.' The data covers the three non-profit groups: the Career Planning Clinic of the Notre Dame Club of New York at the Carroll Club, the Man-Marketing Clinic guided by Sidney Edlund, former president of Life-Savers, Inc., and the Job-Finding Forum at the Advertising Club."

RAY HUMPHREYS is head investigator for the district attorney's office city of Denver. On the side he has been made famous by writing hundreds of detective stories based on the experiences of his office.

1917 Edward J. McOsker
2205 Briarwood Road
Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio

1918 George E. Harbert
108 North Main Street
Sycamore, Illinois

Miss Rita Wallace, daughter of JAMES G. WALLACE, Syracuse, New York, is among the postulants who recently received the habit of the Sisters of Providence at St. Mary's of the Woods Convent, Terre Haute, Indiana. We are sure she will be happy in her vocation. We extend our congratulations to Jim.

JOHN LEMMER is busy planning new school facilities for his growing community. For those who may have forgotten, John is Superintendent of Schools at Escanaba, Michigan. Same story—more children to provide for.

Judge AL O'SULLIVAN while majoring as a Judge of the Circuit Court is adopting dramatics in his spare time. He took one of the lead parts in the Church Amateur Dramatic presentations in Belvidere.

LU HELLER is making his name as a Title Attorney for the Commonwealth Title Company of Portland, Oregon.

1919 Theodore C. Rademaker
Peru Foundry Company
Peru, Indiana

1920 Ralph W. Bergman
1609 No. Jefferson Ave.
St. Louis 6, Missouri

Notice has just been received of the death of FRANCIS J. MURPHY, 430 Third St., Lafayette, Ind. You will remember "Frank" and EDDIE MEEHAN as the great "milers" of our time. "Frank" attended the 1939 reunion, so it's later than you think and remember we have another reunion coming up in 1955. Plan to be there for a round of hand shakes with your classmates of 1920.

It was some effort to find on the Oklahoma map the dot that read Okarche. Once there, it was mighty easy to find PAUL LOOSEN, for he is the bank president. Some sort of record may be established, because Paul is the third generation and last summer Paul's son was the fourth generation on the payroll of the First Bank of Okarche, which was established by the grand-father.

Paul still showed the effects of a very serious operation he underwent last summer. He is slowly regaining his health and strength, while still active at his work. He and his charming wife plan a deserved trip to Europe this year.

1921 Dan W. Duffy
1101 N.B.C. Building
Cleveland 14, Ohio

ALFRED N. SLAGGERT has been named a member of the Saginaw County (Michigan) Bar Association's Library Committee for 1954.

1922 Gerald A. Ashe
39 Cambridge Street
Rochester 7, N. Y.

As the last issue of the Alumnus was going to press, word was received of the death of our

Alfred 'Dutch' Bergman, patient at Irene Byron Hospital, received a plaque and television set for the ND Monogram Club. (L. to R.): Emil Sitko, Robert Kearney, Fort Wayne alumni club president; Neil Warden; William Schmidt, Portland, Ore., and classmate of Bergman; and Charlie Callahan, Irish sports publicity director.

1914 Ron O'Neill
1530 No. Black Oak Dr.
South Bend 17, Indiana

Assurances have been received from more than forty (48 to be exact) members of the famed class of '14 that they will be on hand for our fortieth reunion in June. It seems assured that more members of the class will attend this reunion than were here for any previous one. If YOU have not already done so, plan NOW to join the group you knew during these happy years on the campus.

Among those who have written recently that they will be here is R. T. (DICK) BRAUN, who is coming all the way from Fort Arthur, Texas, where he is associated with the Mattheson Chemical Corporation.

FRANK J. KRICHMAN, JR., who possessed one of the very few typewriters in Sorin Hall in 1914, will come from Denver. Frank is sending legal news clippings concerning FRED GUSHURST (he'll be here, too, from Denver?) who, with KNUTE ROCKNE, held down the end positions on the team that really started Notre Dame as a football power. One clipping was from Ripley's "Believe It or Not!" column showing Gus's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gushurst, from Ripley's "Believe It or Not" column showing Gus's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Gushurst, who may have forgotten, John is Superintendent of Schools at Escanaba, Michigan. Same story more children to provide for.

J. M. WALSH, now Vice President of the Sedgwick Machine Works, is coming from Flushing, N. Y. He advises, as did E. S. RYAN, '23, that our temporarily-lost classmate, FRANCIS J. RYAN is now located at 6721 S. E. 34th Avenue, Portland 7, Oregon.

J. R. FARRELL of General Electric at Harrisburg will be on hand, and promises to try to lure back R. E. (BOB) DALY, who has been located at Room 1055, 681 Market Street, San Francisco 5.

CHAS. L. VAUGHAN writes from Lafayette, Indiana, that he's been urging his particular friends to come back, and has assurances from TWOMNEY CLIFFORD of Camden, Arkansas, WILLARD CHESTER of Terre Haute, Indiana, and WILLIAM (POINDEX) DOWING of Decatur, Illinois. Poindex is also on the recruiting line, and promises to have back a couple of boys who haven't been here since 1914!

Shortly before the reunion your secretary will send you a complete program of activities. There will be plenty of "fun"—but there will also be the traditional Mass for ALL members of our class, said by our beloved Father MATTHEW WALSH, and possibly another later afternoon Mass at the Grotto on Saturday.

Attorney CHARLES L. VAUGHAN, '14, of Lafayette, Indiana, has been receiving considerable favorable publicity in the national press and legal journals for his scholarly presentation of "Cross-Examination of an Expert Witness" at recent bar association meetings. He was asked to make the presentation by the Indiana State Bar Association.

1915 James E. Sanford
1429 West Farragut Ave.
Chicago 40, Illinois

GEORGE N. SHUSTER, president of Hunter College, has accepted the chairmanship of the National Commission for the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization. Recently George lectured on "The Answer of Calhoun" at the annual religious forum at Williams College. He also spoke at the sixth annual forum of Barnard College.

beloved classmate and friend—WALTER STUHLDREHER in an auto accident on Christmas Eve a few miles north of Tipton, Indiana. Bare attendance at Walter's death was invited to the Alumni. We surely do tender our solace to Mildred Stuhrdreher, widow of the deceased, and to their two daughters and three sons, also to HARRY STUHLDRREHER, N.D., '23—a brother, and to all members of the Stuhrdreher family. We of '22 were very fond of Walter; our high regard for him going back as far as 1918 when he came to N.D. as a freshman from his home city of Marshalltown, Ohio. Walter always had much interest in the Class of 1922, both as student and alumnus. He missed our 30th reunion in 1952 solely because of the illness of his youngest son who was stricken at that particular time with rheumatic fever. Some few months later, Walter himself was a patient at Mayo Brothers Hospital in Rochester, Minnesota, during December of 1952 and January, 1953. Walter had recently been promised to position of vice-president of A. G. Becker and Company, Chicago investment banking firm with offices in Indianapolis, his home city. The Class of '22 was represented at the funeral by FRANK BLOEMER of Louisville, a close personal friend of the deceased.

October 16th was the date of the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. JAMES V. JONES of the Class of '22. The couple, who have been married for 50 years, were married on October 16th, 1904.

JOSPH DORAN of Albany made a special trip to Rochester for the occasion.

JOSEPH DORAN is on the legal staff of the New York State Public Service Commission.

Mr. and Mrs. FRANK BLOEMER of Louisville took a mid-winter cruise to Ecuador aboard a ship of the United Fruit Company's fleet.

Dr. DAN SEXTON of St. Louis expects to attend a Chicago meeting in May and hopes to get down to the campus for a "quickie."

This year Father JOSEPH RICK, C.S.C., celebrates his 25th Anniversary as a missionary in Bengal. His present address is 26 Zhandahar Lane, East Pakistan. Father GEORGE B. FISCHER, C.S.C., of the Holy Cross Eastern Mission Band celebrates his 25th Anniversary of ordination to the Holy Priesthood in 1954. His present address is Tucker Road, North Dartmouth, Mass.

DAN YOUNG of Foley Brothers, Inc., who has only been back in the U.S.A. a short time from his stay of some years atop the Chianan Anches building a copper refinery for Anaconda, is now busy in Aurora, Minnesota, and vicinity starting to erect a Taconite plant for the Erie Mining Company. The proposed plant is designed to process the low grade ore of the Iron Range.

LOUIS NAVIN, Mitchell, S. Dak., and DONALD T. FITZGERBON, Ames, Iowa. Louis is practicing law and he is a tax consultant and, according to Hi, has "escaped the obligations of matrimony."

DUKE HOLDER wants to know the whereabouts of MARK HUNTER of Des Moines, Iowa. Write to Duke or to this office. Duke is an attorney and acting postmaster of Portland, Oregon.

DEAN CULBANE, national representative of the Boys Clubs of America, and Alumni Board member, telephoned your "secretary" some weeks ago when he was in South Bend, but found me away from home. Thanks, Duke, for the late phone calls from any of you boys at any time.

ELMER COLLINS wrote an interesting article about the sale of his personal property at the government's office in New York City, on the same date that Coll was trying to locate Elmer, now an Army Colonel in San Francisco, in the Colonel's office. A few days later they managed to meet at the Army Chemical Center where Elmer is stationed, and revealed in their first visit since Connie was best man at Elmer's wedding in St. Pat's Church, South Bend, in October, 1924.

FRANCIS NEITZEL wants to know "what happens to TED MCDONALD from Pocatello, Idaho?" Anybody know?

MAURICE DACY has made a new connection in law and is not associated with the Heyer Corporation in the sale of spirit duplicators. From what could be gathered at the last reunion, the spirit in the duplicator is the only one Maurice is on intimate terms with.

Information wanted: Above we list the names of JOSEPH CASEY as among the deceased. This is the first instance of any traces of the '22 classmates at Massillon, Ohio. Walter always had much interest in many of the classmates at our June, 1953 reunion. However, we urge you, Fathers, to send in your replies—and forget all about our pan-handling.

A few short days after getting these notes off my desk I was tickled to get a West Indies cruise with Mrs. Bruggner (remember "Gin" Hull?)! However, I want to make it plain that the trip is in no way related to the amassing of the $45 fortune which I have achieved to date through pan-handling you boys of some Class ex-penses money. Your contributions have been excellent, considering the comparatively few replies received so far. However, the sum total doesn't yet approach my breaking-point in the urge to embezzle.

1923 Louis V. Bruggner 2165 Riverside Drive South Bend, Indiana

Availability of '23 news reached an all-time high with the receipt of first returns of a questionnaire to the Class last fall. Many news leads have been uncovered, although only 37 replies had been received at press time. Members are urgently requested to return their questionnaires.

The Class grapevine and the Alumni office have helped swell to 27 the list of known deceased Class members. Most recent deaths were those of JERRY BLIERVENDICH and CHARLES B. RUBLE. A letter received from Mrs. Mary Bliervendich, Jerry's widow, revealed that he died Dec. 22, 1953, following an emergency operation for a perforated colon, and was buried Dec. 24 in Elmhurst, Ill. For the past three years Jerry had owned and operated a grocery and market in Little, Ill. Mrs. Helen Ruble wrote, in answer to our inquiry, that her husband passed away in Bicknell, Ind., on January 29, 1954, following surgery in October for stomach cancer. Newspaper obituaries listed Charlie as orchardist and dairyman.

To these recent deaths we have added three classmates whose names were not on our list of deceased classmates at our June, 1953 reunion. Questionnaires received to date have revealed that KEVIN KEEGAN, JOSEPH CASEY, and FERDY WILCOX passed away unknown to most of us. Other than that Perce died in June, 1951, we have no information. Details thereof from those of you who have more information, will be welcomed.

Space doesn't permit recounting many of the news notes received in the questionnaire replies. These will be passed on to you in the next Class of '23 News Letter. However some things, chosen at random, will prove to you how worthwhile it will be for you to write your Secretary, so that the scuttlebutt can be passed on.

HAROLD F. HAYNES wrote a nice letter from Los Angeles, where he has lived since the war after extensive Naval service in the South Pacific. Harold got six weeks of Naval training at N. D. in 1922 at the time of his commission and reached the status of a senior Naval officer. He is now commanding officer of a Naval Reserve unit in Chicago and is in the warehousing business there.

Hi HUNT took time out from his strenuous duties as Internal Revenue Agent to write from Decatur, Iowa. Hi inquired about MATT KEEGAN, and we give the answer above. Thanks to Hi's letter, we have recovered the names of
The O'Neills have been, and will be, high on the list of Notre Dame families. Left to right: Dennis J., Jr., '51; Robert M. Wallace, '51 (son-in-law of Dennis, Sr.); Michael, '60; Dennis J., Sr., '26; William P., '06; Ronald S., '14; John, '48; William R., '42; William Patrick, '65.

Dame and one still at home in high school. service, and others in universities—one at Notre Dame affair. Harry is living in Pittsburgh and—keep it in your missal and pray for your NER of Fort Wayne, Indiana, died November Christmas with one of his boys who is in the office of U. S. Steel. You '25*ers who were at the Pittsburgh game,*' but we did and I was happy to hear from you. Congratulations Leo!

Harry had seen many '25*ers in his travels. He sees ELMER LAYDEN quite often, as the two horsemen are interested in "steel" and Elmer's perennial bachelor has lost his title. Who knows of another '25*er not married??? I can't think of one off hand, can any of you, and if so let's hear from you. Be sure to remember Edwin in your Masses and prayers.

The Class of 1925 would also like to express its sympathy to HARRY STUHLBREHNER on the death of his brother, Walter, of the class of '22. I was shocked to hear of this because I had a pleasant visit with Harry in Toledo on the occasion of his talk to the Catholic Central football team in early December. Walter was killed in an automobile accident on December 24th. I am sure many of the class of 1925 remember that pleasant personality and smile of Walter Stuhlbrehner. Be sure to remember him in your prayers.

the November issue which missed the deadline and I thought it would be used for the January Alumnus, but I suppose it was too full of the "Christmas Spirit" for JOHN CACKLEY to rehearse.

No doubt, most of you noticed in the last issue of the "Alumnus" that EDWIN J. WESNER of Fort Wayne, Indiana, died November 13th, 1953. I didn't receive any details but I wrote your treasurer, HANK WURZER, to take care of the class Mass. Hank promptly advised me that he had written to the widow, enclosing a Mass Card from Father McVoy. Hank is doing a fine job and plans to have another list made up of the deceased members of our Class—keep it in your missal and pray for your classmates!

Be sure to remember Edwin in your Masses and prayers.

The Class of 1925 would also like to express its sympathy to HARRY STUHLBREHNER on the death of his brother, Walter, of the class of '22. I was shocked to hear of this because I had a pleasant visit with Harry in Toledo on the occasion of his talk to the Catholic Central football team in early December. Walter was killed in an automobile accident on December 24th. I am sure many of the class of 1925 remember that pleasant personality and smile of Walter Stuhlbrehner. Be sure to remember him in your prayers.

Harry had seen many '25*ers in his travels. He sees ELMER LAYDEN quite often, as the two horsemen are interested in "steel" and Elmer's office is in the same building as Harry's Chicago office of U. S. Steel. You '25*ers who were at the Pittsburgh game must have been pretty proud when Elmer was chosen along with KNUTE ROCKNE and GEORGE GIPP for the Football Hall of Fame. Belated congratulations, Elmer!

Harry mentioned that the Four Horsemen were to meet in New York and he present at the Heisman Trophy presentation and it was announced the very day Harry and I were together that John Lattner won it, so it was a real Notre Dame affair. Harry is living in Pittsburgh and was looking forward to a family reunion at Christmas with one of his boys who is in the service, and others in universities—one at Notre Dame and one still at home in high school. Harry tells me he sees FRANKLIN MCSORLEY quite often—in fact, Frank's his landlord as he owns the large apartment building that Harry lives in. He sees EDWARD "DADS" BYRNES and he runs into HELMUT HUNSTINGER not too long ago. Both are fine!

BENJAMIN LIVERGOOD recently announced the marriage of his daughter, Dian, to Lt. William V. Lytle, U.S.M.C. The marriage took place at St. Patrick's Church, Decatur, Illinois.

While at the Pittsburgh and Georgia Tech games last fall I saw some of the '25*ers at the Alumni Service Booth. One of the students in the booth was a son of LAWRENCE CASEY of Batavia, New York. The Judge was not at the game himself. LEO POWERS had a quick hello and what was a scoop last fall will still be news to most of you. Leo is married, so our perennial bachelor has lost his title. Who knows of another '25*er not married??? I can't think of one off hand, can any of you, and if so let's hear from you. Congratulations Leo!

RAY CUNNINGHAM was a pretty sick classmate this past summer but he recovered beautifully from a serious illness and if he takes it easy he will live to see his great grandchildren. PAUL DOOLEY and RAY TILLMAN were at a table at the Central High Banquet to hear Harry's talk, which by the way was excellent. Paul and Ray are in the same parish and we see each other quite often. Paul has two boys still in grade school and Ray has five children and some grandchildren but Ray got married the week after he received his sheepskin—the first of the '25*ers after that day in June 1925.

I received a Christmas card from WALTER HAECKER from Nashville, Tenn. Butch is doing very well in a business venture in that city. I believe his concern manufactures bulldozers and heavy machinery. Give him a buzz when any of you '25*ers go through that "Gateway to the South!" I still get a card on my birthday from PAUL HOEFFLER who's doing a great job in the insurance business. Speaking of insurance men, I have a nice phone call from FRANK HOWLAND when he was passing through Toledo on his way home to Detroit. We parted with, "I don't suppose we will see each other at the Tech game," but we did and I was happy to meet him into warm hugs. Frank was with MIKE DUFFEY, '27 and BOB COONEY, '27. Remember Frank and Mike were in Harry Deas's orchestra way back in those College Ioos "Daze." Mike still has that famous smile and Cooney a story or two. It was quite a reunion—even though it only lasted a few minutes.

