A Trinity student as caricatured by the Chapel architect on a misericord arm in the chancel.
George Capen Says:

During the past few days, I have analyzed this year's Alumni Fund, now at $33,500. Frankly, while I am not disheartened, the results so far are not encouraging.

When the National Alumni Association accepted on behalf of all the alumni a goal of $50,000, it was done because we knew that all alumni realize the importance to Trinity of an outstanding faculty. We knew, too, that a successful campaign would depend on these two factors: (1) Increased contributions from those alumni who have given in the past, and (2) contributions from the large number of alumni who had not contributed previously. The increases are just not coming through, and the rate of new contributors is very disappointing.

However, a cheering trend is the fine showing of our younger alumni, those of the Classes of '49, '50, and '51.

I know that Trinity alumni are interested in the faculty both because of the importance of good teaching at the college and also in recognition of their own personal appreciation of the men still at Trinity who taught them. But we are going to have to do a lot better in this Alumni Fund if the increases in faculty salaries given last September are to be covered.

So far, 894 alumni and 118 parents have contributed $33,500.40. You might be interested to know that the parents have contributed 37% of the total amount raised to date. We still have about three months to go. Therefore, I ask you, if you have already given, to consider seriously the amount of this gift, and, if you have not yet given, to do so. The roster of alumni contributors follows.

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Professor Thomas Hume Bissonnette, 1885-1951

With the death on November 30, 1951, of Thomas Hume Bissonnette, J. Pierpont Morgan Professor of Biology, Trinity lost another of its great teachers, a scientist of international fame, and one of the personalities which molded the Trinity of the past twenty-five years.

Never having taught one of the numerically large courses and harassed in recent years by ill-health, he is perhaps not known as vividly by the present college community as that of earlier years. But a large group of physicians remember him as one who not only taught them but who helped them to maturity of intellect and of personality. The older faculty members remember him as one to whom they turned with trust and confidence when the faculty needed leadership and some one with courage.

Radiating an inward integrity and a fierce passion for truth, justice and excellence of performance, he turned his mark into his students. While constantly engaged in research, he was primarily a teacher; his duties to his students and to the College took precedence over his personal studies. Every student was a challenge of whom to make something; every class was awaited with impatient enthusiasm; every closing bell a personal insult.

As a teacher he was able to combine old-fashioned drill with the development of individual student initiative and responsibility. In his classes, students learned public speaking, expository writing and the use of reason as a solution to problems instead of emotion, unquestioned authority, and prejudice. They also gained a large collection of stories, a view of behind the scenes scientific biography, and the impact of a rich and complex personality. A free thinker in the best sense of the word, his ideas expressed in class furnished meat and impetus to many a college "bullsession."

He was born in 1885 in Dundas, Ontario, into the family of a Canadian physician. He began the medical curriculum at Queens University, but the death of his father made continuation of this study financially impossible. For a number of years he taught a variety of grades and subjects in different public schools in Canada. He enlisted in the Canadian Army in World War I, and was gassed and blinded temporarily at the front in France. Although he became an American citizen in 1931, his Scottish ancestry, his British background, and his war service in both the Canadian and British Armies was a constant satisfaction and source of pride. Worry over the fate of Britain in the early years of World War II helped undermine his health. He was able also to contribute to World War II in uniform, serving for a year at the U.S. Army University at Biarritz, France and in Germany.

After World War I, he entered the University of Chicago from which he received his Ph.D. in 1923 and where he met and married his wife, Julia Powers. After two years as Professor of Biology at Coe College, he came to Trinity in 1925. Already forty years of age, and with no published research except that occurring from his graduate studies, he plunged into a scientific career with the vigor and enthusiasm of a youngster. At his death he had almost ninety scientific papers to his credit, and was recognized as a world authority on the reproductive cycles of birds and mammals.

He was one of those fortunate scientists who are able to make one of the larger generalizations in his field. Never a scientific politician nor one to junket about the world on self-advertising tours, he was starred in the American Men of Science, one of the major honors which can happen to a scientist, and he received one prize of $1000, the Walker Grand Prize from the Boston Society of Natural History. While he worked indefatigably at his research, it was never a life's work but a life's pleasure.

In one other area, he gained national fame; that was as the director of the summer course in Invertebrate Zoology at the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Hole, Mass. Between 1926 and 1941 there passed through his class a great number of the people who were to become the future professional biologists of America.

With such a love for teaching, it was fitting that he held his classes on the morning of the day he was stricken by a series of fatal cerebral hemorrhages.

J. Wendell Burger
Freshman History Study System Changed to Personalize Instruction
by Professor George B. Cooper and Dr. Norton Downs

Perennial problems of the freshman history courses this year have resulted in fundamental teaching changes directed toward greater personalization of instruction.

Western Europe from the fall of the Roman Empire to the present continues to be the subject matter of the course, including Byzantine history to the death of Justinian in 565 and the emergence of Islam as a religious and political force affecting Christendom. The caveman to atom and world history courses used by some other colleges are felt by the Trinity History Department to have a diluted intellectual value. The course acquaints the student with the development and evolution of the civilization in which he lives. Nationalism, the unification of Germany and Italy, and the recurrent push of Russia beyond her borders are only three of the European questions which must be understood by the intelligent American. In considering the evolution of the cultural pattern which has come to us from Europe, students delve into such fields as medieval scholasticism, the Renaissance, political thinkers of the Enlightenment, Marx, the British Fabians, and the religious systems which have competed for spiritual allegiance since 1500.

For the past 15 years, this material has been presented at Trinity in lectures to the entire freshman class twice a week and discussed in smaller sections of about 20 men meeting once a week. All department members lectured in the fields for which they were best prepared as historians. The growth of classes following the war made it increasingly difficult to maintain personal student-teacher relationships under this system. The department was also unsatisfied with student appreciation of historical continuity, which they consider an important part of the beginner's training. The intellectual advantages of different approaches and points of view were often lost by students discovering the factual narrative for the first time.

Last September, consequently, instructors in freshman history dropped the lecture plan in favor of small sections meeting three times a week. A common syllabus and final examination, book reports, map assignments, and weekly objective tests set similar standards for all sections. Continuity in the development of historical themes has been effectively improved by the individual class meetings, closely controlled by the instructors. After a semester of trial of the new method, the history department is convinced that personal supervision is possible in large survey courses.

Many textbooks have been written for large impersonal courses at other institutions and the Trinity History Department has been unable to find a textbook to accommodate its course. Department members are collaborating, therefore, on writing a textbook particularly suited for the Trinity course.

The great fault of history texts is the compression which is the inevitable result of the passage of time. Hitler, Stalin, the United Nations and the atom bomb must now be taken up in the last chapters of books which only 25 years ago ended with Coolidge prosperity. Pruning begats generalization. Reference to "trends," "forces," "deep underlying movements" and other ambiguities is increasing. Students face the intellectual danger of thinking that there are forces, trends and dark movements at work which are somehow independent of the personalities, hopes, ambitions, and ideals which are the true ingredients of historical narrative. To avoid this compressed text approach, the Trinity syllabus requires 150-200 pages of outside reading weekly of more leisurely explanations by leading authorities such as Gibbon, Bryce, Pirenne, G. N. Clark, Morley, H. A. L. Fisher, Carl Becker, Crane Brinton, Von Ranke, Morley, Taine, and other classic writers.

Faculty News

ACTING PRESIDENT ARTHUR H. HUGHES has announced the promotion of six faculty members, four of them to the rank of Associate Professor and two to Assistant Professor. The new Associate Professors are Dr. Lawrence L. Barber, Jr., Government; Dr. George B. Cooper, History; Dr. Edwin N. Nilson, Mathematics; and John C. E. Taylor, Fine Arts. Dr. Eugene W. Davis of the History department and Daniel B. Risdon of the English department are the new Assistant Professors.

DR. ARTHUR FANTA, acting chairman of the Government Department, gave a series of four lectures in December on International Relations and Politics. Over two hundred Connecticut elementary and secondary school teachers attended.

DR. ROBERT H. SMELLIE, JR., '42, assistant professor of Chemistry, is teaching a new course on the use of delicate instruments used in modern chemical and physical research. One of the first courses of its kind to be offered by a small college, some of the instruments studied will be the Spectrograph, the Polarograph, the Ultra-Violet Spectrophotometer, and the Polarizing Microscope.

PROFESSOR BARBER, who is in Luxembourg on a Fulbright Scholarship, writes that he attends the Chamber of Deputies sessions several times a week. Since Luxembourgish is used most of the time, he takes his baby-sitter along to translate the proceedings.

DR. BLACK'S book "The Railroads of the Confederacy" will be published next fall by the University of North Carolina Press.

DR. DOWNS has signed a contract with the University of Chicago Press to publish his "Essays in Honor of Congers Read, President of the American Historical Association 1949-1950."

DR. FELDMAN, '46, has been awarded a Ford Foundation scholarship which will enable him to intern as a classics teacher at College. He is now teaching classical humanities and Roman Law.

PROFESSOR TAYLOR has been engaged by the College to paint a posthumous portrait of George N. Hamlin, '91, which will be placed in the Reading Room of the new Library.

PROFESSOR VOGEL has written a workbook for use in public speaking classes. It is being tested at College this spring.

DR. WRIGHT's poetic translation of Victor Hugo's Les Djinns, title "Goblins!" will be published in the Spring issue of Poet Lore Journal.
College, Fraternities
Bar ‘Hell Week,’
‘Help’ Plan Grows

The College in cooperation with the undergraduate Interfraternity Council has abolished “hell week” customs in fraternity initiations. Most of the ten houses on campus either have long standing policies against such practices or have substituted “help week” in place of stunts and paddlings.

Dean of Students, Joseph C. Clarke, has been working with the Interfraternity Council for the past two years toward the complete cessation of all-night hikes, hazing, and other sophomoric stunts. The National Interfraternity Conference has also been working on this problem for many years and has reported considerable progress in stamping out “hell week” throughout the country.

Dean Clarke has urged the fraternities to undertake community service projects and to work with Hartford social agencies in projects for under-privileged children.

Evening Enrollment Up

Two hundred forty-three students have enrolled for evening classes in the Trinity Term. This represents an increase of ten percent over the registration in the Christmas Term reversing the usual ten percent drop in the second semester.

