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### Some Opening Remarks



When actress Rosalind Russell visited the campus recently she got in mess line in Coffman Union with the men of the pre-flight training detachment.

PHE staff of Coffman Union is working overtime these days to provide entertainment and recreational activities for the men in the Army and the Navy training units at the University. The cover picture taken by John McBrady reveals that the men, when time permits, are willing to volunteer their services in return. The group pictured on the cover is busy decorating the Christmas tree in the Main Lounge of the Union.

The soldiers in the group are in the Army Specialist Training Program on the campus, the sailors are in the Navy's Electrical School and the girls are members of the civilian student body. On the ladder at left is Joe Sabatoni of Long Island, New York and below him is John Morkin of Waukesha, Wisconsin. The three men on the right, from top to bottom, are Joe Ortiz, El Paso, Texas; Irwin Suslak, New York City, and Arthur Allen, Manistique, Michigan. The girls, left to right, are Virginia Burchard of Robbinsdale and Polly Jordan of Minneapolis.

Nell Jonk '34Ed, editorial assistant on the staff of the Minnesota Alumni Weekly and the Minnesota Alumnus for the past three years, resigned on December 1. She was married on December 8 in Chicago to the Reverend Harold Parsons Marley of Dayton, Ohio. They are at home at 648 Bellemonte Park, Dayton. Before coming to the Alumni Office, Miss Jonk was on the sales staff of the Minnesota Book Store near the campus and also worked in a bookstore in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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This combination of campus scenes appeared in the Christmas greeting folder sent by President Coffey to the nearly 10,000 alumni and former students of the University now serving in the armed forces.

# News and Views

#### Christmas Message

FROM the office of President Walter C. Coffey went a Christmas message early this month to the 10,000 alumni and former students of the University now serving in the armed forces, to the several thousand men in uniform who are in training on the campus, and to the members of the faculty. The pictorial feature of the four-page greeting is reproduced on the preceding page.

In his personal greeting, President Coffey said: "A year ago at the holiday season I made strenuous efforts to greet every student and faculty member whom the war had removed from the campus, If you were in service then, I hope you received my card. Since then, our list has grown with every passing week, until now it totals approximately ten thousand names. More recently, on July 4, I sent each of you a letter in which I tried to bring you up to date on campus developments.

"Now another Christmas season is approaching. Again my thoughts turn to you who are serving your country on the fighting fronts. In the year that has passed much progress has been made toward achieving our great objective. Who knows but that before another holiday season arrives we shall be able to greet you personally on the campus again? My sincerest hope is for the fulfillment of that wish."

On the fourth page of the greeting folder is a brief statement on the history, the educational program, and the extent of the physical plant of the University. This interesting summary concludes with the assertion that "The University of Minnesota is not, however, an enterprise which can be measured solely in terms of buildings, land, equipment, endowment students and faculty; it is a living, dynamic force created by the

founding fathers and, by virtue of seventy-five years of outstanding service, embedded in the very life of the state.

"No adequate measure is thus possible of the value of the contributions made by such an institution to the State's welfare and economy. Yet, if one wishes to find clues concerning this value he can do so by observing how it discharges its primary functions through research and experiment stations in agriculture. engineering, mining, medicine and the many other fields of knowledge, through multitudinous services provided on a state-wide basis, and, indirectly through the cultural and professional attainments of its alumni who constitute a virile force in the leadership of the state and nation."

#### Commencement

More than 700 students received degrees from the University at the Fall quarter commencement exercises in Northrop auditorium on December 16. This was the largest Fall quarter class in history because of the accelerated year-around program which enables the students in several colleges to complete their work ahead of the normal time schedule.

The commencement speaker was Gideon Seymour, vice-president and editorial editor of the Minneapolis Star Journal. The diplomas were presented to the graduates by President Walter C. Coffey.

The chairman of the student committee in charge of arrangements for the commencement program was Paul Colesworthy, Business senior. Others on the committee were Arlene Langum, Business; Marge Brandt and Caroline Kuhr, University Farm; Clifford Donehower, Dentistry; Nell Rommel and Anita Kegel, Education; Bob Spaeth, Aeronautical engineering; Clarence Volp, Civil engineering;

ing; Fred Barron and John Heiertz, Electrical engineering; Melvin Mark, Mechanical engineering; Kay Hernung, General College; Elizabeth Kramer, University College; Cynthia Holly, Nursing, and Michael Muzetas, Pharmacy.

#### Cadet Nurse Corps

In November, President Walter C. Coffey received the following telegram from Dr. Thomas Parran, Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service: "Congratulations to the School of Nursing at the University of Minnesota for the magnificent effort it is making towards the winning of the war. You have enrolled in the United States Cadet Nurse Corps the largest number of student nurses of any institution in the country. To make this record possible you have greatly expanded teaching and housing facilities. The Cadet Nurses at Minnesota through their pledge to do military or civilian nursing are engaged in an essential war service. My grateful appreciation to you, your faculty and students for your outstanding contribution."

#### Japanese-Americans

Japanese-Americans may now enroll as students in the University of Minnesota or be employed by the University according to new regulations released by the Seventh Service Command.

The regulations specify, however, that the Japanese-Americans must first obtain clearance from the office of the provost marshal general of the United States and a personal security form must be executed and submitted through official University channels to get this clearance.

They have been excluded up to the present time at the wishes of the

Army and the Navy, Exceptions have included a few Japanese-Americans who have been employed as instructors in the Far Eastern Language and Area course which has been set up by the University for the Army.

#### Dental Research

Research workers in dentistry representing the University of Minnesota and the United States Public Health Service have evolved a treatment of children's teeth which in experiments to date have shown a rather notable control over tooth de-

They painted certain teeth of children who agreed to the experiment with a solution of sodium fluoride, with the result that new instances of tooth decay were about 40 per cent less for the painted teeth than for teeth that were untreated. At the same time it was found that if decay had already begun in a tooth the sodium fluoride did not act to arrest it.

The researchers are Dr. Wallace D. Armstrong of the Dental School, University of Minnesota, and Dr. John W. Knutson, U. S. Public Health Service.

To get the comparison between treated and untreated teeth, upper and lower teeth were painted on the left side of the mouth and left unpainted on the right side. The children whose teeth were treated also were compared with a group on whom no such applications were

made on any teeth.

Children whose teeth were painted on one side of the mouth had about as many cases of new decay in teeth on the other side of the mouth as occurred in children with untreated mouths, from which the scientists concluded that only the teeth actually painted are protected. The influence seemed not to spread beyond those teeth.

#### **New Class Organization**

Replacing the elected president of the senior class and his personally appointed cabinet of former years, the All-University council last month appointed 21 members to the senior cabinet for the year 1943-44. Eleven of these members were chosen by the council from lists of three students submitted to the council by the deans of the colleges.

In addition to ten who were appointed at large by the All-U council, the candidates for positions on the senior cabinet were chosen on the basis of their ability to represent their college or the senior class as a

This cabinet will have the same powers and duties as previous senior class cabinets. They will be in charge of senior announcements, commencement, senior week and the proposed senior prom, among other duties. The chairman elected by this cabinet will serve in the capacity of the president of the senior class.

Those seniors chosen from the lists submitted by the deans of the colleges were Galen Streimer, Business; Hubert Solberg, Dentistry; Gertrude Gorman, General college: Sally Sjoselius, Arts; Jean Vollbrecht, Education: Warren Stanchfield. Tech; Robert Carlson, University

college: Henry Mayer, Pharmacy: Dan O'Connell, Law; Irene Shannon. Home Ec. and Jean Rossman. Nursing

The ten members at large appointed by the council were Mary Rogers, Ruth Cole. Barbara McQuarie, Mary Cole, Laura Mae Peterson, Roger Williams, Helen Rachie, Donna Caldwell. Tose Foote and Louise Harris.

#### On Leave

Mrs. Marion Faegre, assistant professor of child welfare, is now on leave from the University to serve on the staff of the Children's Bureau of the United States Department of Labor. She acts as a consultant in the setting up of nursery schools for children of war workers.



The student service flag in the foyer of Coffman Union is maintained by the student war activities coordinating committee. Left to right in the picture are three members of the committee, Louise Harris, president, Marjorie Speer and Maxine Siegel.

### A Task for Our Time

By GIDEON SEYMOUR

THE biggest fact in the lives of all of you who are being graduated in this class is the war. Many of you will go directly into one of the armed services. Others will take up civil tasks directly related to the war. Most of the rest of you will step at once into places which are waiting for you because war has thinned out the country's human resources.

Some of your elders can meet war's necessities halfway; they can still hold, with modifications, to patterns of living which they created for themselves two or ten or more years ago. But not you. This is inevitably your war. Every other fact or argument about it is now secondary as far as you are concerned. It is being fought and is going to be won by your generation. The world which emerges from it is going to be one which your generation, more than any other, is going to shape.

Don't let anybody tell you that that world is being shaped for you. It is true that decisions being made at Teheran and Cairo, and in Washington and Moscow and London and Chungking and elsewhere, are shaping its outlines—but only tentatively. The generation ahead of yours can only indicate the direction in which it believes peace and progress to lie. It cannot make commitments which will bind you if you think it prudent to alter or disregard them. Indeed, the real concern of its leaders has been and is to make sure that your generation will not be pre-committed to slavery, or to anarchy.

The world you inherit is going to be a malleable world, heated white in the forge of war. It is going to be a more malleable world, I venture to believe, than any since the world of the fifteenth century, when western man struggled to his feet after a thousand years of fear and bondage and lifted his head out of the long chaos of the Dark Ages.

Out of that world of 500 years ago came the Renaissance, and the Reformation, and then the Industrial Revolution which brought mankind, in the Nineteenth Century, to the highest plateau of peace and prosperity and liberty that it had ever known.

But man does not live on plateaus for long, and it is not going to be the lot of your generation to live on a plateau. The next plateau lies up ahead somewhere, attainable perhaps—if you play your part well—by your children or grandchildren. And you would not be content to return, if you could, to yesterday's world and to pretend that it was the final destination of mankind.

So your generation either will have the genius, the vision, the energy—and, with those qualities, the good luck—to find a way out of the chaos of the last 25 years; or you will be merely the second generation that lived in a new Dark Age and was unable to emerge from it.

The past 25 years are comparable to the period which followed the fall of Rome in 400 A.D. because we are

just as surely at the end of a cycle. For more than three centuries Britain has been the great civilizing and organizing force in the world, and it has played a role which will be remembered in history as long and as gratefully as those of Greece or Rome. Largely because of its contributions to world civilization, we now have come to a stage in history where the dispersal of industrialization, and of liberal political institutions, is worldwide—or is rapidly becoming so.

Because of that very progress—so largely generated or befriended by Britain—it has now become impossible for any one nation to maintain a framework of world political and economic order. Walter Lippmann goes farther and says no two nations could have won this war—not Germany and Japan; not Britain and Russia without the help of the United States; not Britain and the United States without the help of Russia; not Russia and the United States if Britain had fallen in 1940 or 1941.

It is no longer possible to keep the world stable by maintaining a balance of power in Europe, because Europe is no longer the sole seat—or even the principal seat—of world power. No single country or continent has a corner, or ever will have again, on the industrial might which, when it was more closely concentrated and controlled, enabled not only the successful exercise of military power but the economic organization of peace. Control of the seas no longer carries with it the power to police the world, because sea power has been qualified, if it is not being succeeded, by air power.

The period we live in is one of chaos because, in the healthy and laudable course of human progress, it has ceased to be possible for any one nation to set up and maintain a durable world order, as Rome and Spain and Britain were able to do in their time. If we accept Walter Lippman's premise, it is impossible for any two nations to do so, no matter how powerful or like-minded.

So we are looking for a substitute for imperialism as a source of world order, and the first task of our time is to find it, and to make it work.

It can be found ultimately only in some kind of association of nations which can and will prevent aggression, establish justice, and create a code of international law, applying in the world the same principles of government by consent of the governed which have been tested and proved by communities, states and nations.

The leaders of this generation can agree on the objective, and clear the site, and even indicate the nature of the edifice of world order which must be evolved, but they cannot do much more. It is the generation to which this graduating class belongs which must see that the foundations are put firmly in place. For like any human institution a world government must be an evolving thing. It will have to survive several tests before there can be general confidence in its efficacy. Some of those tests are certain to come in your time.

Until such a substitute for imperialism begins to take effective form, the chaos and anarchy which this gener-

This was the address delivered at the Fall Quarter commencement in Northrop Auditorium on December 16. Mr. Seymour is Editorial Editor and Vice-president of the Minneapolis Star Journal.

ation has lived in, and which greets your generation in such violent form, will continue—no matter how unconditionally we win this war. If your generation does not find the way out of that anarchy, then you can know no real peace, no real security, no real opportunity.

The danger is not—as some people think—that the human race will destroy itself unless it finds a way to end war. The human race is a prolific and widely dispersed species, and it is likely to keep right on surviving with an ingenuity which surpasses even its ingenuity at devising means of extermination. The danger of failure to find and make workable a structure of world order adequate for our time is not that we shall all die if we don't; it is the almost worse fate of having to grope, for generation after generation, in the kind of global chaos in which there can be no such thing as national well-being for any people, and in which liberty and the elevation of living standards and the liberation of the human spirit are impossible dreams.

To move with determination toward such a framework of world order is so surely the most important task of our time that the possibility of solving almost all our other problems—political, social and economic—is dependent on its success.

Against our uncertainty as to whether we can agree with other nations on fundamental rules and their enforcement, must be arrayed the certainty that there can be no peace or harmony outside such a framework.

#### Question of National Sovereignty

The question of national sovereignty which a proposal for effective world collaboration raises in many minds involves exactly the same principle, on the world level, which we accept by other names on other levels of government. Major cities within the framework of our states demand "home rule." They insist that the super-government of the state, if you want to call it that, shall not do for them anything which they can do as well or better for themselves. It must constantly be argued and considered where to draw the line between the rights and powers of the municipality and the rights and powers of the state. But it is recognized that wherever the line is drawn, there are some things which the state can do for cities collectively better than each city can do these things for itself, no matter how great or strong it may be. Therefore, we have states, which are groups of communities. One of the constant subjects of debate in the nation has been states' rights. Where shall the line be drawn between the power of the nation to act in the collective interest of the states, for the security and survival of all of them, and the right of each state to determine its own affairs? That debate is unending. Yet, the most ardent advocate of states' rights does not for a minute deny that there are some things-many thingsthat the nation must do for the states collectively in order for them to be done effectively. The plainest fact of our time is that joint action for the common welfare, which is so essential to individual security and opportunity that it is the very reason for the existence of government in the community, the state and the nation, has become equally essential to the security and opportunity of nations and individuals in the world.

The principle is not new—it is one which human society has been evolving and proving for hundreds of centuries on the levels of group organization existing in these times. We have come in our time-in this very century-to a period in the development of human society when that principle must be applied in the world. as the only alternative to chaos. And misgivings about the so-called compromising of national sovereignty will be easier to resolve if we will think of the problem in terms of the home rule and states' rights issues which are synonymous with it on other levels of government. By all means let us be wary of careless or wholesale sacrifices of sovereignty, and let us debate and keep debating where to draw the line-because, as in the relations between communities and the state, and states and the nation, the line has to keep being redrawn as times and conditions change. But let us not be led to believe that the principle which has made representative government possible and practical in every other sphere of human organization is valid and indispensable up to the national level but no higher.

Of course a stable world order, developing along sound lines, does not in itself guarantee a free and prosperous United States, which is the most immediate interest of us all. But it gives us the opportunity to achieve fuller freedom and prosperity, by easing the external pressures which create internal emergencies, and by opening wider the channels of world trade which we have got to have access to, after the war, if we are to put and keep peacetime production and employment at a high level.

No matter how well your generation builds, it will find itself confronted by more problems than satisfactions. Most generations do, but it will be especially true of yours because the war will leave tremendous problems which will take a long time to work out. We are seeing the greatest migration of peoples since the fall of the Roman Empire. The war has created economic convulsions which still have to be reckoned with, by inducing the sudden development and immense production of new products-synthetic rubber, plastics, magnesium, aluminum, and many more-which will displace old ones. Most serious of all, the war has produced new concepts which we have not digested and adapted to our economy and our society and yet cannot forget and outlaw or lay aside simply by ending the upheaval which produced them.

#### Free Discussion of New Ideas

There must follow a period of digestion of change, assimilating the good and discarding the bad, which will take not one but several generations. That is one reason why it is so important to create a framework of world order large enough and stable enough in which to hope to solve our problems. Only the constant attrition of ideas, and endless examination and re-examination and debate about details, can lead to the refinement and assimilation of those changes.

But surely we are not afraid of ideas and of their free discussion! What we have had cause to fear in the last generation has not been any ideas which came out of Nazism or fascism or Japanese militarism or even communism, but only the imposition of these ideas upon us by force or by stealth against our will. We can cope with ideas if men's minds are free. Let them come! They are the stuff progress is made of. And surely there was never a time in history when it was so important for men and women to learn to think for themselves, Literacy is not enough in a democracy—proud as we have

been of its prevalence among us. The will and ability to comprehend, to weigh, to analyze, are today as never

before requisites of adequate citizenship.

It is not enough to read and listen voraciously, and to choose a favorite columnist or a radio commentator or an editor to do your thinking for you. Nobody but yourself ought to be privileged to make up your mind. All that the most profound commentator or the best editorial page may properly aspire to do is to influence toward tolerance and understanding and wisdom the mental climate in which the reader or listener arrives at his own decisions. Only out of such a genuine digestion of issues and ideas in individual minds can there come intelligent decisions of the kind which we must make in the years immediately ahead.

#### Individual Judgments

The more individual judgments we can bring to bear on our problems, the closer we can come to truth. Dr. George Gallup illustrates this by showing auditors a piece of wood twelve inches long and asking them to estimate its length. The estimates will vary all the way from nine to sixteen inches, but if enough people make independent estimates, the average of those estimates will be exactly twelve inches. If you doubt that, try it some time as a parlor trick. The more participants, the closer to absolute accuracy will be the result.

Therein, and only therein, lies our ultimate safeguard against the making of our decisions by blocs or pressure groups or autocrats, and our certainty that our decisions

will be right.

And your idea may change history, no matter who you are. Some of you read in The New Yorker a year or so ago, or in fuller form in the December Harper's magazine, the story of how Sun Yat Sen, founder of modern China, came to renounce Marxism as the ideology of the Chinese republic, in favor of a concept of social evolution which led the new China toward the west and changed the course of modern history. A Brooklyn dentist, Maurice William, born in Kharkov and brought to the United States by his tailor father in boyhood, became an earnest socialist. But in 1921 he renounced Marxism and wrote a tract which he called "The Social Interpretation of History," of which he had two thousand copies printed at his own expense. It got no notice in the United States, but a copy fell into the hands of Sun Yat Sen through a Chinese student here and Sun Yat Sen, reading it, proclaimed its principles as his and as China's in 1924, in the last lecture before his death.