Your secretary ran across some '25*ers at the Rockne Communion Breakfast at the Statler in Cleveland. Incidentally, JOE BOLAND was toastmaster and was top of the coaches from HUNK ANDERSON to TERRY BRENNAH were there. FRANK LEAHY had us laughing one minute and weeping the next. Our own ELMER LAYDEN jokingly told of how BILL GERNEY and BERNIE LIVERGOOD were really better fullbackers back in '25 but Rockne used him because the holes RIP MILLER'S line opened up were too narrow that he, Elmer, was the only one who could go through them. JIM ARMSTRONG was the first of the many fine speakers, JOHN KANE and FRANK STELL were at the affair. They both look great! DON MILLER was there. I learned from Harry that he was just elected to the Board of Directors of the Cleveland Bar Association.

A few weeks ago "the four horsemen of '25*" were on the Chicago Tribune's TV story of "The Life of Elmer Layden." JIM CROWLEY is bringing them together again on a program of the TV station that Jim is manager of in Scranton, Penn. This will be the third get-together of our famous "Four Horsemen" within a few months. After thirty years, that name still retains a lot of glamour in the sports world.

Well boys—let's start "beating the drums" for our 1955 reunion because that's a year from this issue and it will be here before we know it. If God spares you, plan to be there and as a starter let us replenish that Mass Fund because we may have many more called to their reward between now and then. So let's hear from you soon—even if it's giving your secretary hell for the lack of '25 news ... After all, you make the news so let's hear from you and yours.

1926 John J. Ryan
2434 Greenleaf Avenue
Chicago 45, Illinois

MEREDITH H. DOYLE has been selected by the State Supreme Court justices in Michigan as a court administrator. Eventually it is hoped that his position will be one which can recommend the best possible distribution of the state's pu...
The last issue of NOTRE DAME carried quite a nice article on the vocational chemists, the HARRINGTONS, our Paul, and his son, Jim.

There was only one part of the story and picture that troubled me—whose Monogram Club certificate was that on the wall? Even with bifocals and a magnifying glass I couldn't read the name. So, Paul, how about letting me know?

Again it is my sad duty to report the death of a classmate. REV. KEITHEN ROCHE died on January 21, 1954 at Tolucia, Ill., where he has been pastor of St. Aata's Church for the past 14 years. Keith was ordained in Rome in 1929 and served in many parishes in Illinois prior to becoming pastor at Tolucia. He was buried in his home town of Peoria, III. May his soul and those of our other departed classmates rest in peace.

As this column is written the thought occurs that a lot of years have gone past since June, 1926. And that only 26 months remain until our 50th Anniversary. The days go fast now and that reunion will be on us before we realize. So, how about starting now to plan for it. Your secretary has not discussed the reunion with RAY DURST, our president, but I'm sure he'd like to have all the suggestions possible to make our 50th reunion a memorable one. How about sending your ideas to the address at the head of this column? Remember—LET'S MIX IN '56!

1927

Steve Ronay
2829 Appletree Lane
South Bend, Indiana

A letter from ARTHUR DENNEHY, '30, a member of the New York Alumni Club's Career Clinic Committee, informs your secretary that DAN F. CUNNINGHAM, who can always be counted on to give a helping hand to a worthwhile project, has become chairman of that committee. Anyone who isn't familiar with the purpose and activities of this committee should see the March issue of "Sign" magazine and read "So You're Looking for a Job."

BILL COYNE writes from Florida that he is finding success from the political chateau of Washington and the legalities of Federal Housing on the warm sands of Miami Beach. I haven't seen Bill on a hill of sand since he and I graced the beaches of Lake Michigan, but I'm sure he is a more imposing figure in a swim suit today than some twenty years ago.

Father JIMMY MORGAN has left the Air Force and is back in parish work in the Cleveland Diocese. My informant put him in Youngstown, Ohio.

JOHN W. BRENNAN, vice-president of the American Blower Corporation of Detroit, made his periodical visit to the campus and stopped to see his classmates on the faculty. John also spoke to the graduating engineering seniors at their annual Communion Breakfast sponsored by the Alumni Association.

JOE BOLAND is chairman of the Area Division of the five-and-one-half million dollar St. Joseph County Hospital Development Drive and in charge of the solicitation of funds outside the city of South Bend.

GEORGE MEAD has recently had conferred upon him the Knighthood of St. Gregory the Great and the Papal Medal. The ceremony took place in the Cathedral of St. Peter, Erie, Pa., with a reception following the ceremony in the Cathedral Preparatory School. The Most Rev. John Mark Gannon, Archbishop of Erie, conferred the honor on George.

WALTER "RED" SMITH, sport columnist for the New York Herald-Tribune has been named a contributing editor for The Sign, national Catholic magazine.

ANDREW N. GALONE has recently been promoted to the staff of the General Accounting Supervisor, Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania. He has been with the company since graduation at Notre Dame and his present address is Union Trust Building, Third Floor, Pittsburgh, Pa.

EVERETT C. BROWN has been retired from the Los Angeles Police Department and is now an inspector of ammunition at the Navy Base, Hawthorne, Nevada.

TOM HEARDEN who has been serving as football coach at St. Norbert College in Wisconsin for the past seven years recently signed a contract with the Green Bay Packers as assistant football coach.

1928

Louis F. Buckley
63 North Central Ave.
Chicago 1, Illinois

I regret to announce the death of Professor WM. H. DOWNEY of Notre Dame on January 10 in Niles, Michigan. Although Bill was with our Class only one year as he received his Master's degree in 1928, he was very much interested in 28 Class activities. He wrote at the time of the Reunion expressing his regrets at not being able to attend as he was in Puerto Rico visiting his daughter. Mrs. Downey, in acknowledging the Mass arranged by our Class, mentioned that Bill was "so proud of our 1928 Class Report."

TOM HART has our most sincere sympathy on the death of his mother on November 29. Please remember BILL DOWNEY and TOM HART'S mother in your prayers. Tom, as you know, is
RICHARD SCHILDER is an engineer in the plant layout department of Frigidare Division, General Motors Corporation in Marysville, City, Ohio. Dick is married and lives in Chillicothe, Ohio.

ED QUINN reports that he heard from his first roommate, JACK CULLEN, who is in the Industrial Appraisal business in Buffalo, New York. Jack’s boy is entering Notre Dame next year. Jack was with us during our Freshman days. Ed also brought us up to date on three other old students, HARRY FROUENFELDER who is in business in Collinsville, Illinois, MAURICE SONDERMANN, President of a furniture factory in Jasper, Indiana and RAY NOVAK, a banker and insurance agency owner in southern Iowa. Ed also received a letter from his old sophomore roommate, CHARLIE CONNELL.

Ron Rich sent me a newspaper clipping announcing the appointment of ERNEST V. (Dutch) Rieder as superintendent of Detroit Edison’s sixth power plant now being built at River Rouge which will house the world’s largest steam turbine generators. Dutch lives in Trenton, Michigan where he is president of the Trenton School Board and Public Relations Director for the Breton Woods Association. He is married and has two boys, ages 12 and 16. Our Class is well represented at The Detroit Edison Company with VINCE STACE, Assistant to the Manager of Purchases; ART SCHERBEE, designer; and JOE SIMONIN, Assistant Division Engineer in the Design Engineering Department, in addition to Dutch. Interestingly, Joe Simonin has three children, ages 12 to 19. His oldest daughter is attending Mercy College School of Nursing.

Your vice-president, ART CANTY and your Class Secretary each became a grandfather in January. Just to prove that Art Canty and I are contributing to the great melting pot, I might mention that my grandson’s name is John Francis Bukacek and Art’s is Linda Ann Giacomuzzi.

Two other classmates should be added to the list of those who are responsible for the high birth rate in the Class. DR. JOHN GOCKE, a physician in Los Angeles has seven children and FRED SWITZER, an attorney in St. Louis, has six children.

ROCKFORD—The newly formed Rockford alumni club officers include (L. to R.): James Dunn, Foundation city chairman; Mike Lorden, pres.; Jack Sullivan, vice-pres.; Tom Keegan, secy.; Harold O’Connor, treas.; and Len Condon, Foundation Governor.
on collective bargaining and arbitration held at Notre Dame. I plan to have one of the 600 who attended this successful conference. ED RAFTER mentioned that he said that they held the conference because of the Tax Magazine, December, 1953, entitled "Alternative Routes for Effecting Tax Free Transfer of Corporate Ownership," Bob Prescott conducted a valuable discussion at the Annual Federal Tax Conference at the University of Chicago in October. ED RAFTER had an article in the Illinois Life Underwriter Gold Book on business insurance. An article by LARRY WINGERTER, President, American Transit Association and of the San Antonio Transit Company, appeared in "Mass Transportation," January 1954, entitled "What Happened to the Future Held?" He also had an entitled "Management's Role" in the April 1949 issue of that magazine and one in the July 1, 1949 "Urban Magazine" entitled "Modernization Brings New Life to the Street Rail­way."  

BETT J. CORZIN, who has been acting as an advisor for the Board of Education of Cook County, has been selected by the Democratic Party as its candidate for Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County. RAY DRYMALSKI, "29 is the Democratic candidate for Chief Justice of the 57 Judge Municipal Court of Chi­cago. Bert J. Korzen is associated with BILL KEARNEY and DICK PHELAN in the practice of law.

In the case of the Superior Court of Cook County and past President of the St. Ml High School Alumni Asso­ciation, we heard from an attorney who had written a book from that school this year. Other classmates from St. Ml's include ED RAFTER, ROY MULLI­GAN, JIM SHOCKNESSY, my Freshman and Sophomore Hall roommate, gave us an opportunity to reminisce about the Notre Dame men I met.

The following '28 men joined your Class Secretary at the Annual Notre Dame Chicago Club breakfast following the Class and Community event on December 6 and heard Father Matt Walsh C.S.C. give a very interesting talk: FRANK CREADON (McDonnell-Douglas), BILL MURPHY (Diversity Corp.), HOWARD PHALIN (Field Enterprises Inc.), ED RASTER (Internal Revenue), BILL LEAHY, EM. H. Lebo, Jr. and BERT KORZEN and DICK PHELAN (Crate, Kearney, Korzen, Phelan, Attorneys). MIKE LAWLER's sister is married to EUGENE PHILLIPS who is with Pure Oil Company and one son is in service. Our Class President, FRANCIS CREA­DON, had to miss singing with the Paulist Choir at Old St. Mary's that day in order to join us at the Communion breakfast.

JOHN IOGE gives us the following newsy re­port: "I am just back from a holiday in California and this is being written on time that I might well devote to the pile of papers, invoices, tabu­lations that have engulfed my desk. But I had a wonderful time and would like to tell you about the Notre Dame men I met.

"First off, I called JOE DALEY the old Rock Bottom kid from Los Angeles. We had a fine phase visit but he was just recuperating from a bad cold and could not carry out any meeting plan. However, he sent his younger brother, Doug who played the role of host with an aplomb that might be enviable. Doug and Joe are active in the printing business and doing a typical Notre Dame bang-up job.

"At the rally I met CHARLES MURPHY who has switched his allegiance from Ogden, Utah to California. Charley is with North American Aviation and but for the gray in his hair, is still the same dapper fellow who in our day was a pin-up boy at St. Mary's.

"Do you remember 'Big Bad' DAN CON­LEY, who with ART DENFIELD used to give Father Gallagher hyper-tension lest they walk through the walls of Sophomore Hall. Well, I met Dan at the rally. He is still big, still af­fable and was Vice President of a bank in Washington or Oregon.

"ART CANTY and his good wife came by to take us to the game, and the slow flow of traf­fic gave us a wonderful chance to visit. Art is

CLEVELAND—A testimonial dinner was given by the club for Msgr. E. J. Seward, who was recently made chancellor of the Cleveland diocese. (L. to R.): Rt. Rev. Msgr. William L. Newton; Msgr. Seward; and Flo McCarthy, club president.
York briefly, Ron called JOE REPETTI but Charlie, who is a Commissioner of Public Works, recently, called CHARLIE SHELAN-DeBOTT (Retail Clothing, General, New York); Newark College of Engineering, while in New York.

The interest of the Class infund-raising in Chicago. The new president of the American Association for Notre Dame, Indiana.

The large number of classmates who responded to my January request for biographical data are responsible for another newsy column containing the names of 136 classmates. My thanks to them and to those of you who have replied by the close of March 26 to my January letter. Classmates who have not yet returned the completed form of biographical data, please do so at once so I can continue to give you news of all the classmates in this column. I am also appreciative to HOWIE PHALIN and ED McKEOWN who took care of my mailings and picked up the checks for the entire cost.

May I make a special appeal to the bachelors in the class since only a relatively few of them responded as of March 26 to my January request for a biographical report. The single men who replied are: B. P. "BILLY" WOOD (Law, Wayne University); HARRY WIT (Law, Wayne University); ALFRED SHUMWAY (Retail Clothing, General, New York); JOHN CARROLL (Retail Clothing, General, New York); and J. CARROLL PINKELY (Retail Drugs, Portageville, Missouri).

RON RICH had an opportunity to see a couple of classmates in connection with a trip he made to attend a meeting of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers in Washington. Ron visited DICK WEHN and his family in Pennsylvania, and DICK is a freshman at George Washington University. Ron is teaching chemistry at Johns Hopkins and another is a freshman at George-town. Ron also saw ROB BANNON in New York City. Bob is a professor of metallurgy at Newark College of Engineering. While in New York, Ron ran into CHARLIE SHELAN-DeBOTT but didn't reach him.

FRANK CREADON, while attending the American Mosquito Control Association meeting in New York recently, called CHARLIE SHELAN-DeBOTT at Westhampton Beach, L. I., N. Y.

The new president of the American Title Association is George E. Harbert, who graduated from Notre Dame in 1918. George is owner and president of the DeKalb County Abstract Co., Sycamore, Ill. He served in the Navy during World War I and was admitted to the Bar in 1919.

George is a past Grand Knight of two Councils of the K. of C., past president of the Holy Name Society of St. Mary's Church in Sycamore, and past director of the Sycamore Chamber of Commerce. While living in Chicago, prior to his present residence, George taught Real Property Law at John Marshall Law School and has lectured at the University of Illinois. Many of his articles have been published in various law college periodicals.

Two of his sons are also in the title business while a third is studying at the Salvatorian Seminary at St. Nazianz, Wis. His eldest son was killed in World War II. George maintains an active interest in Notre Dame affairs and as Class Secretary for '18 furnishes the ALUMNUS with news of men in that group. He is a member of Bishop Sheil's "Club of Champions," an award given for his work assisting with C.Y.O. fund-raising in Chicago.

JOHN WINBERY of Rutherford, New Jersey, who had just returned from a meeting of the Foundation Governors and Chairman at Notre Dame.

Father JIM MCSHANE, S.J., offered his annual Mass for the living members of the Class of 1928 on the last Sunday of April.

LOU NORMAN is in Chicago making arrangements for bringing the General Motors 1954 Midwest reunion. Lou is a member of the Public Relations Staff of General Motors Corp., in Detroit. He mentioned that he has seen CARL PETTIT as Chairman of the Social Science Dept. at Danbury State Teachers College in Danbury, Conn. Carl received his Ph.D. degree from Columbia University in the field of educational research three years ago. Both Carl and Lou are married.

Others in the class who have received Ph.D. degrees include: ANDY BOYLE (N.D.), Acting Head of the Dept. of Chemistry, Notre Dame; ART STENIUS, (Ohio State U.), Professor of Economics at Wayne, and spent JERRY, (Minnesota University), Professor of History, St. Thomas College; JOHN WORDEN, (Buffalo, U.), Head of Dept. of Biology, St. Bonaventure; HENRY PERSYN, (N. D.), Manager, Chemical-Plant Pilot, Reilly Tar & Chemical Corp., in Indianapolis, and Father MARK FITZGERALD, C.S.C., (Chicago U.) Associate Professor of Economics, Notre Dame. Are there others who should be added to this list?

It was great to hear from C. JOHN (DOC) FORGE after these many years. John started with Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., immediately after graduation in 1928. I left three months later for the legal department of Prudential Insurance Co. in Chicago, where I was appointed assistant director of the Cook County Welfare and Health Council for Northern Indiana which was held in Hammond.
The Class of ’29 Reunion Committee met to discuss plans for their 25th anniversary on June 11, 12 and 13. Standing (L. to R.), Paul Bartholomew; James Keating; Francis Jones. Seated (L. to R.): Larry Stauder, acting class secretary, Don Plunkett, Reunion chairman and class secretary.

PLUNKETT’S recent questionnaire indicates that 90 percent of those who have replied expect to attend. He had received about one hundred replies. He would like many more.

Your local committee met March 22 to go over the suggestions made in your replies, and to make plans to put the more popular ones into effect. One suggestion often repeated was “Let the men visit—too many plans can break up the group.”

If the local committee could make a plea to you it would be “take a good look at the names which follow. Pick up the phone and call a neighboring classmate—whether he be listed there or not—and make plans which will bring you both to Notre Dame.”

You could write to your old roommate, or to others listed in the class directory.

If you need 399 reasons why you and they should return to this 25th year reunion, use these:

1. To see the thirty campus buildings added since ’29.
2. To again visit the Basement Chapel, Sorin Hall Chapel and others.
3. To visit with the priests of your time and those of your sons’ time.
4. To visit with your former professors.
5. To 399. To visit with the following class-mates who plan to be here and with three hundred others who are still to be counted:


C. DON McColl writes: “I am living in anticipation of attending our 25th Reunion next June. Except for attending occasional football games on the campus, I have not visited our Alma Mater since graduation, or rather since my graduate year.