Seniors Try New Plan

The first all-day career Counseling symposium was held on February 12 for the Seniors. Job opportunities and the nature of different types of work were outlined to the Class by business executives.

Dr. Burger, Faculty Member for 15 Years,
Promoted to Morgan Biology Chair

Dr. J. Wendell Burger has been promoted to the J. Pierpont Morgan Chair of Biology, succeeding the late Dr. T. Hume Bissonneau as professor and department chairman. Coming to Trinity in 1936 as an Instructor, Dr. Burger was promoted to Assistant Professor in 1939 and to Associate Professor in 1947.

A native of Philadelphia, Dr. Burger graduated from Haverford College and received his master’s degree from Lehigh and his doctorate from Princeton. While at Lehigh he served two years as a teaching assistant and at Princeton was a Fellow in Biology. He is a member of Sigma Xi, Phi Beta Kappa, and the American Society of Zoologists and is listed in American Men of Science.

Dr. Burger has published extensive findings on the experimental modification of sex cycles of fish, amphibia, reptiles, and birds under research grants from the American Philosophical Society of Philadelphia. The New York Heart Association and the National Heart Institute of the United States Public Health Service have underwritten his recent investigations of the physical factors of circulation in sharks and lobsters.

For fifteen years he has been actively associated with the Mount Desert Island Biological Laboratory summer research center in Salisbury Cove, Maine. He has been on its board of trustees since 1940, and served as managing director from 1947 to 1950.

Dr. Burger has been active on the Hartford Hospital School of Nursing Committee and succeeded the late President Ogilby as its chairman in 1944.

Summer Move of Ten Miles of Books
Scheduled to Start After Commencement

Work on the new library building is now moving rapidly ahead. The arrival of brownstone shipments and gypsum roofing plank along with favorable winter weather in January and February have made it possible to close and heat the building.

The builder now predicts “substantial” completion by May 1. This will make it possible to install furniture and equipment and prepare the shelves for the books by Commencement time. Moving of ten miles of books will start Monday, June 16, the day after Commencement. Professional movers, aided by Trinity students serving as packers, will do the job.

The moving of the Trinity collection of 225,000 volumes will take approximately four weeks. The present book stacks will then be dismantled and re-erected on the top floor of the new building to shelf the 130,000 Watkinson books. This move will begin about August 1 and take from three to four weeks.

The Watkinson books must be moved from upstairs in the Wadsworth Athenaeum in downtown Hartford, through one of the busiest districts of the city, to the College campus. With good fortune the two book collections should be in their new home by Labor Day and the new Library ready for the start of the 1952-53 College year.

A reading collection will be established in the present Library for the use of Summer Session students and probably will be moved to the new building on the last day of the Trinity move. If this is done, operations on a small scale will begin in the new building before the end of the Summer term.
Faculty Profiles

DR. COSTELLO

Perhaps one of the most erudite scholars ever to teach 'Neath the Elms, one who possesses more all-around knowledge than any other faculty member, and undoubtedly one of the most loyal followers of Blue and Gold teams and Trinity events whether a public lecture, the Jesters, or a fire, is Harry Todd Costello, Brownell Professor of Philosophy.

Professor Costello's fame is known around the world for his Booklist, the fourth edition of which has been recently printed. As one prominent alumnus says in discussing this book, 'Professor Costello is one of the most profound bookmen in the country and his list is easily the best in the field, far superior to some of its better known—or perhaps better advertised—competitors.'

In its twenty-seven year history the Booklist has influenced education in such unlikely places as Johannesburg and Peking. Professor William M. Randall, as an inspector for the Carnegie Corporation, found it used as a guide for buying in dozens of small colleges in the West. In its annotated list of over 800 books Professor Costello has used ten classifications:—natural science, social and psychological sciences, philosophy and religion, history, travel and geography, biography, fine arts and music, classic civilization, foreign literatures and English Literature.

Professor Costello was born on November 1, 1885, in his beloved Richmond, Indiana, and he still returns there in the summer holidays. After graduating from Earlham College in 1908, he received his master's and doctor's degrees from Harvard where he had the opportunity for study under James, Santayana, Royle, Palmer and Munsterburg. He studied at the University of Paris for a year under Henri Bergson before returning to Harvard to give a joint course with Bertrand Russell. After a year of teaching at Yale, he went to Columbia from 1915 to 1920 and taught in John Dewey's department.

It is interesting to note that T. S. Eliot was a seminar student under Dr. Costello at Harvard, and that he has taught eleven men who are now heads of philosophy departments in large universities.

Many former students will remember Dr. Costello's course in Social Ethics (Philosophy 2) and his delightful discussions on the mores of Middletown, U. S. A. In recent years he has had to discontinue it when too large sections strained his physical capacity. His History of Philosophy course has always been well known to undergraduates.

Dr. Costello is a member of the American Philosophy Association, History of Science Society, Pi Gamma Mu and Phi Beta Kappa. He is the senior book editor for the Journal of Philosophy, and has contributed articles to American Philosophy Today and Tomorrow and the Columbia Studies in the History of Ideas.

It is indeed fortunate that this wise man has retained his active interest on the Faculty Library Committee and that he has shared a major responsibility in the selection of many of the Library's collections.

BOOKS

Prof. Costello's New List of reading recommended to students and alumni

Send $1.00 to

THE UNION BOOKSTORE
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DR. HARRINGTON

If you have recently wandered about the third floor of Boardman Hall, your eye would be attracted to the fish tanks in Dr. Robert W. Harrington's office. Perhaps the grim warnings not to turn off the electric lights would make you want to discover what was going on there. And should the keen, eagle-eyed professor of vertebrate zoology stroll in, an immediate discussion of the experiments with their array of pumps, filters, aerators, automatic light switches, and thermostats would proclaim the ingenuity of this lean Yankee from the Granite State.

Born in Concord, New Hampshire, forty-one years ago, Professor Harrington graduated from Bowdoin in 1934, and after two years in business returned to his alma mater to become a Teaching Fellow in Biology and assistant Field Director at the College's scientific station on Kent Island in the Bay of Fundy. He taught at the Isles of Shoals Marine Biological Laboratories and at the University of New Hampshire where he was awarded his master's degree in 1940. After his return from three years' overseas duty in the China-Burma-India Theatre he received his doctorate from Cornell. He had held a teaching assistantship in Comparative Anatomy there before the war.

In India, he was commissioned in the field by General Joseph Stilwell, and assumed command of a malaria control unit. His assignments carried him to West Bengal, East Bengal (now Eastern Pakistan), the Brahmaputra valley of Assam, and along the Ledo Road and the Burma Road across northern Burma to China. Under his supervision miles of drainage ditches were hand-dug by Indian coolies. It was his task to try to locate the type of mosquito species serving locally as the chief carrier of the malaria parasite and to ascertain the extent of infection among the populace. This work enabled him to penetrate into remote villages as well as to become acquainted with the people.

Dr. Harrington came to Trinity in 1947 and was promoted to As-
sistant Professor two years later. Currently teaching General Biology, Genetics, and Vertebrate Embryology, he has published on the life cycles and behavior of fish in nature and upon the effects of experimental modification of environmental factors on the fish sexual cycle. One species of fish on which he has been experimenting normally spawns in June, but by regulating the light and temperature they have bred in January. A real June-July romance!

In recent summers Dr. Harrington has worked as a fisheries biologist for the conservation departments of Connecticut and of New Hampshire.

His wife, the former Eleanor Lucey Sheehan of Portsmouth, New Hampshire, is also a biologist. After attending the University of New Hampshire, Columbia University, and the University of California, she had most of her work completed for the doctorate when she met Dr. Harrington. She was also a member of the University of New Hampshire faculty.

The college is indeed fortunate to have this able and attractive couple living on campus, and as the years roll by many Trinity men will greatly benefit from Dr. Harrington’s teaching.

New Chapel Organ Record
Classic Editions recently published a long playing record of the works of Arnold Schonberg and Olivier Messiaen, played on the College Chapel Organ by Professor Clarence E. Watters. The publishers cited Professor Watters as the "leading authority on French organ music in this country" and quoted Canadian comments calling him "America's finest organist."

About the New President
An eight-man committee of Trustees is interviewing top prospects for the college presidency. The 14th Faculty head is expected to take office before college opens in the fall. Meanwhile, Dean Arthur H. Hughes continues to serve as acting president.

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Cagers Win 14; Charlie Wrinn Top Rebounder

Closing with seven straight wins, the Hilltoppers finished their season with a fine 14-5 record. Scoring a scoring average of 68 points a contest, the Oosting men also had the leading rebounder of small college hooper in Charlie Wrinn who averaged over 26 per game. Charlie's uncanny ability to snare the ball off the boards pulled Trin out of many a tight spot as well as making it possible to set up many fast breaking plays.

All around balance and fine team play of Captain Dave Smith's five enabled the Bantams to develop into a speedy and smooth functioning unit. Middlebury, Worcester Tech, and Upsala all fell as the team played steady ball. A new College record of 95 points was racked up against Union, and Tufts was easily defeated at Medford with all the gate receipts going into the Trinity Student Emergency Fund.

Displaying alertness and deadly accuracy the Blue and Gold evened the season's competition with archrival Wesleyan 73-68. Mazurek and Chistolini repeatedly stole the ball to set up scores, and Novak made two baskets in the last minute to turn back the battling Cardinals.

In the final game against Coast Guard, Wrinn's hook shot hit consistently for 25 points as the team came from behind to pull out a 59-52 victory.

During the Christmas holidays the team played in the Hofstra College Invitation Tournament defeating St. Lawrence 66-50 before succumbing to powerful Wagner 63-53.

After an easy win over M.I.T. in the season's opener, high scoring Yale packed too much all-around ability for the Blue and Gold. Norwich and Bates were turned back fairly easily, but Bowdoin did not yield until the last half minute when Dave Smith tapped in a rebound for a 73-71 victory.

The offense clicked against Massachusetts, but Holy Cross simply had too much court knowledge though the Blue and Gold made it an interesting contest in the first half.

The loss to Colby by one point in the last seconds was most disappointing as Trin's scrappy five nearly turned in a startling upset. Amherst was beaten 52-49 in a hard fought struggle. Wesleyan overcame a tremendous lead to turn in a well earned victory in the final minute 63-61. Chistolini had a brilliant night scoring 28 points.