We regard passive resistence as a mystical Indian doctrine incompatible with our realism and the western concept of survival, but Mohandas Gandhi told the late Webb Miller, United Press correspondent, that he appropriated it from an essay by Henry Thoreau, the Amer-

ican naturalist.

The late Stephen Vincent Benet, in a classic American short story called "The Devil and Daniel Webster," tells how Daniel Webster pleaded with a jury for the soul of Jabez Stone, which had been sold to the devil. Webster began, says Benet, "with the simple things that everybody has known and felt-the freshness of a fine morning when you're young, and the taste of food when you're hungry, and the new day that's every day when you're a child. He took them up and turned them in his hands. They were good things for any man. But without freedom they sickened. And when he talked of those enslaved, and the sorrows of slavery, his voice rang like a big bell. He talked of the early days of America and the men who had made those days. It wasn't a spreadeagle speech, but he made you see it. He admitted all the wrong that had ever been done. But he showed how, out of the wrong and the right, the suffering and the starvations, something new had come. And everybody had played a part in it—even the traitors.

And so it is in the world of which your generation is the inheritor: Out of the wrong and the right, the suffering and the starvation, something new will come. And everybody will have played a part in it—even the traitors -the Judases, the Hitlers, the Tojos, the Quislings, and those among us here at home who have been called traitor by one group or another because they were wrong for reasons of hatred or obstinacy or exhibitionism or personal gain-or even of idealism. For they have compelled us to face facts which we would rather have ignored, and to cope now with problems which we would rather have put aside, and to examine ideas which frightened us, and to keep probing and implementing the faith we live by to be surer of its soundness or to modify it so it would deserve to prevail.

#### Changes Come Slowly

The something new that arises will come slowly and toilsomely and imperceptibly. The time will never arrive when you can look about you and say, "This is the brave new world of which we dreamed." A. P. Herbert, the English satirist and member of parliament, poked fun at the people who expect that kind of world when he said in a recent bit of doggerel,

"Oh won't it be wonderful after the war. There won't be no war and there won't be no pore. We'll all have a pension about 24. And we won't have to work if we find it a bore. There won't be no sick and there won't be no sore, The beer will be better, and thicker, and more. And there's only one thing I'd like to explore: Why didn't we have this here wa-er before?"

But if you do your part well, you should begin to see some results in your time-enough to reward you with a deeper satisfaction than the generations just ahead of yours have been able to feel about what they had accomplished in the world. So great is your opportunity, because you live at one of the most critical and malleable periods in world history, that if you make of your world what you have the chance to make of it, future generations will look back on your generation as yours looks back upon that generation of 500 years ago, which recovered freedom for the human spirit and gave that freedom wings.

John Donne, English poet and clergyman, said three centuries ago: "No man is an iland, entire of itself; every man is a peece of the continent, a part of the maine; if a clod be washed away by the sea, Europe is the lesse, as well as if a promontorie were, as well as if a manner of thy friends or thine owne were; any man's death diminishes me, because I am involved in mankinde; and therefore never send to know for whom the

bell tolls: it tolls for thee."

The United States of America calls now, to you of this graduating class, to serve it faithfully today and tomorrow, in the name of mankind of which it is a part.

# Heads National Tax Group

PROFESSOR ROY G. BLAKEY of the School of Business Administration was elected president of the National Tax Association at the thirty-sixth annual conference of the organization in Chicago on November 20-22. During the present year, Mr. Blakey is on leave of absence from the University to serve as Consultant of the Council of State Governments with headquarters in Chicago. He represents the Council on an informal committee whose function is to suggest and plan ways and means of coordinating federal and state fiscal systems, or, at least, to remove as many existing conflicts as possible.

Mr. Blakey has long been recognized nationally as an outstanding authority in the field of taxation. Among the conference discussions of most general interest were those on postwar responsibilities of government and private enterprise; federal, state and local postwar tax problems; public debt policy; intergovernmental fiscal relations, and coordination of income, death and gift taxes.

Among the speakers on the program of the conference were Charles F. Keyes '96, of Minneapolis, and L. A. Rossman of Grand Rapids.

#### Executive Officer

The executive officer of the Army Specialized Training Program at the University is an alumnus, Major William C. Rinsland '34IT. As a student he was commander of Phalanx, honorary military fraternity; president of the cadet officers' club, and cadet major and regimental adjutant in the ROTC.

After receiving his degree, Major Rinsland went to Milwaukee to accept a position with a public utilities company. Two years later he returned to Minneapolis where he worked first with the state highway department and then as valuation engineer of the Appraisal Service company.

In September, 1940, he was ordered to active duty as a reserve officer and was assigned to the University as assistant professor of military science and tactics. Since the organization of the ASTP he has served as its executive officer. Major Rinsland is a member of the coast artillery. He was commissioned a second lieutenant in December, 1933, and was promoted to first lieutenant in November, 1936, to captain in January, 1942, and to major on May 26, 1943.

#### **Journalism Research**

The Journalism Quarterly, published by the American Association of Schools and Departments of Journalism and the American Association of Teachers of Journalism, is edited by members of the faculty of Minnesota's School of Journalism. The magazine reports current research in the field of Journalism.

Ralph D. Casey, director of the School of Journalism, is editor; Mitchell Charnley, professor of Journalism, is managing editor, and Professor Ralph O. Nafziger is a member of the editorial board. The business manager of the publication is Professor Fred L. Kildow.

#### Counselling Leader

Dr. E. G. Williamson, dean of students, has been appointed to the advisory commission on readjustment



WILLIAM ANDERSON '13

counselling of the War Manpower Commission. After making an estimate of the number of men and women in the armed forces and in war industries who will have to find new postwar jobs, where these jobs may be found, and how the workers should be trained, the advisory commission will determine the number of skilled personnel counsellors needed to assist the demobilized veterans and workers in making their adjustments to new jobs.

Dean Williamson also was recently appointed chairman of the committee on Student Personnel Work of the American Council of Education by George V. Zook, president of the Council. This committee is preparing advisory reports on the postwar counselling and training of soldiers.

#### On National Committee

Professor William Anderson '13, chairman of the department of political science, is in residence at the University this year but is devoting half-time to the Committees on Government and on Public Administration of the Social Science Research Council. These activities take him to Washington about once a month.

His work for the Committee on Government involves the planning of future research in the field of political science. In connection with this activity he has also been appointed an Associate Fellow (non-resident) of the Library of Congress. This conforms to the present practice of the Library of appointing unpaid advisers in each important field of work.

#### Training Fliers

H. T. Morse '28, coordinator of the Army pre-flight college training program at the University and associate director of General College, accompanied Major E. O. Sheldon, commanding officer of the University's 88th College Training Detachment, on an inspection tour of the army air base at Santa Ana, California, early in December. They observed the classification machinery and the educational program at the air base for the purpose of developing a closer coordination between the pre-flight training at the University and subsequent training at the air base.

# Dean Russell A. Stevenson Resigns

RUSSELL A. STEVENSON, dean of Minnesota's School of Business Administration, has resigned to become head of the School of Business Administration at the University of Michigan. When Dean Stevenson goes to Ann Arbor to assume his new duties next July, he will be returning to his alma mater and also to the school where he began his teaching career as an instructor in economics in 1913.

He became dean at Minnesota in 1926 succeeding George W. Dowrie who had resigned to join the faculty of Stanford University. Minnesota's School of Business Administration was established in 1919 by action of the Board of Regents and Dr. Dowrie was its first dean.

Dean Stevenson came to Minnesota from the University of Cincinnati where he was head of the commerce division of the College of Engineering and Commerce. He received his B.A. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Michigan and his M.S. degree from the University of Iowa where he taught for six years before going to Cincinnati.

Under his capable direction, the School of Business Administration has become a leader in the field of business education and has won national recognition through its student training program, its graduate study in economics, and its numerous research activities. The counsel of its staff members has been sought constantly by government agencies and business groups and both the State and Federal governments have borrowed members of the faculty from time to time to serve in advisory capacities.

In 1931 the Rockefeller Foundation, the Carnegie Corporation and the Spelman Fund financed a survey of industry and the causes of unemployment in Minneapolis, St. Paul and Duluth under the direction of Dean Stevenson. A third phase of the project was an experiment in the operation of public employment agencies. Minnesota was the first state in the country in which a complete and scientific survey of unemployment was undertaken. At the present time, Dean Stevenson is acting as the coordinator of a Univer-



DEAN R. A. STEVENSON

sity faculty committee which is conducting studies of all aspects of community life in the state for the purpose of securing a sort of preview of the conditions and problems which may arise in the postwar period.

A committee of five professors of the University has been named by President Walter C. Coffey to recommend a successor to Dean Stevenson.

This committee was nominated by the faculty of the School of Business Administration, approved by the regents and appointed by President Coffey. The committee will nominate Dean Stevenson's successor, and then, pending approval by the Business School faculty, President Coffey will accept or reject the nomination. The regents will have the final approval.

The committee members are J. Warren Stehman, professor of economics and finance, chairman; Richard Kozelka, associate professor of economics and statistics; George Filipetti, professor of economics and business administration; O. B. Jesness, chief of the division of agricultural economics, and William Anderson, professor of political science,

# Research Institute Is Organized

PLANS for the establishment of the Minnesota Institute of Research as a unit of the Graduate School of the University were presented to the Board of Regents by President Coffey for approval at the November meeting of the board.

The 1943 state legislature made provision for a Minnesota Institute of Research to "be organized and operated under the control and supervision of the Board of Regents of the University" and for the establishment of a research fund under the same control and supervision. The legislature granted \$10,000 for each year of the 1943-45 biennium for the support of the institute.

The legislative Act states that "The purpose of the institute is to assist in general research and in the discovery, development, promotion and coordination of methods for the utilization and development of the products and natural resources of the state through scientific research, and to aid further studies for the purpose

of developing the industries and resources of the state."

It was also provided that the Regents may secure patents and royalties and that the income from such shall be credited to the fund. The Regents may also accept gifts to the fund.

President Coffey recommended that Professor Ralph E. Montonna of the School of Chemistry in the Institute of Technology be named as the director of the institute. It was also recommended that an advisory committee be appointed and that the following members of the staff be appointed to this committee: W. S. Miller, acting dean of the Graduate School; G. H. Bailey, dean and director of the University Department of Agriculture; J. M. Bryant, head of the department of electrical engineering; S. C. Lind, dean of the Institute of Technology; Professor F. B. Garver of the School of Business Administration, and Professor T. L. Joseph of the School of Mines and Metallurgy.

# Alumnus Honored by Engineers

ROY V. WRIGHT '98ME, international authority in railroad engineering, was awarded an honorary membership in the American Society of Mechanical Engineers at the annual dinner of the society in New York City on December 1. Mr. Wright is vice-president and secretary of the Simmons-Boardman Publishing Company, 30 Church Street, New York, and managing editor of the Railway Age. He is a Fellow and Past President of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Among others similarly honored at the annual dinner were Ralph Budd, president of the Burlington Lines, and Lieut. General Andrew G. L. McNaughton, commanding officer of the Canadian Army Overseas.

In addition to his many other duties, Mr. Wright has served as New Jersey Senator from Essex County for the past two years. Here is the complete citation which accompanied the award to this distinguished Minnesota alumnus:

"A full-blooded westerner, Roy V. Wright was born in Red Wing, Minn., in 1876. He was graduated from the mechanical engineering course of the University of Minnesota when he was twenty-two years of age. His preparatory schooling was in a high school in St. Paul. He has been associated with railroad affairs since his graduation from college, starting as a machinist apprentice with the Milwaukee Road and extending his experience to the Chicago Great Western and the Pittsburgh and Lake Erie, of which latter he was mechanical engineer.

"It was in 1904 that he became an editor, the journal being the American Engineer and Railroad Journal, and in 1910 became the editor of the Mechanical Department of the Railway Age Gazette. It was not long before he was managing editor of the Railway Mechanical Engineer. He has been editor of the Locomotive Cyclopedia, the Car Builders Cyclopedia, the Material Handling Cyclopedia, and the Railway Shop Kinks, all of which are serviceable in the hands of railroad people.

"Mr. Wright's influence in the field of railway transportation is very large, and he also has done eminent service in community relations and in educational matters. He has been chairman of this Society's Committee on Relations with Colleges, and he is the author of several chapters or books, one being the chapter entitled 'Transportation' in the publication called 'Toward Civilization,' another being a manual on citizenship for this Society, another being entitled 'How to Be a Responsible Citizen,' which was written in association with his wife. In connection with his railroad contacts he has been a strong proponent of safety rules and is a member of the Executive Committee of the National Safety Council, besides being a member of the Advisory Committee of the Department of Smoke Regulation of Hudson County, New Jersey, Chairman of the Road and Bridge Committee of Essex County, New Jersey, and active in other such enterprises for the public good. As lecturer on citizenship at the Newark College of Engineering, he has impressed a new, widespread and important influence, not only on that college, but on engineering education in the nation.'

#### Names in News

The names of two Minnesota alumni appear frequently and prominently in the current news dispatches relative to the matter of selecting a Republican presidential candidate for



HAROLD E. STASSEN '29L

1944. For many months, Lt. Comdr. Harold E. Stassen '29L, USNR, who resigned as governor of Minnesota last spring to enter the Navy, has been listed in national polls and news commentaries as a possible candidate. He is now serving as Flag Secretary on the staff of Admiral Halsey in the Southwest Pacific.

This month Congressman Everett Dirksen '18, of Illinois, announced that he would also seek the Republican nomination. Mr. Dirksen visited the campus last spring to attend the twenty-fifth anniversary reunion of his class.

#### On Leave

A campus visitor this month was Lieut. Kenneth C. Fossum '39D, USNR, who had just returned from an 18-month period of service in the South Pacific. Before entering the Navy he practiced dentistry at 3706 East 34th Street, Minneapolis.

#### State Tax Job

Charles P. Stone '28; '31L, has been appointed deputy tax commissioner of Minnesota. His home is at 2432 Thirty-fourth Avenue S., Minneapolis. He entered the University from Lamoure, N. D., and soon after graduation he became a member of the law firm of Stassen and Ryan in South St. Paul. Mr. Stone later practiced law in Owatonna and served as assistant Steele County attorney until 1939 when he was named a special assistant state attorney general and assigned to the highway department. In July, 1942, he was transferred to the tax department where he worked principally on income and gasoline tax matters.

#### Scholarships

Professor A. S. Levens '22Ch; '24Gr, who is on leave from the faculty of the Institute of Technology, visited the campus early in December to interview prospective candidates for scholarships and fellowships to be awarded by the Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation, San Diego, Calif. One fellowship offered by the company is open to graduates in engineering, metallurgy, chemistry, physics, or mathematics and will carry an annual grant of \$750 for graduate study and research in the field of aeronautical engineering. Scholarships will be given to undergraduates.

### Sports

#### Basketball

MINNESOTA opened the basketball season with a brand new line-up with the exception of Arnold (Butz) Lehrman who was a reserve last season. Coach Carl Nordly does not have the services of a Gopher letterman and must depend largely on transfer students in the Navy V-12

programs and freshmen.

In the first game on December 4 the Gophers defeated St. Mary's College of Winona, 54 to 32. The Minnesota starting line-up included Kenny Johnson, a Navy V-12 student from Helena, Mont., and Duane Baglein, a freshman from Fargo, N. D., at the forwards; Bill Wright, a Navy V-12 student from Austin, at center; Butz Lehrman of Minneapolis and Bill Pepper, a freshman from Minneapolis, at the guards. Both Wright and Johnson are transfers from Carleton College. Wright was high scorer in the opener with 12 points while Baglein got 10.

In the second game of the season on December 6 in the Field House, the Gophers defeated South Dakota University, 59 to 31. Again Wright was high scorer with 14 points while Baglein and Lehrman each got 10. Wally Solien, a Navy V-12 student from Moorhead, got nine points.

Minnesota will open its conference season on January 7 and 8 in games with Iowa in the Field House. On January 14 and 15, the Gophers will meet Purdue at Lafayette.

#### All-star Teams

Two former Minnesotans, Bill Dalev and Herb Hein, were named on the all-America football team selected for Collier's magazine by Grantland Rice. Daley was Michigan's fullback during the 1943 campaign until he was transferred by the Navy shortly after mid-season. Hein, who played with Northwestern during the 1943 season while assigned to Marine training there, was placed at end on the Collier's eleven. Daley played three years for Minnesota while Hein was a Gopher during two seasons. The former's home is in St. Cloud and he played his high school football at Melrose while the latter entered the University from Billings. Montana.



Paul Mitchell, veteran tackle, was named honorary captain of the 1943 football team at the close of the season and at the annual Football Convocation the captain's torch was presented to him by Ed Lechner. Game captains were appointed during the season in the absence of Cliff Anderson, 1943 captain-elect, who is in the service. Lechner, former Gopher line star, is in the Navy and completing his dental training on the campus.

The all-American service team selected by the Associated Press includes two former Gophers. Bruce Smith of St. Mary's Pre-flight in the backfield, and Bob Fitch of Camp Lejeune at end.

The all-conference football teams are being named as usual and Minnesota is well represented on these all-star elevens—that is, if Minnesota can still lay some claim to former Gophers who played on the teams of other Big Ten schools during the 1943 season.

Nearly every all-star selection has included the name of Paul Mitchell at tackle and he has also been placed on mythical all-American elevens. For the past two seasons he has been rated as one of the finest tackles in the entire country.

Bill Daley, who was Michigan's top ball-carrier this past season until he was transferred elsewhere by the Navy, has been named at fullback on the all-conference elevens. Another former Gopher to be so honored is Herb Hein who was a star

end for Northwestern during the 1943 campaign. Herman Frickey, Northwestern halfback, has been given a place on the all-star second elevens. Frickey and Hein have been taking their preliminary training in the Marines at Northwestern.

#### Final Conference Game

Minnesota completed its conference season on the gridiron with a 25 to 13 victory over Wisconsin. The Gophers had been favored to win by a larger margin but the Badgers, who had won only one game during the 1943 season, wound up their year with a display of aggressive football which won the admiration of the crowd of nearly 20,000 in Memorial stadium on November 20.

The spectators were treated to a game of offensive fireworks. On the second play after first getting the ball in the opening period, Chuck Avery, Gopher right half, took a lateral from Red Williams and hiked 61 yards for a touchdown. The Bad-

gers came right back with a long pass which put them on the twoyard line but they were unable to get past the Minnesota line. Soon thereafter however, John Kuenzler, Badger fullback, went 27 yards to score and kicked the extra point to give Wisconsin a 7 to 6 lead.

On the second play following the ensuing kickoff, Williams tossed a long and perfect pass to Avery which was good for 68 yards and a touchdown. The Gophers got their third touchdown early in the third period after Howard Langpap recovered a fumble on the Badger 40. Hoyt Moncrief and Bob Collison moved the ball near the goal line and Williams went across on fourth down. The Badgers took the kickoff on their five and marched for their second score. Moncrief scored Minnesota's fourth touchdown in the final period. Each team had one touchdown called back on penalties.