“Here’s the dope on this ‘29er if you care to use any of it:

1. Where is everybody and the children are: Roberta Rose, 16, Tom, 14, Chuck, 13, Beverly Jean, 9, and Patsy Ann, 7.

2. I am currently a boys’ counselor and refer to the boys in the Toledo, Ohio, Club. They have been since 1945. Following completion of this course in the Boy Guidance Graduate School in the summer of 1951, the project was my professional work kept me in Detroit, Michigan, as Asistant Director of Tassota Community House. From 1942 to 1944 I was Executive Director of the Omaha Social Settlement and also Instructor in John Brown the Red, in the University of Nebraska Aircraft Corporation during the War.

3. "I hope to see or hear from GEORGE MONROE, CHARLES BILL HEINEMAN, GEORGE C. WHITSON and many others.

See you at the Reunion, Larry!”

1930 De vene Plunkett
O'Shaughnnessy Hall
Notre Dame, Indiana

TOM LANTRY is in the real estate and insurance business with his address reading Lantry and West, Inc., 16 Mill Road, Tuckahoe 7, New York.

JAMES A. ALLEN, LL.B., is Claims Supervisor for the Lumberman Mutual Casualty Company with offices at 4530 Sheridan Road, Chicago, Ill.

JOHN T. MORAN has been named Resident Manager of the new White Plains, New York, branch of the Corporation. Mr. Moran formerly was manager of the Rochester, New York branch. John’s wife, Corinne and three children, Joan, Bill and Michael, are residing in Rochester pending completion of a new home in White Plains.

ROBERT L. JACKSON, M.D., professor of pediatrics at the State University of Iowa and national authority on rheumatic fever and nutrional problems in children, has been appointed chairman of the Department of Pediatrics effective this coming September. Bob is married and has three children.

Members of the 1930 Class were shocked to learn of the death of their classmate, 4-year-old boy, Michael. He was killed in a sledding accident January 20, 1954. His other boy, Patrick, age 8, has been hospitalized since his brother’s death but has recovered. Everyone will want to remember Pat’s family prayerfully in this tragedy. Altogether, there are thirteen members of the class: seven married couples and six single class members: JAMES T. CONNORS and JOSPH J. MCCORMICK.

Several weeks ago a one page questionnaire was sent out to all members of the 1930 class. It asked only a few questions and tried to elicit comment from everyone on things and stuff. The returns were excellent, and some copies still are coming in. In the next few issues of the Alumnus I am going to get all this information into the column. Moreover, from the number of names still to be counted, the 1930 Silver Anniversary Reunion, it is evident that that event is uppermost in the minds of many classmates. It should be early during the month of May. Early planning for the 25th Reunion is being mapped out 14 months in advance.

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Getting on with news of the 1930 people, we cite the following:

McLOON, Leo R.—with wife, Agnes (Coomer), has moved to 201 15th Street, Armona (17), Vinemont the 3rd (14), Sheila (12), and Terrace (9), Leo R. is still in Pawtucket making his home in the East Providence area. He is Executive, Travel and Tourist Agency Owner. Leo’s dad is still active in the funeral business since 1932. Right now Leo is serving as Racing steward at Narragansett Park, Lincoln Downs and Scarborough Downs Tracks.
GEORGE HEWSON and Dr. PAUL O'CONNOR. fellow from ND that Henry ran into were Dr. LARRY CRONIN in Chicago. You don't think the ripe old age of 90 is too old with this sage comment: "All I can report is that I can't find time to do now. By the way, I am a hard working guy, firmly believing that I can't retire at any early age so I can retire at any future."

One of the most outstanding writer-producer-director personalities is M. Clay Adams who received his degree from Notre Dame in 1926. He was formerly with Twentieth Century-Fox and RKO-Pathe Studios in Hollywood and as film director for Henry Salomon helped to make Victory at Sea—an outstanding television history of naval operations since 1939. It was produced by National Broadcasting Co.

Clay has been in the motion picture industry for over 15 years. During World War II he served in the U. S. Navy as a producer-director of training and special purpose films. In 1949 he was appointed manager of the Commercial Film and Television Department of RKO-Pathe and also produced the color film Strategic Attack for the U. S. Air Force.

He has received awards for his work in the television field. The Sylviah Certificate of Merit was given to Clay especially for directing Victory at Sea.
The Notre Dame Law Association sponsored a luncheon for ND lawyers in attendance at the Indiana Bar Association meeting, held in Indianapolis. (L. to R.): Father James E. Norton, C.S.C., vice-president of student affairs; Clarence J. Donovan, Law Association president; Patrick J. Fisher, chairman; Dean Joseph O’Meara; and William Fitzgerald, president of the Indiana State Bar Association.

Philadelphia General Hospital, Bob's other children are Charles (14) and Matthew (10). Bob has been in occupational therapy in New York since 1932, is vice-president of the civil service association of the state of N. Y. The last ND fellows Bob visited with were BOB KELLY and CHARLEY KLEFEKER.

BELJON, JOHN—Musician, organist at Our Lady of Peace Church. Jon and Eleanor Beljen have five children, Jean Marie and Bonie at Hoban Preparatory School, Denver, Colo., and Thomas (14), Duane's family in Erie, Pa., includes wife Bea- trice, Helen (17), Marv (16), and Thomas (14). Duane Miller, Director of Refreshment Committee for Reunion—Right now!)

CHARLES NORTON, vice-president of student affairs; Ralph J. Garza; and Mike Conley, secretary.

No one to which the boys of ND sing praises. Jon and Eleanor Beljon have five children, Jean Marie and Bonie at Hoban Preparatory School, Denver, Colo., and Thomas (14), Duane's family in Erie, Pa., includes wife Beatrice, Helen (17), Marv (16), and Thomas (14). Duane Miller, Director of Refreshment Committee for Reunion—Right now!)

SHERMAN, William N.—Radio announcer of KXNO, Knoxville. Requests data on the 25th anniversary reunion. Announcements on that event will reach you very shortly. Bill's children are William C. (13), Tom More (12) and Moeskki Anne (4).

TOOMY, TIM—Insurance business, New York City. Colleague of the Notre Dame Alumni Club special fledgling to Philly last fall and of other alumni matters:

"TIM O’ROURKE had the N. Y. Club Special rolling and arriving in Philly on time for the kickoff.

"The O’Rourke Rambler was a social and financial success for the Notre Dame Club of New York.

"Tim really does a tremendous job each year on the promotion of these special trips.

"WARREN FOGEL, HENRY FREY, TOM BRADLEY, TOM LANTRY and GEORGE WINKLER all were aboard the Special as well as in attendance at recent local club meetings.

"George tells me he has a son at the University. How time flies!

"The sons of members of our class will soon be at the University in large numbers from here on.

"I believe PAUL FARMER has the distinction of being the first member of the class of 1950 to have a son graduate from the University.

"During the telecast of the home footballs which we enjoyed very much in a neighborhood movie house, we spotted COZY KOZAK on the sidelines.

"Good ole 'Cozy' is as much a part of the football picture in school as the scoreboard.

"My kid brother, Dave, known to many of our classmates, gave me the info that JOHN MORAN was the Chairman of the Boston Club Penn game special.

"Mayor Hynes of Boston was one of the guests. His Honor has a son studying at school.

"John is a prominent member of the City of Boston Administrative Cabinet and is doing an outstanding job.

"JOE LENIHAN, '29, brother-in-law of JAMES FRIEL, '29, told me he had a most pleasant visit with Father JIM RIZER last fall while in Richmond, Va., on business.

"Joe stated the 'Sky Pilot' was in excellent health and spirits and would be pleased to hear from all members of the class.

"T. (Timothy) LARRY CRONIN, has left the address Is Rev. James L. Rizer, St. Mary, Star of the Sea, Fort Monroe, Va. and returns from the island of Fassassari. Was with TIM MYONI- HAN a few times during the war and visited with him just a few days before his tragic death. Also saw JACK CHEVIGNY a few days before he shoved off. JACK ELDERS called at the house on his way to Frisco in later part of 1945; also had a visit with MOOSE KRAUSE at that time. See MARTY BRILL once in a while. Hear from MOON MULLINS about every 3 to 5 years. Would like to hear again from REBEL ELDERS. Visited the campus in October, 1952. Needed directions from the cops to find my way around. Had a nice visit with Father DICK GRIMM, FATHER MURRAY, FATHER NORTON, PAUL FENLON and DICK SULLIAN. Would like to hear from OONIE DONOVAN, the Bedford flame who now belongs to the Firsides Tribe and also WILLIAM BALKLEY JONES, the Voice of Washington, D. C."

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"We did meet up with JACK CASSIDY, who could qualify any day for the Frield Brothers 'Man of Distinction,' and one of our business friends brought back news of JOHNNY MCCARTHY of basketball fame.

"John is employed by the Royal Liverpool Group—also my employer. He is a special agent with headquarters in Springfield, Illinois.

"On Jan. 9th, the evening following ND's crushing victory over the heretofore and not since beaten Navy in Westfield, Mass., in a coahing-supervising-teaching capacity."

"We had a nice visit with our old roomie, TOM SHEA, '29, during the past summer.

"He resides in Manchester, Conn., and earns his dole from Hamilton Propellors.

"Tommy was the first of the Faculty Dining Hall waiters, which back in those days was better than eating on the training table."

"During a vacation tour of the Berkshires last summer we were graciously entertained by FRANK KELLY, '28, Lee Mas., who has a successful furniture-undertaking establishment.

"Frank, his lovely wife, Eileen, and the 7 healthy young Kellys proved to be delightful hosts and really gave to the Cook's Tour treatment of the beautiful Massachusetts Hills. (A plug for the home state.)"

"We learned BOB BRENAN, '29, resides in nearby Pittsfield and has a son who has been declared a real big league baseball prospect."

"All of our classmates must remember the B&B combination Brennan and (the now Iowa jurist) BOB BRANNON."

"It has been truly said, "If you are at or near some important place in America you are bound to meet some one from Notre Dame—if you stand there long enough." N'est ce pas? (One semester of French.)"

"This past summer, while in the Berkshires, I got shanghaied into one of these long haired concerts at the Tanglewood Musical Festival in Lenox, Mass. The first person I met? None other than ED TIGHE, '22, former president of the local NY Club.

"While strolling down 5th Avenue window shopping, after a visit to St. Patrick's Cathedral on Washington's Birthday Day, I was pleasantly surprised to meet a longtime and always helpful friend, DAN HALPIN and his wife, the charming Peg.

"I have seen Dan often throughout the years, but it was hard to visualize Peg as the mother of a sophomore at Seton Hall College in nearby East Orange, New Jersey.

"Dan has an executive sales position with DuMont Television.

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1931 James T. Doyle
902 Oakton Street
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My appeal for contributions towards a fund for Masses for deceased classmates and the promotion of our 25 year Reunion in 1956 brought several checks and interesting news. Thanks to TOM ASHE, CHARLIE CUSHWA, JR., BOB KENDALL, EARL BRIEGER, GEORGE JACKOFF, JOHNNY MCCARTHY, JOHN C. BURNS and JOSEPH R. FARR, we had a number of contributions towards a fund. The '31 Class has been well represented here as you can see. Keep up the outstanding job you are doing. —BOB KENDALL.

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Mrs. ROBERT L. NEYDUN sent the following note: "Thank you very much indeed for the Mass you asked Fr. Margraf to say for Bob. I do want you to know that Peter, Robert, Ann and I deeply appreciate your kind thoughtful- ness. Bob and I are a little young to understand, but I am keeping all the Mass cards to show them when they are older. I wonder if I could ask a favor of you? After the December Alumnus came out, I received a number of beautiful covers from classmates and from Bob's who had not heard of his death until then. They all referred to the writeup in the Alumnus, which I have kept with me as an extra copy and send it to me I would be so
grateful. I do want to keep all those things for the children to read when they are older.”

From Mrs. J. JOSEPH CONLEY, I received the following: “We have received your kind letter and are very grateful to you for passing the news of Joe’s death on to his classmates. We are pleased to learn that Fr. John Magrado will celebrate a Requiem High Mass for the repose of his soul. Our children join me in thanking you and the Class of 1951 for this kind expression of sympathy.”

FRAN HOLLAND attended the ND Club of Chicago’s Communion Breakfast at the La Scala Hotel and saw WALT CAHILL, BILL LEAHY, DON PARTLAND, GIL SEAMAN and MARTIN DOWNEY. Fr. MATTHEW WALSH celebrated the Mass at new St. Peter’s Church and gave a wonderful talk at the breakfast. Frank also saw Bill, Art and Joe, he reports, still tell stories with the finesse of his college days. Frank’s sister, Evelyn Mennoes, attended a St. Mary’s Alumnae meeting with Doris Brumann Fox in Miami.

Our Club held a Monte Carlo party at the Blackstone Hotel in February. Looking very trim in black ties were GIL SEAMAN, EDDIE RYAN, JACK SCHMITT, DON O’TOOLE, AL STEPAN, CARL CRONIN and JIM DOYLE. Gil is retiring as president of the ND Club of Chicago and is to be commended for the progress of the club during his term of office.

I wrote FRANK NOLL and received the following: “It was very pleasant to hear from you, Jim. I don’t see or hear from the Chicago boys much any more. I see around here from the ’31 class. I spend my time between my law office in Bankers Trust Bldg., and my position as Administrator, Intangibles Tax Division of the State. It’s best to address me at 412 Bankers Trust Bldg. I talked to Frank on the phone the other day and hope to see him in Chicago soon.”

BERNIE SHAFF is now office manager of the Western Region of National of Hartford Group. ED RYAN saw HAROLD STELZER at the St. Mel High School Banquet. RAY DONLON is now with the St. Clair Title Co., in Belleville, Illinois. JOHN PETZER made a trip to New Mexico in February. JIM MULVANEY made his annual trip to NYC and so far I haven’t had a telephone call so JOHNNIE BURNS came through with a letter the other day to bring us up to date on his annual convocation trip to the city for Mather Coupon Ticket Division—Commercial Controls Corp., arriving Feb. 26th. I had several visits with him at the New Yorker before he plucked back to Chicago March 3rd. Jim played host to BILL LEAHY, ’31, TIM TOOMEY, ’30, ED (STRETCH) MCGARRAUGH, ’28, TIM TOOMEY, ’30, ED (STRETCH) MANN, DICK BARBER and myself on March 1st. We held the banquet and the following in attendance: standing 3’11”. Had a pleasant visit with BILL LEAHY, of Chicago, who happened to see Stretch meandering through the dining room.

The Notre Dame Club of New York had a large gathering at a meeting March 4th in the Bowman Room of the Biltmore. It was in honor of JAMES MCCOLDRICK ’39, club member and newly elected president of the Alumni Association. Fr. JOHN J. CAVANAUGH spoke of the Distinguished Professors Program and also held a question and answer forum which was most interesting. President Jim Clares, on behalf of the club, presented Fr. Cavanaugh with a check for $1,000 to be used in furthering the Program. ED CUNNINGHAM and myself were the only ’31ers present. Did see GUS BONDI, JOHN J. CAVANAUGH, THOMAS O’MALLEY, DON PARTLAND, GIL SEAMAN and MARTIN DOWNEY. Presented to Rev. William Craddick, C.S.C., for the novitiate building fund by alumni club members in St. Paul and Minneapolis. L. to R.: James Rogers, ’33, secretary; Carl Eilers, ’50, vice-president; Father Craddick; Paul Kennedy, ’40, president; and John Connelly, ’33, treasurer.

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Dear Jim:

“I had the pleasure of receiving your letter dated January 25 and I am so pleased with your letter that I would like to congratulate all the members of the class of 1931 for choosing as their secretary a person endowed with your good qualities. Frankly speaking Jim, it is letters like yours that make us feel that we are near you and near Notre Dame although we are so far away, we live in the southeast corner of Mexico and I do not have opportunities of seeing other Notre Dame men. Only when I go to Mexico City do I have that pleasure or when I go to the U. S. And now with the rate of exchange at $0.65 to $1.00 you can imagine how difficult it is for us to travel. When I was studying there it was only $2.00 to $1.00 so it was easy to travel.

“Thank you very much for sending me CLAY ADAMS’ address. I have already written him a letter. I also wrote a letter on January 15 to JAMES K. COLLINS, secretary of the 1932 class to which I belong, asking him about some of our schoolmates, but I have not yet received his answer. Perhaps he does not remember me. Some of my classmates from Chicago that I remember very well are NEIL HURLEY, OLIVER POWERS and BENJAMIN SALVATTY. Also WILLIAM COMERFORD and THOMAS O’MALLEY from Aurora. If you see them, please give them my best regards and if you have their addresses please send them by airmail and I will appreciate it very much.

“About three weeks ago I received a visit here from FAUSTO GAMBOA of Havana, Cuba. Fausto entered Notre Dame in 1931. He married last December 26th and took his honeymoon trip to Bowman Dairy Co., in their Wholesale Division. THAD ZELOWSKA now has seven children. TONY DIAZ read about CLAY ADAMS in the Nov.-Dec. Alumnus and wrote me for his address. He got out his 1931 Dome to make sure he remembered me and told me to look him up with the Junior Class pictures on page 120. He sent me another interesting letter which I hope to reply to soon.