Freshman Basketball
Fred Booth's yearlings scored seven victories in 14 starts. Dave Roberts, Lou Magelaner, and Scotty Price, have been the leading scorers.

Football
As the 1951 football season fades away it will be remembered chiefly for the final three games—the high scoring Amherst contest with its ten touchdowns, the startling 6-3 upset by a courageous Wesleyan team, and the near tragic accident to plucky Captain Bill Goralski against Tufts. It was another exciting season with plenty to cheer about as the Blue and Gold compiled its 6-2 record of 240 points against 92. And it marked the end of a three-year era of twenty-one victories and only three defeats.

Great credit goes to Captain Goralski and to the other seventeen seniors who were the main cogs in making this possible. As yearlings their team was undefeated; as sophomores they sparked New England's only undefeated-untied team; as juniors they came within inches of duplicating 1949's feat; and as seniors they dominated both the offense and defense.

Bill Goralski, Red Ratcliffe and Ed Kulas were selected for the Connecticut Small College All Star Team by the state's Sports Writers Alliance. This is the second year that Bill was chosen despite the fact he missed two games. His speed and all-around football instinct plus his leadership and indomitable spirit made him one of the best ever to wear the Blue and Gold. Ratcliffe, who tips the beam at 200 pounds, played offensive center and his blocks were an important factor in the team's quick-breaking line jabs. Kulas never played football in school, but the 193-pound Glastonbury boy developed into one of the finest tackles seen on Trinity Field in recent years. Captain-elect Hum DelMastro, a powerful fullback and able pass defender, and Al Magnoli, speedy halfback, were selected on the All-Connecticut second team. Hum had a brilliant season, particularly against Amherst when he averaged over eight yards in twenty-one carries. Al was a constant inspiration to the team even though bothered by a bad knee which should have kept him on the bench.

Special mention should be made of Bill Vibert's direction of the team on the offense and his excellent place kicking record. His selection of plays was of the highest order; his passing executed with poise and good accuracy; and his place kicking for his four years of play showed a total of 107 points—a new Trinity record.

Goralski, DePatie, Kulas, Magnoli, McElwee, Ratcliffe, Rathbone, Simmons, G. Smith, Vibert, Wentworth, and French were awarded gold footballs for winning three letters.

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With the graduation of so many lettermen the 1952 squad will not have depth, but there are a dozen good line prospects and Captain DelMastro will get support from speedy Dick Rancati, Hal Wynkoop and Mike Thomas. Fred Booth will send up several promising men including Lou Magelaner and Frank Solomita, backs, and Frank Lentz, Don Valz, John Burton, Earl Lindenmeyer, and Cliff Thatcher, lineman.

The schedule is:—Sept. 27, at Dickinson; Oct. 4, Hobart; 11, Tufts; 18 at Colby; 25 at Middlebury; Nov. 1, Coast Guard; 8, Amherst; 15 at Wesleyan.

**Soccer**

The soccer team finished its season with a 1-1 tie with Wesleyan; victories over Worcester Tech, M.I.T., Tufts, Massachusetts University, and Clark; and losses to Yale and Amherst. This record gave them the standing of fifth place in the 16 team New England League. Captain-elect Neil Mutschler at inside left led the attack with eight goals and was chosen to play on the All-American Intercollegiate team.

Co-captain Putty Scott was awarded the Peter S. Fish trophy as the team's most valuable player, while hard working Bill Tryon received the Harold R. Shetter trophy as the most improved player.

Coach Lloyd McDonald next year will have nine returning lettermen plus a strong Freshman team that defeated M.I.T., Cheshire and Wesleyan and held Choate to a 3-3-1 tie.

**Varsity Swimming**

Despite losses to powerful Bowdoin and Amherst, the swimmers should have another fine season. Captain Tony Mason and Walt Toole are having another good season in the dashes and Ray Parsons is unbeaten in his 200-yard breaststroke specialty. Bill Godfrey, a sophomore, has shown amazing development in the dives.

The team turned back Tufts and M.I.T., but like last year, Bowdoin and Amherst showed too much depth. The victory train was resumed against Worcester Tech and Boston University. Bud Toole won both dashes as Wesleyan sank 43-32.

**Freshman Swimming**

The freshman team came within three inches of pinning the season's first defeat on Canterbury School. Amherst's yearlings nosed them out by one point, but Deerfield was turned back and Williston tied.

**Varsity Squash**

The racquets defeated M.I.T. 6-3 and narrowly missed upsetting Amherst. McGill, Navy, Harvard, Yale, Army and Williams showed too much depth for the Blue and Gold. The first Wesleyan contest was a 5-4 defeat while we won the return 6-3.

**Freshman Squash**

The freshmen report victories over Wesleyan and Williston, and a loss to Choate and Deerfield.

**New Coach**

Karl Kurth, Jr., athletic director at East Hartford High since 1947, has been appointed Assistant Professor of Physical Education. He succeeds Stuart L. Parks who resigned December 31 to become director general of education in El Salvador, Central America. Karl will be head track coach, assistant football coach and an instructor in physical education.
HONORARY

Robert Hillyer, 1928, was installed as president of the Poetry Society of America on January 30. He has left Kenyon College and is living in Greenwich, Conn., where he is writing for the Saturday Review and other publications.

PHILIP WILSON, 1912, won an honorable mention at the annual awarding of the Hiram Percy Maxim trophy last December for his color film "In Treasure Mille Pool."

CHARLES GOODWIN, 1948, marked fifty years as a member of the Connecticut Bar on January 7. MRS. BEATRICE AUERBACH, 1951, president of G. Fox & Company, Hartford, marked twenty-five years with the firm on January 26. BENJAMIN FAIRLESS, 1951, president of the United States Steel Company, was honored as "Industrialist of the Year" by the Society of Industrial Realtors on November 17.

THOMAS RUSSELL, a member of the Advisory Council, marked the 50th anniversary of his connection with the Allen, Russell and Allen Agency of the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company, Hartford, on January 1. He is the firm's senior partner.

1889

PROFESSOR ANDREW DOUGLASS, Director of the Tree-King Research Laboratory at the University of Arizona, represented the College at the inauguration of Dr. Richard A. Harvill as President of the University on November 16.

1891

Mrs. Annie G. Plumb, widow of the late REV. JOHN F. PLUMB, died on December 3rd in Hartford. She left a $25,000 bequest to the Berkeley Divinity School of New Haven to establish a scholarship in memory of her husband. The Reverend and Mrs. Plumb gave the carillon in the College Chapel in memory of their son, JOHN L. PLUMB, '26.

1895

Secretary—Judge Philip McCook, 15 William St., N.Y.C.

1901

Secretary—James Wales, 345 East 57th St., N.Y.C.

MARTIN CLEMENT retired December 31st after fifty years of service with the Pennsylvania Railroad. Working his way up from rodman, he served as president from April 1935 until June 1949, when the directors created the office of chairman of the board. He recently wrote the guest editorial in the Hartford Times, in which he warned of the growing menace of state socialism and pointed out that the way to self-reliance is through self-discipline rather than state-discipline. YOUR SECRETARY has recently returned from a winter visit to Jamaica and has written "How Color TV Will Sell Travel" in Advertising Agency magazine; "Jamaica Makes a Bid for More Tourists" in the Travel Agent; and "The Winter Season in Jamaica" in the Social Spectator—all of these being January issues.

1902

FIFTIETH REUNION YEAR

1903

WILLIAM TUCKER has retired as Secretary of the Onondaga Public Works Commission. He writes that he has three married daughters, all graduates from Syracuse University, and four grandsons. His hobbies are taking colored pictures, gardening and fishing; and enjoying life with his wonderful wife.

1904

HERMAN TOWNSEND writes FRED HINKEL, "I have been blessed in many ways since I left College, and my associations have been worth their weight in gold to me and the teachings I received at Trinity have served me well. . . . For twenty years I was in the steel business with U. S. Steel and Colorado Fuel and Iron. Since then I have been with Hiram Swank's Sons, makers of Fire Clay Refractories and am now Director of Sales for our company. Have a wonderful wife for whom I met at the 1903 Junior Prom."

1906

Secretary—Frederick Hinkel, Jr., 63 Church Ave., Elip, N. Y.

HERMAN SCHWARTZ marked his 45th wedding anniversary on February 12th with a family dinner.

1907

FORTY-FIFTH REUNION YEAR

Friends of the late RAYMOND CUNNINGHAM have contributed nearly $4,000 as a Memorial Fund. The money has been deposited with Mrs. Cunningham to be used at her discretion as a base for small loans. This was a project very dear to Mr. Cunningham's heart.

1909

PAUL BUTTERWORTH has been elected a director of the Hartford Hospital. . . W. GILBERT LIVINGSTON has been elected president of the Bronxville Federal Savings & Loan Association, Bronxville, N. Y. This bank serves more than 5,000 residents of the area . . . An interesting profile of the VERY REV. PAUL ROBERTS, Dean of St. John's Cathedral, Denver, Colorado, appeared in the Denver Post on December 23. Dean Roberts says in part, "Today I have a very strong feeling that we are in one of the great pioneering periods in history, when we must go on to make one world. Our basic problem today is whether we can enlarge our horizons sufficiently to live in the world instead of one small corner of it."

1910

Secretary—William Eaton, 284 North Oxford St., Hartford.

The REV. JOHN CLARK announces the engagement of his daughter, Elizabeth Ann, to the Rev. Davis Given who is serving on the staff of the Good Shepherd Mission in Fort Defiance, Arizona, where the REV. DAVID CLARK is in charge.

1911

The February 6th issue of Pathfinder magazine has a controversial article by Frederick Ureley entitled "How a handful of Americans gave East Asia to Russia." She quotes EUGENE DOOMAN'S testimony before the United States Senate subcommittee investigating internal security. Mr. Dooman was chairman of the Far Eastern subcommittee of the State-War-Navy Coordinating Committee and his testimony "goes far to prove that many Americans lost their lives needlessly in the months preceding V-J Day."

1912

FORTIETH REUNION YEAR

RAY SEGUR is with the Special Services branch of the Masonic Service Association, Kecoughtan, Va. He writes he has seen the REV. WILLIAM WHITE, '97, WILLIAM COLEMAN, '09, and the REV. NORMAN SLATER, '40.

1913

Secretary—Robert Withington, 63 Bigelow Rd., West Newton, Mass.