Minnesota had 14 first downs to 13 for Wisconsin and a total gain from scrimmage of 370 yards to 305 for the Badgers. Minnesota ground gainers: Moncrief, 98 yards in 14 plays; Avery, 76 in 3; Williams, 65 in 14; Collison, 15 in 4; Palmer, 39 in 2; Lundquist, 4 in 2, and Cates, 5 in 1.

#### Football Finale

In the final game of the 1943 season the Gophers made a gallant stand against the Seahawks of the Navy Pre-flight Training Station at Iowa City but were overpowered, 32 to 0, by this star-studded squad of Navy fliers. A crowd of 18,000 witnessed the game in Memorial stadium on November 27.

In the first half the Gophers held the mighty Seahawks to six points and even threatened to take the lead at one point when they moved to the Seahawk four-yard line, first down and goal to go. There was a Minnesota fumble, however, and the opponents recovered the ball on the 17. In the final minutes of the game the Gophers staged at 45-yard drive to the Seahawk 10-yard line only to lose the ball on downs.

Along with being outclassed by a group of experienced college and professional stars, Minnesota was handicapped by the loss of key men through injuries. Bob Lossie, regular center, did not play at all; Chuck Avery, ground-gaining right halfback played only a few minutes, and Red



Dr. Carl Nordly
Basketball Coach

Williams, left half, was out during the entire second half.

Cadet Jimmy Smith, formerly of Illinois, and Ensign Art Gueppe, former Marquette star, aided by a powerful line and some expert blocking, were the heavy ground-gainers for the fliers. Smith scored the first Seahawk touchdown late in the second quarter. Red Williams and Bob Collison intercepted Seahawk passes to head off other drives into Minnesota territory.

The visitors struck twice in the first four minutes of the third quarter, with Gueppe scoring both times on 56 and 66 yard runs. The remaining two touchdowns were made in the fourth quarter with forward passes the weapon.

Playing for the Seahawks were two former Gophers, Bud Higgins, who scored the famous talking-play touchdown against Northwestern three years ago, and Dick Burk, end. Leading ground-gainers for Minnesota were Red Williams, Tom Cates and Bob Carley.

#### Hockey

Hockey practice was started late in November with some 40 candidates reporting to Coach Larry Armstrong. From the football squad came Bob Graiziger, who was cocaptain last season with Don Nolander, Bob Carley, Red Williams and Mike Rapko. Also on hand is Paddy Ryan, veteran wing. Leading goalie candidates as practice opened were Harry Bratnober, a V-12 Navy student, and Bob McCabe, both of St. Paul.

The Gophers will schedule games with state college teams, if possible, together with other opposition that is available. Two games with the St. James Canadians of Winnipeg have been scheduled for January 7 and 8 in Minneapolis.

#### Notes

Stan Hanson '38, former Gopher wrestler and football player, has been appointed wrestling coach at the University this year. He succeeds Wally Johnson who handled the coaching job last season and is now an ensign in the Navy. One of his outstanding performers this year will be Bill Aldworth, veteran of both football and wrestling.

Bill O'Shields '33Ed, former Gopher sprinter and later the coach of national championship sprinters at Tuskegee Institute, is now American Red Cross Negro club director in Australia.

#### Letter Awards

Football letter winners for 1943 were announced at the annual Football convocation in Northrop auditorium on November 30. The 31 members of the squad receiving "M" awards were:

William Aldworth, Garden City, N. Y.; Chas. Avery, Antigo, Wis.; Tom Cates, St. Paul; Robt. Carley, St. Paul; Robt. Collison, Fairmont; Wm. Garnaas, Minneapolis; Verne Gagne, Robbinsdale; John Geist, St. Paul; Robt. Graiziger, St. Paul; Wm. Granum, Amery, Wis.; Richard Heeb, Minneapolis; Arne Johnson, Minneapolis; Rubin Juster, Minneapolis; Richard Lee, Northfield; Howard Langpap, Tracy; Ed. Lechner, Fessenden, N. D.; Richard Leversee, Minneapolis; Robt. Lossie, St. Paul; John Lundquist, Granite Falls; Fred Madsen, St. Paul; Paul Mitchell, Minneapolis; Hoyt Moncrief, Monroe, La.; Loren Palmer, Laurel, Mont.; William Peterson, Detroit Lakes; Mike Rapko, Chisholm; Tom Reinhardt, Jasper; Stuart Scheer, Lafayette, Ind.; Brick Waldron, Amsterdam, N. Y.; Henry Weber, St. Paul; Wayne Williams, Minneapolis; Luke Rader (manager), Minneapolis.

#### 1943 FOOTBALL SEASON

Minnesota 26, Missouri 13
Minnesota 54, Nebraska 0
Minnesota 13, Camp Grant 7
Minnesota 6, Michigan 49
Minnesota 6, Northwestern 42
Minnesota 7, Purdue 14
Minnesota 33, Iowa 14
Minnesota 25, Wisconsin 13
Minnesota 0, Seahawks 32

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#### In Honduras

LONG before the current U. S. committees on inter-American affairs were created for the purpose of promoting a greater feeling of friendliness for this country among the peoples of Latin-America, a Minnesota graduate was conducting a one-man campaign in that direction.

He is Harold I. Brosious '04Mines, who went to Honduras 30 years ago as a metallurgist for a mining company. He became so interested in the country and in the people that he started classes in English, chemistry and mineralogy for the native boys in his neighborhood as a spare-time activity. The classes soon became so large that he established a school.

In a recent letter to Professor Walter H. Parker of the School of Mines, Mr. Brosious reports that there are now 87 boys attending his school. He has a large ranch and most of the students work part of the time while attending his classes. A few of the boys are able to pay a small amount for their board and room, but most of them are supported by Mr. Brosious and their own part-time work. He has sent several of the graduates of his school to the University of Minnesota to complete their training in special fields.

It is a unique educational enterprise developed by a man who is interested primarily in people, and one that cannot help but have a lasting effect on the good will between the United States and one of the Central American republics.

#### One Alumni Family

Nine sons and daughters in the Hanson family of Graceville have been enrolled in the University of Minnesota and there has been at least one member of the family on the campus every year since 1928 right up to the present.

The first member of the family to enter the University was Earle Hanson '33, who is now a plant pathologist with the U. S. Department of Agriculture at University Farm. He completed the work for his Ph.D. in 1943.

Lester '36, who later received his Ph.D. at Cornell, is in the division of animal husbandry at the University of Nebraska. He also took graduate work in Denmark.

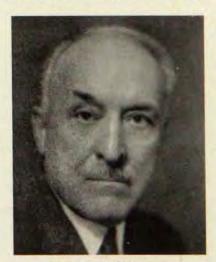
Lloyd '39, is a crop specialist with the North Dakota State Seed Department.

Four members of the family group are now serving in the armed forces. Carleton '39, is a Seaman first class in the Seabees on Guadalcanal. Donald '40, is a first lieutenant in the Army Quartermaster Corps at a camp in Oklahoma. Melvin '42, is an ensign in the Navy Air Corps in Australia and Kenneth '45Ex, is a Navy aviation cadet at St. Olaf College.

Dorothy '43, is working for the Lend-Lease Administration in California and Helen '46Ag, is the present representative of the family on the campus. Following in the footsteps of her older brothers and sister, Helen is active in student affairs at University Farm and among other things is editor of the newsy little publication issued by the Lutheran Student Association.

#### Phi Beta Kappa

Thomas F. Wallace '95L, chairman of the board of directors of the Farmers and Mechanics Savings Bank of Minneapolis, was elected president of the Minneapolis Phi Beta



THOMAS F. WALLACE

Kappa Association at the annual meeting of the organization on November 29. For many years, Mr. Wallace served as treasurer of the General Alumni Association. Professor Dora V. Smith '18; '28Ph.D., of the College of Education was elected vice-president succeeding Mrs. Richard E. Scammon while Frank K. Walter, former University Librarian was named as treasurer to succeed Wendell T. Burns '16.

#### Campus Druggist

James Torrens, who was a druggist in Southeast Minneapolis for 39 years, died at his home in Minneapolis in November. He was in the store at the corner of Fourth Street and Fourteenth Avenue for many years and operated the store at the corner of Fourth Street and Thirteenth Avenue from 1932 until he retired in 1940. He is survived by his widow and one son, John Torrens, who is a medical student at the University. Mr. Torrens was a graduate of Northwestern University.

#### College President

Oregon State College at Corvallis celebrated the seventy-fifth anniversary of its founding in October under the direction of its ninth president, Dr. August L. Strand '25MS; '28Ph.D. While working for his graduate degrees at Minnesota, Dr. Strand majored in entomology and he held an assistant professorship on the faculty from 1929 to 1931. From 1931 to 1937 he was head of the department of entomology at Montana State College and State Entomologist. He was elected president of Montana State College in 1937 and served in that position until being called to the presidency of Oregon State College in October, 1942.

#### Back from Midway

Lieut. George L. Levin '39E; '41Gr, USNR, is now stationed at Pearl Harbor. He was on Midway Island for a year and was there during the historic Battle of Midway. His brother, Midspn. Sherman L. Levin '43, is now in training at the USNR Midshipman's School, Tower Court, Chicago, They are the sons of David S. Levin, 4146 Zenith Avenue S., Minneapolis.

### From the Late Mail

#### In Hawaii

Gentlemen:

It may be that you would care to put an item in the Minnesota Alumnus on the number of Minnesota people who are connected with the University of Hawaii. I give their degree records and their positions in the University of Hawaii, Honolulu.

Fred E. Armstrong '21MS, and graduate work, 1932-33; Professor of Agricultural Education.

J. H. Beaumont '25Ph.D.; Director of the Hawaiian Agricultural Experiment Station.

Arthur P. Bouvier '21; '43Ph.D.; Assistant Professor of English.

Robert C. Brasted, undergraduate work in 1933; Instructor in Chemistry.

Walter Carter '24MS; '28Ph.D.; Entomologist of the Pineapple Research Institute—allied with the University of Hawaii.

Harry Collins '12, Associate Pro-

fessor of English.

Christopher J. Hamre, research work in 1935; Professor of Zoology.

J. Walter Hendrix, graduate work, 1940-43; Assistant Pathologist in Truck Crops.

Frederick G. Holdaway '28Ph.D.;

Entomologist,

Gregg M. Sinclair '12; President,

University of Hawaii.

Fred W. Wagner, undergraduate work, 1925-26; Lecturer in Economics.

Marian Weaver '31; Instructor in Home Economics.

Ruth Yoshida, now doing graduate work in the University of Minne-

Genevieve Arnold '36MA; graduate work, 1942-43; Instructor in English, should be here but has been delayed by transportation difficulties.

Gregg M. Sinclair '12, President, University of Hawaii

#### In North Africa

Dear Editor:

I have been receiving the Minnesota alumni magazine ever since I finished school in 1930, but you never appreciate it as much as you do over here. I have been overseas nine months and I eagerly await the magazine to read about the student activities, news of the alumni all over the world, and news of the Minnesota football team.

While working for the Commodity Credit Corporation in Minneapolis before entering the Army in April, 1942, I had a chance to see the football and basketball games in person. I am looking forward to the time when I can be back in Minneapolis to enjoy those Minnesota games again.

Sgt. Ellsworth S. Erickson '30,

North Africa

#### Minnesota General

Dear Editor:

Here I am way out in Oregon, but there are many other Gophers out here and they have made themselves known even more than before, during the football season. Even though defeated this year, Minnesota is recognized as a mighty football power and will always be reckoned with.

This is to notify you of a slight change in your stencil of my address. Please change the Lieutenant to Captain. The rest of the address remains the same. I can assure you that the Minnesota Alumnus is welcome out here in one of the greatest training centers in the U. S.

I am still commanding a howitzer battery in the famed Trailblazer division headed by Minnesota's own Maj. General John E. Dahlquist '18. The winter season has set in here and most of us Minnesotans wish we had snow rather than rain.

Captain Everett G. Sherman '41B Camp Adair, Oregon

#### Valued Training

Dear Editor:

I received, with interest, a copy of the Minnesota News Letter, and was very glad to hear about the student life back on the campus. After having attended the "U" when it had an enrollment of 15,000 students, it's hard to imagine what the place must be like with a civilian registration of only 7,000.

I was one of the original "Mysterious Eleven" called to active duty from the ERC last February, and since that time, four of us who were assigned to the Anti-aircraft Artil-

lery have received commissions in the AUS.

At the time of my induction I was a junior in chemical engineering and a member of the Advanced Corps, ROTC. The technical training I received at Minnesota has, since then, proved extremely useful to me as AAA consists of such materiel as Radar, directors and other fire control instruments which are based primarily on the practical application of mathematical, mechanical and electrical principles.

Since the degree of training of any unit is reflected in its success or failure in combat, and the lives of its men rest in the judgment and knowledge of its officers, I can say from experience that life in a training center is no easy job but a continuous striving for a high degree of coordination between men and materiel.

Lt. Eugene E. Morath, Jr. '44IT, Camp Haan, California

#### Enjoys Campus News

Dear Editor:

I appreciate receiving the Minnesota Alumnus. It brings to light much information about the old, familiar campus. Thanks very much. At present I'm stationed at the Army Air Base, Sioux City, Iowa, where I'm a Celestial Navigation Trainer Operator. Thanks again for the magazine—and the best of luck to you for continued success in its publication.

Cpl. Robert Morris '43, Sioux City, Iowa

#### Cover Picture

Dear Editor:

My young son, who is in Santa Ana, Calif., now, has just sent me the cover of the October issue of the Minnesota Alumnus, which shows a scene in the Main Lounge of Coffman Union during a lunch hour. My son (a soldier in uniform) is playing the piano and both his father and I are so thrilled with it, as are his buddies, and I am wondering if you might either send us a picture, or a negative that we might have a good picture made.

He so loved the University of Minnesota, and it will always remain a most treasured memory of his life.

> Mrs. E. E. Worrell, Milwaukee, Wis.

# Annual Report of General Alumni Association

MINUTES OF THE MEETING
of the
BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
GENERAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION
Tuesday, October 5, 1943
Coffman Memorial Union

Members present: President Palmer presiding; Mrs. Fink, Messrs, Aurand, Earl, Fruen, Immer, Michener, Netz, Parker, Peck Pierce, Safford, Tupa, Ueland, and Wallace. Others present: Mr. Gibson, editor of the Minnesota Alumnus and Mr. Lunden, Comptroller of the University.

The following items of business were presented for discussion and action was taken as indicated.

 Minutes of the meeting of March 11, 1943.—It was voted that these minutes be approved without reading.

2. Report of the nominating committee.—The nominating committee, consisting of Messrs. Thom, Tupa and Safford, reported through Mr. Safford the nomination of the following officers: President, Dr. George Earl '06 '09Md; vice-president, Ralph B. Beal '18; Treasurer, Arnulf Ueland '17; secretary, E. B. Pierce '04. Voted that the report be approved.

3. Auditor's report and manager's forecast .- Mr. Gibson presented the report of the auditors, Albers, Stebbing and Christensen, for the year ended June 30, 1943, and commented on it. The principal decrease was in advertising which was \$1,165.00 less than for the year before. Mr. Gibson predicted a step up in advertising for the coming year of approximately \$1,500.00. This, coupled with a decrease in printing, postage, and other items would result in a balanced budget for 1943-44. Comments of board members indicated that with proper contacts a number of firms, especially defense industries, might be persuaded to spend considerable sums in good will advertising.

Report of the alumni secretary.
 —The following report of the alumni secretary for the year 1942-43 was read and approved.

To the Board of Directors of the General Alumni Association:

I submit herewith a report on the work of the General Alumni Association for the year 1942-43.



Dr. George Earl '06; '09Md

Alumni President

Alumni Officers. — The officers were Ben W. Palmer, Arts '11, Law '13, president; Dr. George Earl, Arts '06, Medicine '09, vice-president; Arnulf Ueland, Arts '17, treasurer, and E. B. Pierce, Arts '04, secretary.

Alumni Weekly .- A highlight of the year in the publication schedule of the alumni magazine was a change in name and frequency of publication. In April, 1943, the Minnesota Alumni Weekly became the Minnesota Alumnus and the frequency of publication was changed from weekly to monthly. The reader response to the change has been highly favorable. The conversion has made possible a larger and more attractive publication with a more careful selection of editorial content and pictures. Special news emphasis during the year was placed on the developing war program of the university and the activities of alumni in the armed forces. Pictures taken by the Alumnus photographer have won much comment, and prints have been requested for use in numerous general publications, thereby extending the service of the magazine. Copies of the Minnesota Alumnus were sent to all camps and stations in the United States for use in reading rooms and libraries. Notes of appreciation of this and other special services have come from post officers and from individual Minnesota alumni. The circulation showed an increase and the total mailing reached 10,600 per issue. A total of 480 pages was published during the year.

Alumni Advisory Committee.—
This group of selected alumni from outside the Twin Cities has usually met with the Alumni Board and the President of the University at homecoming time and at commencement time. The group did meet in the fall of '42, but the manpower shortage, gasoline shortage and other difficulties made it inadvisable to attempt a June meeting.

Alumni meetings .- Gas rationing and the legislative session reduced materially the number of meetings out in the state. The following meetings were held during the year: September: Law alumni at Grand Forks. Minnesota alumnae at Akron. Ohio; October: Alumni directors, Minneapolis; Omaha; homecoming meetings - alumni advisory committee, journalism alumni, general alumni dinner (Minnesota and Michigan alumni: fiftieth anniversary of football relations between Michigan and Minnesota); November: Philadelphia, M Club, Minneapolis; December: Chicago (annual football dinner), New York City: January: Philadelphia: February: Los Angeles (Minnesota alumni sponsored meeting of Big Ten Club), San Francisco (Minnesota alumni sponsored meeting of Big Ten Club), Philadelphia; March: Mankato, Red Wing, Alumni directors, Minneapolis; April: Fergus Falls; May: Akron, Ohio, Los Angeles, Redwood Falls, Tyler; Monthly meetings of Seattle alumni and Minnesota Alumnae Club.

Alumni Day.-Before the war considerable emphasis was placed on the class reunion program which insured a reunion of each class once in five years. Last spring the quinquennial or five-year classes were those whose numerals end in 3 or 8. No great effort was made to encourage alumni to travel back to the campus and practically all of the publicity was confined to the Twin Cities and the state. The manpower shortage make it impossible to serve dinner in the ball room and the only eating place was the Cafeteria on the ground floor of the Coffman Union. However, the various classes responded graciously to the cafeteria plan and many of the groups had areas screened off in the large dining room

to give a little privacy. The number attending this makeshift dinner was surprisingly large, something over four hundred. The meeting in the ball room at eight o'clock that same evening was also very well attended. A few of the classes met before Friday for their own special programs and a number held afternoon meetings in the Union on Alumni Day.

Alumnae Club. — This group, whose president is Mrs. C. A. Mc-Kinlay '21, entertained the Class of 1893 and preceding classes at a cafeteria luncheon in the Union and then adjourned to the Terrace Dining Room for its very interesting program. Mrs. Estelle Ingold '24,

presided.