HOUSTON—The club’s annual retreat was held at Holy Name Retreat House with the following in attendance: standing (L. to R.), William M. Garrett, John R. Young, John B. Lenihan, Rev. Conleth Overman, C.P., retreatmaster and also an ND grad, B. N. Brockman, Jr., George McHale and Lawrence J. Kelley. Seated (L. to R.): Thomas B. Brennan, Paul J. Doyle, club president, Leighton F. Young and James A. Young.
LEO J. VOGEL, '17

Leo J. Vogel has pioneered and developed many outstanding developments in the tramway field and has brought Aerial Tramways into prominence with the major producers of raw materials and the material conveying business in general.

Leo has his own sales and construction organization in Pittsburgh, Pa. His organization handles the sales of Aerial Tramways and conveying equipment for Interstate Equipment Division, Yara Engineering Corporation of Elizabeth, N. J.

The company has built tramways throughout the coal and ore regions of this country and many foreign countries, including the heaviest tramways ever built.

He graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 1917 in mechanical engineering. His two sons are alumni of Notre Dame and his daughter attended St. Mary's College.

Leo is the past president of the Notre Dame Club of Pittsburgh and has given his continuous support to all university projects since graduation. He has five grandchildren; two granddaughters and three grandsons.

through Mexico visiting friends and schoolmates and on his way back to Havana stopped here one day to visit us. You can imagine how glad I was to see an old schoolmate who we had not seen in so many years. I took Fausto and his wife up to my house to meet my wife, my son, Tony Jr., and my five daughters. My son is 15 years old, my oldest daughter is 17 and my youngest daughter is 16 months. We sat there hours and hours in a very interesting conversation remembering Notre Dame, our schoolmates and some of our professors whom perhaps we shall never see again. Like FR. JOHN F. O'HARA, now Archbishop of Philadelphia, DEAN JAMES E. McCARTHY who was not only my professor but also our good friend, MR. HERBERT BOTT, now Head of the Lay Faculty, and many others.

"Believe me Jim, when Enna Maria, my wife, and I said goodbye to Fausto and Estrella, his wife, in the airport, we felt as if we were saying goodbye to members of our own family. I hesitated in how we all attended Notre Dame should feel toward other Notre Dame students because after all we are members of a very big family who should be always together or united under that beautiful and beloved name of Our Lady, which is, in my humble opinion, the sweetest and dearest name of our beloved name of Our Lady, which is, in my lifetime, all of you were so nice to me that I always felt that I was part of you. Geographically, I am very far from all of you, spiritually I feel I am as close as ever. Conditions here now are such that I doubt very much if I ever get up there again. Only God, with His infinite wisdom, knows.

"Pardon me for writing you such a long letter, and pardon me for my mistakes in English. I always try to keep up with my English, reading American books and magazines and speaking English with as many people as I can. If you have another spare time I would appreciate very much hearing from you again. My wife, my son, and my stepdaughter join me in sending you our best regards to you and to all your family." Ever your friend Tony DON O'TOOLE

Sincerely yours,

Bourke Motsett

In February I saw ERNIE HECHEINGER, ex- Peerian and friend of Rev. C. B. at a K. of C. meeting and then on to Atlanta for a week.

TOM COUGHLIN was in Florida during February and called BOB GORE and JOHN C. SULLIVAN. Bob called me to say he was here to be with my wife and my stepdaughter. The only other member of our class residing here is JOHN SULLIVAN. He has been here the last couple of years. I saw him in Fort Lauderdale for quite some time. He is married and the father of a son and a daughter.

BILL BURKHART was here for some time and attended a couple of meetings. students of the class of '31. Anytime you or any of our classmates are in the vicinity of Davieville you will be most welcome at St. Paul's Rectory. I will try to see you whenever you are in the neighborhood. Sincerely yours, Bob

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GEORGE BRAUTIGAM is of course, State Attorney in Miami. As for myself, I am married and the father of two children. I now have a law practice and have been down to Fort Lauderdale. I had not seen Rayne for some time and it was a real pleasure to talk with him.

GRAND RAPIDS.

I do want to take this opportunity to congratulate you on the outstanding job you are doing for the Class of 1931. Your efforts in gathering this information must be considerable since you need for the Alumnus to be complete regarding the present activities of the members of our class. More success to you.

Sincerely yours, Bob

Both Tom and Al Stepan reported on BOB BURLINGTON who is sports editor of the Palm Beach Post and has visited us several times. He was in Florida recently and called me to say he had been down to Ft. Lauderdale and wanted to know how we were doing for the Alumnus. I told him that we were doing well and he said he would see me next year. He also told me that he would see me next year. He also told me that he would see me next year.
Appointment of Donal J. O’Brien of New York as vice-president and director of advertising and sales promotion for Hiram Walker Incorporated was announced recently by Ross Corbit, president. Donal has been prominently associated with the advertising profession since 1933. Joining the advertising department of Standard Oil Company of New Jersey shortly after graduation from Notre Dame, he later joined Young and Rubicam as an account executive. He was vice-president of the Biow Company of New York at the time of his appointment.

In his new capacity, Donal will supervise the creation, production and placement of all advertising and point-of-sale material for the following Hiram Walker brands: Canadian Club, Imperial, Walker’s DeLuxe and Ten High bourbons, Meadow Brook rye, Hiram Walker’s distilled London Dry Gin, Cordials, Cocktails, Brandies and Vodka.

Sincerely yours,

FR. PHILIP H. DUFFY writes from Seattle:

"I reply to your letter of November 6th. Since I was out of the city during the month of November, I have had no chance to look up ANTONIO R. DIAZ, as you know, it is now a Director of the Alumni Association, so I am hopeful that I will be seeing him occasionally in South Bend. Incidentally, here in South Bend I have renewed my acquaintance with one of our very fine classmates, FATHER ALFRED MENDEZ, C.S.C., who it so to have a two-week end change of of scholarships. I am very hopeful that some of our brothers will manage to visit South Bend at Commencement time and that they will be sure to look me up if they do. Best regards."

Yours sincerely,

FR. PHILIP H. DUFFY

How about some news on ELLIS BLOSTROM, BOB PIGOTT, FRANK FLANNERY and any others in the far west? RED O’CONNOR from Rockford phoned before Christmas for a few minutes, and he also attended the Iowa game. He was wondering if RON MURRISON, a member of the team, is a son of JOE MURRISON. (Ed. Note: Yes, he is! J. C.). I saw BOB RUPPE at St. Ignatius Christmas party. He’s about, but never see or get a phone call from BOB FENGERGAST. Talked to LEO HODELL who says that RED HUGHES, the Columbus turnpike, has the symptoms of every ailment in the book. Does F. X. remember the tapeworm he had? Red says that FRANK HOLLAND has been in Princeton Hospital with a back injury. SPIKE SULLIVAN and TOM MONAHAN were up for the Southern Zone game and invited me to their Morris Inn cocktail party after the game. At the Georgia Tech game Spike saw JIM BLOMSTROM and John Mathews who had driven out from Pennsylvania, PAUL GRANT, BEN OAKES, GIL SEUL, ED MURRAY, MATT CURRAN and DON REDMOND. At the Georgia Tech game I met SMITH BAKER and CHILL BILL VANN. BILL VANN and JOHN KIENER.

I had a phone call from JOHN DEEB, ‘50, brother of Joe. Since leaving the U. S. Attorney’s office Joe has opened his own law firm, Deeb, Dunn, Biddle, Biddle & Mathews. The Joe Deeb had a baby boy in December and now have 3 boys, JOE BOYLAND had a heart attack a few years ago and is now on the mend. JOHN PULTI an ex-’31 man from Columbus, Ohio, is now living in Cleveland, for the first time in 20 years. FR. MARGRAF, in returning three Masses, sends his best wishes to the class of ‘31. SPIKE SULLIVAN and JOHN KIENER and his family. Also saw JOHN SULLIVAN at the meeting of the very active and energetic Fort Lauderdale Alumni Club.

I saw NICK RUFFING in Cleveland recently—he is busily dividing his time between practicing law and operating a construction company and building a portion of the new Ohio turnpike.

BILL CONATON is back in pretty good shape again, and went back to work about February 1st. He is selling dairy equipment for a Pittsburgh company.

BENEDICT W. HARRINGTON recently was named Deputy Attorney and has been assigned to the Board of Public Utilities Commissioners in New Jersey. He writes to me that he has been transferred to the successor to the former Susan Borden and they have two children, Benedict W., Jr., and Michael.

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SERIOUSLY, it was encouraging to get the response we did, and since the cards continue to arrive at a rate of one or two at a time every other day or so, here’s hoping that we’ll get a high percentage of returns before they raise the.
postage on the stamp to 3 cents, (they raise everything else, don't they)?

So if you've got a card at home that you meant to fill out and now feel embarrassed about mailing it, or wonder whether we'd still like to get it—don't be coy, man—give!

As we go to press, there are about 150 cards received. Comparing this with the last roster of 600 entries—including honorary degrees, "ex-ex" (mates who didn't get to the finish wire) and even—doesn't make the happy percentage. But at least three quarters of the calls will learn how the other quarter lives, and by the time of the next edition perhaps those happy three-quarters will be stirred to the extent of sending in a greeting, at least.

Before getting into the news forwarded by our 150 correspondents I'll ascend my figurative pulpit and omit a few words on behalf of my favorite devotion—the veneration of the Blessed Mother. The Dominican priests out in River Forest are holding a series of theological lectures this Lent, and unlike some efforts on this weighty topic, attendance at these seminars cannot be clasped as a Lenten mortification—or so I've found, anyway. (While I'm at it, I'd like to say here that I see another CSC-trained man exposing himself to Dominicans, thinking about these lectures—JOE NASH, '29, who still looks much like he did when he played center.) Anyway, a report of one of these lectures is given to a calm study of the Blessed Mother's position in theology. I refer to this because most Protestants and too many Catholics consider devotion to Mary a matter of sentiment or emotion, mentally picturing a weeping widow with paraments bowed down under a simpering statue of a woman variously sculpted as of any age from 20 to 60, with or without Babe in arms. It's no part of my purpose to decry the honest sentiment behind the cult—in fact, during dark hours it is a most reassuring thought—sometimes the only reassuring thought—for the sorrowing mind to grasp, this vision of the Blessed Mother smiling gravely and encouragingly down upon us from eternity. But aside from emotion, there is as solid a basis of reason and doctrine supporting the position of Mary as there is of Jesus; they are intertwined; and you cannot have Jesus Christ and not have Mary.

We all know this of course; I must sound as though I am selling you yesterday's newspaper. But it is a good thing to remember, especially in this Marian year. It was my privilege to give a little talk on the topic before a Holy Name group a month or so ago, and I found in going over the background to prepare the talk I was refreshed in my knowledge as well as my feeling for the Blessed Mother. A lot of us are simple men, who need simplicity in their doctrines; it is surely an easy thing to remember that (a) Christ chose to come to earth through Mary, when He could have picked any method of appearing; (b) He worked His first miracle solely at her request when He said Himself: "it is not yet My time"; (c) by far the greatest number of approved visitations have been by Mary, and (d) it is sound doctrine that all blessings and graces come through Her. If she has such standing with the Lord, who are we to neglect her? Say an extra Hail Mary—or Rosary, if you have time—every night in this Marian Year!

Well, now for my correspondence—ack, ack. You'll never know how good it is to be able to use that phrase! Since we have so many cards and the space in the Alumnus is somewhat limited, I'll include as many as I can, then add to the list in successive editions. Hey—imagine the Alumnus running a continued story!

To get to the letters first (look—he's boasting!): a note from LARRY SEXTON calling attention to the fact that Father Jim DONNELLY is working in some very tough vineyards out in Lampasas, Texas, and could use any extra dollars his classmates can afford to send him. It's a darned good way of fulfilling our obligation to give alms—which is not to be confused with the obligation of supporting our parish churches, incidentally. (Ed. note: Don't forget the ND Foundation, Jr. J. Jr.) The latter is a duty of a different nature. Father Jim's address is P. O. Box 866 in Lampasas.

Also a nice note from JOE FOLEY, who can be reached in the Standard Building, Vancouver 2, B. C. His working name is M. J. Foley, incidentally—better put it on or your letter might bounce back. Building mailmen have no sense of humor. Joe testifies:

"I was in Denver and saw BART O'HARA. It was my first visit to Denver and the first time I had seen Bart for 21 years. It is a strange thing. We were talking about you and when I got back to the office this morning here was your letter to all the class of '33. It is good to hear from you Joe. I haven't seen you for many years but I get in Chicago every so often and hope to see you before long." (Am still hoping, Joe!)

Also received a nice letter from class treasurer JOHN CAHILL, who testifies as follows: "I have had quite a few letters from Father Jim Donnelly (hey, all these plugs ought to be worth an Ave for the secretary, Father Jim!) and do enjoy hearing from him. He is still located at St. Mary's Mission at Lampasas, Texas. I am planning on seeing him this summer as we are going to California and will return that way about the middle of July. In looking over the '33 roster I see quite a few names I will call while in Los Angeles and San Francisco. (One I strongly suggest you contact is ED "Mum's-the-Word" MORIARTY, our non-corresponding Alumnus."


As treasurer, I think I should make a report for the class:

Dues received $190.00
Expenditures:
To: Father Jim Donnelly 50.00
On Deposit 140.00
(at City National Bank, Dixon)

HARRY W. FLANNERY, '23

Since graduating from Notre Dame in 1923, Harry W. Flannery, editor and radio commentator for the American Federation of Labor, is a man with an unusual grasp of the implications which the teachings of the Church have for our times. He has spent much time studying, and teaching the encyclicals. His efforts to spread the social teaching of the Church include: helping to organize the Leo XIII School of Social Action in Los Angeles, working with the Bishops' Committee on the Papal Principles for Peace, serving as vice-president for the Catholic Association for International Peace.

At various times Harry has been foreign correspondent for the Columbia Broadcasting System. He is author of Assignment to Berlin and a frequent contributor to magazines. Currently he is editor of the weekly AFL News-Reporter.

Harry has been on the staff of the Baltimore Sun, Albany Evening News, Los Angeles Examiner and the Catholic Digest. He has been married, lives in Washington, D.C., and has one daughter.
FRANK H. LARWOOD, Portland, Oregon, writes that he and his olld wife last year were in Portland between trains on his way to Michigan, as Sales Manager of Donnelly-Kelly Glass Company and hand-leader of a family of eight children. In between times he and the family are sailors on Lake Michigan.

From Little Rock, Arkansas—to keep ourselves spread out to the thinnest possible—let's bring word of CARL LANGSTON, who is practicing law and guiding a son and daughter. Franklyn C. Hochreiter played one of the leading roles in the Vagabond Players presentations.

EDWARD A. FOX has fought the good fight and is single. He lists himself as Sales Manager, Fo. L. Foods, in Chicago, but he got from the postage meter blurb that Ed deals in "Frozen-Fresh Fryers from Sunny Arkansas."

It was delightful to hear from FRANCIS CHALEO, BARDUS, the jazz man, who has compiled this unlikely combination of occupations: Restaurant owner, musician and tax accessor at home. He can report food in pizza, steaks, chops, boose, clarinet and hot valuations. He has two sons and a daughter and continues to play straight Dixieland—including weekly appearances on TV and radio. With this bundle of talents Frankly spent 5 years in the Air Force but we note he won any number of Army and Navy ribbons.

Here is a blip. JOE QUINN, presently of Lake Lenape, Andover, New Jersey, was sneak in the Federal Reserve in 320 Hawley Avenue, Bridgeport, Conn. General Manager to 320 Hawley Avenue, Bridgeport, Conn. General Manager to the Blast Furnace Department. The Federal Reserve System. He has been with the Federal Reserve since 1940.

JOHN T. CASEY has become associated with Milton C. Grace in the practice of law in the Warner Building, Washington, D. C.

O. J. CERNY has been appointed manager of the new Maple Heights office of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association, Cleveland, Ohio. Cerny is assistant secretary of First Federal, and has served the firm 18 years.

W. B. KIRK is a banker up in Stamford, Connecticut, with a family of five children, ranging from a son 13 to a daughter 3. This activity seems to have developed a slight blind spot in injuries suffered in a hit-run auto accident. Wally Fromhart has succeeded Dutch Clark as head football coach at the University of California. Red was on that pile of stuff still to be used! It shall be locked in the wall safe along with the secret questionnaire. Believe me, it's a pleasure to look out and carefully handle the return.

JOHN D. HEYWOOD, Hudson, Wis., is presently serving as City Attorney of Hudson and has become associated with the law firm of Heywood, Hayes and Hess.

FRANKLYN HOCHREITER played one of the leading roles in the Vagabond Players presentations of "The Late Edwina Black."

RICHARD E. FLOOD is obviously the busiest physician and surgeon in the state, if not in the country. He found time only to list his name and address: 1480 Cover Hill Road, Weirton, West Virginia, West Virginia.

BARNEY DONNELLY is still in Holland, Michigan, as Sales Manager of Donnelly-Kelly Glass Company and hand-leader of a family of eight children. In between times he and the family are sailors on Lake Michigan.

CHARLES R. "BUD" MONTGOMERY has been appointed engineering manager of the Pittsburgh Steel Company's By-Products Coke Division and Supervisor of Raw Materials for their Blast Furnace Department.

Dr. VINCENT A. GORNLICK has announced the removal of his office for the practice of general surgery to 320 Hawley Avenue, Bridgeport, Conn.

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dent of "Father Cassidy’s Home on the Range for Boys" in Sentinel Butte, N.D.

JOHN F. ANTON is now president of the State Bank of Whiting, Ind.

JACK MOULDER, who has been in the automobile business in South Bend, is now residing in Lake Forest, Ill. along with Tom and Lois Moulton, in the Plymouths for McCormick Motors of that city. He and his family expect to be in their new home at 435 Retbaum Way, LaJolla, by April 10.

