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# A Word from the Editor

The Alumni of Trinity College will be pleased to learn that *Thomas* S. Wadlow, '33, who has been on leave from the College, has resumed his duties as Alumni Secretary after having served overseas on a mine-sweeper off Normandy and in the Mediterranean. He returns to a College which is once again resounding to the bustle of civilian undergraduate life. It is a stir felt not only on the campus but among the Alumni as well. The years ahead will see much activity on the part of Trinity's graduates.

For a while I shall continue working on the *Alumni News*, while Tom takes up the Alumni Fund and the various other functions of his office. We welcome his return, knowing of old his interest in, and concern for, all that pertains to Trinity's Alumni. For myself, I can only say that I have enjoyed my work as Acting Alumni Secretary, and that I have enjoyed making the acquaintance of a great many of my fellow Alumni. I wish to express my thanks to those who have cooperated so enthusiastically in the Alumni Fund and in other matters in which we have been mutually interested.

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# The Navy at Trinity

Visitors to the Trinity College Chapel, examining the carvings on the choir benches, sooner or later come upon a pew-end topped by the figure of John Paul Jones. This pewend was given to Trinity College at Commencement in October, 1944, by the men of the Navy V-12 Program stationed here, to commemorate their residence at the College from July 1, 1943, to October 30, 1945. On the arm of the bench is a whale, symbolic of that early mariner of Bible story. In the main panel the *Constitution*, under full sail, heels through a choppy sea. As a motto to be inscribed on their gift, the Apprentice Seamen have whimsically adopted the famous words, "We have not yet begun to fight."\*

The Navy's V-12 Program began operation on July 1, 1943, commencing simultaneously in over two hundred colleges and universities throughout America. On that date approximately eighty thousand men, especially selected as officer candidates, began their training. Some of them were barely out of high school; others were "fleet men" with battle experience. The courses which the colleges offered them were, basically, the regular academic programs modified and augmented to suit the particular needs of the war emergency.

Trinity College has contributed its share to the V-12 Program. The Navy's peak enrollment at the College was 410 in 1943-1944. The Navy Unit started at the College with an enrollment of 402 men, worked up to the peak of 410, and tapered off after the spring of 1944 to a final figure of 140 in October, 1945. The men slept in doubledecker "sacks" in the dormitories. Commons became their mess hall, and a large annex was built onto the College kitchen.

During its stay at the College the V-12 Unit has been under the command of three \*In reality, many of the men came to Trinity from the Fleet, with which they had seen action. different officers. From July 1 through October, 1943, Lieutenant Ives Atherton was Commanding Officer, with Lieutenants





Sailors and WAVES join forces to sell Bonds during the July 4, 1944 Bond Drive

Frederick E. Mueller and Vincent J. Conroy, respectively, Executive and Phsyical Training Officers. Lt. Atherton was transferred at the end of October, 1943. Lt. Mueller succeeded him and continued as Commanding Officer until the summer of 1945, at which time Lt. Conroy, who had been Executive Officer under Lt. Mueller, took over the command of the Station. Lt. Conroy's Executive Officer was Lt. Forshag.

#### BOND SALES

During its stay the Navy has not remained aloof from extra-curricular activities, but has entered into the life of the College and of the Community. On three occasions the V-12 Unit staged War Bond Drives, under the able and enthusiastic direction of Lt. Conroy. The most successful of these was a drive put on between December 1 and December 7, 1944, in which Trinity led the entire nation in quantity of War Bonds sold during the Navy's Pearl Harbor Day Extra War Bond Campaign. The winning figure was \$84,478.50. The culminating event of the Drive was the presentation to the Unit of a pennant by Admiral Thomas C. Hart, former commander of the Navy's Asiatic fleet, and now United States Senator from Connecticut.

Another Bond Drive on July 4, 1945, was staged on the College campus. Several thousands attended the day-long rally, during the course of which Lieutenant-Commander R. B. Downes, damage control officer on the historic *Franklin*, gave an address in which he described the last action of his ship. At the rally Italian rifles, German shell cases, mess kits, helmets, and a Nazi flag were given away to the bond purchasers. A display of Navy equipment including a water changing machine for the purification of drinking water in combat was displayed.

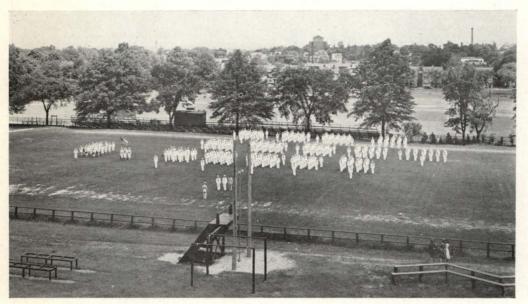
The total issue value of War Bonds sold by the Navy in its three drives (Independence Day, 1944, Pearl Harbor Day, 1944, and Independence Day, 1945) came to \$164,453.50. Moreover, the Unit has had better than 96% participation in the War Bond allotment program in which bonds have been purchased by salary deductions.