The Club is to be commended for its sponsorship of the Institute on Education in a Changing World. which was held in the Center for Continuation Study on May eighth. Educational and cultural problems of vital importance to the present and the future of the nation were discussed by six outstanding speakers. The speakers were President Walter C. Coffey, Wesley E. Peik, Dean of the College of Education; T. R. McConnell, associate dean of the College of Science, Literature, and the Arts; Theodore C. Blegen, dean of the Graduate School; Albert J. Lobb of Rochester, a member of the Board of Regents, and Richard R. Price, director of the General Extension Division.

Congressional Notice.—It is not customary for a class reunion to rate the Congressional Record, but evidently Congressman Everett Dirksen '18, of Illinois deemed the efforts of the Class of 1918 worthy of such recognition, for the Congressional proceedings of June 18 carry the

following:

SECRET WEAPON

Extension of remarks of Hon. Everett M. Dirksen of Illinois in the House of Representatives. Friday, June 18, 1943.

MR. DIRKSEN. Mr. Speaker, recently the class of 1918 of the University of Minnesota held its twenty-fifth anniversary reunion. It was essentially a war class in the First World War and most of its male members saw service in the conflict to make the world safe for democracy. Today, members of that class are witnessing the Second World War. Some members of that same class are in the armed forces. Many have sons who now serve in the cause of freedom.

It was an interesting experience to foregather with those who were on the campus of the University of Minnesota 25 years ago, to observe the impact of time and fortune upon their various personalities,



RALPH B. BEAL Vice-president

and to relive the gracious and sweet experiences of long ago.

Two things happened in the course of that reunion which are worthy of comment. The first was the establishment of a memorial fund in the name of the class of 1918 to aid worthy needy students who require assistance. The other was the popularizing of a sentiment which is eminently worthy of publication in the Congressional Record. It is an objective contribution to the problems and responsibilities on the home front and constitutes a great apostrophe to that one essential spiritual quality which Congress cannot vote, and which dollars cannot buy—the quality of morale. This timely message from the University of Minnesota war class of 1918 to the Nation in this time of global conflict is as follows:

The secret weapon that will win the war and secure the peace.

Congress can't vote it. Dollars won't buy it. It's your job to build it—morale. Put unity into your community. Unity starts with U. To win the war, stop private wars at home, on the job, with the neighbors. Honest apology ends friction—starts teamwork. If we all pull together, we'll all pull through,

Be a rumor-stopper. Rumors help the enemy. Trace the facts. Face the facts. Don't exaggerate. Make your community gossip-proof, smear-proof, panic-proof, fearproof. Every patriot shoots a rumor dead

on sight!

Meet shortage by sharing. Use all of everything. Don't hoard. If everybody cares enough, and everybody shares enough, everybody will have enough. No waste in your icebox, cash box, brain box!

Keep the moral standards of the Nation high. Don't weaken the home front by wangling something for yourself on the side. Dishonesty and indulgence in you saps the Nation's fighting strength. A decent world tomorrow depends on how you live today!

The secret of steadiness and inner strength is on every penny: "In God we

trust."

Telephone wires may be cut, radio stations off the air, but no bombardment can stop us from being directed by God. To listen to God and obey wherever you are is your highest national service!

Class of 1918; twenty-fifth anniversary; University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

Legislative year.—While the Legislature of 1943 did not vote all the appropriations requested by the University, it did express its confidence in President Coffey and the institution by materially increasing the maintenance fund and by approving the construction of the new Aeronautical-Mechanical Engineering Building. It also re-elected the four regents whose terms had expired. Alumni throughout the state, upon the suggestion of President Palmer, were particularly helpful in interviewing the representatives of the various districts in the interests of the University.

Deaths .- The Grim Reaper has made devastating raids among our alumni during the past year. Among those more widely known whose loss is keenly felt are Charles G. Ireys '00, President of Russell Miller Milling Company and former president of the General Alumni Association who died February 19: William Hodson '13, Commissioner of Welfare of New York City, who lost his life when a transport plane came down in Dutch Guiana January 15 while on his way to North Africa on a confidential mission for Herbert Lehmann, director of foreign relief and rehabilitation; David Grimes '19E, vice-president in charge of engineering of the Philco Corporation of Philadelphia, killed in a plane crash near Belfast, Ireland September 4, while abroad to attend a conference upon invitation of British military authorities.

Alumni directory.—The vacancy in the position of directory editor due to the death of Edna Peterson in April was filled by Mrs. Lora Joesting '29HE. This office carries a supplementary war record, including alumni in the army, navy, marines, army air corps, navy air corps, marine air corps, merchant marines, coast guard and Red Cross, with special tabs for those killed or missing.

Archives committee.—This group is functioning actively under the leadership of Ray Jackson '00, A great deal of material has been assembled. Fraternities and individuals have cooperated willingly. The alumni magazine has publicized the project and as a result a quantity of programs, Gophers, letters, pictures, and souvenirs have been sent in. One of

the latest additions which came a few weeks ago was sent by Mrs. Ingerval Olsen, widow of Judge Olsen, and included photographs of all members of the Class of '87, of which he was

a member.

Finances.-One of the reasons that prompted the Board of Directors to substitute the monthly magazine for the Weekly was the economic situation, with printing costs rising and advertising revenue dwindling. The change has been salutary not only in this respect, but in reader interest as well. The Association ended the year in good financial condition with a total of \$3,105.62 in cash on deposit and only \$153.92 in outstanding bills. In spite of a decrease in total revenue, mainly in advertising receipts, there was an increase in net operating profit for the year, the profit being \$719.05. The increase in subscription revenue nearly exactly offset the decrease in advertising. An added item of expense during the year was the free distribution of several hundred copies of each issue of the alumni magazine to the reading rooms of all military camps and stations in the United States. An itemized statement of income and expenses appears in the annual audit report.

E. B. Pierce, Secretary

5. The University's defense program .- Mr. L. L. Lunden, recently appointed comptroller of the University, gave a very comprehensive report on the University's war effort, especially as it pertained to instruction, housing and feeding of trainees in the various army and navy units. He stated that there were between fifteen and twenty such units on the campus, housed in Pioneer Hall, Sanford Hall, USS Battleship Minnesota (old Union), the Stadium, twelve to fifteen fraternity houses, Motley School, the Farm campus, Augsburg College, with Curtiss-Wright cadettes in Shevlin Hall, etc. He pointed out the difficulties arising from the variations in the beginning time of terms of the army and navy units. The army and navy courses do not begin the same time or end the same time and the students involved are taught in classes entirely separate from the civilian classes. The total number of trainees is between four and five thousand, while the number of civilian students is less than seven thousand. Mr. Lunden's report was very informative and interesting. A number of questions were asked and great

interest was expressed in the institution's experiment.

6. Homecoming plans,-The secretary outlined the plan for conducting Open House from four to six in the Men's Lounge following the close of the Purdue-Minnesota game. The Alumnae Club is co-operating in the handling of this affair and the local Purdue alumni unit has a committee at work to insure the attendance of Purdue graduates.

7. Meeting of the Minnesota Alumni Association .- President Palmer declared the adjournment of the General Alumni Association and convened the Minnesota Alumni Association, the holding corporation.

Annual report of the treasurer for the year ended June 30, 1943.-The annual report of the treasurer for the year ended June 30, 1943, was presented by Mr. Ueland. On motion made by Mr. Wallace, seconded, and unanimously passed, the report was accepted and approved. Transactions during the fiscal year included the settlement of the \$1,000 Snelling contract for deed for \$750, which was approved. The officers were also authorized to accept the offer of Albert Collins to pay \$250 cash for the Basham land carried on the books for \$2,032.74. The board expressed its appreciation of Mr. Ueland's work as treasurer.

Election of officers.—It was voted that the officers elected for the General Alumni Association be declared officers of the Minnesota Alumni Association.

Meeting adjourned. E. B. Pierce, Secretary

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Statement of Income and Pr Loss for the Year Ended June 30	
Income:	1949
Advertising	e 500 pc
Subscriptions	
Net Interest from Life	11,503.43
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Homecoming Dinner	201.00
Total Income	\$16.013.90
Expenses and Charges:	d'ania roine
Printing and Engraving	\$ 7.117.62
Salaries	
Extra Help	43.50
Postage	1 198 78
Multigraphing	203.60
Address Plates	223.66
Travel	75.52
Exchange	
Homecoming Dinner	217.00
Audit Fees	
Medals and Prizes	19.84
Photos and Prints	113.28
Alumni Council Dues	25.00
Addresses from American	
Alumni Council	35.00
Senior Dinner-dance	68.51
1943 Gopher	3.75
Flowers	6.50
Equipment Repairs	26.52
Miscellaneous	4.93
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Total Expenses	\$15,294.85

Net Operating Profit ......\$ 719.05

### Alumni Clubs

T THE November meeting of the Minnesota Alumni Club of Seattle it was announced that a total of \$225 had been received for the club's war service fund from 51 contributors. The club has purchased and shipped a piano to an army camp in Alaska and the balance of the fund was given to the Victory Canteen to be applied upon the purchase of Christmas packages to be sent to men at outlying Alaskan posts.

The speaker at the meeting on November 9 at the Seattle Athletic Club was Erwin L. Weber '06EE, of Seattle. Back in 1906, Mr. Weber wrote both the words and music for

the senior class play.

Dean Anderson '32E, of Neenah, Wisconsin, was elected president of the Minnesota Alumni Club of the Fox River Valley at a meeting in Neenah on November 18. The other officers are Fred W. Poppe '11Gr, of Appleton, vice-president, and Mrs. Howard Angermeyer '39, secretary.

The speaker at the meeting was Alumni Secretary E. B. Pierce. Among those present from Neenah, Appleton, Menasha and other nearby communities were Herbert Gaustad '40, and Mrs. Gaustad, Dean Anderson and Mrs. Anderson, Howard B. Palmer '22E, and Mrs. Palmer, Mary S. Malnar '35, Carl G. Bertram '29, and Mrs. Bertram, Muriel De Mars, Mrs. Clark Hook '36HEc, Dr. E. M. Krueger '29Md, Fred W. Poppe '11Gr, and Mrs. Poppe.

Lucille Petterson '37Ed, Roger E. Williams '39E, B. E. Heselton '25Ed. and Mrs. Heselton, William K. Kolb '17, and Mrs. Kolb, Clarence C. Lande '27E, and Mrs. Lande, Hamilton S. Craig '25E, and Mrs. Craig '28Ed, Mrs. Howard J. Angermeyer '39, Laura Levermore, Min C. Smith.

and Clark T. Hook '39CE.

A number of Minnesota alumni had a part in the making of arrangements for a recent meeting of the Minnesota State Society in Washington, D. C. Active in the affairs of the Minnesota State Society is Clifford S. Stephens '23E, who is a for-

mer president of the Minnesota Alumni Club of Washington.

# Minnesota's Roll of Honor

Arnold Reed

Aviation Cadet Arnold Reed '43IT, who was taking advanced training at Williams Field, Arizona, was killed in a plane crash on November 12. Reed received his basic training at La Moore, California, and his primary training at Los Palos, California. He was scheduled to receive his wings and commission on December 5. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Reed of Morristown, Minnesota. Besides his parents he is survived by two brothers and two sisters.

#### David H. Armstrong

Lt. David H. Armstrong '40, son of Mrs. Lucia Armstrong of 811 Hague Avenue, St. Paul, was killed when a four-engined bomber crashed near Wilson Creek, Washington, on November 22. Armstrong was copilot of the plane. Toll of the crash was seven killed while four came down safely in chutes.

#### Donald G. Hinman

Lt. Donald G. Hinman '42Ex. Army pilot, was killed on December 4 in an airplane accident at Liberty Field. Camp Stewart, Ga. He had received his wings in the Army Air Forces at Frederick, Oklahoma, on November 3. Lt. Hinman entered the University from West high school in Minneapolis and was well known in golfing and bowling activities in Minneapolis. He was a member of St. Andrews Lutheran church, Country club and the Meadowbrook Golf club. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Hinman, 5036 Ewing Avenue S., Minneapolis, and a brother, Cpl. Robert A. Hinman, Los Angeles.

#### Missing

Lt. Ernest F. Shelander '43, son of Eric W. Shelander of Northome, Minnesota, was reported missing in action on November 8.

Major William W. Ingenhutt '37, was reported missing in action in the Asiatic area on November 14. He is the son of Mrs. Anthony W. Ingenhutt of 518 Southeast Seventh Street, Minneapolis.



LT. DONALD G. HINMAN

Ensign Theodore Jackson Odell '42, USNR, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Theodore Odell of 2647 Dupont Avenue South, Minneapolis, has been reported missing in the Mediterranean area.

#### Wounded

Lt, Thomas W. Radford '44, son of Thomas C. Radford of 913 Laurel Avenue, St. Paul, was reported wounded in the Mediterranean area on November 16.

#### Awards

The Silver Star for gallantry in action has been awarded posthumously to Capt. Hugh V. Carico '40Gr, who was killed in action in the European area this fall. The award was presented to his widow, Mrs. Joyce H. Carico of Jackson, Minnesota, in a ceremony at Fort Snelling on December 4.

The Distinguished Service Cross has been awarded posthumously to Lt. John W. Watson '44L, of Minneapolis for heroism displayed November 12, 1942, when he lost his life while rescuing wounded men from the army transport Joseph Hewes, which was torpedoed and sunk in Rabat harbor during the invasion of North Africa. A month after he was killed, a body identified as his by engraved shoulder bars and a Beta

Theta Pi fraternity ring, was found on the shore in Cadiz province in Spain, apparently having drifted 300 miles from Morocco.

Letters paying tribute to Lt. Watson's gallantry have been received by his father, William E. G. Watson, Minneapolis attorney, from General George C. Marshall, chief of staff, Captain Herbert P. Flanders, executive officer of the coast artillery antiaircraft battalion in which Watson was an officer, and others.

Lt. Edgar M. Jaeger '21, has been awarded a silver star for conspicuous gallantry in action against the enemy. As commanding officer of a landing flotilla in the Solomon Islands area April 7, when United States shipping was attacked by Japanese aircraft, Lt. Jaeger organized a rescue party which saved the lives of twelve men. The citation accompanying the reward received by Mrs. Jaeger, said Jaeger dived overboard at great risk to his own life to rescue an injured man who could not reach the rescue boat. He was formerly affiliated with the Northwestern National Bank and headed the Minneapolis branch of the committee to defend America by aiding the Allies, before the outbreak of the war. He is the son of the late Mr. '00Ex, and Mrs. Luth Jaeger. He was a naval officer in World War I and offered his services to the navy the day after Pearl Harbor.

Lt. Louis W. Nelson '43Ex, air corps bombardier, a veteran of 25 missions over Europe, has received the Distinguished Flying Cross and air medals with three oak leaf clusters. This month, he was home on leave for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis N. Nelson, 4002 Bryant Avenue S., Minneapolis. In a raid on Schweinfurt, Germany, his Fortress had trouble returning to base when the ship was hit and the oxygen feed pipes were broken. The last two motors gave out on the return trip when they were 10 miles from the airport but they glided in to a crash landing.

Lt. Chalmer W. Gustafson '41Ag, of Duluth, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "extraordinary achievement as bombardier-navigator of a B-25 airplane July 26, 1943, in the Solomon Islands area." While on a mission he sighted a force of three enemy combat vessels and in spite of a curtain of fire from the ships, the attack resulted in

one enemy vessel sunk and two damaged. He is in the army 13th air force.

Also commended for meritorious service in connection with the operations of the army 13th air force in the South Pacific recently was Lt. Fred W. Curle '43Ex, of 5025 Gladstone Avenue S., Minneapolis. He received the air medal.

#### Escape

For the third time in less than a year, Lt. Philip P. Phillips, Jr. '42, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip P. Phillips of 910 Kenwood Parkway, Minneapolis, has cheated death in aerial action over Europe. Reported missing in action since August 1, Lt. Phillips now is safe in England, his parents learned recently. Lt. Phillips was reported missing after he had participated in the attack on the Ploesti oil refineries in Rumania on August 1. He was a navigator on a Liberator bomber. He was awarded the distinguished flying cross.

Lt. Phillips had his first narrow escape from death in March when he was wounded by gunfire while returning from a raid over Europe. He then was hospitalized in England. Two months later, in May, after he had recovered and rejoined his squadron, he escaped death again when he was forced with the rest of the crew of his bomber to bail out over England.

#### Ammunition

Col. Ward E. Becker '17, of Virginia, has returned from North Africa where he was on duty with an Army Ordnance base section from December, 1942, to September, 1943. He was awarded the Legion of Merit for "exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services." Col. Becker is now serving as a supply expert on the War Department General Staff in Washington.

Fire was a constant hazard at all Ordnance ammunition dumps in North Africa and Col. Becker found that light and medium tanks were extremely effective in fighting fires. During the Tunisian campaign, fire started at a large ammunition dump where he was serving as Ordnance officer in a base section which supplied the American Second Corps. Two thousand tons exploded, principally as a result of white-hot frag-

ments of metal flying distances of 400 yards and firing other piles of ammunition, but the bulk of the ammunition was saved through the use of tanks.

Tanks would enter the fire zone and form a protective barricade around individual piles of ammunition while Ordnance crews moved the protected ammunition to safe areas. Col. Becker also discovered that light and medium tanks were also effective in fighting grass fires by running back and forth across the burning grass and stubble to extinguish the flames. He believes that Ordnance troops saved ammunition to the value of millions of dollars as a result of vigilance and prompt action in putting out fires which were started by the terrific heat of the African sun.

#### Service Notes

Lt. (jg) Newt Loken '42, former Gopher rooter king and champion gymnast, is still on the staff of the Naval Pre-flight Training School at Iowa City. He paid the campus a visit on November 27, the day of the Minnesota-Seahawk football game.

Lt. Comdr. Leslie Seebach '38Md, has returned to the United States following two years of service as a Naval flight surgeon in the Southwest Pacific. He has been assigned to new duties at the Naval Air Station, Detroit, Michigan. He is a former member of the Union Board of Governors.



Lt. Wallace C. Tunberg '42GC, of Thief River Falls, completed his training as a fighter pilot in the Army Air Forces at Moore Field, Mission, Texas, on December 5,

Ensign L. R. Corcoran '43, was a December visitor in the Alumni Office in Coffman Union. He had recently returned from a period of service overseas. . . . Ensign Verne V. Wolcott '42, is on duty in the Alaska area.

Lt. William Cunningham '42, USMCR, who was commissioned at Quantico in July of this year, is now at San Diego following a period of study at the Pratt and Whitney Ground School at Hartford, Conn.

Capt. Donald I. Bryan '41Md, Army Medical Corps, who has been in service since completing his internship at Eloise, Michigan, in July, 1942, is now overseas.

Donald L. Sherer '39, who was recently commissioned a 2nd lieutenant on graduating from Transportation Corps Officers Candidates School, has reported at Fort Mason, California, for duty at the San Francisco Port of Embarkation. He enlisted in the Army in June, 1942. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Carl Sherer of Howard Lake.