Jack and Mrs. Moulder are the parents of four girls and one son.

Early in February, the South Bend branch of the Class of ‘38 held a get-together in the "rumpus room" or whatever CHUCK SWEENEY calls the basement of his apartment in South Bend on legal business and he attended along with the following: CHARLIE BOROWSKY, DON DOLLAS (was with protesting students from Chicago), MARCELLUS BALL, CHARLIE DUKE, BILL GIBBONS, JIM LAHEY, FRANK SCHAFFER, DON HICKEY, Coach JOHNNY MURPHY (South Bend Adams High), BERNIE BAUER, Professor ED CRONIN, JAKE BURKE, DON FISHER, CLAYTON JOHNSON, and your secretary. It was interesting that this gathering included the leaders in the "Dad’s Derby"...namely Ball, nine children, Sweeney, eight, and Bauer, seven. Later on in the month, a Saturday evening dinner was held at the South Bend airport restaurant and those in attendance included the foregoing and their wives. Airport Manager Duke arranged for a special showing of a Notre Dame football film. In a letter, Jim particularly wanted to say hello to Chuck Sweeney and Bill Costello.

We’ll wind up with belated acknowledgement of Christmas cards from, JACK ANTON, Mary and JOE CALLAHAN, the JIM CARSONs, the BILL COSTELLOS, DAN and Vivian FISHER, FRANK R. PFAFF, John W. Patterson, Jr., ROLLAL BERNARD, ‘38, at the SC-ND game last month. And JOE BERNARD, at the SC-ND game last month.

1939

Vincent DeCoursey

1917 Elizabeth

Kansas City, Kansas

FRANK R. PFAFF is a computing supervisor whose job it is to develop further technical uses for the IBM equipment. Frank is with the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey in their Engineering Division. 

1940

Richard Burke

146 Paxton Drive

South Bend, Indiana

JOHN B. MORGAN, certified public accountant and veteran of two Navy tours of duty has recently joined TEMCO Aircraft Corporation to head a new accounting department. He will supervise the company’s administrative budget and internal audit functions. John is married, has three daughters and lives at 706 Callett, Dallas, Texas.

GEORGE T. WILSON is at present in charge of certain phases of structural design in the engineering division of Douglas Aircraft’s Long Beach (California) branch. George is married, the father of two daughters and has been employed by Douglas for the past fourteen years. He saw JIM BERNARD, ‘36, at the SC-ND game last fall.

Dr. JOHN B. FLYNN has recently been appointed to the Board of Health in Meriden, Conn. John is associated with the Colony Medical Group in that city. He received his medical degree from Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, in 1944.

Captain CHARLES J. O’BRIEN has been named Staff Judge Advocate for the Fitzgerald Air Force Base, Orlando, Florida.

Chaplain (Capt.) JAMES P. McBRENN has been awarded the Third Army Certificate of Achievement prior to his departure for reassignment to Germany. Father McBren has been Assistant Chaplain at Ft. McPherson for the past year.

WILLIAM H. COLEMAN has become a limited partner in the investment firm of Ball, Burge and Kraus, Cleveland, Ohio. Bill is director and chairman of the Wire and Metal Manufacturing Company in Cleveland.

1941

John W. Patterson, Jr.

Pittsburgh Post Roto Section

Pittsburgh 22, Pennsylvania

BILL COTTER, Jr., has the honor of being the youngest Knight of Malta. Bill is still attending a special academic program at MIT.

DORIAN A. KUHN’S office is now located at 165 Broadway, New York City. He is in the

KANSAS CITY—The club’s Ladies’ Auxiliary arranged a reception for Father Hesburgh during his visit there in March. L. to R.: Mrs. William V. McLeese, auxiliary president; Mrs. Robert J. Metzler; Father Hesburgh; Mrs. C. Craig Whitaker; and Mrs. J. Clinton Meusier.
1942 William E. Scanlan
400 East 111th Street
Chicago 28, Illinois

Rabbi ALBERT PLOTKIN has been presented the distinguished service award of 1953 by the Spokane Junior Chamber of Commerce for his outstanding contributions to the Spokane community and that entire area. The Chamber has also nominated Rabbi Plotkin as one of the ten outstanding young men of the State of Washington as well as naming him the Man of the Year of the Spokane community. This is the first time in the history of this award in Washington that a rabbi has received this honor, it having been the policy up until now to exclude the clergy. Rabbi Plotkin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Plotkin of South Bend and he is an active member of the Spokane Notre Dame Alumni Club.

DON FIGEL of Chicago gets the gold star for supplying the most news this time, which should in a way serve as a reminder that the Scooper always, yes always, welcomes news of what you're doing in various parts of the country.

Don supplies these notes on some of our classmates:

"MIKE CARR is still in Indianapolis, serving as sales manager for Rytec company, specializing in supplying writing paper (some of your wives ought to get some for you); Mike, by the way, put his pen back as he loaned it to Don at the 10th Reunion and on a trip to Chicago was reminded that he left it on the campus, in the care of Don Figel. JOE NUGENT of Matteson, Ill., and Inland Steel, had the fourth addition to the family not so long ago—a bouncing girl named Betty. DON MARTIN reported the birth of a boy and the ED HACKETTS did the same, No. 4 for the latter."

Don and Ed Hackett got together at the SMU game. WALT MCOURT has returned to Ohio after a number of years in Chicago. JACK BERGAN is still a Park Forester, with Syvointon-Gould, the railroad supply firm. CHUCK CARNEY has moved to Milwaukee where he is associated with the Army legal department. TOM CARROLL recently bought a new home in Wheaton, Ill., the ink business must still be good.

And ditto for BILL HICKEY, the steel baron. One of our infrequent reports from the West Coast arrived this month and BILL McGOWAN writing from Edwards Air Force Base, California says, "The fact that I recently became engaged to a very wonderful girl, Miss Lucille Brill, has a little to do with the outburst. We plan an October wedding. Figuring that I'm probably close to being anchor man on the matrimonial team, it makes for somewhat of a news item.

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Here's a note about Don Figel. He's the new president of the Fourth Degree members of the K. of C. in Chicago Heights, Ill. Don was busy making plans for the big celebration honoring his pastor at Olympia Fields Country Club last time I talked to him.

From Jamaica, L. L., New York, comes this note from WALT DESEL. "I wish to announce that I am now actively engaged in the practice of General Insurance at 158-18 Grand Central Parkway, Jamaica. I'll welcome a visit, business-wise or otherwise, from classmates coming this way."

AL ANASTASIA, recently transferred to a new position with the WALL STREET JOURNAL in New York City, was visiting Chicago recently, brushing shoulders with Advertising executives around the Albert Frank-Guenther Law agency offices. Al's tickled to return to native Gotham, after barn-storming about the U. S., including a stop-off in Dallas.

That's all this time, but don't forget to write.

1943 John L. Wiggins
11404 Runpley Lane
Dallas 14, Texas

One of our infrequent reports from the West Coast arrived this month and BILL McGOWAN writing from Edwards Air Force Base, California says, "The ten year silence has been broken. Having read with enjoyment the '43 column these past years it behooves me to get on the ball."

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GRAND RAPIDS—Rev. Jerome Wilson, C.S.C., vice-president of business affairs, spoke at the club's Communion Breakfast. A gift of $400 was presented to the University. (L. to R.): George Jackboice, Foundation chairman; Father Wilson; John Flanagan, president; and Joseph Moore, vice-president.
ard while others are developed specifically for the job.

"BOB VICARS paid a short business visit to the field a few months ago. It was good to see the old 'ol' thrower' had looking fit. Bob works at the Johns Hopkins University Applied Physics Laboratory, Silver Springs, Md. BOB MADDEN, working with Grumman Aircraft, also made a sortie for data some time ago.

"Presently I'm on temporary duty at the NACA's High Speed Flight Research Station at Edwards AFB, Calif. On the way back had the experience of driving through a real Texas 'black duster' in the vicinity of the fair city of Dallas. I expect to be back in Virginia this June!"

Thank you for the fine letter, Bill. All other gents in the "ten year class," I.e. those not having dropped a note to this harried scribe, please follow Bill's example and do it today!

Our East Coast Veep, BILL TRACY wrote: "No doubt you will be surprised to hear that I resigned from the F.B.I. as of February 26 and accepted a position as Eastern Sales Representative for the Trisco Co., Lima, Ohio with offices in New York City. The General Manager is RAY WALTER, Notre Dame, '49. The Trisco Co., is a well known waterproofing company. I take up my new duties March 1.

"I talked with BUD DUDLEY during the Fall when Villanova came to NY to play Fordham. He's doing very well as Athletic Director of Villanova. I saw him back at Vill and run into him a few of the class of 1943. BILL MIDDEN-DORF and I had quite a chat. I always seem to run into Bill."

"NEIL GREENE and I have been working together for some time now. Neil is an FBI agent. I also see TONY MALONEY quite often between trips to the NY FBI office and the New York Law School. Tony will soon receive his LLB."

Again our thanks to the most faithful of '43 correspondents.

Last Fall HARRY WRIGHT's University of Georgia football team blew into Dallas for a game. Harry is an assistant coach at Georgia, however, he was not in evidence at the game—probably having drawn a scouting assignment.

On a recent trip to El Paso, Texas, I talked briefly with JIM FORD on the phone. Jim is working for Standard Oil Company. On a later trip I lounged with JIM MORGAN in Little Rock, Ark. Jim was hip deep in tax work at the accounting firm in which he is a partner.

Please deluge me with mail. It will be a pleasure to open the household reading and preparing it for the next column.

Dr. ROBERT P. NENNO has been named assistant professor of psychiatry at Georgetown University school of Medicine. Bob received his M.D. from Loyola University School of Medicine. He has lectured at Northwestern and the University of South Carolina.

WILLIAMSPORT—Notre Dame club and K. of C. honored Coach Clarence 'Jake' Kline recently. L to R: Jim Crowley, member of the Four Horsemen; Thomas H. Richardson, president of the Eastern Baseball League; John Willmann, former alumni club president; and Coach Kline.

1944 George Bariscillo 515 Fifth Avenue Bradley Beach, N. J.

FOR '44 MEN ALL ROADS ARE LEADING TO NOTRE DAME!!!!

This will be the last issue of the Alumnus to reach you prior to our BIG 10 Year Reunion. The dates are the 11th, 12th and 13th and from all reports we should have a record turnout. Class 'Presy' DICK DOERMER will be general supervisor of the festivities while JOHN LYNCH and BOB LEHMAN, both of South Bend, are local co-chairmen.

John and Bob will handle arrangements for the traditional "Class Dinners," and no doubt have already placed orders for "refreshments." BILL TALBOT, JACK WOELFLE, et al. will be leading the New York contingent westward, and JACK THORNTON, president of the Chicago '44 Club, heads the "Windy City" reunionites. JOE VAN DYKE and BERNIE PINUCANE promise to have the Kansas City boys on hand, while BOB McCONNELL, JOHNNY MORRIS and JOHN ANHUT will have the Michigan gang on tap.

TOM SHELLWORTH heads the west coast "returners" and SAM WING leads the Texas and Southwest crowd back to the campus. JIM CROWLEY from South Carolina is contact man for the southern group and CREIGHTON MILLER will see that Ohio has a good representation. BOB MARTINA is covering the Rocky Mountain states, and RAOUL de MAMBEY and JIM O'DEA are the New England contacts. That gives us a pretty fair east section. There are probably a number of other groups already organized in the east, west, and perhaps planning to return together. It is not known at this moment which campus residence hall will be assigned to our class. You may know that re-

UNIONS are now held on the weekend following graduation, so the campus is given over (or rather "taken over") by the Reunion classes. The Class of '49 will be holding their five-year reunion and have already issued a softball game challenge to us. (Who says we're too old, too bold, and too rotund to take them on?)

Had a very interesting letter from Mrs. James H. Graham, mother of BILL GRAHAM who extends to all of us a cordial invitation to Bill's ordination at ND. Tentative date at this writing is June 9th, two days before our reunion officially begins. It may be that some in the Chicago
PITTSBURGH—This group helped to plan the alumni club’s annual dance. Back row (L. to R.): Earl Brieger, Alex Lesko, John Reardon, Larry Smith, Leo Burby, Larry Ellis and John Briley. Front row: Mrs. Brieger, Mrs. Lesko, Mrs. Reardon, Mrs. Burby, Miss Jackie Coogan and Mrs. Briley.

viability will be able to attend. Bill graduated in Chem Engineering, then worked for Shell Chemical in their Houston plant for three years before entering the seminary at school. He will say his First Mass at Annunciation Church in Houston and then return to ND for two year’s work on his Master’s in Chem Engineering.

Received a welcome note from RAOUl de MAMEY who is with the Hartford home office of The Travelers Insurance Co. He’s living in Norwich, Conn., and—get this—has five children with the sixth in sight! Looks like he’ll be a top heavy favorite to win the “Class Papa” title at the reunion. He extends a cordial welcome to any ’44ers in the vicinity to drop by for a visit.

Hold everything! Sorry to divest you so soon of the title, Raoul, but a letter from JOHN O’CONNELL (180 Connecticut Ave., Spartanburg, South Carolina) announces he now has seven (I said SEVEN) little ones and one due in September! That’s going to be tough to beat. John writes that he saw JIM CROWLEY in Spartanburg and ran across JACK WHITELY in church one Sunday as Jack was passing through on business. John writes a very interesting letter about the ’44 DOME suggested in this column some months ago by BILL TALBOT. He’s now in the business of design and offers to do the layout work on such a project. Of course, it will be a big job assembling all the information that would go into such a publication, so we are suggesting now that we all think about it between now and the reunion, and in June at ND we’ll discuss the matter fully, set up the committee and get the ball rolling. It’s something we unfortunately missed and something I’m sure we’ll all enjoy having in the years ahead. So let’s think about it and have some good ideas to present when the matter is aired in detail at the reunion.

John writes that he finished “teaching at ND in 1949, then spent a year at the University of Kansas and two years at Clemson College in South Carolina as Assistant Prof. of Architecture. 1952 was spent as manager of an architectural firm in Spartanburg, S. C., and since last July I have been on my own in the architectural business doing residential and commercial work.”

JAMES J. CLARKE who is now at Washington University in Saint Louis advises us of two omissions on the class list: ANGELO BONELLI, now assistant coach at Yale University and JACK P. ALEXANDER, Lebanon, Indiana. Add these names to your list. Jim reports he’ll be on hand in June at the reunion.

Walking down the street in Ashbury Park, (N. J.) the other day, I came across LARRY SCHATZLEIN who was in town on business for U. S. Rubber.

LOUIS A. GORETTA has joined the staff of the Whiting Research Laboratories of Standard Oil Company (Indiana). He has recently been associated with Armour and Company.

FRANK L. McMANUS is now living at 13 Evelyn Terrace, East Orange, N. J. Frank is with IBM and has been promoted to the position of Market Analyst at IBM’s World Headquarters in New York. He formerly resided in Reading, Pa.

FRANK E. ECK’s new address is now 136 East 36th Street, New York 16. Frank became engaged on December 11, 1953, to Miss Bryce Leavitt of

NEW ORLEANS—Alumni gathered at Arnauds Restaurant for a luncheon meeting. Those at the head table included (L. to R.): John Petiton, Jonas Sporl, Jr., Joe Heap, Club President Bill Johnston, Club Chaplain Father Peyton, C.S.C, Bill Redmann, secretary-treasurer, and Pete Hilbert, vice-president.
ST. JOSEPH VALLEY—The head table at the club’s Rockne Communion Breakfast included (L to R): Bill Gibbons, breakfast chairman; Father Thomas Brennan, C.S.C., a guest speaker; Charles ‘Chuck’ Collins, principal speaker and former end on the Seven Mules; President Harry Koehler; Father Healy, chaplain; Coach Terry Brennan; Bernard J. Voll, honorary president; Robert Lehman, secretary; and Joseph Hannan, treasurer.

Wilmette, Ill., and they plan to be married on April 24th in St. Francis Xavier Church there.

DR. ROBERT A. NELSON, JR., has left for Europe with his wife and two children where he will spend a year and a half at the Pasteur Institute near Paris, France, doing research under a private grant. Bob has been a staff member at Johns Hopkins University.

MIKE FRAZEL writes from Boise, Idaho that he’ll be back for the reunion. Mike’s now Account Manager of the National Cash Register Company for the Boise branch, and the proud father of three boys and a girl.

Had a recent letter from TOMMY JENNINGS bringing us up-to-date on his doings since leading ND in ’42. He graduated from St. Louis University medical school in ’60 and then spent 4 years in Los Angeles as an intern and resident in surgery. Then the service and now back at L.A. He was married in 1950, has two young ones and a third on the way. In the near future he expects to move to Roswell, New Mexico.

And that’s the news up to the moment. Will be seeing you on the 11th, 12th, and 13th of June beneath the Golden Dome once again!

WILMINGTON, Del.—Announcement has been made by MRS. R. CONROY SCONNIGS of her son; JOHN RAY SCOGGINS, who is to be married on June 25th. Mrs. Sconnigs is the mother of three other children and is a member of the Parish Council. Mr. Conroy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Conroy Sr. of Wilmington, Del.

A FEW MORE HAVE PAID

During the past months, a few more men of the class have sent in their dues of $1. Money is needed for printing, general mailings, etc. You men who have not sent your dues in, please do it right away. Meanwhile, thank you to the following men who have paid up since the first of the year: LARRY NOOK, DICK LEITE, BILL CLEMENCY, TERRY WILSON, BYRON MARTIN, JOSEPH O’KEEFE, ELMER GILLESPIE, and CHARLES SCHWINN.