#### NAVY SHOWS

The Navy men put on a number of shows during their stay at the College The first, a variety show accompanied by an orchestra selected from the men at the Station, was staged in September, 1943, in the Chemistry Auditorium. The second Navy show, a more ambitious undertaking, was a presentation of Shakespeare's *Julius Caesar*, suspiciously altered in important respects to resemble Navy life at Trinity. One of the Apprentice Seamen taking part in this

The Navy Band under the direction of Kenneth Wynne, '46, sets out for the review ground





The Unit lines up for review. In the foreground stands the Obstacle Course, a part of the Navy's Physical Fitness Program

show turned out, to everyone's surprise, to be none other than Professor Perkins attired in Navy blue and equipped with a clarinet, upon which he played several tunes for the edification of the audience. Needless to say, he was enthusiastically received. A third Navy performance, again a variety show, was presented in May, 1944.

In the fall of 1944 the Navy "revived" the Jesters, putting on the Thurber-Nugent play, *The Male Animal*, at the Avery Memorial. After two performances at the Avery, the show "hit the road," and put on a performance for the hospitalized soldiers at nearby Bradley Field.

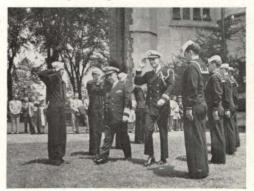
#### REVIEWS

A feature of the Navy life at the College which has been of much interest to visitors has been the program of Saturday reviews on the football field. The seamen prepared for these reviews in marching contests held on the campus under the elms. During the week the platoons would compete with each other for honors in drill. On Saturdays, the entire company assembled on the football field for review by the officers of the Station. In August, 1944, Governor Baldwin, accompanied by Brigadier General Reginald B. Delacour, Adjutant General of Connecticut, reviewed the Unit. At the June, 1945, Commencement, the V-12 Unit was reviewed by Chief of Naval Personnel, Vice Admiral Randall Jacobs, to whom the College awarded the degree of Doctor of Laws. In his Commencement address Admiral Jacobs termed Japan a "spiritual swamp" and added, "We will never rest easy until the sunlight of truth is let in."

### SPORTS NIGHTS

An important feature of College life was the program of six Sports Night shows presented in the Alumni Hall gymnasium. The first of these was presented on September 1, 1944, under the direction of Lt. Conroy, then Physical Training Officer. The program included eight boxing bouts, two wrestling matches, and exhibition boxing by profes-

Admiral Jacobs leaves the Chapel after receiving the degree of Doctor of Laws





A platoon executes "Eyes Right"! as it passes the reviewing stand

sionals. So well was the show received that more of the same kind were planned. Music, entertainment, and refreshments were included in the programs. At the end of the sixth and last Sports Night, statuettes were presented to the outstanding performers of each of the shows.

# ACADEMIC INSTRUCTION

It is needless to say that the academic demands of the Navy were somewhat different from those of an institution which has always been known as one of New England's liberal arts colleges. There was an immediate demand for large numbers of mathematics courses, particularly in specialized courses, such as celestial navigation. Professor Hughes (German), who already held the positions of Dean and Acting President, took on a course in Advanced Calculus. Professor Burger (Biology), Dr. Copeland (Biology), and Professor Notopoulos (Classics) gave courses in Plane Trigonometry, Differential and Integral Calculus, and Analytical Geometry, to help out the busy staff of regular mathematics men, Professors Dadourian, Mitchell, and Wyckoff, and Dr. Thielheimer.

The English Department, too, was augmented by a number of "re-tooled" teachers. Professors Scott and Naylor (Romance Languages), Professor Watters (Music), and Mr. Taylor (Fine Arts), found themselves instructing the Navy's equivalent of English A. It would be tedious to enumerate all the adjustments of this sort made by the faculty. Suffice it to add that Professor Barret (Classics) taught German and History; Professors Shepard and Allen (English) and Professor Bangs (German) taught Naval History; Professor Towle (Economics) taught United States History; and that by the end of the Program few of the College's "regular" courses bore much resemblance to their earlier civilian selves.

## FACULTY

The faculty has been engaged in war work outside the campus. Professor Bissonnette is now in Biarritz, France, teaching biology to the Army. Professor Scott, of the Romance Language Department, is with the Office of Strategic Service in San Francisco doing work in Japanese. Professor Altmaier has been in the Marines, and Professor Helmbold has had an odyssey in the Mediterranean, North Africa, Italy, and other points, as a Navy officer. Professor Mitchell spent this past summer as a consultant at the Pratt & Whitney Aircraft in East Hartford. Dan Jessee early this year was given the temporary rank of Major in the Army, and visited various Caribbean Army centers, giving instruction on football techniques. Together with Ray Oosting he has now left for the Pacific, where the two will give instruction in football, basketball, and other sports. Ray also holds the rank of Major. He spent most of the summer in Lexington, Virginia, giving instruction in basketball and volleyball. Professor Taylor has been serving as the Executive Officer of the V-12 Unit at Lawrence College in Appleton, Wisconsin.

Professor Doolittle, '31, has been engaged in research at M.I.T. on radar. Lieutenant-Commander Walt McCloud has been stationed in Kodiak, Alaska, and at Georgia Pre-Flight in the Navy. Ralph Erickson has been discharged from the Army, in which he has been serving in the reconditioning program of the Air Corps. Captain William G. Wendell, of the Marines, has been stationed in Washington. Lawrence Lafore, of the History Department, is now connected with the State Department and is stationed in Paris. His colleague, George Cooper, received an Ensignship in the Navy after studying Japanese at Boulder, Colorado. Subsequently he was honorably discharged from the Navy and joined the Department of State. He is now in London. Mr. Kramer has been connected with the Red Cross. Jack Williams, '36, formerly of the French Department, has been studying Japanese in Washington and is now with the Navy in the Pacific. Mr. Daniel B. Risdon has seen service in France, Germany, and Czechoslo-vakia with an armored unit. Lieutenant Norton Coe, also of the English A staff, received his commission not long ago at New Orleans in the Transportation Corps. Tom Wadlow, '33, our Alumni Secretary, has recently resumed his duties here at the College after serving on a minesweeper in the Mediterranean and European theatres.