1914

Secretary—Robert Cross, 208 Newberry St., Hartford.

1915

Secretary—Ralph Bent, Riverdale Country Day School, N.Y.C.

REUEL STRATTON, supervising chemical engineer of the Traveler's Insurance Co., is on a six-man committee selected to restudy the Wahluke Slope,
near Pasco, Washington. It is hoped that this land may be reclaimed for the Columbia Basin project.

1916
Secretary—Robert S. Morris, 100 Pearl St., Hartford.

GEORGE FERRIS has been elected president of the National Homeopathic Hospital, Washington, D.C.

1917
THIRTY-FIFTH REUNION YEAR
Secretary—Einer Sather, 215 No. Quaker Lane, West Hartford.

The Class will hold its 35th Reunion Dinner on Saturday, June 14. DICK BARTHELMESS is traveling in Spain until May. ROGER LADD was chairman of the Schools and Institutions Division of the 1952 Hartford Red Cross Drive. He has prepared a fifteen page booklet describing lending Connecticut insurance, industrial and public utility companies for G. H. Walker Co., investment bankers.

1918
Secretary—Joseph Buffington, Jr., 439 Maple Lane, Sewickley, Pa.

HENRY BEERS has recently moved from West Hartford to 10 Newell Street, RDF 1, Glastonbury, Conn.

EDDIE CARLSON, Mayor of West Hartford, now rates a salute, having attained commissioned rank. At a recent meeting of the Governor's Foot Guard, EDDIE was promoted from the rank of Sergeant Major to that of Second Lieutenant.

LOUIE COHEN, who lives at 2558 North Decatur Street, Decatur, Ga., was Trinity's representative at the inauguration of Dr. Wallace Ashman as President of James C. Scott College in Decatur. DR. JOHNNIE MITCHELL, Dean of the School of Medicine at the University of Pennsylvania, has had new responsibilities added to his duties. Harold E. Sarsen, President of U of P, has recently named JOHN to serve as special assistant to the Vice President of the University in charge of medical affairs.

WOOLSEY POLLOCK has moved from 3 Norton Lane, Farmington, to 303 Brinfield Street, Wethersfield, Conn.

JIM CALDWELL is with the Wooster Rubber Co., Wooster, Ohio.

1919
Secretary—Sumner Shepherd, 150 Mountain Rd., West Hartford. IRVING PARTRIDGE, JR., has been named director of agency administration at the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Co., Hartford.

VINCENT POTTER writes that his son, John, is a senior at Westminster College in New Wilmington, Penn., and that his son, Bill, is a freshman at Guilford College, Guilford, N.C.

1920
Secretary—Alfred P. Bond, 290 Palisado Ave., Windsor, Conn.

JOE HARTZMARK has been re-elected to the Cleveland Heights City Council.

1921
Secretary—Beaufort Newsom, 3 Liberty St., Clinton, Conn.

YOUR SECRETARY has been re-elected Junior Warden of the Holy Advent Episcopal Church, Clinton, Conn. He is President of the Clinton Historical Society and a director of the Henry Carter Hull Library.

COL. JOHN REITEMEYER has been elected President of the Officers Club of Connecticut. He commands the 1035th Military Intelligence Group of the Army's Reserve. NORMAN STRONG continues to make new records in the group insurance field where he is supervisor with the Equitable Life Assurance Society. For many years he has been an outstanding producer in the million dollar class.

1922
THIRTIETH REUNION YEAR
Secretary—Bert Gable, 61 Clearfield Rd., Wethersfield, Conn.

1923
HARRY CLARK was awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws degree last June by Bowling Green University. He is Professor of English at the University of Wisconsin.

1924
Secretary—Stanley Kennedy, 133 North Quaker Lane, West Hartford.

COL. JACK MILLS is now in Washington, D.C., with the Signal Corps Intelligence Agency, Main Navy Bldg., after a tour of duty in Greece.

Fifty Years Ago
From the Hartford Times

January 16, 1902—John T. Huntington, rector of St. James Church, buys house at corner of Park and Washington Streets as a parish house. It was formerly occupied by the Psi Upsilon fraternity of Trinity College.

January 22, 1902—The Rev. Edward Hale, D.D., of Boston, in an address at Trinity College, says the 19th Century brought an emphasis on physical force and the 20th Century will see the development of moral forces.

December 8, 1926—Ray Oosting, instructor in physical training at Trinity, says the college faculty should accept responsibility for eliminating the evils of intercollegiate athletics, especially in football.

1925
Secretary—Raymond Montgomery, 76 Carew Road, Hamden, Conn.

1926
Secretary—Ross Parke, 77 Van Buren Ave., West Hartford.

RICHARD FORD, Ass't Director of Company Relations Division, was conferred in July on the completion of twenty-five years of service with the Life Insurance Agency Management Association of Hartford. Among his local activities, most prominent is his job as editor of "The Antiquarian." KEN STUER is Assistant Secretary of the Ocean Marine Department and of the Aetna Fire Insurance Group as well as Assistant Secretary of the World Fire and Marine Insurance Company and the Standard Insurance Company. The Stuers are changing residence from East Hartford to West Hartford.

JO HUBBARD's son, John, now at Trinity, makes this family one having four generations at Trinity. YOUR SECRETARY has recently been honored by The West Hartford Art League in being invited to hold a one-man exhibition of paintings on April 6 and 7 at the Mountain Road Studio. Mrs. Ogilvy has graciously consented to loan the painting of "Northham Towers" commissioned by Dr. Ogilvy in 1928.

BOB SHEEHAN'S interesting article "R.V.S. Politicos" appeared in the February issue of Fortune Magazine. Mr. and Mrs. FRANK AIKIN, JR., and their sweet daughter, Betsy, aged 11—have recently moved from Gravel Street to 12 Pearl Street, Mystic, Conn. The VERY REV. FRANCIS PRYOR is Post Chaplain with the rank of Major at Fort Richardson, Alaska.

1927
TWENTY-FIFTH REUNION YEAR
Secretary—Reynolds Meade, 167 Brace Road, West Hartford.

DR. JOSEPH BASHOUR has been named assistant director of research of the eastern division of the Stauffer Chemical Company of New York. JOSEPH HANDLEY celebrated his 25th anniversary with the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Co., on January 10. He is now supervising auditor.

YOUR SECRETARY has been reelected clerk of Trinity Church, Hartford.

WIN SEGUR is planning the 25th Reunion next June 13-15.

1928
Secretary—Judge John Fitzgerald, Center Road, Woodbridge, Conn.

JIM BENT, president of the Hartford Federal Savings and Loan Association, wrote an interesting article on mortgage lending which appeared in the Hartford Courant on January 20. At the annual convention of the Life Insurance Advertisers Association of North America, held in Williamsburg, Va., ROYDEN BERGER was elected its secretary. Roy has been director of advertising for the Connecti-
cut Mutual for several years. He joined the company in 1928, and has been active steadily. The REV. DUDLEY BURR resigned his pastorate of the South Congregational Church, East Hartford, on February 1st and has accepted a call from the parish in West Brookfield, Mass. He is now living in the parsonage there. After being connected with the New Britain, Conn., General Electric Company for many years, BILL EVEN has recently been transferred to the New Haven office. He now makes his home in Hamden. The transfer is by way of a promotion.

1929

Secretary—James White, 22 Austin Road, Devon, Conn.

DAVE TUKE is a Major in the Psychological Warfare Section GHQ. His address is A.P.O. 500, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California. BILL BURLEIGH was recently named Supervisor of union relations and wage rate by General Electric Company for plans in Norfolk and Bridgeport, Conn., Lowell, Mass., York and New Kensington, Pa., and Oakland, California. His headquarters is Bridgeport, and his home address is Greenhill Acres, Orange, Conn.

1930

Secretary—Dr. Philip Cornwell, 85 Jefferson St., Hartford.

The REV. FRANCIS BELDEN became assistant minister of Christ Church Cathedral last June and at the recent annual meeting of the Cathedral Chapter he was elected Canon. LEWIS BABBITT and his wife, Corinne, of Petersham, Mass., have been receiving much favorable comment following presentation of their colored motion pictures on nature subjects. COMDR. JOHN McINNES, assistant headmaster at St. Andrew’s School, Middletown, Del., was reassigned to active duty with the Pacific Fleet on January 4th. He is serving as Combat Information Officer for Vice-Admiral Robert T. Briscoe and is stationed at San Diego. RONALD REGNIER of Hartford and Glastonbury has received considerable newspaper publicity in connection with his ruling on the admissibility of evidence supplied by radar concerning speeders on the highway which passes thru his town. The first such case came under his jurisdiction and his rulings, admitting the evidence of radar, will doubtless set precedent for other courts to follow. For those who travel thru Glastonbury it might be well to note that the evidence of the robot speed cops is acceptable in Judge Regnier’s court.

1931

Secretary—Robert T. Waterman, Forest Lane, Glastonbury, Conn.

CLIFFORD MORSE has been promoted to secretary and director of agencies of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Co., Hartford.

1932

TEENTH REUNION YEAR

Secretary—Harris Prior, Naval Aircraft Factory, N.A.M.C. Naval Base, Philadelphia, Pa.

Miles of newsprint tell us every move of New York Stock Exchange President, KEITH FUNSTON. Recently we read of him as blood donor, as a new vestryman of New York’s historic Trinity Church, as the man who is going to prove “that Main Street, not Wall Street, owns the nation’s industries.” What a scrapbook he must have! HUGH CAMPBELL, who is doing such a fine job as our Alumni President, has recently been promoted to the position of secretary and counsel of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Co. YOURS TRULY is serving a second hitch as Lt. Comdr. in the U. S. Navy—a recall from the inactive reserves. Don’t feel too secure you Class of ’52 vets! Big 20th Reunion coming up at Commencement time. More later.

1933

Secretary—Edward Paige, 80 Belden Gardens Drive, Bristol, Conn.

1934

Secretary—John Mason, 17 Arnoale Road, West Hartford.

Alumni Association News

Fairfield County Annual Meeting at Bridgeport November 12.—Front row, left to right:—Mr. Fred Kirchner, father of Fred Kirchner, ’51; White, ’29; Doran, ’22; Gallagher, ’40; Cunningham, ’46; Vignone, ’46; Racioppi, ’17; Back row, left to right:—Art Christ, line coach; Elam, ’48; Professor Lockwood; O’Neil, ’47; Ahlberg, ’47; Damtoft, ’44; MacNulty, ’48; Hurwitz, ’41; Jepson, ’17; Linardos, G., ’47.