THOMAS P. BERGIN, one of the class vice-presidents, is scheduled to be married this summer to Miss Barbara August Barrett, of South Bend. Tom is now head of the department of business administration and professor of statistics at the University. Congratulations on the coming happy event, Tom, from all of the class.

Another news of the class is so plentiful that we will get into it without further delay. Even the news below does not constitute all the news I have received. I am holding all the other letters for the next issue of the Alumnus. For now, here is only part of the “shorties” which have been received in great volume.

LETTERS FROM DEPARTMENT:

From JOHN MACK: “I am working with the Inland Steel Company, Chicago, as assistant to the District Sales Manager. Katy and I have three children now, Al. Kindest regards to you and the class.”

From HANK SLAMIN: “At present I am an account executive. I have been in New York since I graduated. I married in ’50; have two girls, 1 and 2. I see JIM CLYNES and JACK HERLIHY for lunch occasionally.

From AL LESMEZ: “Just a letter from myself to remember to congratulate JIM CLYNES for having been elected to the coveted post of President of the ND Club of New York. Good going, Jim.”

From TOM CLIFFORD, JR.: “I am working for Wildermuth, London, and Clifford as a lawyer. I sure will be at the 10-year reunion.”

From KEN KEHL: “I am a dentist. I often wonder about the following. I started at ND in Sept. ’41. With 5 semesters of pre-med, our class split up because of the war. We had started about 125, and at our last gathering while at school, only 35 of us met at the LaSalle Hotel. I’d like to know what happened to most of that group—STU BOREN, MIKE COFFEY, DICK HACK, JOE KNICKERBOCKER, etc. While in the service as a dental officer last year, I met another dental officer at Walter Reed who had started with us, FRANK KELLY, from New York. RAY PIECARSK, ex ’42, and myself spent a lovely weekend with DAVID KORTY, ’47, at Lafayette at the Purdue game. I’ll be at the reunion.”

From JAMES LAMB: “I am working for Degnan, Hager, McEvoy at an attorney. My second son was born March of last year, name of David Stephan. Larry, my first, is now 3 years old.”

From FRANCIS M. GUINEY: “Bill Flach

HOUSTON—The Women’s Auxiliary of the Houston ND Alumni Club held their election meeting with the following named as officers: (L to R) Mrs. R. Conroy Sconnigs, parliamentarian; Mrs. Paul J. Doyle, treasurer; Mrs. Donald F. O’Brien, vice-president; Mrs. Leo E. Linbeck, president; and Mrs. Edwin D. McCrory, secretary.

Seated is Mrs. Wm. M. Garrett, publicity chairman.
married Nancy Riorden in December. I have two children now, and am working as a salesman in laminated plastics and vulcanized fibre with the Taylor Fibre Company in New Jersey. I'll be at that reunion.

From WILLIAM P. COGHILL: "I am in surgical residency at the Jefferson Medical College in Philadelphia. In July we celebrate our 8th wedding anniversary. My wife, Patricia Ann, and my three children (Patricia Ann, 7; Patrick, 4; and Matthew, 2) are all well. I returned from 2 years in the Navy just one year ago. Best regards."

From HENRY PAYNE: "I definitely plan on being at the reunion next year. Right now I am working for the Logan Conveyor Co., in Sales. My quota of children is still two."

From JIM RETTER: "If I can be of any help, let me know. We bought a house a year ago, so have new address (3903 Strandsill Road, Cleveland 28, Ohio). Flo and I now have two sons, Jim and Paul. I'm still working on an MS degree at John Carroll University in the evenings. I'll see you at that 10-year reunion next year. Regards."

From LOUIS SCIBELLI: "This may be confusing, but I consider myself one of the class of '49, the year of my graduation. I'm attending the five-year reunion this June." (Dear Louis, the record is being changed according to your request. Stay sober at the reunion!)

From BILL KLEM, JR.: "I am with the Coca-Cola Bottling Company of South Bend. Thomas六 has been born in November of '53, so the Klem's now have two girls and one boy! I'll be at the reunion."

From CLARKEON S. FISHER: "I am a practicing attorney with the law office of Edward F. Tiska in Long Branch, New Jersey. My home address is 129 E. Highland Avenue, Atlantic Highland, N. J. I'm not sure of being at reunion so far."

From JIM DUCAN: "We see JIM RETTER and his wife every so often. His young son, Paul, is the spitting image of his older boy, Jimmie. They are both cute kids—they take after his mother, I'm looking forward to being at the reunion." (Jim's with NACA, Cleveland, doing aeronautical research at the Lewis Flight Propulsion Labs.)

From JOE LONG, JR.: "Have one young man, Joe III, age 5, and one daughter, Susan, age 1 year. Would like to hear of the whereabouts of JACK LEAHY, if possible. I'm with the National Cash Register Co., Elizabeth, N. J. I expect to be at the 10-year reunion with bells on." (Jack Leahy lives at 2039 S. Hobson St., Philadelphia, Pa.)

From CHUCK WOLF: "Rosalie and I have been married almost seven years and to date we have been blessed with Kathleen Anne, Michael Joseph, Timothy James, and Charles Kevin. I hope to see you and all our class at ND in one year. I'm with Socony-Vacuum in their chemical engineering department."

From ROBERT C. REARDON: "Recently transferred (temporarily) to Tulsa, Oklahoma. Will be travelling between Tulsa and West Texas (Oklahoma, etc.) during the early part of the year. Would like a roster of some of the boys in this area. I'm doing sales engineering work. I'm at industrial controls and oil field equipment, I'll be at the 10-marker." (Dear Bob, I'm terribly sorry about forgetting to send you this roster, but work just ganged up on me. If you still want it, send me a card, and I'll airmail it down to you but pronto!! Best regards, A.)

From J. EDWARD FAUST, JR.: "Still with the Farm Bureau Insurance Company doing actuarial work. We have three children: Joseph, Deborah, and David. See you at the reunion next year."

From Father JOHN J. CONNELLY: "Please note that my new address is St. Matthew's Rectory, Plainfield Ave., Nixon, N. J. I enjoy the column very much."

From JOHN R. NYAN: "I spent some time in New York last summer, where I saw TONY EARLEY, ANDY BURKE, and JOE O'KEEFE. Our little Patrick arrived last June. This is our third child. I'm with Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. Sure expect to be at the reunion next year."

From BILL GRANT: "Have two boys, Pat, 3 years old, and Bill, 1 year old. We built a new house and moved in last November—3118 Trask Ave., Erie, Pa.—and welcome any of the class to call 56-3238 when passing through Erie. I'm Advertising Manager for the Fireh Baking Co., wholesale bakers in Erie. See you at the reunion."

From JOHN LAWSON: "Presently working as a lawyer and partner in the law firm of Lawson & Lawson. I hope to see you at the 10-year reunion."

From GEORGE DESPOT: "You certainly are an efficient sounder. I enclosed find my dollar dues. I haven't had a chance until now to thank you and Betty for being so nice to us while we were in New York. Sorry that we didn't get to see more of you, but perhaps we'll remedy it in the future. I hope to get back to my work now as I still haven't gotten caught up on the backlog. You can count on my being at the reunion in one year."

From LARRY NOOK: "My dues are enclosed. Sorry for being so late. We're the parents of 3 boys and 1 girl. I'm working as Assistant Superintendent in charge of Production at the S. E. Overton Co., wood-specialty products in South Haven, Michigan. I do expect to be at the reunion in 1953."

From Brother FRANCISCUS WILLETT: "I am presently situated at Gilmour Academy in Gates Mills, Ohio (outside of Cleveland). Have had three books (Juveniles) published by Dujarie Press at ND. The latest was 'Merry Music Maker,' a life of Haydn."

From the sister of FRANCIS P. NASH: "My brother, Frank, has been in Service since August '50, and is to be discharged early in '54. He is presently (December) aboard the USS Helena.

FRANK J. O'BRIEN, '29

One of the busiest men in the electronics industry is Frank J. O'Brien who is a vice-president and a director of Motorola, Inc., Chicago, Ill. Frank received a B.C.S. degree from Notre Dame in 1929. Following graduation he was employed in the Production Department of Western Electric Co. for three years and later joined what was then Galvin Manufacturing Co. as chief expeditor. The latter organization is now known as Motorola, Inc.

Frank has been active in welfare work having served as head of the Red Cross Fund Campaign for industries in his own field and also in various capacities with the Chicago Community Fund. He and Mrs. O'Brien reside at 1122 N. Kenilworth Ave., Oak Park, Ill., and have three children: Nancy Lee, 21; Donna Rae, 18; and James Francis, 15.

NEW HAVEN—The alumni club's booth at "College Fair," an event sponsored by Catholic Graduates Club of New Haven. L. to R.: Edward A. Byrne, '26; Father John J. Keane; Mary Halpin, daughter of Robert, '34; and Joseph P. Burns, '34.
somewhere in the Pacific. After discharge, Frank will be in practice here in St. Louis. When he is settled, I am sure he will forward his new address, but please continue to mail to the present address (1701 N. 45th St., East St. Louis, Illinois) until you hear from him." (Thank you very much for your kind interest, Charlotte. We hope by this time Frank is home and busy getting used to "civil clothes".)

From RAY C. KOPITUK: "I am working with Reaction Motors, Jacksonville, N. J., as Chief Metallurgist, Head of Materials Labora­
1ory. My new address is 466 Walton Road, Maple­
wood, New Jersey. I expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From HARRY BERLINER: "As usual, I'm ob­jecting—this time to your 'Christmas' card. Makes me work!! But, I will say, you have my own law firm—Berliner and McGinnis."

From ROBERT E. THOMAS: "Recently qualified for command of submarines. I am Lieutenant in U. S. Navy serving the Submarine Force, Pa­acific Fleet on U. S. S. Carp on war patrols in the Far East. Will soon be transferred to U. S. S. Tilefish in San Diego. Married August 29, 1953 to Miss Nancy Deewall, daughter of Rear Ad­miral and Mrs. R. G. Deewall. Watched the Irish trample the Southern California Trojans be­fore 90,000 fans. I certainly expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From ROBERT E. O'CALLAGHAN: "Am work­ing with David M. Batata Real Estate and In­urance Company, Tucson, Arizona as an insur­ance solicitor. Graduated from the University of Arizona with a B.A. degree in June, 1953. I have lived in Arizona since September, 1948. Am married but have no children.


From Rev. HAROLD BRIDE, C.S.C.: "We are three '43ers here on the staff of St. Gregory's College. FR. RICHARD TILL, C.S.C., Ph.D. in Bio­logy, teaching and doing research at Dacca Medi­cal College on a Fulbright Fellowship; FR. CHARLES GILLESPIE, C.S.C., on tying rods in charge of Al­sports; and myself. We will all miss the '55 re­union according to present plans, but do not feel too sorry for us. We have a minor reunion three times a day with the 7 Nd'ers, '42 to '52, on the staff here. Keep up the good work, AL. We read the print off the Alumnus pages, then we're anxious to see one of the games next year. Of course, we frame the '43 column!" (The address is St. Gregory's College, Dacca, East Pakistan.)

From Father RICHARD TIMM, C.S.C.: "Have been working with the Government Medical Col­lege, Dacca, East Pakistan as a Fulbright lec­turer in Parasitology. Helped to organize the Dept. of Science at our St. Gregory's College; this department opened last August." (Thank you, Father Timm and Father Bride, for the kind words, and God bless you in your work, AL.)

From JIM SCHAEFFER: "I am working with the General Electric Supply Company as a sales­man. I expect to be at that 10-year reunion.

From BOB GRIFFIN: "Have been working with the Connecticut State Building Trades Wel­fare and Insurance Fund as its Administrator. There are three trustees from Labor and three from Management, and I run the fund for them. The fund is similar to Blue Cross, but covers only men working on construction. We are cover­ing about 70,000 people (20,000 workers and families). They receive life coverage plus hos­pital, surgical, polio, etc. I have been with them about 18 months. I was married on October 31, 1953 and now live at 33 Edgewaterport, Connect­icut. Saw TOD DORAN at Butte, Montana in New York this fall (ROTC '45) and BILL BRACHEN and wife. He's in F.B.I. San Francisco. To you, AL, my sincere best wishes for health and happiness always. Had a letter from PAUL SMITH your old roommate, a while back. I certainly expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From ROBERT E. RIORDAN: "Am working with Lockheed Aircraft Corporation doing export sales promotion work. I expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From JIM PARIS: "Saw BROD BENNETT at the U.S.C. game. Also JACK ZILAY and JOHNNY LUJACK, but missed seeing FR. GILLESPIE at the U.S.C. game. Also JACK ZILAY and JOHNNY LUJACK, but missed seeing FR. BARRY. Am working with Lockheed Aircraft Corporation doing design work in the fighter group. I'll see you at the 10-year reunion."

From JIM BERSCH: "We have four chil­dren: Wendy, now 4; twin boys, Scott and Mark, 22 months; Lisa, 6 months. We're living in Al­gona, Illinois, 40 miles N. W. of Chicago, and we're anxious to see one of the games next year. Please call if you're passing through Chicago. Am working with the Chicago Convention Bureau, 134 N. LaSalle Street, Chicago, Ill. Inter­esting work, all types of groups to meet in the Windy City, top of the convention world."

From REV. LEONARD, O.S.B.: "Am business Manager in the Marmion Military Academy, Au­
DEARBORN—Man-of-the-Year award was given to Henry Ford II, president of Ford Motor Co. Mr. Ford was unable to be present and sent William C. Pine, Scholarship Director, as his representative. L. to R: F. J. Kerman, Jr., retiring club president; Father Hesburgh; Mr. Pine; and Richard King, club president-elect.

From MARK A. CRONIN, JR.: "Am working with the Joy-Henke, Roofing and Paving Company doing Sales work. I'm married two years and have a daughter. In our company are my brothers, Bob (class of '52) and Jim (class of '55)."

From TOM BERGIN: "I am teaching and administering in the Department of Business Administration at the University of Notre Dame. I expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From FRANK DELANEY, JR.: "I would like to wish you and all the fellows a Holy and a Merry Christmas and a Happy and Prosperous New Year. I am a salesman in the home building materials line with the Mills and Lupton Supply Co. in Chattanooga, Tenn. Will certainly try to be at the 10-year reunion, if possible."

From J. PAUL LIMONT: "Am living in San Francisco, California, married and have one child, John David, nine months old. Have been working with MoMA Co., Inc., Dalton, Massachusetts doing Sales and Sales Management work."

From TERRY E. WILSON: "I am in the Legal Department of ShiK-Oil Co., in Denver, Colorado. Recently saw another Shell employee who looked quite familiar. He was VERO KENNEDY, also at ShiK-Oil. We talked several times at ND. Here's my buck—sorry to be late. Would sure like to hear from CHUCK TIERNER or DICK SADLER. Thought I was to be at the 10-year reunion."

From BOB LUKE: "Was recalled to active duty with the Marines from March, 1951, to June, 1952. Ran into some old ND Marines, RED BLAIR, BOB WATT, RED CUNNINGHAM, BILL SEEBURG. We were in a group under instruction at Camp Pendleton, California and Quantico, Virginia. Am now proud poppy of two boys, Rossie, age 6 and Scott, age 2. Appreciate your work with regard to the reunion and I certainly plan to be there. At the present I am employed with the Fairfield Engineering Company, Marion, Ohio."

From LOU LAUTH, JR.: "I am owner of Lauth's Kiddie Korner in Burlington, Iowa and do expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From BOB MADDEN: "In January, '45, I married Miss Margaret Fronke. After a honeymoon at Acapulco and Mexico City we are at home at 715 W. 91st Street, Kansas City, Missouri. I am employed with the Milwaukee Lice Paper Company as Sales Representative, Midwest. The Kansas City Notre Dame Club meets regularly and I see a lot of Bill REARDON, '46."

From DAVID J. CHAMPION: "Am working with Solafladur y Equipos de Mexico, S.A. Mexico 1, D. F. We enjoy having visitors. Anyone who uses this way should give us a call."

From CLIFF D. MARKS: "Stopped in to see Mr. Brown and Mr. Eichenberry at ND the first week in March. Mr. Brown had quite a smoke tunnel in operation. At present am employed with McDonnell Aircraft Corporation, St. Louis, Missouri doing Stress Analysis of Aircraft. I expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From Catherine Anderson Clemency for WIL- LEW, M. GLICK: "I hope Bill will be able to attend the reunion, but that remains to be seen. Enclosed please find $1.00 dust. We have been meaning to tend it for ages, but the interruptions—Billy 3, Ann 2, and Grace 2 months have deterred us. Our best regards to all the class of '46. I'll probably remember me as RUDY ANDERSON's sister. Rudy is married to Helen, DAN O'DONNELL's sister, and has two children, Mary Jo 3, and Rudy III, 4 months."

From CHUCK SARTORE: "My first Saturday off in 3 weeks so I came over to see the races at Hollywood Park. Received your letter last week and will be glad to serve on the committee. Will see you at the reunion, and will write you soon. Regards to the class."

From FRANK J. KELLY: "Am in the Army with the 10th Infantry at Hot Springs, Ark. Received your letter last week and will be glad to serve on the committee. Will see you at the reunion, and will write you soon. Regards to the class."

From MELVYN P. TOMBER: "I made out a check for my dues in October and I thought I mailed it too, it hasn't been cashed yet, nor mentioned in Alumnus. Will send another check shortly. I am a teacher of the sixth and seventh grades in Grumman School, Warren Towne, St. Louis, Missouri. We have deposited your check, so thanks again. Regards, Al."