### ALUMNI

Anyone who has seen the Alumni Notes sections of the *Alumni News* during the past few years does not need to be told that Trinity's Alumni have been serving in all parts of the world. The College has had over a thousand Alumni in service, many of whom have kept in touch with the College. Notices of their doings have been regularly published in the *News*.

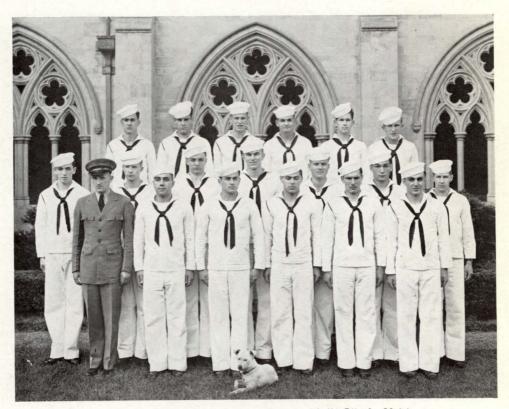
# RETURNING TRINITY MEN

The College is looking forward to the return of the Trinity men whose undergraduate careers were interrupted by the war. A number of these men have already come back; among them Dave Tyler, Don Puffer, Jim Kinsella, High Moore, Jack Prall, Jim Kapteijn, Reed Schroeder, and Frank Borden. The College Admissions Office would like to hear from all men who look forward to returning. Service men who plan to return to the College can get back into academic ways even before discharge by taking U. S. Armed Forces Institute correspondence courses. Trinity gives credit for these courses on the same basis as the college under whose auspices they are taken.

# ADDITIONAL CONTRIBUTIONS To 1944-1945 Alumni Fund

# (Received too late for the August, 1945 Report)

#### 1908 1934 R. M. Yergason, M.D. G. D. Rankin, Jr. 1909 1935 W. Dwyer, M.D. A. B. Ward J. F. Zietlow, Jr. 1912 W. A. Bird 1937 1913 S. L. Cramer, M.D. A. Haithwaite 1938 1916 J. Astman W. B. Olmsted, Jr. R. H. Johnson 1922 1942 H. T. Kneeland C. E. Olsen N. J. Proulx 1923 O. A. Staehr H. L. Smith 1944 1930 R. H. MacGuyer F. R. Belden 1931 1946 L. L. Scaife L. B. Milling



A representative platoon poses for its picture, with "4-O", the Unit's mascot

# Professor Perkins Defends "4-O"

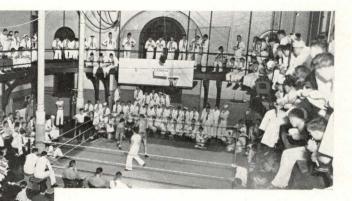
# To the Editor of the Courant:

I wish to correct your serious blunder regarding the little white dog that proudly led the Navy V-12 procession last Thursday at the Old State House. Both the *Courant* and the *Times* referred to him by the ignoble name of "HO," while in reality he rejoices in the proud title of "4-O," meaning perfect physical condition, in naval parlance. Also both papers erred in calling him the mascot of the Drum and Bugle Corps. Actually he has been mascot of the entire V-12 Unit for about a year.

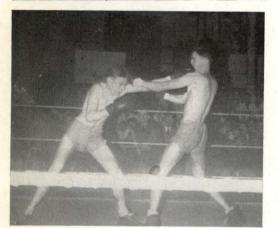
Apparently "4-O" adopted the Navy boys rather than they him, and his conduct in the capacity of self-appointed mascot has been exemplary. He even won the Purple Heart decoration for wounds received during a gallant action against another dog that invaded the campus without a permit. He is devoted to the uniform, though he never gushes to express loyalty, but carries himself with dignity at all times, and pays no attention whatever to civilians. He ignores them as if they did not exist.

In the classroom, where he often honors the instructor with his presence, he is quiet, orderly and discreet; in fact, his conduct is quite human, including going to sleep if the lecture bores him. This letter will, I hope, not only correct the errors already noted, but also serve as a well-deserved tribute to a perfect mascot. May "4-O" long lead the procession!

HENRY A. PERKINS



Top: Boxing at one of the Sports Nights CENTER: A close-up of the action Воттом: A tense moment in the Trinity-Holy Cross basketball game





# Navy Sports

The past twenty-eight months have been active ones in the Department of Physical Education. Given the task of developing in the Apprentice Seamen sent here by the Navy a high level of physical fitness and maintaining that level once reached, the Department set up a schedule of activities which had body-building value and which lent themselves readily to a mass exercise program.

The program as finally evolved included four distinct phases:

# 1. BASIC PROGRAM

Required of all first term men and second or subsequent term men who failed to reach a satisfactory level of physical fitness. Activities included were calisthenics, running, rope climbing, iron wand drills, rope skipping, tumbling, combatives, physical fitness tests, and so on.