BRIDGEPORT.—The Fairfield County Association held its annual meeting at the University Club on November 12. Professor Lockwood, Bob Bishop and Art Christ represented the College. Quentin Gallagher, ’40, was elected president, Joseph O’Neill, ’47, vice-president; James White, ’29, secretary and Manton Ahlberg, ’47, treasurer.

HARTFORD.—The Hartford Alumni Association held its annual meeting at the Hartford Club on November 16. Dean Arthur Hughes, Acting President, and George Malcolm-Smith, ’25, spoke. The officers—Clifford Morse, ’31, president; Oliver Johnson, ’35, vice-president; Benjamin Silverberg, ’19, treasurer; and John Bonee, ’45, secretary—were reelected for a one year term.

The Association has been active in assisting with the Trinity Student Emergency Fund, and plans a College Glee Club concert for the benefit of the Association’s Scholarship Committee. The annual Family Day will be held at College on May 10.

NAUGATUCK VALLEY.—The Association held its annual meeting at the Waterbury Club on November 13. President Gerald Reuter, ’32, was re-elected. John Butler, Bill Peelle and Stu Parks discussed placement, the admissions picture, and 1951 football.

NEW YORK.—The annual dinner of the New York Association was held at the Princeton Club on December 5 with over 100 present. President Bassford reviewed the year’s activities before introducing Acting President Arthur Hughes, G. Keith Funston, George Capen and Dan Jesse. Walter Canner, ’23, was elected president and Fred Hinkel, Jr., ’06, is again secretary-treasurer.

PHILADELPHIA.—President Charlie Fritzson, ’34, called a dinner meeting at the University Club on December 10. John Butler, Donald Engley and Dan Jesse brought news of the College.

WASHINGTON.—Student alumni have discovered a new wrinkle for meeting the rising cost of living. President Ernest Corso has arranged for alumni to buy merchandise at a discount at about 100 stores by showing their alumni association membership card. Bob Bishop represented the College at their meeting of December 10 in Alexandria.
JERRY ARNOLD announces the birth of a son, Stephen Wolf, on May 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Arnold of the Pennsylvania State University. BERT TREASURER is announced as the Treasurer of the Sigma Nu Hartford Alumni Club. BOB DAVI is President of the Jersery City Rotary Club. BERT HOLLAND has been elected a director of the Hartford Symphony. BILL JACKSON married Miss Lucille L. Sarmast of Youngers, N. Y., on December 22. CHUCK KINGSTON has been elected to the Board of Trustees of Hartford College and the Hartford Golf Club. BILL MCRONICK writes that first son, second child, WILLIAM S., III, has arrived. In order that Bill won't be known as Dr. Bill he has given his Trinity nickname "Nicky" to the youngsters.

1935

Secretary—Robert Lau, 96 Pennwood Drive South, Trenton, N. J.

LT. COL. PEARCE ALEXANDER is attending General College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. BILL ANGUS is the father of a daughter, Heather Jane, born October 27.

HENRY COONEY announces the birth of his third child, Vincent dePaul, on November 3. MAL GOSLEE has been transferred to the position of Inland Marine Superintendent for the Fire Companies of the Aetna Insurance Group.

WALT JOHNSEN is now living at 2400 Sansom Street, Scarsdale, N. Y. TOMMY KEARNAN, Jr., is the new manager of the Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co.'s New Orleans, La., office. Since his discharge from the U. S. Army Air Force, he has been acting as a special agent for the same company in Tampa, Fla.

BILLY DADD, JR., has moved to 2050 Manhattan Ave., Hermosa Beach, Calif. YOUR SECRETARY has been elected Vice President of the Exchange Club of Trenton, N. J. Also recently elected to another term on the Board of Trustees of the NCI Cancer Study Foundation.

JACK MAHER has been promoted to Assistant Personnel Supervisor for the entire Eastern Regional District of the Pennsylvania Railroad. ERIC (U. S. Navy Commander) PURDON has removed to London, England, where he is the new Public Information Officer for the Commander, U. S. Naval Forces Eastern Atlantic. We have also learned that the manuscript of Eric's latest literary effort, "A Different Way to Kill," has been accepted by the publishers, and should be out soon. JOE RYER has joined the former Judge Frederick J. Rundbaken and Fabian C. Lehrer in the formation of a new Hartford law firm. A member-at-large of the U. S. House of Representatives in the 79th Congress, and a former Hartford Police Court aide, he is also the doting father of three lovely children. ART WARD, formerly Rector of St. James Church, Dillon, Monana, and an instructor at Western Montana College of Education, is now the Rector of All Saints Episcopal Church, Appleton, Wisconsin, and Chaplain to Episcopal students at nearby Lawrence College. CHARLIE WEBER may be reached at 1645 Stark Ave., Whiting, Indiana. He is an Assistant Train Master for the Pennsylvania, R. R.

1936

The VEN. SYDNEY GRANT was instituted rector of Trinity Church, Arlington, New Jersey, on January 27. He was at Calvary Church, Bayonne, and will now also continue to serve as Archdeacon of Hudson County.

PAUL HENDERSON is living in Southboro, Mass., and working for the State Engineering Department. DR. CHARLES KIRBY is engaged to Miss Adrienne Elliott Adam of Bryn Mawr, Pa. HARRINGTON LITTLETON is stationed in Bad Homburg, Germany. DR. SEYMOUR PODOROWSKY is engaged to Miss Florence Bloom of Wilson, Conn.

1937

Secretary—George Lepak, 229 Oxford St., Hartford.

BART WILSON, our indomitable Class Agent, has been elected Vice President of Wilson, Haight & Welch, Inc., New York and Hartford advertising agency. Until recently Bart was an account executive with E. W. Robotham & Co. COL. JOE G. WINCO, USAF, is Air Attaché at the U. S. Embassy in Cairo, Egypt. Joe writes, "My wife and I were at Pearl Harbor when the Japs struck and now we're on hand for another hunk of history being made."

BOB KELLY, Director of Adult Education for the City of Hartford, has been elected President of the Connecticut Association of Public School Administrators of Adult Education. FRANK HERTEL's address is U. S. Naval Radio Station, Navy No. 85, F.P.O., San Francisco, Calif. TEOHREDO MUSGRAVE reports the College at the inauguration of Dr. Paul S. Weaver as President of Lake Erie College on October 27. BILL PAYNTER is Lt. Cdr. at the Office of Naval Officer Procurement, 13 South 34th St., Philadelphia. BILL URBAN is President of the American Federation of State, County & Municipal Employees, AFL. He is on the staff of the Newark, N. J., Public Library. PAUL BURDETT has retired as a general partner of Laidlaw & Co., N. Y. C. LT. CDR. AL HASKELL is Supply and Fiscal Officer for the Construction Battalion Center at Davisville, R. I. Al advises, "My goal is to be a civilian, first class, by October of this year when I am due to be released, Joe Stalin willing."

AL ANTHONY'S new address is 3670 Basic Military Training Group, Sampson Air Force Base, Geneva, New York. LT. PAUL LAUS visited Hartford and Trinity recently. He is stationed at Fort George Meade, Ind. The 15th Reunion Committee is busy making arrangements for an outstanding get-together June 13-14.
on January 31. CHARLIE SPINK is a V.P. and advertising director of Sporting News baseball magazine in St. Louis. Attorney BEN SACKETT is Chairman of the Committee on Community Affairs of the Hartford Jewish Federation. The body of Captain JOHN SLOWIK recently arrived home in Hartford Airway. CAPT. AL RANDALL, who was in Mr. Sackter's direct cemetery, Johny, who became famous as a backstroke and dash star on the swimming teams, was killed in 1944 while flying over Germany with the Army Air Force, but only recently was his body identified. Word comes from St. Albans, Vermont, that Reverend GEORGE SMITH became rector of St. Peter's Church on December 1. George Smith has represented the Vermont Council of Churches in a national radio workshop course at Washington, D.C. YOURS TRULY is keeping busy civically as Chairman of an elementary school building committee in Newington. The balance of the time is spent in the Personnel Department of The Travelers. Most of you know that ED SPECTER has agreed to spell DICK HILL as Class Agent. Ed sent out a fine letter in December explaining the goal of the '52 Alumni Fund. 

1940

CHAPLAIN ERNEST BENGTSON, JR., is stationed at Hq. 5th Bn. 278th Inf. RCT, Fort Devens, Mass. HERB BLAND has been elected president of the Connecticut Chapter of the Society of Chartered Property and Casualty Underwriters. JACK CAREY has been reelection president of the West Hartford Little League. VINCENT FERNANDEZ has been appointed senior executive in charge of O'S Department of Bamberger's store, Newark, N. J. LT. CLARENCE GRANDAHL has been with the 43rd Division, in the financial section of the Hartford Courant. DR. ED CONWAY'S Pontiac parked on Lewis St. Heard that BILL RYAN has gone into politics down New Haven way. DICK BLAINE and DEED HARRIS now teaching. Also hear that PHIL PICCOLA is doing very well as mining consultant in South Africa and also that JOHN KARP has his own print shop in New York. Had a call from BOB PILLSBURY last fall. He is with the First National Bank of Minnesota in the investment department. CAPT. PROSPERO DEBONA has been named assistant judge advocate of the X Corps in Korea.

1942

TENTH REUNION YEAR

Secretary—Martin Wood, 157 Woodland St., Hartford. JOHN BARBER was recalled to active service last July and is in Korea. JOHN BOND has continued his interest in political science, he is working on his Ph.D. at the University of Minnesota. John and his wife have a one-year-old daughter, Jane. FRED DICKSON in Coronado, California has recently moved to Herkimer, New York. LT. CLAYTON JENSEN is still located in Mary- land, but he has moved to RDF No. 1, Box 991, Md. He is now a Major. FRANCIS LINENDOLL has been admitted to the Connecticut Bar. He was graduated from Georgetown University School of Law in 1948, became a member of the District of Columbia Bar, and worked for the Justice Department for a year. He is presently employed by The Hartford Accident and Indemnity Co. JOHN LOUTREL is associated with the Applied Mathematics Dept. at the University of Texas in Austin. STAN MOORE is residing in France at 7 Rue Du Chateau, Clam- mard Seine. He is employed by Trans World Airlines (TWA). JOHN SWEETSER is teaching and doing graduate work with the English Department at the University of Minnesota. JOHN WILSON has been promoted to Major in the Medical Corps. He has been with the 32nd Infantry in Korea for 13 months. He is so optimistic about coming home that he has given a Stateside address, Box 96-A, RFD No. 1, Bound Brook, N. J. We're all for it. DON VIERING has been appointed Agency Assistant for the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company in Hartford. This June we will hold our tenth reunion. Plan to be there; it's going to be a good one.