Arnt M. Aune '40Ag, received his silver wings as an aerial navigator and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces at graduation exercises at Hondo, Texas, in November. He is a son of Mrs. Alida Aune of Starbuck.

Lt. Col. Donald C. Collins '32Gr, of the Army Medical Corps, is now overseas. . . . Robert G. Turnbull '39, an Army Chaplain, is in service overseas. . . . Lt. Bruce A. Erickson '39L, is assigned to the Army Specialized Training Program and at present is company commander of dental students attending the Temple University School of Dentistry in Philadelphia.

#### Navy

Ensign E. Randall Backlund '42, USNR, is in training at the Navy Supply School, Harvard University. . . . On December 9, Howard W. Mithun '36, was commissioned a lieutenant (j.g.) in the U. S. Naval Reserve at the Boston Office of Naval Officer Procurement. . . . Ensign Frank Galbraith, Jr. '43IT, is now attending school in the Navy Yard, Washington, D. C. His address is 3223 Gainesville Street S. E., Washington 20, D. C. . . . Lt. William B. Martin '42Md, USNR, is serving with the Pacific Fleet.

### Minnesotans in Uniform



#### Alumni War Records

NCLUDED in this department is information about Minnesota alumni in service which has been received recently in the office of the Minnesota Alumnus and the Alumni Records office. It is not intended as a directory of former students of the University in uniform but is a continuation of the lists which have appeared in preceding issues of the magazine.

Additional news items about Minnesota men and women in the armed forces are to be found in the class note section and elsewhere in the

magazine.

The Minnesota Alumnus is anxious to receive information about all graduates and former students of the University who are now serving in the armed forces of the nation and in auxiliary organizations. This information becomes a part of the permanent Alumni War Records file being kept in the Alumni Records office.

Donald C. Rogers '27L, Judge Adv. Gen. Dept., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Clarke Horace Barnacle '28: '30Md, Lt. Col., Army Med. Corps, Fitzsimmons Gen. Hosp., Denver.

Paul John Kohanik '29, 1st Lieut., Army Adjutant Gen. Dept., Camp Ellis, Ill.

Thurwin V. Dreveskraft '29B, Lieut., USNR, Naval Air Station, Manteo, N. C.

Edmund B. Abbott '30, 1st Lieut., AAF Flight Control Center, 5036 W. 63rd St., Chicago.

Alwin J. Darkow '30, Lieut., over-

Frances C. Hyde '31Ed, Ensign. Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn.

Wally L. Taft '31, USN, overseas. Milton Gershin '31L, Pfc, Military Police, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Myrtle J. Anderson '31, USNR, Midshipmen's School, Northampton,

John A. O'Leary '32, Capt., Army Air Corps, Gulfport Field, Tex.

Gustav Svendsen '32D, Capt., USA, Dental Corps, overseas.

Chesley F. Carlson '32, 2nd Lieut., Ft. Benning, Ga.

David B. Anderson '32; '39Gr; '42ArchE, Lieut. (jg), commissioned Minneapolis.

John Chadbourn Stickney '32, Lieut. (j.g.), commissioned Minne-

apolis.

Margaret Gadacz '33, physiotherapist, Station Hospital, Ft. Monroe,

Clifford C. Hawkins '33, 2nd Lieut., commissioned at Camp Lee,

Helen Filbert '34, head physiotherapist aide, Gallinger Hospital, Washington, D. C.

Edward J. Farrell '35, Lieut., USNR, Phys. Ed. Instructor, Wold-Chamberlain Field, Minneapolis.



Lt. Burton M. Joseph '42, of Minneapolis, completed his training as a fighter pilot in the Army Air Forces at Aloe Field, Victoria, Texas, on December 5.

Bertil W. Ekstrom '35, Capt., War Bond Dept., USA, 336 W. Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

Burton Ward Thompson '35EE, Major, Air Command, overseas.

Hortense Boutell '35Ex, Capt., WAC, North Africa.

John F. Ring '36B, Lieut., Finance Officer, McChord Field, Wash.

John Wm. McHugh '36, 2nd Lieut., Army Med. Admin. Corps, Camp Barkeley, Tex.

John S. Evans '36AA, Lt. Col., South Pacific area.

Lester W. Anderson '37, T. Sgt., Camp Swift, Tex.

Henry S. Blacker '37L, 2nd Lieut., Army Air Corps, Avon Pk. Bombing Range, Fla.

Robert L. O'Brien '37, 2nd Lieut.,

Camp Fannin, Tex.

Lester Waldemar Anderson '37, Lt. Col. Excelsior.

Wayne Rorvig Anderson '38, Lieut., Ft. Ord, Calif.

William Peter Berzak '38; '40L, U. S. Army, A. G. D., Reception Center, Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Paul S. Prevey '38, Capt., U. S. Army, Camp Maxey, Tex.

Julian DeHart Serrill, Jr. '38, 2nd Lieut., USMCR, overseas.

Sidney Forbes Becker '38, Lieut. (j.g.), Naval Hospital, Great Lakes,

Clifford H. Bakken '38, Capt., Pomona, Calif.

Curtis Lorraine Erickson '38, 2nd Lieut., Camp Barkeley, Tex.

Robert P. Brown '38, Lieut. (j.g.), flight instructor, Wold-Chamberlain Field, Minneapolis.

Charles S. Benson '39, Ensign, Rm. 511, Hollywood Beach Hotel, Hollywood, Fla.

John Roger Asplin '39, Lieut., Army Med. Admin. Corps, Camp Barkeley, Tex.

George J. Biederman '39D, Lieut. (j.g.), USNTS, San Diego, Calif.

Esserie L. Robinson '39B, Army Air Corps, Santa Ana, Calif.

Oscar Siegel '39B, 2nd Lieut., in South Pacific.

Robert G. Olson '39, radio tech., 1/C. Overseas. Home: 4612 Casco, Minneapolis.

William C. Kueffner '39Ag, 2nd Lieut., USA, Medical Admin., Camp Claibourne, La.

Beatrice M. Swanson '39, AS, USNR, Northampton, Mass.

Donald H. Overholt '39F, 2nd Lieut., Camp Barkeley, Tex.

'39L, Lieut. James N. Ravlin (i.g.), USNR, overseas.

Margaret F. Buckle '39B, USNR, Midshipmen's School, Northampton,

Robert D. Watson '39B, Ensign, USNR, ground school instructor, Wold-Chamberlain Field, MinneapoRussell L. Deputy '39B, Ensign,

aircraft carrier at sea.

Nancy Cassidy '39, physiotherapist, Station Hospital, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Robert A. Robbins '40, pilot, U. S. Army Air Corps, Langley Field, Va. Harold Norman Renstrom '40Ag, Medical Det., Camp Adair, Ore.

Isaac Oliver Peterson '40Ed, overseas. Home: 12904 Elm, Blue Island,

Richard W. Jensen '40B, Capt.,

USMC, overseas. Vincent J. McNamara '40Ed, En-

sign, USN, overseas.

Cecil M. Rhodes '40CE, Lieut. (j.g.), engineer, overseas.

Roger Jerome Rhorer '40Gr, Major. Med. Corps, Midland, Tex. Inno Joseph Rieland '40Phm, 50th

Gen. Hosp., Colorado Springs, Col. Charles W. Roberts '40, Lieut.,

USN. overseas.

Gilbert Rochlin '40B, Sgt., Alaskan

Donald George Schein '40, Pvt., Signal Corps, North African area.

Merlin James Rost '40Ag, USCG.

Home: Lakefield, Minn.

'40Gr, Lieut. Otto A. Poirier (j.g.), 2860 Observatory Road, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Earl Stephen Rosar '40Gr, Lieut.,

Sheppard Field, Tex.

Ralph Ernst Rundell '40, Lieut., Tonopah, Nev.

Walter Ralph Schulman '40B, Cpl.,

AAF, Amarillo, Tex.

Marjorie A. Sappington '40, Red Cross, 1709 Washington Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Phillip H. Teeter '40IT, Lieut., USS Bennion Detail, Bldg. 34, Navy Yard, Boston, Mass.

Dorothy Elliott '40N, Lieut., nurse,

North African area.

Willard J. Russell '40B, Naval Air Forces, Richmond, Fla.

William Frederick Thompson '40EE, Major, overseas.

George B. Serrill '40B, 2nd Lieut., Morris Field, Charlotte, N. C.

Owen Robert Opdahl '40B, Capt., USA, Foster Field, Tex.

Donald Arthur Randall '40, Ensign, USNR, Norfolk, Va.

Richard J. Lang '40, 2nd Lieut., Ft. Benning, Ga.

Juel H. Belsaas '40CE; '42Gr, Ensign, Minneapolis Naval Officer Procurement Office.

Ralph J. Strom '40Gr, Lieut., Personnel Research Section, A.G.O., 270 Madison Ave., N. Y.

Elinor J. Benson '41, Lieut., 29th Gen. Hosp., overseas.

Marshall R. Nelson '41F, Ensign, instructor, Wold-Chamberlain Field, Minneapolis.

Clarence G. Frame '41, Lieut., USNR, overseas.



Ralph J. Doty, Ir. '42AeroE, received his wings and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army Air Forces at Stockton Field, California, on December 5. Before going to a new assignment he spent several days with his parents at 1484 Arona Street, St. Paul.

Warren Wrede Petersmeyer '41ME, Lieut. (j.g.), Staff, NAS. Alameda, Calif.

Robert Charles Peterson '41B, USA, Venice, Fla.

Robert Winton Pettersen '41, Air Corps, Los Vegas, Nev.

Paul C. Polmantier '41Ph.D., Ensign, USNR, San Francisco, Calif.

Victor Morgan Powell '41, Army Air Corps. Home: Ceylon, Minn.

Wallace Z. Rixe '41B, Cpl, overseas. Home: Graceville, Minn.

William B. Rohan '41, Ensign, 611 Red Gate Ave., Norfolk, Va.

Edward H. Russell '41B, Sgt., Pueblo, Col.

Thomas Michael Salmen '41UC, Ensign, Naval Armory, Toledo, Ohio.

George W. Sandell '41, Ensign, Ft. Schuyler, New York, N. Y.

Edmund Scheibe '41AgSc, Lieut. Has been in Alaskan area.

Margaret E. Muir '41Ed. USMC. Women's Reserve Barracks, Marine Corps Base, San Diego, Calif.

Henry Robinson Santo '41, 1st Lieut., Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

Charles L. Schneider '41AgSc, Lieut.. overseas.

Eben Martin Finger '41ChE; '41B, 2nd Lieut. Army Air Crew. Commissioned at Yale University.

Lloyd E. Homme '41, 1st Lieut.,

Camp Edwards, Mass.

William D. Regan '41L, Lieut. (j.g.), air station, Jacksonville, Fla. Esther Haapanen '41, USNR, Midshipmen's School, Northampton, Mass.

Jerald Edwin Rosen '41Ed, Sgt., Army Air Corps, Lakeland, Fla.

Dr. David I. Rutledge '41Gr, 182nd Gen. Hosp., New Orleans, La.

Charles William Schultz '41Ed, Lieut.. Pre-flight School, Del Monte,

Roland J. Schumacher '41Ed, Pvt., Camp Roberts, Calif.

Robert A. Saeks '41AA, U. S. Army. Home: 311 East Fifth St.,

Harold T. Sanden '41Ag, Army Air Forces. Home: 110 West George St., St. Paul.

John F. Scharnke '41, 2nd Lieut., USA, Port of Embarkation, Army Post Office, NYC.

Roy Wallace Robert '41Ph.D., 1st Lieut., USA, Ft. Clark, Tex.

Howard R. Sacks '41, 2nd Lieut., QMC, USA. Home: 3315 Jones St., Sioux City, Iowa.

Verl William Rollings '41 AgEd, Pfc, Veterinary Corps, Army Med. Center, Washington, D. C.

Herbert Levi Schauer '41B; '41EE,

Lieut. (j.g.), overseas.

Thomas M. Riley '41Ed, Ensign, USNR. Home: 2700 Kipling, St. Louis Park, Minn.

Milner L. Andrews '41F, Lieut., Naval Air Forces, instructor at Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Robert Jacobson '41IT, Capt., Italian area.

Glen Parker Powrie '41L, Lieut., overseas.

Harold E. Porte '41, Lieut. (j.g.),

Cortland M. Blomstrand '41, 2nd Lieut., Army Air Forces, Kirkland Field, N. M.

Robert Francis Schenk '41Phm,

USNR, San Bruno, Calif. Richard Lebens '41IT, Lieut.,

Army Electronics Train. Center, Harvard Univ. Address: 18 Winthrop Hall, 1 St. John's Road, Cambridge, 38, Mass.

Frank H. Learned '42, Ensign, USN, Corpus Christi, Tex.

Dorothy Nelson '42Ed, Cpl., USMC, Air Station, Cherry Point,

Robert W. Worcester '42, Marine Air Station, Cherry Point, N. C.

Bernard K. Mulrennan '42, 2nd Lieut., Army Qtmts. Corps, Camp Lee, Va.

Philip E. Nutting '42Ex, Pvt., USMC, Marine Barracks, Paris Island, S. C.

Kenneth L. Block '42B, S/Sgt., Chanute Field, Rantoul, Ill.

Dick A. Dobrick '42, 2nd Lieut., Adjutant General's School, Ft. Washington. Md.

Mildred P. Lindholm '42N, 56th

Gen. Hosp., overseas.

William Albert Sittko '42D, Lieut.,

Richard P. Wolff '42, 1st Lieut., in Southwest Pacific.

Robert E. Dittrich '42, Flight Officer, Mather Field, Calif.

Walter W. Erickson '42, Sgt., over-

William G. Waller '43, Army Air Corps, Goldsboro, N. C.

Harvey E. Djerf '43, Cpl., AAATC,

mp Haan, Calif.

Lowell O. Nelson '43, Cpl., AATC, Camp Stewart, Ga.

C. Keith Hansen '43B, V-7, USNR Midshipmen's School, Notre Dame Univ., So. Bend, Ind.

Robert N. Pederson '43B, Midshipmen's School, Harvard Univ., Bos-

B. Levore Garnaas '43, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

John F. Bicanish '43, Pvt., Marines, Parris Island, S. C.

Edward J. Trumper '43, Pvt., Ma-

rines, Parris Island, S. C. Robert A. Solheim '43, Pvt.,

USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

David W. French '43F. 2nd Lieut., CAC, Camp Stewart, Ga.

Lowell B. Nelson '43, ROTC, SCU, Univ. of Minn.

Saul Jave Niefeld '43, Cpl., ASTP, Columbia, Mo.

Ormonde J. Frison '43, 2nd Lieut., AAF, Central Flying Training Command, Tex.

James Oliver Juntilla '43, 2nd Lieut., Craig Field, Ala.

Glenn E. Rinker '43, 2nd Lieut., Freeman Field, Ind.

Ralph L. Severson '43IT, 2nd

Lieut., Marine Corps, Quantico, Va. Franklin C. Larimore '43IT, Ensign, commissioned at Pensacola, Fla.

William M. Turner '43, Ensign, Corpus Christi, Tex.

Commissioned as Ensigns at Northwestern Univ.: Ralph B. Bersell '43, Edwing C. Braman '43UC, John W. Bystrom '43, John N. Clausen '43Ed, Donald G. Hackett '43Ed. Maurice A. Hessian '43L, Dale W. Johnson '43B, Paul O, Johnson '43L, Gove Laybourn '43, Arthur W. Lind '43Ed, Irving Palm '43, Cortland Peterson '43, Luther M. Roseland '43, Dirk P. Ten Brinke '43Ed, Ross Thorfinson '43L, Arnulf Ueland '43, Robert Van Valkenburg '43Ag and Lee B. Winner '43Ag.

Charlotte Anderson '43, USNR, Midshipmen's School, Northampton,

Mass.

John R. Anderson '43, Navy Air Corps, Depauw Univ., Greencastle,

Robert G. Gibson '44, USMC. Home: 12 Sheridan Ave. S., Minneapolis.

David F. French '44, Lieut., Camp

Stewart, Ga.

Mark O'Malley '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Leo Vernon Lois '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

John R. Lane '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.



Lt. Robert L. Schaper '43IT Ex. completed his training as a bomber pilot in the Army Air Forces at Lubbock, Texas, on December 5. His home is in Minneapolis.

Robert G. Johnson '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Nestor A. Engh '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Donald E. Swisher '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Sidney F. Smith '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Jack W. Roddy '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Ray Sanderson '44, Pvt., USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Robert I. Janssen '44UC, USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

Douglas H. Anderson '44IT, Aviation Cadet, Glendale, Calif.

Warren G. Christianson '44B. USMCR, Parris Island, S. C.

George Robert Benton '44, 2nd Lieut., AAF, Central Flying Training Command, Tex.

Howard H. Gruhlke '44IT, 2nd Lieut., Central Flying Training Command, Tex.

William H. Walker '44IT, Lieut., AAF, Foster Field, Tex.

William H. Wunder '44, Lieut., Central Flying Training Command, Tex.

Merle H. Gorder '44, Ensign, commissioned at Pensacola, Fla.

Sidney Everett Carlson '44, Air Corps, Big Spring, Tex. Gordon E. Lekson '44, Ensign,

Corpus Christi, Tex.

Lee S. Gunlogson '44B, Ensign. Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill. Richard M. Cvert '44, Ensign, Northwestern Univ., Evanston, Ill.

Max Guttman '45, Pfc, USMC, Treasure Island, San Francisco,

Robert S. Hemstad '45, 2nd Lieut., Marine Air Corps, Corpus Christi,

Revnold H. Ristrom '45, 2nd Lieut., Army Air Corps, Childress,

Robert R. Carlson '45, AS, Great Lakes Naval Training School, Great Lakes, Ill.

Charles B. Lane '45, 2nd Lieut., Central Flying Training Command,

Robert H. Parenti '45, 2nd Lieut., Central Flying Training Command,

Phil E. Bassevich '45, pre-flight, Bucknell College, Wilkes-Barre, Pa. William R. Wilson '45, Ensign, Corpus Christi, Tex.

Vera G. Broderson '46, USNR, Midshipmen's School, Northampton, Mass.

Oliver C. Frykholm '46, 2nd Lieut., Camp Davis, N. C.

William H. Grohs '46, Army. Home: 969 Delaware, St. Paul.

Eugene John Kane '46, Army. Home: 3949 36th Ave. S., Minneapolis.

Arthur A. Laatsch '46, Army. Home: Hutchinson, Minn.

Gordon Lynn McKinlay '46, Navy V-12, Univ. of Minn., Minneapolis. Thomas B. Streissguth '46, Navy

V-12. Fulton, Mo.

Richardson L. Thomas '46, Army. Home: 5040 First Ave. S., Minneapolis.

Peter Vicento '46, Navy Seabees, Home: 4543 Knox Ave. N., Minne-

apolis.