# 2. MAINTENANCE PROGRAM

Required of all second and subsequent term men who had reached a satisfactory level of physical fitness. Swimming and life saving, group games, wrestling, boxing, relays, and athletic sports formed the basis of this program.

It might be of interest to note here briefly some of the results of our swimming program. While approximately ten per cent of the

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men were unable to swim upon entering college, every man who remained at least one term succeeded in meeting the minimum Navy requirements. In addition, the following tests were passed by the over nine hundred men who attended Trinity as Apprentice Seamen:

Navy Third Class Test	911			
Navy Second Class Test	855			
Navy First Class Test	593			
Amer. Red Cross Functional Swimming	758			
American Red Cross Senior Life Saving				
American Red Cross Instructor's Course	148			

3. INTRAMURAL SPORTS AND DEMONSTRATION

As a supplement to the required work, a continuing program of intramural sports was offered with excellent participation and keen competition, not only among the V-12 boys but also from our own civilian students. The most popular sports were touch football, softball, basketball, water baseball, swimming, and track.

Frequent "Sports Nights" were held, under the able direction of Athletic Instructor Sp. (A) Trozzi, with the emphasis on boxing and wrestling. To round out the programs, demonstrations of Warfare Aquatics were given to enthusiastic audiences in our own pool, and also in several of the pools in the greater Hartford area.

#### 4. VARSITY ATHLETICS

A distinct effort was made to provide the men with an adequate program of intercollegiate competition. Despite the many severe obstacles to be overcome, such as travel restrictions and the difficulty of securing suitable opponents, representative teams were organized in basketball, swimming, track, and baseball.

Basketball, under the direction of Mr. Oosting, enjoyed unusual success, numbering among its victims such teams as Yale, Holy Cross, Wesleyan, and Williams. The play of Ed Faber, a V-12 transfer from Cornell, was especially noteworthy. Although a marked man, "Red" averaged eighteen points per game, and according to many baskebtall enthusiasts was one of the best players ever to wear the blue and gold on the court.

The 1943 track team broke several longstanding college records and was our first undefeated track group since 1932. Pete Torrey, Parker Carleton, Lou Meyers, Joe Piligian, C. A. Campbell, and Ray Halsted were outstanding performers.

Baseball, under Mr. Jessee, also compiled a good record, particularly the 1943 team, which defeated, among others, the Hartford Senators (Eastern League Champions that year), Yale, and Wesleyan. "Curt" Baker, a transfer from Springfield College, was a great pitcher and was largely responsible for most of the wins.

November marks the end of the Navy's stay at the College and the return to an all-civilian student body. Plans have already been formulated for a resumption of athletic competition with our traditional rivals. Basketball, swimming, and baseball teams will be organized this year with football coming into the picture next fall. The support of the Alumni in our athletic program in the past is greatly appreciated and it is hoped that this support may continue, not only by attendance at games, but also in interesting prospective students in the College.

– Joseph Clarke

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# BASKETBALL 1945-1946

Dec.	15	Sat.	Williams	Away
Dec.	18	Tues.	W.P.I.	Home
Jan.	9	Wed.	Williams	Home
Jan.	12	Sat.	Amherst	Away
Jan.	15	Tues.	Wesleyan	Away
Jan.	19	Sat.	M.I.T.	Home
Feb.	8	Fri.	R.P.I.	Away
Feb.	9	Sat.	Union	Away
Feb.	12	Tues.	Wesleyan	Home
Feb.	15	Fri.	M.I.T.	Away
Feb.	23	Sat.	Amherst	Home
Mar.	1	Thur.	Coast Guard	Home

### 1892

T. WELLES GOODRIDGE, on September 6 became for the second time the grandfather of twin boys. His son, WILLIAM GOODRIDGE, '25, already the father of a daughter now six years old, and of twin boys born on September 7, 1941, sent his father a telegram on September 6, 1945, announcing the arrival of two more twin boys.

#### 1894

PALMER B. MORRISON recently returned to Stockholm on the Drottningholm.

#### 1895

PHILIP J. McCOOK was awaiting discharge early in September and was planning to return to New York City for the practice of law. He entered the Office of the Judge Advocate General on February 15, 1943, as a Colonel, and was assigned to Special Assignments. These assignments were too numerous to set out fully here, but the work included review of Court Martial records (mainly for clemency), research on Courts as Law Member, and visits to rehabilitation centers in the United States and abroad.

#### 1898

THEODORE H. PARKER, father of Theodore H. Parker, Jr., music and drama critic for the *Hartford Courant*, has retired from the newspaper field in Springfield, Massachusetts, where he has been a prominent figure for forty-six years. Mr. Parker, Sr., for many years served as associate Sunday editor of the Springfield *Union* and *Republican*.

#### 1902

EDWARD GOODRIDGE has completed forty years as a master at St. Mark's School, where he is now senior master. The outgoing class of 1945 dedicated to him the St. Mark's Lion with the following words: "With respect and affection we of the class of 1945 dedicate this Lion to Edward Goodridge in recognition of his forty years at St. Mark's and six years as our friend."

#### 1913

NAAMAN COHEN became one of the prosecutors of the Hartford Police Court on July 1. His term is for two years.

#### 1915

LIEUTENANT COLONEL REUEL C. STRAT-TON, who served as Special Assistant to the Director of Safety, Office of Chief of Ordnance, has been returned to civilian status and is the Supervising Chemical Engineer for the Travelers Insurance Companies of Hartford.