1943

Secretary—John Bonee, Jr., 50 State St., Hartford. A son was born to JERRY BOUCHER on November 3. JOE ROSSI, 1943, who lives at 144 Tupper St., is stationed and is stationed at USN Receiving Station, Brooklyn, New York. DICK COBB, Ensign USCG, has been recalled to active duty and is serving in the Pacific. FRANK RACKEMANN is doing the weekly education page for the Meriden Journal in Meriden, Connecticut. The REV. JARVIS BROWN is Rector of the new St. Paul's Church in San Fernando Valley, California. LT. and MRS. BILL GREY announce the birth of their child, first son, Cortland King, on October 22nd. Bill was released from the active service after serving seventeen months and has returned to Kenwood Mills, a textile concern. LOUIS HASBROUCK is in his first year at Des Moines Stoll College of Osteopathy and Surgery, Des Moines, Iowa. CAPT. CHARLIE JONES married Miss Elizabeth Ann Hunter, sister of Alexander Hunter, '48, on December 15th. Her brother-in-law, PAUL WARREN, '43, gave her away. They are living at 1205 Third St., Coronado, California. MIKE KELLIN had a feature role in "Modern Primitive," the new Herman Wouk comedy which was at Hartford's New Parsons Theatre on December 27th. He married Miss Nina Caiserman of Montreal on January 27th in New York City. CAPT. MAURICE KENNEDY has returned from Germany where he has been stationed for four years. He is at the CIC Center, Ft. Holabird, Baltimore, Maryland. HARRY TAMONEY, M.D., Chief Resident in Surgery at St. Francis Hospital, Hartford, is engaged to Miss Patricia M. McGovern of West Hartford. Our deepest sympathy goes to the family of ARTHUR MANICE who died suddenly on Christmas Eve in Norfolk, Virginia. Although only with us for a short time, Art made many friends, and was a delightful character. The voters in Hartford, Connecticut, elected YOUR SECRETARY to membership on the Court of Common Council last month.
Medical Societies Elect

At the annual January meeting of the Hartford Medical Society DR. DAVID GABERMAN, '18, was elected president and DR. MORRIS MANCIN, 24, secretary. Dr. Gaberman has been practicing in Hartford for twenty-nine years and specializes in pediatrics. He is attending pediatrician on the staffs of St. Francis and McCook Memorial hospitals.

DR. WILLIAM POMEROY, '38, has been elected president of the Hartford County Chapter of the American Academy of General Practice. DR. JOHN MONCELLA, '31, and DR. LOUIS TONKEN, '30, were named vice-president and secretary.

Secretary—Robert Toland, Jr., 334 Aubrey Road, Wynnewood, Pa.

1944

Secretary—Andrew Milligan, Jr., 113 Cedar St., Wethersfield, Conn.

LT. HERBERT BRUST, USNR, was married to Miss Betsy Jane Mauras in New Orleans, La., on December 1, 1951. He was stationed in the District Legal Office in New Orleans, but has since been transferred to the U. S. Naval Station, Key West, Florida. LT. CLEM- EN'T DOWD has been serving with the 9th Regt., 2nd Infantry Division in Korea. His address is K Co., 3rd Bn., 9th Regt., 2nd Div., APO 248, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

ARTHUR FOSTER has moved from Tuxedo Park, N. Y. to Turkey Hill Rd., Westport, Conn. NORTON HINCKLEY has been ordained to the priesthood, and now is the vicar of two parishes in Litchfield, Conn. DR. JOHN MEYER is now located in Natick, Mass. He may be reached at P. O. Box 417. LT. LESLIE MITCHELL, USNR, is now at 222-C Welsh Rd., Naval Proving Ground, Dahlgren, Virginia. JAMES RHEINBERGER writes that he is handling indelity and surety bond sales for the Aetna Casualty and Surety Company in the southern and western parts of Ohio. His address is 41 E. Dunedin Rd., Columbus, Ohio. CAPT. R. H. A. DOWD, Jr., has passed the Connecticut bar examinations and expects to open an office in Greenfield, Mass. He is attending pediatrics.

1945

Secretary—David Klickstein, c/o Hartford Y.M.C.A., Hartford.

1946

Secretary—Dr. David Klickstein, c/o Hartford Y.M.C.A., Hartford.

1947

FIFTH REUNION YEAR

Secretary—Thomas Egan, 30 Vincent St., West Hartford.

JOHN DALY has been elected a member of the school board of the City of Hartford. John was the top vote-getter in the recent election. Mr. and Mrs. James Chaplin of Sewickley, Pa. have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Joan M. Chaplin to LEWIS DABNEY. Lew is a V. P. with the Donald W. Gardner Advertising Co., Boston. Lieut. (JG) GLENN GATELY has reported to the Fleet Training Center, Norfolk, Virginia for a course in the procedure and operation of electronic equipment. Miss Joline Greenberg of Springfield, Mass., is engaged to Dr. GERALD ODENTZ. Gerty is practicing optometry in Springfield.

1948

Secretary—James Manion, Jr., 330 Holcomb St., Hartford 3.

CHUCK BRIEANT was recently ordained to the priesthood in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York City. He has been assigned to St. John's High Falls; St. Peter's, Stone Ridge; and All Saints, Rosendale. LT. DON CRAIG and Mrs. Don- ald Craig announce the arrival of a new son, Jeffery Howard.

1949

Secretary—James Manion, Jr., 330 Holcomb St., Hartford 3.

REV. ERNEST PHILLIPS, c/o Joseph College, West Hartford, is affiliated with the Associated Telephone Co., in Santa Monica, Cal. BOB RAMAKER and the former Artemis Bless who were married Nov. 22 in the First Church of Christ, Congregational, Farmington. The groom is a reporter for the Hartford Courant.

MONK REYNOLDS, formerly of Edgewood School, Greenwich, Conn., is now living at 10205 N. 16th St., Alexandria, Va. 1st Lt. CHARLES ROBINSON, Jr., has left for Germany with the 43rd. His address is now Hqrs. 43rd Infantry Division, A.P.O. 150, New York, N. Y. 1st Lt. DON SHIPPY is in the management training program of the Bigelow Sanford Co.

REV. CHARLES STRATTON is with the American Mission to Mibish, Iran.

PVT. JIM STRONGIN is half way through Infantry O.C.S. School at Fort Benning, Ga. PHIL THRESHE, JR., is engaged to Justine Franklin of South
Dartmouth, Mass. . . HOWARD WERNER has passed his Connecticut Bar examinations. . . KEN WYNNIE is in the Production Department of WNHC-TV in New Haven.

1949

REDDING CRAFTS is in the Navy. His home address is Box 423, Great Barrington, Mass. . . RENE GAULD-REAU has completed his studies at St. Joseph Novitiate, Rolling Prairie, Indiana, and has pronounced the Religious Vows of the Brothers of the Holy Cross. . . LT. JOHN GUNNING is Squadron Commander, Food Service Squadron, 103rd Fighter Interceptor Wing, Westhampton, L. I., N. Y. . . STEVE HARPER is engaged to Miss Sara Larson of New York City . . . AMOS HUTCHINS married Miss Nellie Collins Truslow of Chesterton, Md., on November 24. The REV. OTIS CHASE is an usher. . . KEN WYNNIE is in the Navy. . . JOPSON is assistant to the vice-president and office manager of the Haldien Machine Co. . . LT. JOE JUVALITS is with the 169th Inf. Regt. of the 43rd Division. . . ENS. DAVID MAHONEY, JR., is serving on the U.S.S. Meredith and living in ashore at 111A Cromwell Plw., Norfolk, Va. . . FRED MINTON, a recent graduate of Harvard Sunday, February 17. He is now assistant pastor at the First Presbyterian Church, Springfield, Ill. . LAURENCE PERRY is engaged to Miss Joyce Straughan of Manchester, Conn. He served fourteen months in Korea before being discharged in January. . . LT. BOB WAGNER has been in service since March last year. His family are living in Pearl Harbor which is his ship's, the USS Lipan, home port.

1950

Secretary—Robert Herbert, The Hill School, Pottstown, Pa.