John Arthur Watkins '46, Navy V-12. Home: Carlton, Minn,

Edwin Fulton Pegelow '46, 2nd

Lieut., Camp Davis, N. C.

Donald Olson '46, Cadet, ASTP. University, Ala. Home: 4612 Casco Ave., Minneapolis.

David Brewer Olson '46, Pfc. Hunters Field, Ga. Home: 4612 Cas-

co Ave., Minneapolis.

John Alden Roberts '46, Aerial Gunner, USAAF. Home: 3729 48th Ave. S., Minneapolis.

George Ritten '46, Air Corps Band,

Maxton, N. C.

Robert Wm. Bakke '46, Army Air Forces Band, Great Falls, Mont.

Ralph Ernest White, Jr. '46, 2nd Lieut., Cent. Fly. Train. Command, Tex.

#### Promotions

To Major

Emmet Addy '30, at Orlando. Florida, Home: 2405 Bryant Ave. S.. Minneapolis. To Captain

Edward M. Anderson '35Md.

Home: Lamberton.

Theodore W. Buselmeier '39D. Home: Buffalo.

Stanley S. Chunn '28Md. Home: Pipestone.

George W. Drexler '39Md. Home: Long Prairie.

Daniel L. Fink '39Md. University

Hospitals.

Kyle K. Fossum '41B, at Wake Forest, N. C. Home: 4756 Aldrich Ave. S., Minneapolis.

Richard F. Jesberg '39B, in Mediterranean area, Home: 3033 Nineteenth Ave. S., Minneapolis.

Joseph O. Mona '28D. Home: 3708 15th Ave. S., Minneapolis.

Waldemar C. Rasmussen '36Md. Home: Rochester, Minn.

Earl I. Seekins '37. Home: South St. Paul.

Frank W. Veden '36D. Home: Fergus Falls, Minn.

C. F. Wolfgang '36, in England. Home: 5616 11th Ave. S., Minneapolis.

To Naval Lieutenant

Alvin T. Hagen '37F, at Santa



James H. Chalmers Major '41Md, is now stationed at Camp Pickett, Virginia. He entered the Army in July, 1942, was promoted to captaincy on January 1, 1943, and became a major on September 1. Major Chalmers interned at Medical Center, New Jersey, and was married in April, 1942, to Marie Walsh of Goshen, New York.

Ana, Calif. Home: 2212 Buchanan, Minneapolis.

Robert A. Mellin '41B, at Treasure Island, Calif. Home: 2742 Harriet, Minneapolis.

Robert E. Short '44, on an aircraft carrier. Formerly at 2624 Penn Ave. N., Minneapolis.

To Lieutenant (j.g.)

James E. Annett '37E, at New Orleans, La. Home: 2309 Grand Ave., Minneapolis.

To First Lieutenant

Warren E. Soderberg '45, in South Pacific. Home: 5243 Motor, Edina, Minneapolis.

Ralph I. Allison '45, at Ft. Benning, Ga. Home: 3444 Park, Minne-

apolis.

Carroll R. Anderson '38, at Newark, N. J. Home: 3500 Stevens, Minneapolis.

John R. Lewis '41Gr, at Camp Davis, N. C. Home: 3940 Richfield, Minneapolis.

John G. Van Campen '44, marine corps in South Pacific. Home: 227 Pleasant, Minneapolis.

To Staff Sergeant T. R. O'Keefe '37, at Rapid City, S. D. Home: 4502 Moorland, Edina.

Second Lieutenant

Commissions

William A. Schultz '43, at Marfa Field, Texas. Home: 2914 Russell Ave. N., Minneapolis.

John L. Duggan '41, at Miami Beach, Fla. Home: Edina.

James A. Johnson '43. in North Africa, Home: Minneapolis, Rt. 7.

Laurence Radway '41Gr, 756 Curfew. St. Paul.

Earl G. Bengston '41B, at Ft. Washington, Md. Home: 3910 Second Ave. S., Minneapolis.

Ernest W. Lundeen '45, at Camp Davis, N. C. Home: 820 Essex, Min-

Richard R. Chapman '44, at San Marcos, Tex. Home: 2220 Scudder St., St. Paul.

Jean A. Kearby '45, at San Marcos. Tex. Home: 2622 Blaisdell, Minneapolis.

Frederick J. Luhman '40B, at San Marcos, Tex. Home: 916 Washington Ave. S. E., Minneapolis.

Lloyd K. Swiler '42, at San Marcos, Tex. Home: 3327 Emerson Ave. S., Minneapolis,

Paul N. Madison '44IT, at Columbus Field, Miss. Home: 3409 Yosemite. St. Louis Park. Minn.

Karl M. Waldron '43, at Marianna Field, Fla. Home: Interlachen Park, Hopkins, Minn.

Donald C. Taylor '40, at Camp Lee, Va. Home: 1636 Taylor, St. Paul.

Frank T. Sweeney '42. at Corpus Christi, Tex. Formerly of 2199 St. Clair, St. Paul. Ensigns

William E. Bender '42Ed, at Midshipmen's School, New York City. Home: 4701 Twelfth Ave. S., Minneapolis.

Kenneth E. Iverson '43IT, at Midshipmen's School, New York City. Home: 2932 41st Ave. S., Minneapo-

Clinton H. Lostetter '41, at Midshipmen's School, New York City. Home: 4409 Zenith Ave. S., Minne-

George W. Nelson '43IT, at New York Midshipmen's School. Home: 1100 W. Minnehaha Pkwy, Minneapolis.

Richard K. Opland '43IT, at New York Midshipmen's School. Home: 2550 Johnson, Minneapolis.

Ellsworth O. Rood '43IT, at New York Midshipmen's School, Home: 2616 Joppa, St. Louis Park, Minn.

Paul W. Lindskog '45, at Corpus Christi, Tex. Home: 3635 Huntington, St. Louis Park, Minn,

James W. Shean '44, at Corpus Christi, Tex. 4861 14th Ave. S., Minneapolis.

## Remember When?

THE following notes on the campus news of years past were taken from the files of the Minnesota Alumni Weekly.

December, 1903: At the December meeting of the newly-organized Students' Medical Association, papers were presented by A. J. Movius, S. Rosen, W. A. Brand, A. G. Schultz, J. E. Hynes and T. C. Kelly. . . . The annual Spelling Match was held between the freshman and sophomores. . . . A committee appointed to study plans for the incorporation of the graduates of all the colleges of the University in one central alumni association announced that an organization meeting would be held in January. . . . In his all-American football selections, Walter Camp placed two Minnesota players, Fred Schact and Moses Strathern, on the second team.

December, 1913: Clark Shaughnessy and Lorin Solon were Minnesota football players named on all-Western teams. . . . The University Glee Club under the direction of Professor Carlyle Scott started on a concert tour which was to take it as far west as Seattle. The first concert was given at Fargo on December 16. . . . Minnesota's intercollegiate debaters were Dean Campbell, Donald Pomeroy, Harvey Hoshour, Carl Painter, Frank Morse and Raymond Ziesemer. . .

December, 1923: The parade ground area near Folwell Hall was flooded to provide a skating rink for students.... Ted Cox was elected football captain.... Earl Martineau was named on Walter Camp's all-American team, the fourth Minnesotan to be so honored.... Chester D. Salter was named editor-in-chief of the Minnesota Daily.

December, 1933: It was announced that work would soon be started on the second unit of Pioneer Hall, residence for men students. . . . Richard Carlson and Lorraine Andreson had the leading roles in the University Theatre production, "The Taming of the Shrew." . . . Members of the women's debate squad were Emily Stremel, Lucille Lawson, Alberta Haycraft, Gloria Bach, Genevieve Arnold, Edna Hanson, Shirley Pratt and Helen Meyer. . . . An economy dining plan, 17 meals for \$2.50, was offered in the Union cafeteria.



This month the Navy Department announced the promotion of Lieut. Comdr. Chester J. Chastek '18, USNR, to the rank of commander. As Navy liaison officer, Comdr. Chastek is the Washington state occupational advisor on the staff of the state director of Selective Service at Camp Murray, Washington. He is a past president of the Minnesota Alumni Club of Seattle.

# Classes

Brief Notes About Minnesota Alumni

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-1896-

Dr. Andrew A. Stomberg '96Gr, of 2224 Seabury Avenue, Minneapolis, and former head of Minnesota's department of Scandinavian languages, died November 16 at Bethesda hospital, St. Paul, after a short illness. He retired three years ago after having been on the staff of the University for twenty-eight years. Surviving are Mrs. Stomberg and two sons, Dr. Carl '25Md, Seattle, and Dr. Dwight of Oakland, Calif.

-1899-

John A. Hummel '99Ag, special agent for the New England Mutual Life Insurance Company, writes that his son, Joseph O. P. Hummel '26B, an associate professor of industrial engineering at Penn State College, has been given a leave of absence to take a position with the War Production

Board with headquarters in Philadelphia.

State Representative Mabeth Hurd Paige '99L, was confined to St. Mary's hospital November 18 as a result of a fractured hip. She fell near her home at 25 Dell Place, Minneapolis, when she stepped on a snowy patch on the pavement. Mrs. Paige was one of the first three women elected to the state legislature in 1922. She since has represented a Minneapolis district continuously.

—1908—

J. Russell Smith '08; '10L, Winona, Minnesota, lawyer, and Mrs. Smith, have just returned from a month of vacation in Mexico. On their way down they stopped in San Antonio, Texas, where their daughter, Gloria, was married to Sergeant Herbert A. Hassinger of the Signal Corps. Sgt. Hassinger is stationed at Ft. Sam Houston. Jerome Smith, a son, is with the ground forces of the Air Corps and has been in England since April.

Lewis K. Lohn '08L, of Fosston, Minnesota, died on November 15.

-1910-

Dr. Frank R. Keller '10D, of 3920 West Broadway, Robbinsdale, Minnesota, died on Saturday, November 27, following a long illness. Dr. Keller had practiced dentistry in Robbinsdale for the past twenty years. Interment was at the Ft. Snelling National cemetery.

—1911—

Stephen P. McElmell '11, of 615 West Thirty-second Street, Minneapolis, died recently. Services were at the Church of the Incarnation and burial at Resurrection cemetery. McElmell, who had lived in Minneapolis for forty-five years, was an oil equipment dealer. He was well known in basketball circles.

-1912-

Dr. Harold J. Leonard '12D; '15, and Mrs. Leonard (Marion Slater '11Ex), of Pelham, New York, have four sons in the Army. Edwin, a second lieutenant in the Signal Corps, is in Alaska; Judson, a corporal, is teaching at Camp Croft, S. C.; William is in the A.S.T.P. and taking dentistry at Columbia, and Robert, also in the A.S.T.P., is taking engineering at Ypsilanti, Michigan. Dr. Leonard is practicing dentistry half-time in New York and teaching half time at Columbia University. He is secretary of the American Board of Periodontology and chairman of the Pelham District Boy Scouts. Mrs. Leonard is vice-president

of the Pelham League of Women Voters, a director of the Manor Club and a worker in the Control Room of the Pelham Civilian Defense Organization.

#### -1913-

William R. Everett '13EE, died at his home, 3824 Pillsbury Avenue, Minneapolis, on November 22. He was 52. He was born in Waseca, Minnesota, May 13, 1891, and entered the University from the high school in that city. In June 1917 he entered the new Air Service of the U.S. Army and when he went overseas in March, 1918, he was assigned for a period to the Canadian Royal Air Force after being commissioned a first lieutenant. Later he served with the U.S. unit as a supply officer and then was transferred to the Motor Transport Service. He was decorated for outstanding service by the French government.

On September 16, 1919, he was married to Miss Marion Willard of Mankato. For the past 23 years they had lived in Minneapolis. In addition to his wife, he is survived by two sons, Edward and Willard, both in the army, and one daughter, Louise, a student at Vassar College; his mother, Mrs. E. A. Everett, and a sister, Miss Constance Everett.

#### -1917-

A. C. Gerlach '17E, handles mechanical design and construction on Shore Building and Piping Distribution Projects at the Philadelphia Navy Yard and other Naval activities in the vicinity of Philadelphia. He writes that he will welcome calls, personal, phone or letter, from other Minnesotans, either at his office or at his home, 192 Glentay Road, Landsdowne, Pa.

#### -1919-

Major William M. Ingemann '19, prominent St. Paul architect, is executive officer of the Army Air Base, Fort Sumner, New Mexico. Major Ingemann was a pilot in World War I. Before assuming his present assignment he served as commanding officer of two bombardier training squadrons.

Dr. George E. McGeary '19Md, Minneapolis, was elected president of the Minnesota Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology recently.

Other officers named were Dr. Karl Wold '14Md, St. Paul, and Dr. George Constans '17Md, Bismarck, vice-presidents; Dr. William Kennedy '18Md, St. Paul, secretary-treasurer. Council members are Dr. Lawrence Boies and Dr. Walter Camp '15Md, of Minne-



# THEY CALL ME Banker Wilkins

Yep, I'm the new "banker" at our house. You see, Mom and Dad recently started banking by mail at Marquette, and I'm the fella who runs to the mail box everytime we have a bill to pay or a deposit to make. The folks say they'd rather burn up a little of my shoe leather than their gasoline or tires. But I don't mind, because Marquette's Bank-By-Mail Service really saves them a lot of time and trouble. Guess I'll hit 'em for a bigger allowance now!

### MARQUETTE NATIONAL BANK

### Minnesotans to Meet in New York

All Minnesotans in New York are invited to attend a Minnesota party in the Lounge on the 65th floor in the NBC building of Radio City on January 8, from 3:00 to 7:00. The occasion is being sponsored by the Minnesota Alumni Club of New York. From 3:00 to 4:00 the Lounge will be reserved exclusively for Minnesota alumni and Minnesotans are urged to arrive during that hour.

apolis and Dr. Theodore Fritsche '31Md, New Ulm.

-1920-

Dr. Georgine M. Luden '20Ph.D., who was associated with the Mayo Clinic and the Mayo Foundation from 1912 until 1929, died on November 20 in Victoria, British Columbia, She was born in Amsterdam, Holland, in 1875 and received medical degrees from the Ludwig-Maximilian University in Munich and the University of Munich before coming to the United States. She entered the Mayo Clinic as a visiting physician in 1912 and in 1914 became a volunteer in cancer research. From 1923 until 1929 she was an associate in cancer research. Since 1929, she had resided in Victoria and at the outbreak of the war she resumed her work in pathology in the Victoria Hospital.

-1921-

Dr. Allan R. Foss '21Md, of Missoula, Montana, was elected president of the Montana board of medical examiners at a reorganization meeting in Helena on October 5.

-1923-

Dr. Lewis M. Daniel '23Md, of 4111 Linden Hills Boulevard, Minneapolis, died November 23 in Pompano, Florida. Dr. Daniel has been a physician in Minneapolis for the past twenty years and went to Florida for a short rest recently.

-1925-

Miss Luella M. King '25Ed, of 2120 Fifth Avenue South, Minneapolis, was formerly with the United States Indian Service in New Mexico and Juneau, Alaska.

-1927-

Commander Douglas M. Campbell '27, USNR, commanding officer of the United States Naval Air Station at Wold Chamberlain field, Minneapolis, since June 23, 1942, has been transferred to new duties as a member of the staff of the commanding general at San Antonio, Texas.

-1928-

Charles W. Washington '28, has resigned as executive secretary of the Minneapolis Urban League to become director of industrial relations of the Pittsburgh Urban League. He will assume his new duties on January 1. For a period he served with the league in Atlanta, Ga., but since 1932 he has been connected with the organization in the Twin Cities and has been executive secretary in Minneapolis since 1936.

Dr. Harold B. Loughery, a Fellow in Surgery in the Mayo Foundation from October, 1927, to October, 1930, died in Muskegon, Michigan on November 22. He was born in Palestine, Illinois, in 1896 and received his M.D. degree from the University of Illinois in 1922 and was an intern at the Ancker Hospital in St. Paul.

-1930-

Mary Jane Grimes Glemmer '30, is doing office work in an airplane parts manufacturing company in Chatham, New Jersey. Her residence is at 39 Main Street, Chatham.

Dorothy Good '30, has moved from New York City to 15 North Campus Avenue, Oxford, Ohio. She is national registrar for the Alpha Omicron Pi sorority which has just established its office at Oxford.

-1932-

Irene Helland '32Ex, formerly of Mound, Minnesota, is librarian at Hinsdale, Illinois.

Gladys Hubner Margolis '32Ex, is harpist with Erno Rapee's orchestra at Radio City Music Hall, New York City. During the summer months Mrs. Margolis plays with the St. Paul symphony. Her residence is at 16 West Tenth Street, New York City.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Lawrence E. Bates (Marie A. Bukovac '32HE), live at 201 Patuxent Road, Laurel, Maryland. Mrs. Bates has a master's degree from Michigan State College. Mr. Bates is also an alumnus of Michigan State. Prior to their marriage on June 26, Mrs. Bates was director of the Dining Service Department at Temple University in Philadelphia. Lt. Bates is stationed at Ft. George G. Meade.

-1933-

Dorothy Bradt '33Ex, resigned as secretary with the Associated Press and is working as a metallurgist for an airplane manufacturing company in Harrison, New Jersey. She lives at 19 Bank Street, New York City.

-1935-

Captain '35; '39Gr, and Mrs. Lloyd Dreveskracht are living at 3 Washington Avenue, Hartsdale, New York. Capt. Dreveskracht is working on an assignment with an engineering unit in New York City.

C. Gale Patterson '35ChE, and Mrs. Patterson are very proud of their eleven

# Headlines from the Campus News

Several special Christmas events for civilian students and service men on the campus have been planned by Coffman Union. On Christmas day there will be a program for the Army and Navy men with refreshments, singing and a distribution of gifts. . . At the annual Christmas Assembly at University Farm, the annual award of the Little Red Oil Can was made to Jeanne Vollbrecht, Ag education senior from Robbinsdale. The trophy was presented by Dean Henry Schmitz. Miss Vollbrecht is president of the Home Economics association, vice president of Phi Upsilon Omicron and secretary of the Ag Student Council.

The attractive Terrace Room in Coffman Union has been refurnished as a reading and music lounge. Available in the room are newspapers from many cities, magazines and a fine selection of books. . . About 100 students in the medical and dental units of the Army Specialized Training Program on the campus were scheduled to complete their work and receive their commissions as first lieutenants late this month. A group of mechanical and civil engineers and personnel psychologists in the ASTP will also complete their training and be assigned to active duty at the end of December.

A Recognition Assembly in honor of Minnesota students now in service was held in Northrop auditorium on December 7 under the sponsorship of the Student War Efforts Coordinating Committee of which Louise Harris is chairman. . . An epidemic of upper respiratory infections among students and service men at the University early in December made it necessary for the Students Health Service to take over rooms on the third floor of Coffman Union to accommodate an overflow of patients.