#### 1919

MAJOR HERBERT E. P. PRESSEY, Chaplain of the 2nd Service Command, this past summer was Assistant Service Command Chaplain at Governor's Island, New York. He had been overseas twenty-six months in the South Pacific.

#### 1922

HORACE A. THOMSON entered his son, Robert F. Thomson, at St. Andrew's School, Middletown, Delaware, in the third form this fall. 1924

EDWARD R. SHIEBLER, JR., son of Edward R. Shiebler, '24, has entered the House of Studies at Mary Knoll, New York, to prepare for missionary work abroad.

#### 1927

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER WENDELL H. LANGDON was promoted to his present rank on July 10.

#### 1928

MAJOR DUDLEY H. BURR, formerly pastor of the South Congregational Church in East Hartford, and the Windsor Avenue Congregational Church in Hartford, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action on New Georgia, and the Purple Heart for wounds received on Luzon.

#### 1930

LIEUTENANT GEORGE J. ROSENBAUM informs us that in June he had rounded out his first year of overseas duty with a variety of posts in the United Kingdom, including Group Medical Officer aboard LSTs. In June he was in charge of the Sick Bay at the U. S. Naval Radio Station, Londonderry, North Ireland.

CAPTAIN LOUIS C. TONKEN spent a ten day leave in Hartford in September. When last heard from he was stationed at the Reception Center at Fort Benning, Georgia, where he had been since February, 1943. He is in medical work.

#### 1931

AMBROSE S. HIGGINGS, Maine architect, has recently been chosen by the Libbey Owens Ford Glass Company to design the Maine Solar House. This appointment came through a jury of thirty men and women, affiliated in one way or another with the building industry, who submitted the names of architects considered most able to design Solar Houses in their respective states. Hig has designed many homes and industrial buildings in his beloved State of Maine, and has done a good deal of special work for the government during the war. He lives in Bar Harbor with his wife and two daughters. He is President of Bar Harbor Toys, Inc.

LIEUTENANT LAURISTON L. SCAIFE, USNR, Chaplain at the Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida, has accepted a call to Calvary Church, Pittsburgh. He was rector of Trinity Church, Newport, Rhode Island, when he entered the Navy in October, 1944. Calvary Church is the third largest Episcopal Church in the country.

JEROME WYCKOFF wrote recently, "expect soon to be back with Artists & Writers Guild in New York." Mr. Wyckoff until recently was a Sergeant Major and editor of the Language Section, Information and Education Division, ASF. When last heard from he was in the Adjutant General's Office in New York doing editorial work. He has one child, Thomas Waldron, born in January, 1944.

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NATHAN S. GLASSMAN writes from Arlington, Virginia, "I'd like to introduce any of my classmates in this area to Mrs. Glassman and Barry Steven, aged one and a half." Mr. Glassman has been busy on the design of Army Ordnance.

RICHARD L. SLOSSON, JR., was promoted to the rank of Major on May 1 in the Branch Adjutant General's Department, as Classification and Assignment Officer in the Headquarters of the 3rd Army.

# Marriages

#### 1912

W. ERNEST STEVEN was married on August 8 in Hartford, Connecticut, to Mrs. Emma Colbert Sullivan.

### 1916

WILLIS B. GEORGE was married on July 31 to Miss Marion Hyde at the home of the birde's mother on Prospect Avenue, West Hartford. THE REV. RAYMOND CUNNINGHAM, '07, of Trinity Episcopal Church, performed the ceremony.

#### 1938

CAPTAIN GREGORY T. McKEE, home for good from overseas duty, was married on September 22 to WAVE Lieutenant Lee Allen Deakins, of New York. Mrs. McKee is a graduate of Smith, '38. CHAPLAIN ARTHUR M. SHERMAN, '38, officiated at the wedding. Greg plans to be working in New York after his discharge.

LIEUTENANT ARTHUR M. SHERMAN, USNR, was married on July 27 to Miss Mary Spy of Helensburgh, Dunbartonshire, Scotland, in St. Michael's Church. Art met Miss Spy while he was on duty in Scotland in 1944. He returned to the United States, but managed to get back to Scotland this summer on temporary additional duty, and was married. The couple had been engaged since October of last year. Art is still on duty in Brooklyn and hopes to have his wife over here soon.

#### 1942

LIEUTENANT LYON H. EARLE, JR., was married to Miss Virginia Louise Hayes on August 29, at Trinity College Chapel.

LIEUTENANT JOSEPH W. HOTCHKISS was married to Miss Hannah Eugenia Lawrence Whitney on August 15, at the Dwight Memorial Chapel, New Haven, Connecticut.

#### 1943

LIEUTENANT DWIGHT S. PAINE, USNR, was married recently to Miss Elizabeth Abbott of Exeter, New Hampshire, at Christ Church, Exeter.

#### 1944

RT 3/c RICHARD K. DANIELSON was married on June 23 to Miss Norma Jean Finney of Fort Dodge, Iowa, at the First Methodist Temple, Chicago, Illinois. Mrs. Danielson is a graduate of Fort Dodge Junior College, '42, and St. Luke's Hospital School of Roentgenology, Chicago, '45.

CPL. HAMILTON P. GRANT was married on August 4, 1945, to Miss Elizabeth Barstow, a graduate of the University of Connecticut, '45. Mrs. Grant was formerly of Manchester, Connecticut.