The news round-up on the class of 1950 shows, as you will see, a predominance of marriages, births and service news. I guess that goes to show that love, nature, and Uncle Sam will not be denied. . . DAVE ALDEBORGH is stationed in San Francisco with the Coast Guard . . . ART AUSTIN (Sgt.) is seeing life steadily and whole at H. & S. Co. 231 Eng. Bn. at Fort Lewis, Washington . . . FRAN LUSTIN, also a Sgt., is with the 43rd Div. in Augsburg, Germany. . . BOB BEATTIE, who was recalled to active service with the Navy and did a stint at the St. Albans Naval Base and on the USS Macon on Atlantic duty, is back in civvies. Bob is now with the Mass. Mutual Life Insurance Co. . . Gerry O'Grady assisted SARKIS BOORNIZAN and Ann Sarkisian to martial bliss in a wedding in the Trinity Chapel on November 10th . . . JIM BRAINERD, Pfc., is at Fort Bennington, Ga. with the Hq. Btry. 41 FA Bn. . . BOB CEROSKY has become engaged to Joan Ellen Moray of PEEKSKILL, N. Y. The news of FRED DICK is simply a change of address (to: Box 321, Morton, Minn.) which excites the latent newsman in us. How about some more news, Fred? . . . EZRA DORISON became a married medical student on October 8 when he married Minnesota's Marlene Strassler of Brooklyn . . . DAVE DUNBAR is at the Athena Office in Buffalo taking field training . . . Ensign SARGENT HALE is the USS Tactical Fair (APO 210, San Francisco) as an assistant navigator on a transport . . . Second LT. DICK HASELTON is working as a radar observer at the McCord Air Force Base in Washington. He is in the 318th Fighter-Interceptor Squadron . . . DICK HOSBACK is a medical student at New York Medical College, Flower and Fifth Ave., N. Y. . . Nav. Cad. HARRY KNAPP who is in flight training at Whiting Field, Milton, Fla., reports a reunion with Capt. SCOTT STEARNS (presently of Selma, Ala.) . . . Second LIEUTENANT is working in the Armed Forces Special Weapons Projects in New Mexico . . . ROGER LADD is more peacefully engaged in the duties of Secretary to the Men's Club of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church . . . CHARLIE LOHINES is an Air Force Administrative Officer in the 507th Tac. Can. Gp. at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. He can be reached via Box 683, Southern Pines, N. C.—that is a great place for golf, so drop in . . . Cpl. JUSTIN MACKARONE is a stenographer in the Adjutant's Office in Lenggries, Germany and reaching off-duty G.I.'s working for a high school diploma . . . Pfc. FRAN MULLANE is at the Redstone Arsenal, Huntsville, Ala. with a collection of brains at the Guided Missile Center . . . Sgt. rt. class BOB PARKER is overseas with the 43rd Inf. Div. (G-2 Sec. Hq.) and can be reached through APO 112, N. Y. . . FRANK PATTERTSON is trying to be accepted at the Ordnance O.C. in Berlin, H. M. He expects to be sent to North Fort Hood, Texas . . . HANK PEREZ started the New Year right with his engagement to Mary Jane Morley of New York . . . MARSHALL RANKIN has a California address but sends no news. You can reach him at Co. A—A.L.S. 1st Platoon, 630 3rd APO of Monterey . . . 2nd Lt. JOHN ROBOT-TOM is in Japan with Hq. & Hq. Sq. Det. 1, 51st Fi. Sq. (APO 917, San Francisco) . . . PAUL RUTHMAN is principal of the Center School, Voluntown, Conn. . . DON SHEAHAN had married Patricia Wood of Wheeling, W. Va. and been promoted to a Good-year Store Manager in Cumberland, Md. That sounds like a good story . . . ELOISE SMITH and wife, Mary Alice, are at Orlando Air Force Base with a little new Smith, Betty Rollins, who made her appearance on June 50th. Congratulations! . . . Cpl. WENDELL STEPHENSON, at last report, was on temporary assignment at Governors Island assisting with historical work for a maneuver to take place in January and February 1952, the Army is careful in giving the history on a deal before it happens! . . . GUS STEWART is reaching the 4th grade at the Harvey School, Hawthorne, N. Y. and is head soccer coach there. Can you keep them in line, Gus? . . . LT. WALT SULLIVAN provides only an address which, we surmise, is a G.P.O. Box 143rd Tank Bn. APO 112, N. Y. How about some news, Walt? . . . CPL. HAL SUTTON is in Korea with Co. L, 3rd Regt. (Inf. Div. 33rd Inf. Div.) . . . SAM TURKINGTON is also in Korea and has completed 30 night missions in support of ground troops. Sam is based at Fusan. . . Sgt. JOHN WALTON is with the 28th Recon. Co. 28th Inf. Division (APO 111, New York) . . . NELSON WAJMAN is a 1st Lt. Liaison Pilot in Augsburg, Germany—Hq. Co. 43rd Div. (APO 112). . . DON WIGGLEWORTH is becoming a wheel in financial circles according to recent reports—along with Prexy Funston. Don is with the Ferris Co. and is working on his MBA at the Stock Exchange . . . In a more romantic line, EVAN WOOLLACOTT got an assist from Gerry O'Grady and married Elizabeth Barrett of West Hartford. Evan got his MA at Wharton and is now in the Army at Fort Dix . . . MONTGOMERY YOUNG finished OCS in December and is at Aberdeen Proving Ground for further training. BEN TORREY announces the birth of a daughter, Jennifer Morton, on February 7 . . . JOE GROVES provides a stop-press item with his engagement to Sally Hank of Rutherford, N. J. . . FRED CAMPBELL is an administrative consultant at the American Hospital in Paris . . . PETE VAN METRE and wife Lucy are looking forward to the first installment in the family line. Pete is working on his law degree and has been restrained from forming himself a Taft-for-President-Club in Iowa . . . TOM WAGNER, 96, like your A.T.L., is teaching school (Hebron Academy) and is naturally enjoying it . . . TOM MESSKILL has graduated from Air Force OCS and is at Otis Air Force Base, Fallmouth, Mass. . . Let's have your news for the next installment. Write to me.

1951


When the smoke cleared June 17 the class of '51 moved in two major directions. Uncle Sam put his finger on the majority of the fellows, and that necessary evil, the womenfolk, of the others away. . . Fort Dix claimed many . . . MARTY MARTEL, BILL RICHMOND and BILL AUSTIN are in the 47th Inf. Regt. 9th Inf. Div. AUSTIN is in Co. E while the others are in Co. F. ART O'HANLON is in Btry. B 34th Fbhn, 60th Inf. Reg. . . NORM WACK is with the Leaders Training Detachment, 26th Field Artillery, Hqds. Btry.,
Section B, and GALE WHITE is with the 9th Infantry Division. BOB CRITTENDEN has finished basic at Dix and expects to enter O.C.S. at Fort Riley, Kansas this Spring. BOB ELLIOTT is with the 26th F.A. Battalion at Dix. BOB BACON has been with Radio Station WTIC in Hartford since graduation and has recently been appointed an announcer. TOM BARRY is also in Hartford attending School.

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THOMAS WAINWRIGHT BUSSOM
Thomas Wainwright Bussom, instructor of Romance Languages from 1914 to 1917, died on November 11 at Middletown, Connecticut. He had been professor of Romance Languages at Wesleyan since 1923.

WILLIAM HENRY WARREN, 1890
William Henry Warren, former president of the Fuller and Warren Stove Company, and a member of one of the oldest families in Troy, New York, died there on December 18.

Mr. Warren was born in Troy on June 3, 1867, the son of Walter Phelps Warren and Martha Mahberr Warren. After attending St. Paul's School in Troy and St. John's School at Ossining, New York, he entered College in 1886 with the Class of 1890, staying only for his freshman year. His fraternity was IKA, now Delta Phi.

Joining his father's stove firm, Mr. Warren began as office boy and was advanced to purchasing agent, treasurer, and president. He held directorates in many firms. He became a member of the Stove Manufacturers of New York and Pennsylvania, and of the National Association of Stove Manufacturers. He held directorates in many local businesses, and was a member of the William Floyd Chapter, Sons of the Revolution. For years he was active in Troy charities, being a director of the Community Chest and the Samaritan Hospital, a president of the Marshall Sanitarium, and a trustee for over thirty-six years of Vanderheyden Hall orphanage.

His wife was the late Miss Carolyn E. Gleason. He is survived by a daughter, Mary Roger Warren of Manchester, Vermont.

ALFRED HALLETT WEDGE, 1895
Word has been received at the College of the death of Alfred Hallett Wedge on October 25, 1951. The Alumni Office would welcome further information concerning Mr. Wedge's life. For many years he taught Latin and history in New York City high schools.

Mr. Wedge graduated with his Class and was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. During World War I he served in the New York Citizens Training Corps and the New York State Guard.

ALBERT DUMOND MERWIN, 1897
Word has been received at the College of the death of Albert Dumond Merwin on September 7, 1942, in Miami, Florida.

FREDERICK CLEVELAND HEDRICK, 1907
Frederick Cleveland Hedrick, Sr., President of the Jacksonville Concrete Company, in Jacksonville, Florida, died on October 23. His family has been for many generations prominent in Florida history and Mr. Hedrick was descended from Andrew Dewees who migrated from Charleston, South Carolina, in 1792.

Mr. Hedrick, son of the late Andrew Jackson Hedrick and Ella Augusta Baker, was born in Jacksonville on October 1, 1884. After attending St. Luke's School in Wayne, Pennsylvania, he entered College in 1903 with the Class of 1907. He was business manager of the Tripod and a member of the Debating Team. In his Junior year he was elected Class President and at his graduation he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and Salutatorian. His fraternity was the Phi Kappa Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi.

After leaving College he operated a ranch in Colorado for several years before returning to Jacksonville to enter the concrete business.

Mr. Hedrick was a member of the vestry of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Jacksonville, where he also had served as treasurer and superintendent of the Sunday School.

Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Edith R. Warrington of Jacksonville; three sons, Frederick, Jr., Andrew, and David; two daughters, Mrs. O. O. McCollium, Jr., and Mrs. Joseph Coudon.

WILLIAM CHRISTIAN DEPPEN, 1909
Word has been received at the College of the death of William Christian Deppen on October 9, 1951. He was born on May 13, 1886, the son of Richard Lance Deppen and Catharine Breslin Deppen. After preparing for college at Shamokin High School, Shamokin, Pennsylvania, and at the Lawrenceville School, he entered Trinity in 1905 with the Class of 1909. Mr. Deppen remained in college for four years, but did not graduate. His fraternity was Alpha Delta Phi.

Mr. Deppen leaves his wife, the former Miss Mae Brooks of Baltimore, Maryland, and three children: William, Catherine and Marion. Richard L. Deppen, 1913, is his brother.

JOHN CALDWELL HART, 1909
John Caldwell Hart died suddenly on August 23 at the home of his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Chester S. Hart, in Taunton, Massachusetts. He was born on August 31, 1886, in Taunton, the son of Chester Strobridge Hart and Josephine Jane Hazzard Caldwell. After attending Taunton High and Cheshire School, Cheshire, Connecticut, Mr. Hart entered college in 1905 with the Class of 1909. He remained an undergraduate for only two years. His fraternity was the Phi Kappa Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi.

For over forty years Mr. Hart was a salesman for the Forbes Lithograph Manufacturing Company in Boston, Massachusetts.

Besides his mother he leaves his wife, the former Miss Clara Martha Hathaway of Brooklyn, New York.

JAMES EDWARD BRESLIN, 1919
James Edward Breslin, former Connecticut American Legion Commander, and well-known Hartford attorney, died November 18 in Hartford. He had been confined to St. Francis Hospital because of an automobile injury.

Born on August 23, 1893, the son of John and Miss Mae Brooks of Baltimore, Mr. Breslin graduated from Phillips Exeter Academy before entering college in 1911 with the Class of 1915. As an undergraduate he was one of the finest football centers ever to wear the Blue and Gold, and was elected Captain of the 1915 team. He was a member of the Sophomore Dining Club and the Alpha Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity. At his graduation in 1920, Mr. Breslin was awarded the McCook Athletic trophy.