Ray Johnson has succeeded Gordon Abrahams as assistant financial adviser to student organizations in the office of the dean of students..., Eugene Andrews and Harry Brenner are the new editors of Technolog, succeeding Jerome Giantvalley, who was graduated this month... The annual Recognition banquet for the football squad was held on December 10 in the Union cafeteria. The event is sponsored by the Senate Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics.

month old son, Garry Joel. Patterson still works as chemical engineer in the technical control department of the Remington Arms Company of Bridgeport. Their residence is at 275 Housatonic Drive, Devon, Connecticut. Other Minnesotans working for Remington Arms in Bridgeport are, Dick Huettl '42ME, Rex Dickey '41ME, and Ed Kiriluk '41ME. Patterson's brother, Richard '39, lives in Milford, Connecticut.

-1937-

Mrs. Douglas A. Kuehn (Audrey Olson '37MdT), is employed by the Ben Venue Laboratories, Inc., Bedford, Ohio. Her husband, Capt. Kuehn '36ME, has been stationed in Iceland since this past July. Mrs. Kuehn's residence is at Fenway Hall, Euclid Avenue at University Circle, Cleveland.

Dr. Paul Reed '37Md, of Rolla, North Dakota, is now engaged in practice at Virginia, Minnesota.

Wilma Sivertson '37, former secretary to Ray Higgins '30C, Coffman Union manager, who is now employed by the Pan American Airways in New York City, lives at 535 East 88th Street, New York. Miss Sivertson is also taking night school courses in personnel at Columbia University.

Capt. Dick Seebach '37Ed, and Mrs. Seebach, announce the birth of a six-pound daughter on November 20. Seebach, former basketball star at Minnesota, is stationed at the Army Air Field, Pratt, Kansas.

#### -1938-

Lt. Bill Culbertson '38Ed, outstanding member of the Minnesota wrestling teams of 1937 and 1938, is stationed at Key Field, Meridian, Mississippi. He was home on leave in November. He was recently married to Beatrice Beldon of Minneapolis.

Orville G. Lundstrom '38Mines, is an Air Combat Intelligence Officer for a Navy bombing squadron overseas. His wife, Marion Johnson Lundstrom '39Ed, resides at 2083 Stanford Avenue, St. Paul. They have a little daughter, Rozanne Sharon, born in St. Paul last April.

#### -1939-

Ensign James A. Lindsay '39IT, formerly of Minneapolis, has been assigned to the Third Naval District, Public Works Office, Brooklyn, New York. Ensign Lindsay received his training at Camp Peary, Virginia, and was commissioned last March. He and Mrs. Lindsay and their small daughter are living in New York. They may



Lt. Roger D. Comer '38, of St. Paul, completed his training as a bomber pilot in the Army Air Forces at Altus Field, Oklahoma, on December 5.

be addressed at 128 Marine Avenue, Brooklyn 9, New York.

Ensign Robert R. Schutz '39AgSc, USNR, has been assigned to the Naval Auxiliary Air Facility, Clatsop County Airport, Astoria, Oregon, as an assistant aerologist. Schutz was commissioned in September, 1942, and received his training as an aerologist at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge. Prior to joining the navy, Ensign Schutz was a junior agricultural statistician with the U.S. D.A. in Sacramento, California.

Lt. Graham G. Smith '39Md, USN, after a year of action aboard the USS Vega in Alaskan and Aleutian waters, has been transferred to the Naval Hospital at Oceanside, California. Although still connected with Oceanside hospital, he is on special training duty in the School of Aviation Medicine at the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Florida, at the present time. He will finish at Pensacola as a flight surgeon. Mrs. Smith and their small daughter are at their home in Carlsbad, California.

#### -1940-

Ensign Milton Laursen '40ME, USNR, and Mrs. Laursen (Lillian Olson '41B), are living at 130 Coral Road, Apt. 249, Vallejo, California. Ensign Laursen, who recently completed his indoctrination course at Princeton University, is now stationed at Mare Island Navy Yard.

Ruth Lois Herrmeyer '40Ex, daughter of Mrs. Hazel Herrmeyer of 515 Delaware Street Southeast, Minneapolis, has arrived safely in Hawaii with the American Red Cross. She is in the personnel division.

-1941-

Lt. Lyle E. Young '41IT, and Mrs. Young (Marguerite Swenson '42Ed), announce the birth of a daughter, Lois Marie, at Dawson, Minnesota. Lt. Young is with the Army Air Corps stationed somewhere in the Southwest Pacific.

Lt. Edmund Scheibe '41AgSc, who has been in foreign service for two years, was home on leave with his parents at 4200 Queen Avenue North, Minneapolis, recently. Lt. Scheibe has been stationed in Alaska and is very enthusiastic about the country. He states the climate is much like that of Minnesota and found the "ol" sourdoughs" an interesting people.

Lyle Edwin Rinehart '41ChE, is research chemical engineer for the Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Company of St. Paul. His residence is at 980 East Third St.

Evelyn Marie Schmitt '41Ed, is English instructor and librarian for the public schools of Winthrop, Minnesota.

Bernice Evelyn Searle '41Gr, is an instructor in the Teachers Training Department of Walla Walla College, Walla Walla, Wash.

Henry C. L. Otto '41ME, estimator in the production engineering department of the Ranger Aircraft Engines of Farmingdale, Long Island, lives at 150 Secatogue Avenue, Farmingdale, L. I., N. Y.

Lt. Milner L. Andrews '41F, naval air pilot, is now an instructor at the aviation base at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. He has served for six months in the Southwest Pacific area.

Lt. Carl V. Ericsson '41IT, of the Army Ordnance Department, who has been on active duty since his graduation from Minnesota, spent a year in service in Hawaii. Ericsson returned to the United States in March, 1943, and was married March 17 to the former Clarise Juel of Canton, South Dakota. Other Minnesotans who were in Hawaii with Lt. Ericsson were Royal Dean '41IT, and Alvin Isaacs '41IT.

Ethel Saari '41AgEd, is teaching in Ada, Minnesota, this year.

-1942-

Capt. James R. Mitchell '42D, of 2101 East 34th Street, Minneapolis, is with the Army Dental Corps stationed in San Antonio, Texas. On November 17 he was married to Miss Hope Lorraine Hutchinson of Providence, Rhode Island, at Fort Snelling, Minnesota.

Ensign Frank H. Learned '42, USN, and Mrs. Learned, announce a baby son born October 21. Ensign Learned is stationed at Corpus Christi, Texas.

Dick Anthony 42, is now with the Army Specialized Training Unit at Yale University taking the Japanese area-language study course. Mrs. Anthony (Adeline Knuth '43B), is with him in New Haven. They were married July 3 at Trinity Church in Durham, North Carolina.

Hermione D. Stewart '42, since graduation from Minnesota, has been working for the civil aeronautics administration in the airway traffic control in Detroit, instructing in a special training school in Chicago, and is now stationed at the control center at Wold-Chamberlain field, Minneapolis.

Pearl C. Niemi '42Ph.D., who entered the University from Duluth, is now on the faculty of Grinnell College at Grinnell, Iowa.

#### -1943-

A march composed by Pvt. Gale Sperry '43, was played by the Reception Center Volunteer band on a radio program from Fort Snelling on November 28. It was composed in honor of Colonel Floyd E. Eller, commanding officer of the Reception Center. On the program over KSTP, Colonel Eller was interviewed by Pfc Kenn Barry '43, writer and producer of the Fort Snelling radio programs.

Phil Akerson '43, has been in Seattle, Washington, for two years, working for Boeing aircraft. He will soon, however, leave for overseas service to supervise repair of planes.

Lawrence Losie '43IT, is working at the Delaware Works of the General Chemical Company and lives at 28 Lawson Avenue, Claymont, Delaware.

Herbert Croom '43Ag, is teaching this year in the School of Agriculture at Morris, Minnesota.

Lt. Charles A. Stewart '43B, enlisted in the U.S. Army in July, 1942. Since that time he has been stationed at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, where he was an instructor, at Ft. Benning, Georgia, where he took his jump training, and at Camp Mackall, North Carolina. He is an instructor at Camp Mackall at the present time. Stewart's home is at 2220 Fairmount, St. Paul.

#### -1944

Lt. Hamilton Chisholm '44IT, has been awarded the distinguished flying cross and the air medal for service in the South Pacific, He recently returned to the United States and was married to the former Doris Bornkamp '43HE. Lt. Chisholm is now an instructor at Pueblo, Colorado.

# ☆ ☆ ☆ Alumni Marriages ☆ ☆ ☆

Lt. Frederick J. Flemming '29D, and Margaret B. Olson, recently in Coeur d'Alene, Idaho.

Thomas C. Norton '31, Quartermaster, and Elizabeth Phelps, recently in Miami,

Marion Cameron Stephens '33, and Lt. Philip Dumaresq Layton on Nov. 27. At home: 823 Laramie St., Alliance, Neb.

Marjorie Walker and Capt. John Douglas Peterson '35ME, recently in Overbrook,

Walter Vincent Downey '36AA, and Ruth C. Eisele, recently. Mrs. Downey at 6305 Lyndale Ave. S., Minneapolis. Downey stationed in Boston, Mass.

Margaret Eileen Barrett '37DH, and Lt. Horace V. Noland on Nov. 13. At home:

Hyland Village Apts., St. Paul.

Marion Shafer '37, and Cpl. Walter F.
Fudro recently at Laguna Beach, Calif.

Lt. Roger E. Joseph '37, and Roslyn M.
Engler '42, on Sept. 4, in Minneapolis.

At home: 2109 Ginger St., Lee Hills, Camp Polk, La.

Jessie Holkko and Dale Hadyn Has-well '38EE; '38B, recently in Minneapolis. Mary Inez Long '38MdT, and Pvt. Arney Naro Ness, recently at Lincoln, Neb.

Louise Thompson and Cpl. William J. Conner '39; '42L, Nov. 3. At home: Gambier, Ohio.

Lt. Thomas Alkire '39EM, and Marjorie Helen Berg '41Ex, recently at Wee Kirk o' the Heather, Glendale, Calif. At home: Corpus Christi, Tex.

Lt. Arnt M. Aune '40AgEd, and Adeline Lorraine Bjerknes, Nov. 17, Bemidji, Minn. Roger T. Westvig '40AeE, and Ann Stanley, recently at Glendale, Calif. At home: Van Nuys, Calif.

Lt. Ann Craigmile '41N; '41Ed, and Capt. Paul Hartley Smalley, recently. At home: Charleston, S. C.

Phyllis Mary Marshall '41Ex, and John Lee Palmer '41, recently. At home: 4736 Upton Ave. So., Minneapolis.

Lt. Donald Nils Larson '41IT, USNR, and June Marie Haase, recently at Christ Episcopal church, Coronado, Calif. At home: Wichita, Kans.

Jean Wright and Lt. Robert J. May '41, at Randolph Field, Tex. At home: 1704 Mardell boulevard, San Antonio.

Thea Bernice Peterson '42HE, and Sgt. Robert H. May recently.

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Lt. John Hughes Griffith '42B, and Betty White on Nov. 6. At home: Plainfield, N. J.

Eleanor Ann Jestrab '42MdT, and Lt. Emory Henry Polsi '42D, recently in Se-

and Mrs. Lindow (Barbara J. Utley '42), who were married July 9, are now living at 239 Prince George St., Annapolis, Maryland.

Ingrid Westen '42Ed, and Richard Skoog '42IT, Sept. 25. At home: Langley Field,

Ensign Vincent Lindstrom '42Ag, and Lillian Zajicek '43HEc, were married on October 20 at Riverside Church in New York City. Ensign Lindstrom completed his training course and was commissioned at Columbia University. They are now residing temporarily in San Francisco, Cal., at the Hotel Maurice, 761 Post Street.

Dorothy Irene Bruce '43Ex, and Woodrow B. Larson on Nov. 1. At home: San Diego, Calif.

Helen Marie Hanson and Cleon A. Tollefsrud '43D, Army ASTU, recently.

Joyce Marie Williams '43, and Robert

E. Van Valkenburg '43Ag, recently. At home: San Diego, Calif. Margaret Bates Bird '43Ed, and Edward

Donald Mosser on Nov. 6, in Shrewsbury,

Betty Jean Bridgford '43, and Lt. Robert E. Orvis '43B, on Nov. 9. Lt. Orvis stationed at Camp Davis, N. C.

Betty Shirk '43, and Robert M. Friedl, USCG, recently at post chapel, Ft. Rob-inson, Neb.

Helen Braden and Ensign John Norman Clausen '43, USNR, Nov. 2, in Minneapolis.

Dorothy Jean O'Donnell '43MdT, and Lt. James C. Blamey, recently in Roches-

ter, N. Y.
Elizabeth Andrews '43Ed, and Wallace
Leland '43IT, Oct. 23, at New Ulm. At
home: New York City.
Virginia Ann Seidl '43Ed, and Aviation
Cadet David E. Thomas '44Ed, recently at
Bonham, Tex. At home: 719 Willow St., Bonham.

Doris Bornkamp '43HE, and Lt. Hamilton Chisholm '44lT, recently in Immanuel Congregational Church, St. Paul. At home: Pueblo, Colo.

June Eloise Larson '43Ex, and Ensign Emerson Harper Larimore, USCG, at Compton, Calif. At home: San Francisco.

Lois Luhman '43Ag, was married to Phillip Reece in Minneapolis on October 9. Mr. Reece also attended the University and is now serving in the Merchant Ma-rine. Their address is 616 Westmount Drive, Los Angeles 46, Calif.

Carmen Barbara Heggen '44, and Lt. J. E. Billings, recently in Minneapolis, At home: Cherry Point, N. C.

Virginia Fisher and Barton Morse '45, on Nov. 3, in Minneapolis. Morse stationed at Camp Kohler, Sacramento, Calif. Mrs. Morse at home at 2456 W. 24th St., Minneapolis.

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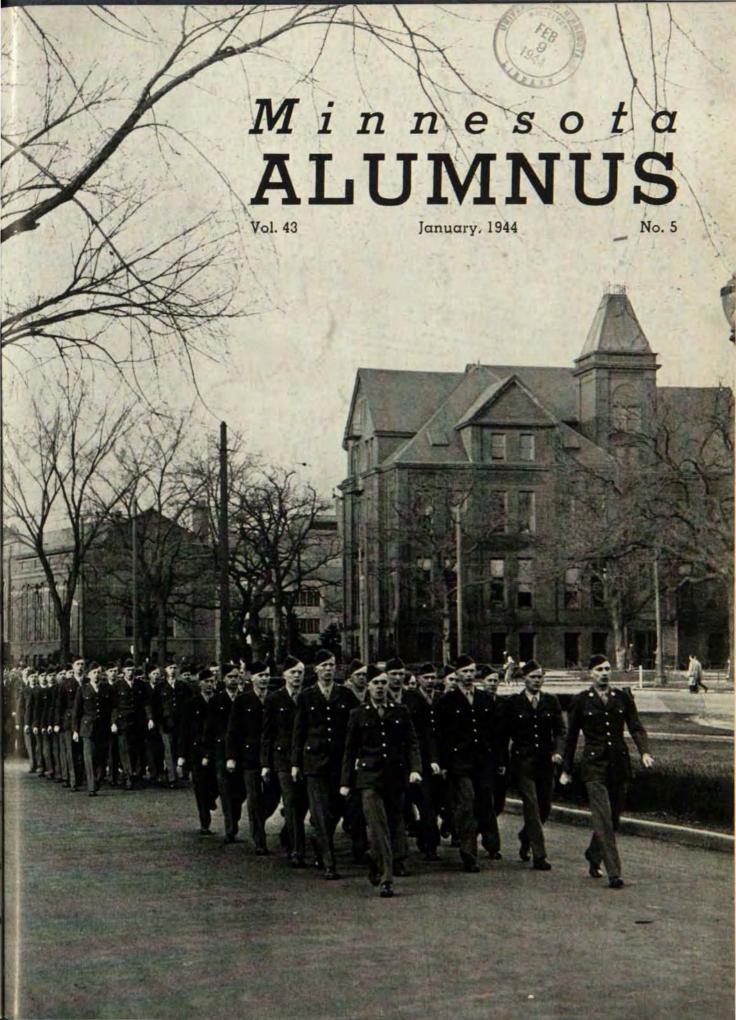
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## Some Opening Remarks

READERS of the Alumnus who have not been in Minnesota during the present winter will probably feel that the picture on the cover of this issue, taken by John McBrady, is definitely out of season. The absence of snow and heavy overcoats doesn't look right for January. Nevertheless, it's the truth. The weather situation has been nearly ideal for the men in the various service training units who do considerable marching from class to class and from barracks to mess halls. It has not been so satisfactory, however, for the student committee in charge of the annual campus Snow Week program. The event has been postponed on account of good weather.

OCCASIONALLY we get letters from subscribers overseas with the complaint that they are not getting their copies of the Minnesota Alumnus. A check of the mailing records quite often reveals that we have not received their overseas addresses and that the magazine is going to their home address. If the parents or other relatives prefer to receive the magazine and then forward it from the home address, that can be done, but the magazine can be sent direct from this office to the subscriber overseas when we have the correct address. We are anxious to have the correct addresses of all alumni and former students in service, not only for the Alumnus mailing list, but also for the complete Alumni War Records file which is being kept in the Alumni Records office.

AS NOTED elsewhere in this issue, this month marks the fortieth anniversary of the meeting at which the constitution of the General Alumni Association was adopted. Some of the men who had a part in the charter organization of the association in 1904 are still active in the affairs of the alumni association and the University. The alumni magazine, the Minnesota Alumni Weekly, was established in September of 1901 and later was taken over as the official publication of the General Alumni Association. It was continued on the weekly schedule of publication until April of 1943 when the change to the present name and frequency was made.

THE new editorial assistant on the staff of the Minnesota Alumnus is Ruth Gustafson '40Ed; '41Gr, who assumed her duties on January 3. She succeeds Nell Jonk '34, who resigned on December 1 to become Mrs. Harold Parsons Marley of 648 Bellemonte Park, Dayton, Ohio. Miss Gustafson, for the past year, has been in the office of the Correspondence Study Department of the General Extension Division of the University. While a student, she was a member of Phi Omega Pi, Lambda Alpha Xi, Masquers, the University Theater, the Radio Guild, and the Educational Women's Society. Her home is in Minneapolis.

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## News and Views

#### Presidency

THE Board of Regents has appointed a committee to recommend to the board a candidate for the presidency of the University to succeed Dr. Walter C. Coffey when he retires from the position. President Coffey's term has been extended from June 30, 1944 to June 30, 1945 with no statement that he will or will not retire at the later date. Under present age limitations, President Coffey would have retired at the end of this year but for the extension.

Members of the nominating committee are Regents Fred B. Snyder, veteran presiding officer of the board, Albert J. Lobb of Rochester, A. J. Olson, farmer member, of Renville, Sheldon V. Wood of Minneapolis, and Dr. E. E. Novak of New Prague.