PFC. DUDLEY E. ROBERTS, JR., was married on April 9 at St. Michael's Episcopal Church, Bassingstoke, England, to Miss Dorothy T. Anstey.

PVT. EDWARD P. PHILLIPS, who recently returned from overseas service, was married on September 19 in New Canaan, Connecticut, to Miss Dawn Brindle at the home of her parents. WALTER G. ADAMS has been appointed Sales Engineer and Consultant of the Supreme Fuel Company in Newark, New Jersey. Mr. Adams was formerly chief of the Conservation Section of the Army Service Forces, New York Ordnance District.

LIEUTENANT THOMAS S. WADLOW, Trinity's Alumni Secretary, has been discharged from the Navy. He resumed his duties as Alumni Secretary of the College on October 1. He had seen duty overseas off Normandy in the Mediterranean theatre.

#### 1934

LIEUTENANT G. DOUGLAS RANKIN, JR., ran into JACK WILLIAMS, '36, this past summer in Washington, D. C.

#### 1935

LIEUTENANT JOHN B. CARSON was awarded the Soldier's Medal for heroism at Newfang, Germany, on April 17.

TERRY H. MOWBRAY has been appointed manager of the New York Office of the Bermuda Trade Development Board, which will open an office at 620 Fifth Avenue near the end of October. His family will remain in Bermuda for a couple of months while Terry gets started. Terry writes that PETER MITCHELL, '36, arrived in Bermuda in September with his wife to do a bit of work on a Bermuda Government project.

MAJOR VAN RENSSELAER RICHMOND has served for about two years as Ship's Surgeon on an army troop transport in the Pacific.

LIEUTENANT BARCLAY SHAW saw CURT JUNKER, '36, in August. Curt was the Chaplain on a large Navy ship and had received a personal letter from the Secretary of the Navy congratulating him on a sermon he had delivered the evening before D Day on Okinawa.

#### 1936

The REV. SYDNEY E. GRANT, vicar of the Hackettstown Mission Field, has accepted a call to serve as rector of the Church of the Ascension in Bloomfield, New Jersey. He graduated in 1939 from the General Theological Seminary, New York City. He has served as deacon in the Paterson, New Jersey, Mission. He was advanced to the priesthood in 1940. In 1941 he was placed in charge of the missions in South Englewood, New Jersey, and in June, 1941, he took charge of the Hackettstown Mission Field.

LIEUTENANT COMMANDER PHILIP J. SPEL-MAN, '36, LIEUTENANT AND MRS. WILLIAM K. PAYNTER, '37, MR. AND MRS. J. BARD McNULTY, '38, and WILLARD L. LOVELL, '37, got together in September for a dinner at the Griswold Inn in Essex. Willie Lovell is proprietor of the Inn (and, I might add, makes a perfect "mine host").

#### 1937

The REV. JOHN D. BANKS is now minister of the First Congregational Church in Fremont, Nebraska.

#### 1937

CAPTAIN PAUL HUMPHREY BARBOUR, JR., son of the REV. PAUL H. BARBOUR, D.D., '09, was sent overseas in September, 1942, landing at Bristol, England. He was in England until the invasion, being stationed at a camp near Broadway, and subsequently at various other locations in England. He landed with the 9th Army at Brest, passed through Fontainebleu, Juilliville, and was near Rheims. At last accounts he was still in France. CAPTAIN MILTON "MICKEY" KOBROSKY and his army jeep "Medico" have traveled together many long miles through the Italian countryside. Mickey has seen long service with the army as physician and surgeon for the 19th Army Engineer Combat Group.

GEORGE J. LEPAK has been named Production Manager of the Trumbull Electric Manufacturing Company, Plainville, Connecticut, a subsidiary of General Electric. Prior to going with Trumbull he was employed on the staff of Vice-President in charge of manufacturing of the General Electric in Schenectady.

LIEUTENANT WILLIAM K. PAYNTER has joined the staff of the *Hartford Courant* after discharge from the Navy. He and his wife are living in Hartford. Bill holds the Navy Cross.

#### 1937

BRUCE B. RANDALL, JR., has recently accepted an executive position with the advertising firm of Charles M. Storm Co., Inc., New York City. He is living at the Kenmore Hall Hotel in New York.

#### 1938

JOSEPH ASTMAN spent a month, including VE Day, in Paris, and subsequently spent a good deal of time in roaming over Germany. He has been in Frankfurt-am-Main, Flensburg, and Denmark working on important documents.

CAPTAIN THOMAS D. BENSON was assigned in August to the 2nd Field Hospital in the Philippines. When we heard from him at the end of August he was in Mindanao after service in New Guinea.

J. BARD MCNULTY relinquished his duties as Acting Alumni Secretary when Alumni Secretary THOMAS S. WADLOW, '33, released from the Navy, returned to the College on October 1.

#### 1939

EARL H. FLYNN wrote from Marseilles, France, on September 6, "I am happy to report that I'm fine and hopefully sweating out a return trip to the U. S." He had been with an Engineer Combat Battalion and had quite a tour with them, during the days of the "Bulge," of the Rhine crossing and of the "Ruhr Pocket." In July, 1944, Earl became engaged to Miss Ethel Atwater, who received her M.A. degree from Trinity last February.

LIEUTENANT RICHARD J. HILL'S ship was one of twenty-one in the typhoon on June 5 off Japan but came through with only minor damage.