Mr. Breslin interrupted his college course to enlist when World War I was declared. After training in Plattsburgh, he was assigned to the 42nd (Rainbow) Division under the command of General MacArthur in France. He was decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross, the Croix de Guerre, and knighthood in the French Legion of Honor for his bravery at Cote de Chatlain. There he was in charge of a combat liaison platoon of fifty men. When the leading companies were held up by intense machine-gun fire, Lieutenant Breslin courageously led his men forward and in the fierce hand-to-hand fighting captured two machine-gun nests and forty prisoners, thus obtaining valuable information regarding the enemy positions. Only twelve of his platoon returned.

When the war ended Captain Breslin also held the Belgian Croix de Guerre, the Purple Heart with Oak Leaf cluster, and had six bars on his service medal. He maintained his interest in military activities, being elected Commander of Rau-Locke Post, American Legion, in 1931 and State Commander of the Legion of Valor and Commander of the Hartford Chapter of the Military Order of the Purple Heart.

Mr. Breslin graduated from the Yale Law School in 1923 and practiced law in Hartford for many years. He served as clerk of the Hartford Police Court and ran for the State Senate on the Republican ticket in 1934. He was a candidate for the City Council in 1947.
For many years Mr. Breslin was an active member of the Knights of Columbus and served as Exalted Ruler of the World's Lodge of Elks.

Recently a crippling disease to his spine forced Mr. Breslin to reduce his activities. He never married and leaves two brothers, William and Daniel; and two sisters, Mrs. Belle M. Cosgrove and Mrs. Grace E. Gould.

ALFRED MORING NIESE, 1923

Alfred Moring Niese, vice-president of the National Sugar Company, died suddenly at the Englewood, New Jersey, Hospital on November 20. He was widely known as a dog show judge and officiated regularly at Madison Square Garden and at other leading shows in the East. Particularly interested in Irish Terriers, he was past president of the Irish Terrier Club of America and had recently written a book "Irish Terrier Club of America."

Mr. Niese was born on May 24, 1901, in Jersey City, New Jersey, the son of the late Henry Ernst Niese and Hattie Frances Moring. After graduating from Montclair Academy, Montclair, New Jersey, he attended Union College for a year and transferred to Trinity in 1920. As an undergraduate he was elected President of his Class in his Junior year, and Vice-President in his Senior year. He was manager of the Track Team, President of the Political Science Club, and Chairman of the Union Committee in his Senior year. His classmates elected him Prophet at graduation. Mr. Niese was a member of the Phi Kappa Chapter of Alpha Delta Phi fraternity, and later he served on its National Executive Council.

Mr. Niese began his lifelong career in the sugar refining industry with his father, who was the head chemist of the American Sugar Company. He joined the National Sugar Company in 1927, and in 1949 he was promoted to vice-president of refining operations. Surviving are his widow, the former Miss Anne Louise Brown of New York City; a daughter, Charlotte Anne; and two sons, Alfred, Jr., and Michael.

THOMAS JOSEPH BIRMINGHAM, 1924

Death has removed from our rolls the name of Thomas J. Birmingham, who was elected President of the Class of 1924 in his senior year. Tom died after a long and persistent illness on October 18, 1951 in Hartford Hospital. He was born in Hartford March 28, 1903 and prepared at Hartford Public High School. He entered Trinity in the fall of 1920 and both in the classroom and on the football field evidenced the qualities of brilliance and leadership that were to stand him in good stead in later life.

He won his "T" for a rugged game in 1922, and was on the 1923 football team. On graduation Tom matriculated at Yale Law School and was admitted to the Connecticut Bar in 1927. He began the practice of law with the firm of Benedict M. Holden, Sr., that same year. It was there in representing the State of Connecticut in a suit involving the right of Massachusetts to dam the Connecticut River that he first distinguished himself as a trial lawyer. His handling of this case gained him wide recognition in the profession. In 1942 he was named Assistant United States Attorney, which position he held until his death. His work was largely in the Lands Division, where he figured prominently in the Victory Yard Case, winning a verdict for the Government during World War II against the Shell Oil Company.

He was influential as a leader in civic affairs as well as social. He served as U. S. Conciliation Commissioner for Eastern Connecticut, Democratic Town Chairman of Andover and was past exalted ruler of the Rockville Lodge of Elks. A lover of horses, he kept stables in Andover and was a member of the Andover Players.

With the passage of time, Tom's interest in the college increased. He was an active member of the Alumni Association and of Phi Gamma Delta Fraternity. Two or three years ago he attended a National Convention at Atlantic City and there made an impassioned plea in behalf of the Trinity Chapter which, from all reports, literally stumped the Convention.

He served as 1924 Class Agent for eleven years and his classmates will always remember him for his agreeable and lovable personality, his diligence and his high ideals.

He leaves his wife, the former Ethel Clapp Gardener, a son, Stephen Birmingham, U.S.A., and a daughter, Susan Birmingham, a junior at Wellesley College.

JAMES WILFRED NELL, 1927

James Wilfred Nell died December 5 after a long illness in Newark, New Jersey. He was born in Walden, New Jersey, on September 3, 1895, the son of James Arthur Nell and Elizabeth Ellen Cuts-Bolton. After attending Walden High School, he attended St. Lawrence University for one year before transferring to Trinity in 1924 as a sophomore. Mr. Nell graduated in 1927 with honors in Chemistry and was awarded the Ferguson Prize in History. In his Junior year he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

Mr. Nell moved to Nutley, New Jersey, and was employed by Thomas A. Edison, Inc., Belleville, New Jersey, and for twenty-five years as an industrial chemist and plant manager.

A former member and past president of the Nutley Social Service Bureau, Mr. Nell was a member of the Nutley Speakers' Bureau.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Charlotte E. Nell, and a son, Roderick.

ARTHUR JAMES MANICE, 1943

Arthur James Manice, son of William DeForest and Harriet Perry Manice, died suddenly in Norfolk, Virginia, on December 24. Besides his parents he leaves two brothers, William and Hayward, and a sister, Harriet.

After preparing at St. Mark's School and Phillips Andover Academy, Manice entered College in the fall of 1939 with the Class of 1943. His fraternity was the Epsilon Chapter of Delta Psi.

In the spring of 1941 he left College to join the United States Merchant Marine Service. He entered as an ordinary seaman and his first assignment was with the Army Transport Service, taking troops to Australia. During the War, he served with various steamship lines until December, 1946, when he qualified as a Master Mariner and was licensed to sail any size ship anywhere. He obtained command of an Alcoa Company boat in 1947.

Recently he had sailed on ships of the Ore Shipping Company of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation. At the time of his death he had completed his second voyage across the Atlantic as Chief Mate of a States Marine Lines ship.

Ferguson Brothers Establish French Prize

Thomas F. Ferguson, '51, and his brother, Walter, a senior, have established two prizes for excellence in French in memory of their father, the late Ronald Hall Ferguson of the Class of 1922, who died last September 12. The prizes are in the amount of $300 and $150 and will be awarded annually on Honors Day by the Chairman of the Romance Language Department to members of the Senior Class majoring in French who, in his opinion, are best qualified for the honor.

The late Mr. Ferguson was president of the Manchester, Conn., Herald Publishing Company and managing editor and publisher of the Manchester Evening Herald. His sons are now co-publishers of the Herald.
Fund to Help Goralski Oversubscribed; Full Recovery Hope of Plucky Athlete

The College Student Emergency Fund under the chairmanship of Charles Kingston, Jr., ‘34, successfully reached its immediate goal of $15,000 to pay for the medical and hospital expenses of Bill Goralski, who is recovering from paralysis caused by a spine injury in the Tufts game. Some $18,000 was contributed by 1,600 individuals and organizations in less than two months which should cover Bill’s medical care and rehabilitation.

Bill was moved from Somerville, Mass., to the Hartford Hospital on January 11 and is making excellent progress in his battle for complete recovery. He is able to move his arms and legs freely, to sit up and is beginning to walk alone. His spirits have remained excellent and his nurses report that they have never seen a patient work so hard on the prescribed exercises.

Tremendous credit is due Chuck Kingston who so ably organized the committee and planned the business and legal details. His committee included Cliff Morse, ’31; Don Viering, ’42; Mr. Henry A. Redfield; Mr. and Mrs. James Bent, ’28; Mrs. Ray Oosting; Mrs. Dan Jesse; Ted Thomas, ’52; Nick Christakos, ’52; Al Miller, ’52; Dean Joseph Clarke and Bob Bishop. The cooperation of the Hartford sports writers and sportscasters was invaluable, particularly Bill Lee, Art McGinley, Owen Griffith, Joe Cassano and Bob Steele.

Dr. Allan Nevins, H ’48 Is Mead Lecturer

Dr. Allan Nevins, Hon. ’48, addressed the undergraduates on “The Art of Biography” on December 3rd. He was invited to the campus by the History Department under the terms of the Mead Bequest. He also spoke informally to a class and attended a tea to which all upper-class history majors and the heads of all departments were invited. His talk was filled with lively and pungent descriptions of the different styles of biography and was widely acclaimed by the students. The History Department intends, using the means of the Mead Bequest, to bring a leading historian to the campus every autumn.

New Accident Policy Is National Model

The College has signed an accident policy for the student body which will cover all medical expenses for accidents up to $1,000, and 75 percent of all additional costs up to $13,333. Students will be covered for the entire year for accidents incurred anywhere, any way.

Four years ago when Steve DeMopolous of Wesleyan was so critically injured in the freshman game on Trinity Field, the College was unable to arrange for a similar policy. The Athletic Department, however, set aside $500 a year into a special insurance fund which had reached $2,000 this fall. Premiums for the new policy will be paid by the College until September 1, 1952, at which time the cost will be billed to each student bringing the total insurance charge to $15 each year.

To Speak in New York

Professor Costello will deliver the Woodbridge Philosophy Lectures at Columbia University on March 25, 27, April 1, 3, and 4. The lectures are named after Dr. Frederick Woodbridge, an uncle of F. Woodbridge Constant, Jarvis Professor of Physics. Dr. Costello’s subject will be “Systems, Perceptions, and Possibilities.”

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