From JOHN H. TERRY: "I am a partner in the law firm of Smith and Sorick, 300 Wilson Building, Springfield, N. Y. I expect to be at the 10-year reunion."

From FRANK J. KELLY: "Am in the Army with a captain's commission and is stationed in Bremerhaven, Germany."

DR. CHARLES A. CROWN announces the opening of his office for the practice of internistical medicine at 30 South Avenue, New Canaan, Conn.

1946 Jack Tengle Jr. 35 Hughes St., Apt. 2 Harford, Conn.

We certainly have had a wonderful response from the class of '46. Many thanks to all those who have cooperated. Now in action, please keep information of your way to the 10-year reunion."

From JACK STEWART, who is living at 615 South Normandie Avenue, Los Angeles, California, since February, '46 he has been in almost sixty foreign countries on four continents; residence in Paris, Dec., '46 to March, '48; then a stay in the States and up to Canada. His appropriate comment is that the wasteland between New York and Los Angeles, save the oasis of Notre Dame... ."

As for myself, I have been in Hartford for almost two years, as a Vice President of an agency and now as an Account Executive of an
Ken Stilley has recently been installed as mayor of Clairton, Pa. Ken also is assistant football coach at the University of Detroit, and was formerly an outstanding member of Irish grid teams in 1934-35. He graduated from Notre Dame in 1936 and intends to assist Wally Fromhart at Detroit this Fall before retiring from the coaching field.

PAUL TAGGETT 123 Millen Drive
No, Syracuse, N. Y.

Paul is the father of two children and is now an engineer with General Electric. Paul received his master's degree from the University of Michigan. He is working on the production of color picture tubes for television.

JOLIET—Officers of the ND alumni club are (L. to R.): standing, Bernard Tyrell, treasurer; Thomas Minzing, secretary; Larry Weinbrad, vice-president. Seated, Rev. Fabian Donlon, and Joseph Stengle, president.
Frank A. Ruggero
146 Main Street
West Orange, N. J.

Frank is the father of one child, and he would like to hear from Elmer Angman. Frank has been teaching school in Rutherford, N. J. He is married to a girl who worked for Father Ken
na in the Office of Prefect of Studies in 1943.

Diamond N. M. Commisa
233 No. Eleventh
Newark 4, N. J.

He would like to hear from Tom Burns and James Molidor. Nick has been teaching school since leaving Notre Dame. Last September he visited the campus with his father and enjoyed seeing the pre-season practice and being back on the campus. He is still a bachelor and says, "May remain an old maid school teacher."

Joseph D. Schmitt
220 Seibert Place
South Bend, Ind.

Joe is still single and is an attorney in South Bend.

Kenneth F. Merten
6021 Beechmont Ave.
Cincinnati 30, Ohio.

Ken is a technical engineer at the aircraft nuclear propulsion project of General Electric Co., Cincinnati. Ken received his MS degree from the University of Cincinnati in '47 and then worked for six years with the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics at Langley Field.

Joseph L. Hannon
Qtr. 413-C
Washington Blvd.
Pentölo of San Francisco, Calif.

Joe is the father of a son and daughter. He is now a doctor at the Surgery (General) residency in San Francisco. He would like to hear from Bill Busch and Nick Rotte.

Craig A. Hewett
c/o Bureau of Public Roads
Swan Lake, Montana

Craig is still single. He has lived in several states since graduation and recalled all of our wonderful trips from Notre Dame to St. Louis via the train, and its parties.

Frederick R. Funk
5726 Schubert
LaCrosse, Wisconsin

Fred is now the father of two children and the secretary of the LaCrosse Rubber Mills Co. He frequently hears from John Quinn of Spring
field, Mo.

Bill Carey
The Denver Club
Denver, Colorado

Bill received his law degree at Columbia University in 1948 and in 1950 graduated from the Harvard Business School with an M.B.A. He has been in the oil business since that time, working for the Delhi Corporation of Dallas. He has been in Denver, Colorado since June, 1953, as a representative for the same company. His job is oil exploration and looking at oil deals of all shapes and sizes.

William H. Grisedieck
34 Hunteleigh Downs
Frontenac 22, Mo.

Bill is married to a beautiful girl who was Marilyn Evans of St. Louis. They are the proud parents of two daughters. Bill is in the public relations department of the Grisedieck Brothers Brewery Company. Unfortunately, I have not seen Bill recently, but I certainly extend my kindest regards to you, Bill, and Marilyn.

John B. Hphps
454 Main St.
Conneaut, Ohio.

John is now the father of two sons and is Vice President and General Manager of the Allied Resinous Products, Inc. He would like to hear from any of his R.O.T.C. group who were in his class. John received his chemical engineering degree from Case Institute of Technology in 1952. He has been in the plastics business since 1952.

Joseph A. Lafortune, Jr.
5425 S. Gary
Tulsa, Okla.

Joe has two daughters. He is an independent oil operator, and he recently saw Bob Mannix and Joe Madden, both of Tulsa.

Bernard J. Slater (Barney)
570 Highland Rd.
Sharon, Pa.

Barney is an Assistant Professor in the Architectural School of Iowa State College, and still single. He recently heard from Frank Paul
son and Barton Johnson. He would like to hear from Gerry O'Reilly. His comments: "Life has been so repetitious, and any one year since graduation describes them all. Home for holidays. Ames all winter and Europe all summer. Have concluded eight rounds of the continent and one in Scandinavia." He leaves July 7 for another tour of Europe. He will see Spain, Great Britain and North Africa. Barney has loads of fun, and I wish I could take you up on the wonderful plan of seeing one another in Europe. May do it again next summer, but presently up to my neck with this advertising stuff.

Charles H. Bartlett, Jr.
Cuba City, Wisconsin

Charles would like to hear from any of the '46 group. He is a banker in San Paulo, South America, working for the First National Bank

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Pittsburgh—The club's annual retreat attracted a large group of alumni. It was held in January and George Kingsley was chairman.

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Thomav H. Vaughn, '31

The recently appointed vice-president in charge of research and development at the Colgate-Palmolive-Perl Co., is Dr. Thomas H. Vaughn, a Notre Dame graduate in the class of 1931. In addition to his bachelor degree Tom received a doctorate from Notre Dame, magna cum laude. While in the graduate school he also taught in the Department of Chemistry and served as secretary to the late Father Julius Nieuwland, C.S.C., discoverer of the formula for synthetic rubber.

Later, Tom was director of organic research for Carbon and Carbide Research Laboratories. He has also been affiliated with the J. B. Ford Co., the Michigan Alkali Co., and the Wyandotte Chemicals Corp. In 1949 he was elected vice-president of research and development for Wyandotte.

In 1946 Tom was chosen to represent the chemical industry in the government-sponsored Scandinavian research and industry tour. Subsequent travels to Europe and his selection as a member of the five-man Mutual Security Administration Mission in 1952 have given him a broad background on the European chemical industry.

He has been active in the American Chemical Society and the American Institute of Chemical Engineers as well as being a civic leader in community affairs in the Detroit area.
of Boston. Recently heard from PAUL RAGAN and BILL SCHMID.

JAMES B. RICE announces the opening of his law office at 105 West Adams Street, Suite 1312, Chicago, III.

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James E. Murphy
407 So. 25th, Apt. B-3
South Bend, Indiana

JOHN A. ARCADI is an M.D. and an Assistant Resident in Urology, Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Maryland. He is the father of two boys.

DONALD L. WHITE is employed with North American Aviation, Inc., Columbus, Ohio.

LAWRENCE M. CARDEN, M.D., has completed his internship and three years of specialty training. In recent months he began the private practice of Urology. He and Mrs. Carden are the parents of four boys and two girls.

WILLIAM J. THOMPSON completed his work at the Harvard Business School last June and is now an assistant professor, School of Business, University of Kansas.

PHIL DELINCKE is now residing at 408 Virginia Avenue, West Collingswood 6, N. J. His former address was Georgia Warm Springs Foundation, Warm Springs, Ga.

CLINTON D. FIRESTONE, JR., has finished his second tour of duty with the U. S. Air Force and is now back in Akron to resume his duties in the Sales Department of the Firestone, Tire and Rubber Company.

EDWARD FREDERICKS recently joined the Analytical Department of Shell Development Company's Emersonville (Calif.) Research Center as a chemist.

JOHN T. KEELEHER, formerly on the faculty at Chicago-Kent College of Law, has joined the Chicago law firm of Giachint, Ley and Cross.

LUIS BELTRANENA, also a lawyer, has been tangleling with the communists and the courts in Guatemala. Luis was host to Father WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM during his travels in Guatemala and parts of the universities of Washington and Maryland.

Here are two more changes of address: DAN JENSEN, 7621 Rainbow Drive, Kansas City, Mo., and BRAD BENNETT, 2129 Mardina, W. Covina, Calif.

Here are some excerpts from a new letter from FARIS MONSOUR. A second son Faris III blessed the Monsour household January 18, 1953. Faris and PAT CHARBONNEAU have Georgetown Medical School June, 1952 and were interning in Detroit at Receiving Hospital and Harper Hospital respectively. He is married and a father. TOM CLEARY and JIM DILLON graduated in June, 1953 from Georgetown Med. Tom is also married and a father. PAUL REILLY graduated from Flower Med. School in New York after transferring from Georgetown Med., and he got married the same year. AL MEROULINI is in Washington, D. C. doing top secret defense work. He also got married last year. Thanks for all the information Faris. I am forwarding your news about the members of the '49 class to their class secretary.

JIM GREEN'S father wrote from St. John's Newfoundland, Canada to tell us about Jim's activities since graduation. Jim received his M.A. degree from the School of Business at the University of Kansas. He has since graduated from Oxford, England, with his B.A. in law. He also passed the British Law Exams and was admitted a Barrister of the Inner Temple London. He is also studying for LLB from London University and his M.A. from Oxford. Since his call to the English Bar, he has been doing a post-graduate course in Marine and Admiralty Law, and will return to Newfoundland to be called to the Newfoundland Bar, where he will permanently reside.

EM and BILL WEILER became proud parents of a son, Mark Alan, born December 16, 1953.

ROGER B. ANSTUTZ is employed with North American Aviation, Inc., Columbus, Ohio.

EDWARD R. KENEFICK is now Educational Advisor for the Alexander Hamilton Institute in New York City and is residing at 37 Pine Grove Terrace, Newark, N. J. Ed was a special agent in the FBI for three years.

LOU TONDREAU, Hillside Road, Brunswick, Maine, is still representative to the Maine legislature.

JIM WELTER, who received an M.S. in 1948, is an assistant professor of physics and mathematics at LeMoyne College, Syracuse, New York. His

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Herman A. Zitt
126 Farmside Drive
Dayton, Ohio

EDWARD DOUGHERTY was ordained to the priesthood on May 30th last year at St. Mary's Cathedral, Trenton, N. J.

RALPH SCHUMAKER writes about a change of address to: 2215 Washington St., E., Charleston, W. Va. Ralph is a salesman with Elder Mfg. Co., and his territory includes all of West Virginia and parts of Ohio, Pennsylvania and Maryland.

Notre Dame Foundation governors and members of the Foundation Advisory Committee attended a recent conference on campus.
area is 101 Merman Drive, East Syracuse, New York. Jim and his wife are the parents of three children, Timothy Robert, Doug and Chris.

ELDON S. O'BRIEN has announced the opening of insurance adjusting offices at 408 Sixth Street, Eureka, Calif.

VINCENT C. A. SCULLY, JR., received a Master in Letters degree from the University of Pittsburgh during the winter commencement exercises.

ROBERT E. ROLWING has been chosen by F. H. McGraw and Company to serve on the personnel engineering staff at their home office in Hartford, Conn. He has been employed for the past three years as a mechanical engineer by the company at the A.E.C. plant at Kevil, Ky. Bob married Miss Judith Ann Turk of Badwell, Ky., in June of 1953.

EDWARD J. FLATTERY will seek nomination for re-election to the office of justice of the Peace for the city of Ft. Dodge, Iowa, in the Republican primary June 7.

C. J. STYERS is now residing in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where he is employed by the Collins Radio Company in their Engineering Research Department. He and Mrs. Styers are the proud parents of two girls and one boy.

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John P. Walker 828 Wing Street Elgin, Illinois

(Ed. Note: Through misinformation received in the Alumni Office, the Nov.-Dec., 1953 ALUMNUS printed a notice of George E. Peachey's death.

The editors regret this unfortunate error but had assumed that the source was reliable and correct. For all 49 men and other friends of George's, I want to assure them that he is in the best of health and living now at 311 Blackhawk Drive, Park Forest, Ill. [JC].)

JAMES BUTZ is now employed by Wilson and Company, Chicago, Ill. Jim will be handling public relations and publicity as well as some advertising for the meat packers. His present address with Wilson and Company is 4100 South Ashland Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

ROBERT C. MINER, formerly contact and reports supervisor of the Nebraska-South Dakota Area of the Northwestern Bell Telephone Company, has accepted a position as accountant in the accounting procedures section of the accounting operations division.

LLE W. MARA has been named assistant product manager of the Textilecenter Corporation, Toledo, Ohio.

PHIL RUSSO is now living at 7314 Hampton Blvd., Apartment 3-B, Norfolk, Va. Beginning this past January, he has opened a law office at 614-616 New Monroe Blvd., Norfolk, Va. It is listed under the name of Russo and White.

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Richard F. Hahn 5440 No. Winthrop Chicago, Illinois

ROBERT J. LALLY who received his Bachelor of Law degree in 1933, has announced his association with the firm of Fairgraf, Reedy and Shoup, 1030 Union Commerce Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.

EDMOND J. FOLEY, special agent for the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Company, is now residing at 608 North Notre Dame Avenue, South Bend, Ind.

JOSEPH M. SHANNON, JR., who received his Bachelor of Laws degree in 1933, has received an appointment from the Supreme Court of Indiana to serve on its staff. Joe will be engaged in legal research for the court and will make his home in Indianapolis.

THOMAS M. JOHNSON has just been named district manager in the Atlanta Branch of the Studbaker Corporation.

BOB STOCK recently had a serious brain operation but is out of the hospital now and active again. Bob is a staff member of the Universe Bulletin, Catholic newspaper published in Cleveland.

BROTHER ROBERTO MULLER, C.S.C., has had a recent book published "The Man Who Limped to Heaven."

Lt. MAJOR H. BERENS, Chicago, III., recently completed the prescribed course of three months duration at the Judge Advocate General's School, Charlottesville, Va. Mark stands in the upper ten percent of his graduating class of 61 officers.

RONALD MYRTER received his law degree at the University of Pennsylvania last year, was admitted to the bar and began practice in his own office in Clearfield, Pa.

GUS CIFELLI who played with the Green Bay Packers last season is now working in the production control department of the Lincoln-Mercury Division of the Ford Motor Company as a distributor. Gus's current address is 1440 W. Bethune, Detroit, Michigan.

JAMES F. BECKER is now in service with the Army in Tristite according to information received from his father.

JIM OVBERRY writes that after graduation in '50 he took an M.S. at ND, followed by two years with DuPont. Jim is now teaching Chemical Engineering at Yale and concurrently working for a Doctorate. Jim is enjoying life in New Haven and although still single is still interviewing candidates for the Mrs. title. To give you an idea how Jim likes New Haven, he passed the 54th-Nep game to watch Princeton and Yale battle it out. Jim reports the following doings at Yale. "DON GIANGOLA is getting his Ph.D. this summer. BILL RILEY, BILL TOLLEY and BILL DEMPEY all '52 are in Law School. BILL DEMPEY won the Mont Court session his first year. DON ZEHERNER recently finished Law School with distinction. Prof. JOE EVANS is here on a Ford Foundation grant. MILT FISK '53 is a Woodrow Wilson scholar and is doing quite well in Philosophy." Jim extends a welcome to any of his boyhood pals from the New Haven area to drop in to Sterling Chem. Lab. at Yale and pass the time of day.

ANTHONY (BABE) ALEXANDER dropped a line with a brewery banner across the top and I thought for sure he was up to his old tricks of spending night and day at a brewery, and sure enough he was, only now he gets paid for same. The cause for finally stirring the Babe into writing was GERRY RAMSBERGER, having written ten a few months back. So Gerry you have done the impossible. Babe writes "I've been working for Reese Burch here in Chicago for the past two years. I started as a.cashier, six months ago I was promoted to cashier. I like it very much especially since there is plenty of free beer. I've been married for three years to the former Ruth Warsdorfer, whom as you recall, I was engaged to my Senior year at ND. We now have a son, Anthony Jr., who is two years old. My address is 168 Main St., South River, N. J., and I would like to hear from some of the boys—BILL POWERS, JOHN DOLAN, ED FARRELL, KEN DONCGHUE, et al. So would the Scherherk) "DICK" DARO and I got together for the N.Y. Giants Pro game and afterwards spent sometime with JIM MARTIN, now playing football with the Lions. Jim is in great condition and playing terrific. He was in Europe last fall and is now living in Jersey. JIM DRISCOLL is in the Army, stationed in Munich, Germany, and while there we saw the Pope. He also ran into Jimmy SULLIVAN on the continent." GERRY RAMSBERGER's address is Apt. 306C, Versailles. GERRY, you and I got together for the N.Y. Giants Pro game and afterwards spent sometime with JIM MARTIN, now playing football with the Lions. Jim is in great condition and playing terrific. He was in Europe last fall and is now living in Jersey. JIM DRISCOLL is in the Army, stationed in Munich, Germany, and while there we saw the Pope. He also ran into Jimmy SULLIVAN on the continent." GERRY RAMSBERGER's address is Apt. 306C, Versailles.