CAPTAIN ARTHUR C. WEBB was serving overseas with the 19th Weather Squadron in the Middle East during the summer. Capt. Webb went overseas in November, 1944, and was assigned to the American Weather Station at Castel Benito outside of Tripoli.

#### 1940

CAPTAIN CONNOR F. LAWRENCE was overseas on Air Transport duty as a pilot in August.

CAPTAIN JOHN J. RANDALL is now stationed at Miami Army Air Field, Florida, doing Personal Affairs work. He and his wife met DEED HARRIS, '41, in Jacksonville recently. John has also run into CLARENCE B. MORGAN, '39, in West Palm Beach. Capt. Randall was lucky enough to be attending Personal Affairs School in New York while his brother, LT. RICHARD W. LANE, '45, was in New York on recuperation leave after flying with the 8th Air Force.

# Births

#### 1925

WILLIAM GOODRIDGE, the son of T. WELLES GOODRIDGE, '92, became the father of twin boys on September 6. He is the father of a daughter six years old, and of two more twin boys born in September, 1941. He was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Commander in the United States Naval Reserve during the summer.

#### 1927

STANLEY L. BELL became the father on May 9 of a daughter, Joanne Heather. The Bells have another daughter, Virginia, aged fifteen. Stan has been with Distillation Products, Inc., in Rochester, New York, for the last four years as Personnel Supervisor.

#### 1933

WILLIAM W. SISBOWER became the father of his third daughter, Elaine Stockwell on August 20.

#### 1937

The REV. JOHN D. BANKS became the father of a son, Peter Murray, on June 26, 1945.

#### 1939

LIEUTENANT RICHARD J. HILL became the father on June 9 of a daughter, Pamela June.

MAJOR WILLIAM T. SANDALLS was promoted to that rank during the summer. He entered active service on December 16, 1940, when the 242nd Coast Artillery, Connecticut National Guard, was federalized, and served a tour of duty on the staff of Brigadier General A. G. Campbell at Newport, Rhode Island. Major Sandalls wears the American Defense ribbon, and the Asiatic-Pacific ribbon with three campaign stars, and the Philippine Liberation ribbon with one star.

LIEUTENANT CHARLES D. WALKER, USNR, this past summer was in the Pacific aboard a brand new aircraft carrier teaching and practicing aircraft recognition and aiding the musical phase of shipboard life by means of daily Hammond organ recitals, and an orchestra and glee club. He writes that he hasn't run across any Trinity men lately but that he has shared the same harbor with LIEUTENANT MILTON SAUL, '40.

#### 1941

JOHN W. HARRIS, after graduating from Harvard Medical School in September, 1944, interned in the Boston City Hospital until June, 1945, and is now a 1st lieutenant in the Medical Corps stationed in Arkansas.

LIEUTENANT WILLIAM J. RYAN, USNR, wrote in September that he hoped to be home early in October after discharge from the Navy.

PHILIP T. SEHL left Trinity in 1939 to enter the Harvard Dental School, from which he received the degree of D.M.D. in March, 1944. He entered the Navy Dental Corps a month later and was sent overseas with the Marine Air Group 22 in January, 1945.

#### 1942

LIEUTENANT GEORGE L. CAREY has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for his performance as a combat information officer during operations against the enemy in the Southwest Pacific. The award was made by Vice Admiral D. E. Barbey, Commander of the 7th Fleet, and was presented by Rear Admiral H. W. Martin. The citation stated that Lt. Carey organized and operated the combat information so efficiently that exceptionally accurate and extremely timely and valuable reports were available during the campaign. He participated in operations at Saipan, Guam, the Palaus, Leyte, Marshalls, Luzon, and Okinawa.

LT. JAMES D. CUMMINS, JR., assistant wing navigator in the 15th Army Air Force's 49th Heavy Bombardment Wing in Italy, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement while on a mission to Vienna, when he aided his wounded crewmen to bail out behind enemy lines. Landing in Yugoslav territory amid a group of Yugoslavian partisans, he and his comrades found a Tito follower who could speak French. To him Lt. Cummins imparted the information that he was an American. The partisans took Cummins to the Russians, who within ten days returned him to Italy.

LIEUTENANT FREDERICK S. DICKSON was on Guam this past summer but did not see any Trinity men, though he was stationed there for a number of months.

LIEUTENANT THOMAS F. MADIGAN is serving with Major General Frederick Gilbreaths' Army Service Command as statistician in the supply section. He joined the 101st Cavalry of the New York National Guard in August, 1940, and was commissioned in August, 1943, at the Fort Benning, Georgia, Infantry Officer Candidate School. After going overseas in February, 1944, he was assigned to the New Caledonia Island Command Headquarters in the South Pacific. Before entering the service, Lt. Madigan was employed by the New York Foreign Trade Association in New York City and was associated with Thomas M. Madigan, Inc., dealing in manuscripts and historical documents.

CLAYTON E. OLSEN returned in July after a year's service in New Guinea to find a pleasant surprise in the way of a promotion to 1st Lieutenant. He ran into a classmate, CAPTAIN ROGER MOR-HARDT, '42, at Fredricksburg, Virginia.

LIEUTENANT HENRY G. ROTHAUSER has been serving in the Western Pacific aboard the USS *Sweetbrier*, which has been acting as the leader of convoys making their way through sub-infested waters. Henry, by the way, is the first Trinity man to notify the Alumni Office that he has seen the SS *Trinity Victory* overseas.

LIEUTENANT THOMAS B. WOOD, USNR, entered the Dental Corps following graduation from the University of Pennsylvania Dental School. He was stationed at Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, where he met Dr. Carl Altmaier, who had just been promoted to Major in the Marine Corps. He has also met LIEUTENANT DAVE CUNNINGHAM, '41, and LIEUTENANT CHARLES HUMPHREYSON, '41, who were at Lejeune.

#### 1943

KENNETH L. YUDOWITCH, according to a story appearing in the *Hartford Times* on August 21, had a hand in working on the Atomic Bomb.

#### 1944

LIEUTENANT ANDREW B. BEATTIE wrote in September that he would shortly be in the 86th Fighter Group, an occupational group in Schweinfurt, Germany. Lt. Beattie is Provost Marshal and assistant Group Intelligence Officer. He has been trying to get in touch with HENRY TWITCHELL, '44. "Best regards to my young brother who is now a Freshman".

JAMES A. BIGGERSTAFF plans to pursue an electrical engineering course after his discharge from the Army. He had six months in the Army Specialists Training Program at Alabama Technical Institute.

RT 3/c RICHARD K. DANIELSON has been assigned to the USS *Durik* after graduating from Radar School, Navy Pier, Chicago, Illinois.

EARLE W. EPPS is now at the Albany Medical School in Albany, New York.

CPL. HAMILTON P. GRANT returned from two years' service with the Office of Strategic Service in Italy on July 28, 1945. He is at present stationed in Washington, D. C.

T/4 JARVIS HARRIMAN has been working in a field hospital in Saipan — or was working there in July. Jarv writes that he has heard from REED SCHROEDER, '45, who, by the way, is now back at Trinity.

JOHN C. REID, who left College after the spring term in 1942, has been serving as third engineer officer during the summer in the Merchant Marine aboard the "Esso Camden."

CAPTAIN JOHN P. RENWICK was promoted to that rank in August. He has been assigned to the Maintenance Department of the Atlantic Overseas Air Technical Service Command.

PFC. DONALD H. SHAW was with the 45th Division near Munich, Germany, early in the summer.

LIEUTENANT ROBERT B. VAN DE WATER wrote in August from Luzon that he was with the Buckeye Division. At the time he had not been able to get to Manila to see if any Trinity men were stationed there. He has been keeping in touch with various Trinity men — SERGEANT PHIL LOCK-WOOD, '44; LIEUTENANT JOE HOTCHKISS, '42; GEORGE COMSTOCK, '41; and others.

#### 1945

PFC. SHELDON L. MANN has served in England, Belgium, and Holland. He wears the Purple Heart for wounds received in Germany.

CPL. COURTENAY K. PAGE has been serving during the summer with a Signal Service Company on Guadalcanal. He has been in the capacity of code clerk.

#### 1946

CPL. PETER BOSCO has been with the 526th Signal Service Company, which supervised German civilian labor in the repair of more than sixty miles of broken cables for use in the Army's military communications system.

SERGEANT SAWARD J. EPPS was awarded a Bronze Star Medal for heroic achievement with the Yankee Division in Germany. On March 13 near Serrig, Germany, he placed his men in advantageous firing positions and encouraged them to hold their ground under intense enemy fire. Inspired by Sgt. Epps, the squad advanced and carried out its mission successfully. CPL. JOHN M. L'HEUREUX is stationed in China with the 14th Air Force Command. He was recently promoted to his present rank. After six months in Assam, India, he was transferred to his present command in September, 1944.

BENCION M. MOSKOW, S 1/c (SM), wrote early in September that he was at Farragut, Idaho, waiting to be assigned to a college in the Navy's new R.O.T.C. Program.

FLIGHT OFFICER ALBERT F. POPE has been navigator of a B-17 Flying Fortress with the 8th Air Force in England. He holds the Air Medal.

### 1947

S 1/c JOSEPH A. DE GRANDI completed his boot training at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station and is now stationed at the Radio Technician School in Dearborn, Michigan. The following poem appeared in the *Hartford Times* for September 10. It commemorates the death of PHILIP BARTLETT GALE, Honorary MA., 1940.

# PHILIP BARTLETT GALE

Now may he rest who has kept faith so long With those commandments that bind word and deed To worthy action. Ever was he keyed To rectitude, and, strong among the strong, He welcomed problems, and the steep ascent To tasks exacting, and to ventures wide. As leader he was called to plan and guide, And think in terms of a broad continent. His fruitful years a host of friendships brought Since men of all degrees had learned to trust His purpose, and his frank and steadfast word. And when he passed as, in our turn, we must, Regret and grief on every hand were heard, And praise unstinted for the good he wrought. WILLIAM LLOYD GARRISON

Wianno, Mass., August, 1945

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# Necrology

Name	Class	Date
Eric P. Swenson	1875	August 14, 1945
Capt. Benjamin Stark	1879	August 10, 1945
Carlos C. Peck	1901	September 6, 1945
James F. Carty, Jr., M.D.	1938	September 22, 1945
Lt. Charles H. LeFevre, AAF	1938	Reported killed over Germany November 29, 1943
Ensign Louis R. Guzzo, USNR	1946	Killed in plane crash August 30, 1945

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According to our latest information, President G. Keith Funston will be at the College beginning October 22