DAN BARLOW sent a Christmas card my way and by it I see he now has four children, Julie, Kathleen, Morgan and Chris. Dan is now back at Schemotzky with E.I., working on transistors and their application to digital computers.

PAUL BUCHYNSKY is still in training with Junior Guards to Cleveland and is going to night school at Case Tech to get an M.S. in Engineering Administration. Paul reports that he met BILL THOMPSON at a hockey game in Cleveland.

Dr. JOHN D. SCHIRACK and his wife announce the birth of their daughter, on Dec. 29, 1953, John graduated from Loyola Medical school last June and is now at

interning at St. Rita's Hospital in Lima, Ohio. John also reports that BILL SHANAHAN picked Uncle Sam for another deduction by having a son on Dec. 31, 1953. John's address is 833 W. High St., Lima, Ohio.

A clipping from the South Bend Tribune brings word that ALE SCHMIEGER has been appointed Superintendent of the Shadow Mountain Club. ALE has been with the Ball Band since graduation and has worked his way up to being the managerial staff. ALE also has two children, Charles, and Nancee Ann. His address is 3403 S. Miami Road, South Bend, Ind.

HUGH MULLIGAN answered our plea for ROGER ROSENBRIE's address. Cpl. Roger L. Hooben, USS2321592, 2nd Div. Rear 23rd UPO, APF, 1500 Broadway, San Pedro, California. Hugh says that Roger expects to be in Korea till the end of the summer. He writes:

"BUD ROMANO and I went to Alton for JOE FALCON's wedding to Isabel Moran in January. TOM WRIGHT was out there and RUDY DETRAPANO was one of the usher. Bud is in business with his father and brother Mike '49. Joe went back to ND for two of the games last fall. HONEY is living at the beach in L. A. Joe's father of two boys. JOHN BRODERICK has been on the Sears training program since his separation from service. My old roommate, OF THE class of '31 is getting spread further and farther, and it isn't. I saw a few guys from our class in Japan which was over there in '51 and '53—DICK BIRMINGHAM, JACK CURREN, JIM CARRINGTON, BARRETT, AL WARD, JACK BARNETT and others whom I can't seem to think of now. I was out there on the 'Aja' a repair ship from October of '51 until April of '52 when the ship came back to the States and I had about four months on the West Coast which I really liked. I got transferred to the 'Borie,' a tincan, in August of '52. She went over to the Mediterranean four days after I reported aboard and stayed until February of this year. That was the only saving factor of this Norfolk duty, the Mediterranean cruise. We put the ship away at a bad time, during the winter months—no French bathing suits on the Riviera, etc.

"I run into quite a few of the ND guys here in the 'Norfolk area. JACK MAHER is legal officer on the 'Midway' and every time I see him I try to show him how hard I am working; saw BILL McNALLY today, he is Chief Engineer on a tincan, the 'Strong.' Other guys around here are JIM DORLING and ANDY WALKER (Navy), J. P. DONELY, BOB BRIGRAM, JACK O'BRIEN and TOM O'BRIEN, and I know there must be a heck of a lot more. I can't think of or don't know about.

"I'll be getting out of this outfit about next May I figure and then will be looking around for a job. I guess I'll be going back to the West Coast and see what I can find."

DONALD C. DANIELS, Woodland, Wisconsin, was recently released from service and now runs a news agency and publishing business. He is a native of Fort Lauderdale, Fla., and attended schools in Florida and Ohio.

At Notre Dame Bob served as football and baseball manager from 1942-44, and was a member of the Naval ROTC unit from which he was commissioned an ensign in January 1945, and subsequently served in the Asiatic-Pacific Theatre.

Returning to Notre Dame in 1946, he obtained his degree in Business Administration in January 1947, and after graduation entered the hotel business. Prior to coming to Idaho he was assistant manager of the Grand Teton Lodge and Transportation Company of Jackson Hole, Wyoming, and Manager of the Shadow Mountain Club of Palm Springs, Calif.
at the Edgewater Beach Hotel and seen among the guests were JIM FERSTEL, '48, (recently elected to the Board of the Alumni Association), HARRY WEIGAND, (Haver, Goshen, Carev, Marshall and McAllister in high school and who is now Mayor of Vettel and working on his Ph.D. in Chemistry, at N.D.), and BURLE POWERS. It was good to see the "Mr. & Mrs. Broadway" team together once again.

AL ABBEY, now a pope of Alfred E. Abbey, Jr., born February 23d, in a stationery & Aviation Supply Office in Philadelphia. He writes that QUENT MARLOW is there in the Naval Shipped.

ED McARTHUR, '50, whom many of you will remember, is now working in Texas, and his address in New Orleans, Texas.

BILL WHITFELD was married to Ellen Ann Ferrick on February 27 at St. Francis of Assisi Church in Germantown, Philadelphia.

BOB HOFF, his address, Lt. Robert Hoff, 02268193, Hdq. Btry., 2nd Div. Arty., APO 240, care of P.M., San Francisco, Calif., writes that he is stationed at Fort Haven in New Hampshire and is looking forward to 1955 and his return.

TOM COSTELLO writes that after two years he's now a civilian again and is with the Public Relations Department of Indiana-Michigan Electric Company. Likes it fine. Incidentally, he's living in Fort Wayne at 1011 North Anthony, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

GERRY KERNs, now of 1810 North Argyle, No. 4, Portland, Oregon, writes that he is discharged from the AF and decided that the Northwest and not Midwest was for him, so now he's in sales training with the Western Department of Chicago Board of Trade in Portland and loving every minute of it.

TOM MULLEN has received a nice promotion from Placeki Helicopter Company. He is the Assistant Washington Representative and is currently living in the Hotel Washington, Pennsylvania Avenue at 15th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C.

BOB NICKODERM writes that he was married to Miss Margaret M. Moran from Dumbarton, Scotland. They were married in the Immaculate Conception on July 1 in St. John, New Brunswick. He expects to be getting out of the Army in April and will then settle in Sheboygan, Wisconsin, as he has a job arranged with the Trust Department of the Security National Bank. Incidentally, there is the possibility of Bob's having a family by summer time.

Lt. (j.g.) WILLIAM A. McNEALY recently became engaged to Miss Catherine Frances Shea of Newport, R.I. Also, on January 1, Bill left for his second mission to Korea.

JOHN H. CAREY, who is now in his third year theology in St. John's Seminary, Collegeville, Minnesota, a Benedictine school. The first was at Worthington, Ohio, ordaining that a sub-deacon for the Diocese of Green Bay.

BUD HARR is still located in Texas at 3500 Granada, Dallas. (With he'd write and tell us where he's at.)

JIM JENNINGS, 3206 South Maple Avenue, Bervyn, Ill., recently wrote of one of the first deaths in our class. Rev. M. J. (AL) JENICEK died on February 5, 1954, in St. Joseph's Hospital in South Bend. Cause was bronchial asthma and complications. I know we all will want to add our prayers to the many that have already been said.

GERRY KERNs, now in El Segundo, California, with Jim, was a pallbearer. FRED BAUMGARTNER and JOE CHANIGA also were in attendance.

WALT KOSYDAR writes that he is working for the Standard Oil Company in El Segundo, California. His address: P. O. Box 201, El Segundo, California. Recently married in Michigan to Harry Hassman, who spent one semester with us at ND, is with the Floor Corporation in Los Angeles.

I became engaged to Miss Margaret A. Schnellbacher of Washington, D.C., at Christmas-time, and have plans of spending for September 4. Also, I'd like to ask for your prayers remembering my father who died on January 23.

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Harry L. Buch
309 Fisher Hall
Notre Dame, Indiana

Lt. MOE MORKAN stopped at Fisher Hall last week. He has been discharged from the Marines Mike Falco is in South Bend working for and is thinking about going to law school. Moe was married in September, 1952, and now has a six month old daughter, Kay. Moe told me that Lieutenant CHARLEY SCHUBERT, JOE STANCHEK, Ed FERRY, and JOHN HARTMANN are with the 4th Marine Regiment in Nara, Japan. FRED HARTMANN has been discharged from the Navy.

Lt. (j.g.) JOHN HALTER is a supply and disbursing officer of the destroyer escort Darby. SPENCE KLEUGEL and EARL MOCk are burning up the telephone wires between Seoul and Tsupei, Korea. Mock still can belch like the good old days. (Getقدرة; MARGARY, Capt. DAVE RICHARDS, 1c. RON WILDER and Cpl. BILL WHITE are located at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Cpl. BILL MARTIN is now in Germany at Karlsruhe attached to the 529th Field Artillery-Observation Battalion. FRANCIS PRICE was recently commissioned a 2nd Lt. in the Army and he is presently stationed at Fort Jackson, S. C. JACK URBAIN and TOM BRITT are currently stationed at Fort Halibut in Baltimore.

JIM RICHESON is associated with the Perg- borg Corporation in Hagerstow, Md. The Richeson's had a baby boy, James, Jr., on January 22, 1954. BUZZ BERGER, wife and baby daugh- ter have recently moved to Harrisburg, Pa. Buzz was formerly with the American Bridge Division in Trenton, N. J. DICK HIDDING is now working for Sears in Waterloo, Iowa.

Ensign AL BLOUNT is stationed in Gulfport, Miss., as an Auditing Officer at the Seabees Base. He is married to Katherine Sease and they have a four-month-old daughter, Karen Ano. JOE RATES is stationed at Camp Lejeune, N. C., as Secret and Confidential Files Officer. He is married to Jane Anna Jackson of Des Moines and on their first wedding anniversary she presented him with a baby daughter.

BOB PELLER has been stationed in Korea with the Air Force since June of '53. He is doing office work and has a little teaching. BOB WEIGARD writes that he is in a N.A.T.O. outfit stationed in France, only 29 miles from Paris. BOB worked at the American Embassy in Heidelberg, Germany. Dock is due to be discharged in a few months. JIM EIEZEN was at Camp Kilmer but was due to leave for Asmera working for Bucyrus Erie in South Milwaukee.

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SCHERER, married and father of a son, is working for Bell Aircraft. TONY RUSSO and his Foundation Governor C. M. Verbiest assembled his city chairman in Michigan for a briefing session during the personal solicitation campaign. Participants came to Detroit for an afternoon of work on Saturday, April 3. The meeting began with a buffet luncheon and chairmen were on their way home by late afternoon. Sitting (L. to R.) are: Arthur D. Cronin, Detroit city chairman; Gov. 'Marce' Verbiest; John Cackley, of the ND Foundation office.

Standing (L. to R.): Chase Black, Battle Creek city chairman; Lyman Hill, Jackson city chairman; Peter J. Kerman, Dearborn city chairman; William Gallagher, Monroe city chairman; James J. Sherry, Jr., Foundation Advisory Board member; and M. J. Hutchinson, member of Special Gifts committee.
wife are parents of a son born in December and VIG TALLARIDA and his wife are in San Diego, Calif. VINCENT ARNOLD and his wife are living in Pine Bluff, Ark., where he is working with Army Ordnance. Thanks for the letter containing all this news, Don.

Ensign DOMINICK "RED" CALACCI is in the Coast Guard stationed in Cleveland at the 9th District Headquarters. JOE PEROZZI is studying law at the University of Illinois and JOE COSTELLO, father of a son born April 18, 1953, is working with his family in the wholesale liquor business.

RON ZIER, in Korea with the Second Division, is due back in the States in May and should be discharged by June 10th. BOB KELIN graduated from Infantry O.C.S. in January and is attending a 12-week basic officers course at the U. S. Army Finance School, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

Ensign JIM HAMMER is aboard the USS Helena and has been with the task force in Pusan, Korea, and Hong Kong. He was due home in February. Ensign DON PIERSO is stationed in San Diego, Calif., in a Fleet Air Electronics Training Center. BOB BEH, Army, is stationed in San Diego attending a Korean Language School.

2nd Lt. AL PIASTO, Army Artillery, is stationed at Ft. Sill and 2nd Lt. PAT CANTWELL is stationed at Ft. Benning. 2nd Lt. JIM HAMBY is stationed at Lavson Field, Ga. TOM TRANTER is back in the Commerce School after a stay in the Marines. TOM SHEEHAN is out of the service and now seeking his degree in Phy. Ed. FRANK BLEYER coaches football and track at Carbondale Community High, Carbondale, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Shea of Albuquerque, N. Mex., announce the engagement of their daughter, Patricia Mary to RALPH GEORGE GLASER, JR., on St. Patrick’s Day. No date has been set for the wedding. DICK DONOVAN is to be married in the early part of June. Congratulations to you both.

Cpl. ANG CARIDEO is due to be discharged from the Marines March 10. BILL GORMAN and JACK DAUT are at Camp Lejeune and JERRY COSTELLO is at Camp Pickett, Va. FRED ESSER is the father of a baby girl born January 30, 1954.

RICHARD STUBBINGS has been at the Graduate School of Business Administration, Harvard University, at the result of a $1,000 scholarship he received.

PAUL "BUCKY" EWING, an engineering assistant in the Technical Service Division of Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, recently finished first in the 60 yard dash during the running of the Metropolitan AAU track championships in New York City. Bucky was captain of the Notre Dame track team in 1932. His time in the New York race was 6.5 seconds, which is .4 seconds behind the world’s amateur indoor record.

JOHN G. BLACKWOOD received an M.S. degree from Syracuse University in January, 1954.

Well, I guess that’s all the news I have at this writing. Have to get back to the law books as those finals are really close. Thanks for the letters and keep them coming.

1953 Thomas W. Reedy 511 Monroe Avenue River Forest, Ill.

JOHN L. DILENSCHNEIDER received a master of arts degree from Ohio State University at the winter quarter convocation on March 19.

BERNARD W. LUTHMAN is employed with North American Aviation, Inc., Columbus, O. VICTOR DEEPHILL has been elected president of the Young Republicans of St. Joseph County.

PAUL T. CHANG is a member of the Department of Political Science faculty, Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ROBERT KOSDAR is studying law at Ohio State University. He was married to Elizabeth Schlo in Toledo, O., in September, 1953.

CHARLIE FLUEHR and GERRY VOIT were commissioned Ensigns in the U. S. Navy at Newport, R. I., January 29.

Dear Notre Dame Men:

This letter offers a welcome opportunity to thank all of you for the honor which you have bestowed upon me and to assure you that I shall serve you and our Association to the very best of my ability.

To John H. Neeson, Jr., my predecessor in office, I offer in your behalf, the gratitude of all for his endeavor to bring unity among our many alumni clubs, having in mind always a stronger, more active, more aggressive Alumni Association.

Also by means of this letter, I would like to draw your attention for a few moments to yourself as individual members of the Alumni Association. An association is only as good as its individual members and its purpose for being. Who are you? Why are you associated?

You spent an important period of your life under the influence of Our Lady on the Golden Dome. You, those other "lads" who lived and prayed and studied with you, those other men who preceded you and have succeeded you in Sorin, Dillon, Morrissey, etcetera and at the Grotto—you are the members of this Association.

Of course, your life at Notre Dame is not all you have in common with other members of the Alumni Association. As an alumnus, you have had many experiences with your fellow man as he has plodded through some of his darkest hours—those unfortunate periods of extreme economic and social maladjustment. You have met men who greed for wealth and lust for power. You have realized the suffering that selfish men bring to mankind. You have seen the great struggle between men who are good and men who are evil. You realize more vividly that there can be no compromise in the fight to conquer the evil which attacks your freedom and even your right to be treated as a man. Yes, you undoubtedly have learned to appreciate the kind of and the value of the education and training you received at Notre Dame. These experiences you, also, have in common.

You, who have personally witnessed the testing of the principles of education fostered at Notre Dame—the training of the whole man; his spirit, his mind and his body—must of necessity be a leading advocate of those principles. Is this not the purpose of your Association?

You, I know, are proud to be an alumnus of Notre Dame and you envision achievements of leadership for individual alumni and for the Association. If you actively participate in its activities, your Alumni Association can do much to realize these visions. This year your Board of Directors is conscientiously endeavoring to expand and to further develop the splendid achievements of prior administrations. It is our aim to make the Association more of a reality and a source of assistance to the individual alumnus and to the local alumni clubs. To succeed, we need your ideas, your criticisms and most of all your personal endeavor.

Yours sincerely,

JAMES G. McGOLDRICK, President

Alumni Directors Assigned to Clubs

The Alumni Board of Directors has suggested that individual members of the board sponsor specific Local Clubs. In some instances this has resulted in personal visits by the board member to the club as well as correspondence between club officers and board representatives regarding ideas and suggestions on the alumni program.

Representatives of the Alumni Board and the clubs they are sponsoring include:

JOHN NEESON—Philadelphia, Eastern Pa., Harrisburg, Scranton, Wilkes-Barre, South Jersey, Williamsport, Delaware.

JAMES McGOLDRICK—New York City, New Jersey, Central N. J., Mid-Hudson Valley, Capital District, Bridgeport, Schenectady.

JACK COURTNEY—Detroit, Dearborn, Blue Water, Lansing, Grand Rapids, Monroe, Saginaw Valley, Muskegon.

RALPH CORYN—Tri-Cities, Des Moines, Dubuque, St. Louis, Central Ill., Eastern Ill., Rock River Valley, Peoria.


MSGR. TOOMEY—Syracuse, Rochester, Buffalo, Mohawk Valley, Triple Cities.

JACK SAUNDERS—Boston, Pioneer Valley, Connecticut Valley, Naugatuck Valley, Rhode Island.

DR. O'DONNELL—Pittsburgh, Erie, Men-Valley, West Virginia.

BOB GORE—Fort Lauderdale, North Florida, Miami, Atlanta.

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