Meanwhile, as was done when a president was sought following the death of Dr. Lotus Delta Coffman, the faculty has appointed a committee to "consult and advise" with the Board of Regents and to make available to the board prevalent faculty opinion of men under consideration. The faculty committee, named at the December meeting of the University Senate, includes Dr. O. B. Jesness. agricultural economics, chairman; and Drs. J. W. Buchta, physics, Ralph D. Casey, journalism, John W. Clark. English, Marcia Edwards, education, Harold P. Klug, chemistry and J. C. McKinley, medicine. Drs. Clark and Klug represent the younger members of the faculty, namely those below the rank of associate professor.

Whoever is elected will be the eighth president of the University of Minnesota, starting with William Watts Folwell, who took office in 1869, in which year collegiate instruction was begun. Serving subsequently have been Cyrus Northrop, 1885-

1911; George Edgar Vincent, 1911-1917; Marion Leroy Burton, 1917-1920; Lotus Delta Coffman, 1920-1938; Guy Stanton Ford, 1938-1942 and Walter Castella Coffey, 1942 to the present.

#### Enrollment

The enrollment in the University this Winter quarter, including civilian students and all contract students in uniform, is 11,560 which is an increase of 11.4 per cent over the Winter quarter of last year. A notable increase has been recorded in the School of Nursing where there are now 952 students and this figure includes those enrolled in the Cadet Nurses Corps.

As it has been for many years past, the University of Minnesota remains according to official figures for all educational institutions, the second largest state university, only California being larger in that category, and the third among all American universities, Columbia ranking second when private as well as state institutions are included. This is with respect to full-time civilian students of college rank.

#### 26,000 Students

Despite the relatively smaller number of civilian students as compared to years of peace, the University has had in attendance in all types of educational activities this year an impressive total of 26,075 students, of whom 21,473 were still enrolled as of December 11.

This total, in addition to full-time students of collegiate grade, includes the following groups: Nursery School and kindergarten, 83; University high school, 252; Center for Continuation Study, 297; Contract Courses, including contracts for army and

navy students and women engineers, 6,509; Central School of Agriculture, 174; North Central School, 52; Northwest School, 394; West Central School, 363; Evening Extension, 4,641; Correspondence Study, 4,329; Short Courses (extension), 31; Short Courses (ag), 963.

Besides the instruction of these students, ranging from tots to candidates for the doctor of philosophy degree, lawyers, engineers and doctors of medicine and dentistry, the university performs other important functions, which have grown in number and value over 75 years on an even greater scale than that of the state's development from a frontier to the imposing modern commonwealth.

Its scientists, social scientists and men in the arts and letters constantly conduct researches, many of vast importance both to the war effort and to the designing of the postwar world.

It serves, along with other centers of learning, as a great repository of knowledge, a sort of universal library in which the knowledge and skills that distinguish the civilized from the savage world are preserved as well as extended.

It serves directly and practically many aspects of Minnesota life, through such agencies as the League of Minnesota Municipalities, the Geological Survey, the campus contributions to the State Board of Health, Minnesota Tax Commission and the like.

The University of Minnesota must salso be considered the state's most far-reaching and successful advertisement, known the world over and in every cultural center of the United States. Minnesota achievements in many scientific and scholarly fields, and also in athletics, are admittedly distinguished.

## New Division of Journalism Research

A T THEIR meeting on January 14, the regents of the University approved the creation of a division of Research in the School of Journalism. It is the first unit of its kind to be established in a school of journalism.

A strong record in journalistic research on the part of the school's faculty encouraged President Coffey and Dean T. R. McConnell of the College of Science, Literature and the Arts to recommend establishment of the division. For example, the Journalism Quarterly, supported by the Association of Schools and Departments of Journalism, is published at Minnesota.

Dr. Ralph D. Casey, director of the School of Journalism will appoint Prof. Ralph O. Nafziger, long a member of the faculty, as research director.

Stated purpose of the research division is "to encourage the acquisition of new knowledge of the press and other communication agencies, to stimulate fundamental and applied research in the fields of these agencies, to direct and organize various researches undertaken under its sponsorship by journalism staff members, to encourage the grant of research funds from various sources, including publisher and editorial groups and individual newspapers and agencies, and to seek to ally the division with the great research foundations which grant funds for study of such social agencies as the press.'

First project of the research division, Dr. Casey announced, will be one financed by a gift from the Minneapolis Star Journal and Tribune, for which it will examine problems dealing with the press that will have general significance for the newspaper industry and also make investigations of special interest to the donor, such as reader interest surveys and the like. This agreement covers the 12 months period to Jan. 15, 1945.

#### Language Training

Members of the United States Army will be given special instruction in the Norwegian and Swedish languages at the University of Minnesota, Malcolm M. Willey, vice-president for academic administration, announced this month. Two large new groups of soldiers assigned to the Army Specialized Training Program have started work on the campus in what are known as foreign area and language study courses with the aforementioned languages predominating in the course.

An earlier group in foreign language and area study was concerned with the North European area also, but relatively few of them were assigned to Norwegian and Swedish language courses. Also added to the numbers of those studying language at Minnesota will be another detachment of the 9-L category, men with advanced knowledge of a foreign language who are assigned for further study.

#### Gifts

At its January meeting the Board of Regents accepted a total of \$58, 662 in grants to the University. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis gave \$36,312 for instruc-

### Student Groups

The campus has one new student organization, the Veterans' Club of World War II, but there has been a marked decrease in the number of student organizations. Many have been declared inactive for the duration by the Senate Committee on Student Affairs. The highest mortality has been a mong the special interest groups and the academic fraternities.

There were 31 academic fraternities on the campus in 1941 and now there are 20. Only eight fraternities maintain their own chapter houses at the present and many of the houses have been rented as quarters for the members of service training units at the University. There are no freshman, sophomore, or junior class organizations this year.

tion in the technique of treatment of early stages of infantile paralysis.

Another gift, \$16,000, was appropriated by the Rockefeller foundation to provide for postwar training of physicians in pediatrics and public health.

Charles E. Merrill of New York gave the University securities worth \$4,500 to establish a fund for rehabilitation of wounded or maimed men returning from the services.

For the study of industrial skin ailments, the Minneapolis Honeywell Regulator company granted \$1,800.

#### Jackson Lecture

The annual Clarence M. Jackson lecture, sponsored by Phi Beta Pi medical fraternity in honor of Dr. Clarence M. Jackson, professor emeritus of anatomy, was held on January 24 in the auditorium of the Museum of Natural History. The speaker was Dr. Ragnar Nicolaysen, former professor of physiology at the University of Oslo, Norway. He escaped from Norway to England and has been in the United States as a delegate to the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation conference at Atlantic City. His lecture subject was "University Life in Occupied Norway and Nutritional Conditions Among the People."

#### Higher Education Dept.

What is the difference between a helicopter and an Autogiro? If you have already been interested in the transportation possibilities of such aircraft for the postwar era, you undoubtedly know, but here is the information anyway.

The Autogiro has a propeller in the nose in addition to the whirring horizontal windmill blades above the fuselage. The windmill blades act merely as wings and these blades are turned by the flow of air as the plane moves forward under the power of the motor-driven forward propeller.

The helicopter has the windmill blades but it has no propeller in the nose. The blades are driven by a motor and they act as both wings and propeller. The helicopter does have a small propeller, which serves as a rudder, in the tail of the plane.

The Autogiro requires forward motion in order to stay up, whereas the helicopter can hover in the air over one spot.

## Settlement Reached with Service Employes

A STRIKE called by Public Building Service Employes Union. Local 113, and involving about 500 building service employes of the University brought about a cancellation of civilian student classes on both the Main and the University farm campuses from Friday morning, January 14 to Wednesday morning, January 19. Classes for the Army and Navy training units on the campus were continued during the strike period.

The strike developed when the University contended that it could not meet the demands of the Union for a collective bargaining agreement because such an action would be contrary to the established policy of the State of Minnesota of which the University is a part. It was argued that any change in policy to allow for the establishment of arbitration machinery should be considered first by the legislature and not by the Board of Regents.

In the settlement which was reached on January 18, the Union agreed to withdraw its demand for a written collective bargaining agreement with the Board of Regents of the Uni-

versity.

It was provided that the Union may appeal, on employe grievances, from the civil service director of the University to the labor committee of the Board of Regents, and from that committee to the board itself. If an appeal is taken to the board, the board shall request the governor to appoint an impartial investigator to study the matter and make recommendations for settling the dispute, the board to retain the right of final decision.

A third provision assured the Union that it shall be notified in advance of hearings on proposed changes in the civil service rules of

the University.

A fourth point in the settlement was that the Union shall have the right to present matters of wages, hours and working conditions to the labor committee of the Board of Regents, and to appeal from that committee to the board itself under the same provision outlined for handling employe grievances.

The strike settlement was worked out in conferences between University and Union officials and Governor Edward J. Thye. Final details were drafted by a University Regent committee composed of George Lawson of St. Paul, A. J. Olson of Renville, and Ray J. Quinlivan of St. Cloud, and a Union sub-committee composed of Norman Carle, business agent of local 113; John Goldie, Union attorney, and Gene Larson, chairman of the special Central Labor Union committee concerned with the strike.

In the group representing the University at the conferences with Governor Thye were other members of the Board of Regents headed by Fred B. Snyder of Minneapolis and William T. Middlebrook, vice president in charge of business administration, and Malcolm M. Willey, vice president in charge of academic administration.

Following the settlement, President Walter C. Coffey announced that the employes who went on strike would not lose pay for the time they were away from their jobs.

#### Classes Cancelled

Union pickets appeared at all campus entrances on the morning of January 14 and the picketing continued until the settlement was reached. Students and instructors were permitted to pass the picket lines although classes for the civilian student body were cancelled on the first morning of the strike. All members of the faculty and staff reported for duty as usual and the war training program of the University continued without interruption.

When civilian employes in the Coffman Union kitchen and dining services did not report for work, the Army brought in men from Fort Snelling to care for the needs of the men in the Army training units on the campus who are fed in the Union. At the USS Minnesota, the old Minnesota Union building, where Navy units are housed, the kitchen and other duties handled by civilians were taken over by Navy personnel.

The University Hospitals, with 390 patients, were seriously affected early in the strike period when only a few regular workers reported. Later the

Union agreed to the return of all the workers in the Hospitals.

In the following statement issued on January 14, the members of the Board of Regents stated their willingness to consider the problems of the University service employes but emphasized that it was not within their authority to grant the Union demand for a collective bargaining agreement:

"We have long recognized the right of the Union to represent its members. For more than 18 months we have negotiated with the Union. However, union recognition as demanded by the Union involves recognition as the sole collective bargaining agency for all employes in the service group.

"The regents do not accept the Union demands for the reason those demands are contrary to the established policy of the state of Minnesota. No agency of this state is granting to any union recognition of the kind demanded, nor does any agency of the state have arbitration machinery of the type proposed.

"The Union demands deviate radically from existing state policy. The Union should recognize that if state public policy or civil service procedures are to be changed, the regents should not undertake to establish precedence; these are matters for legislative consideration.

"The regents constantly have been mindful of wages and working conditions at the University and their recommendation to the last legislature provided funds so that employes in the service group now receive the same wages as other state employes for like work."

The following statement relative to the issues in the strike of the building service employes was issued by President Walter C. Coffey on the first day of the strike.

Public Building Service Employes Union Local 113, A. F. of L., has declared a strike against the University of Minnesota. I urge that all staff members of the University as well as all other citizens of the state keep in mind the basic issues that are involved.

The basic issues as represented by demands of the Union involve recognition of this Union as the collective bargaining agency and the establishment of arbitration machinery. The regents cannot accept these demands for the reason that they are contrary to the established policy of the State of Minnesota of which the University of Minnesota is a part. Any departure from such established public policy in the matter of recognition of unions and the establishment of arbitration machinery is a matter for primary consideration by the legislature and not by the regents. No agency of this state is granting this kind of recognition to any union nor does any agency of the state have arbitration machinery of the type demanded, Neither does the State Civil Service provide for them. If state public policy or civil service procedures of Minnesota are to be changed, the regents cannot assume the responsibility for establishing the precedent. The legislature should first consider such changes.

The University Civil Service includes procedures to insure consideration of all employe grievances and appeals involving them, but the Union has consistently refused to carry a single case through this appeal machinery. It has never once been fully tried. Furthermore, the regents have indicated willingness to have any appeals from the decisions of the University Civil Service Director go directly to the Labor Committee of the board, and then, if necessary, to the board itself. The Union has rejected the Regents' Labor Committee as an appeal agency.

The foregoing are the primary issues. The Union has refused to discuss their demands relating to wages and working conditions until the demands for recognition and arbitration machinery have been met. The last legislature provided sufficient funds to remove largely the differentials between the pay of University employes and the pay of other state employes doing like work. The regents hope that succeeding legislatures will provide the necessary funds to remove the differential which now exists in hours of service. The regents have stated to the Union that they pledge their efforts to a removal of this difference.

The strike is particularly serious because it involves the training of thousands of Army and Navy men as well as fundamental war research. The Army and Navy are in agreement that the training programs must go on. To avoid misunderstanding or embarrassment to the Army and Navy, the University has discontinued all civilian classes until further notice. However, all members of the staff, both academic and civil service, are urged to be on the job in order that there may be no interference with these war programs either directly or indirectly.

## Four Points in Settlement

The following is the text of the settlement accepted by officials of the University and the Union to end the strike of the building service employes of the University.

In view of the recommendation of the governor and in an effort to terminate the present strike it is proposed:

 That the Union withdraw its demand for a written collective bargaining agreement.

2. That for an experimental period of nine months, unless such period is terminated or extended by mutual agreement, the civil service procedure of the University for handling grievances shall be amended to provide that appeals from decisions of the director of civil service personnel shall be made directly to the labor committee of the board in lieu of the civil service committee, with the understanding that any interested party, including the employe or his authorized representative, which may be Public Building Service Employes Union, Local 113, AFL, shall have the further right to appeal from the decision of the labor committee to the Board of Regents.

The board, before hearing an appeal from decision of the labor committee, and at its next regular meeting shall request the governor of the state in writing, with copy of such request to the Union, to appoint an impartial investigator who shall meet with parties concerned, review facts involved, file a report and recommendation with the board within 45 days after the appeal and furnish a copy to the Union, which report and

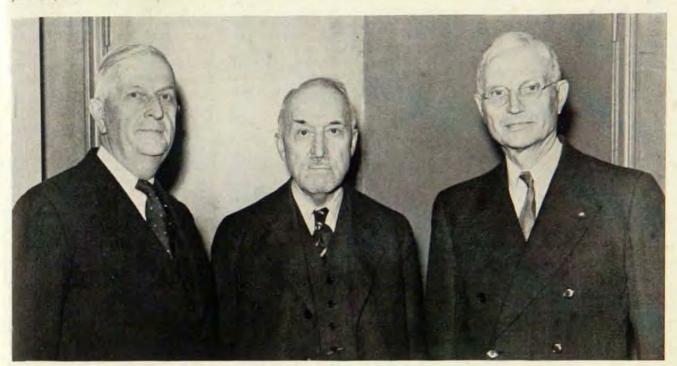
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recommendation shall become a part of the record at the time the regents give final consideration to the matter. Any interested party may file a written argument upon the report and recommendation of the investigator, before the matter is considered by the board.

- The regents will direct that notice of public hearings held by the University civil service committee on proposed additions to or revisions of civil service rules be mailed to the Union 10 days prior to such hearing.
- 4. That for an experimental period of nine months, unless such period is terminated or extended by mutual agreement, the Union shall have the right to present to the labor committee of the Board of Regents written proposals with regard to wages, hours and working conditions. or any other matters of general policy affecting civil service employes, and to discuss such proposals, provided a request for a hearing is made at least 10 days before any scheduled meeting of the labor committee of the Board of Regents, with the understanding the Union shall have further right to appeal from the decision of the labor committee to the Board of Regents.

The Board of Regents before hearing the appeal from the decision of the labor committee, and at its next regular meeting, shall request the governor of the state, in writing, with copy to the Union, to appoint an impartial investigator who shall meet with parties concerned, review the matter involved, file a report and recommendation with the board within 45 days after the appeal, and furnish a copy to the Union, which report and recommendation shall become a part of the record at the time the regents give final consideration to the matter.

Any interested party may file a written argument upon the report and recommendation of the investigator, before the matter is considered by the board.



Among the numerous public-spirited men who have played important roles in the program of the General Alumni Association during its first forty years are the three shown above, left to right, Charles F. Keyes '96, Thomas F. Wallace '95L and C. F. E. Peterson '93. Mr. Keyes has served continuously as a member of the Board of Directors since the association was organized in 1904.

## Alumni Association Has Fortieth Anniversary

FORTY years ago this month, on January 30, 1904, the General Alumni Association of the University of Minnesota was formally organized with the adoption of a constitution at a meeting of alumni held in the Armory on the campus. Two years earlier several graduates of the University had initiated a campaign to bring all alumni into one association and the need for organized alumni effort in behalf of the University had been emphasized in the passage of a legislative measure which placed the finances of the University under the supervision of the State Board of Control.

A temporary committee sent notices of the meeting to alumni and requested their approval of the formation of the general association and their cooperation in the furthering of its program in the interest of the welfare of the University. The response was overwhelming, More than 2,000 alumni responded and promised their cooperation and a large number agreed to be present at the organization meeting.

Presiding at the meeting on Jan-

uary 30, 1904, was Professor Henry F. Nachtrieb '82, the first president of the General Alumni Association. The other officers elected were Dr. Louis B. Wilson '96, vice-president, and Charles F. Keyes '96; '99L, secretary-treasurer.

Mr. Keyes has had the distinction of serving continuously as a member of the Board of Directors of the association from the time of that organization meeting until the present. When a salaried executive secretary, E. B. Johnson '88, was elected in 1906, Mr. Keyes continued to serve as treasurer and he later was elected president of the association. He has been honored with honorary membership on the Board of Directors, Both Professor Nachtrieb and Dr. Wilson died within the past two years.

The members of the original Board of Directors, in addition to the officers, were Fred B. Snyder '81, Frank M. Anderson '94, Benjamin T. Hoyt '96Ag, William H. Tomhave '02Ag, Hugh V. Mercer '94L, Frank Arnold '97L, Dr. Soren P. Rees '97Md, Dr. Oscar K. Richardson '93Md, Dr. Albert E. Booth

'99, Dr. Thomas B. Hartzell '93D, Dr. Jay N. Pike '03D, Gustav Bachman '00Ph and Arthur G. Erkel '02Ph.

Fred B. Snyder, who has been an esteemed member of the Board of Regents of the University since 1912, discussed the Board of Control situation at the organization meeting in the Armory and offered the following resolution:

"Resolved, by the General Alumni Association of the University of Minnesota, at its first meeting assembled, notwithstanding the earnest and conscientious efforts of the Board of Control to work in harmony with the Board of Regents. that it is both the sentiment and the opinion of this association that the management of the finances of the University should never have been placed under a state board of control; that it should be removed therefrom, and this association hereby pledges itself to use its best efforts to bring about such removal at the earliest possible moment and to fully restore the management of the Board of Regents."

The alumni association was successful in achieving this first specific objective as pledged in the above resolution, for the control over the finances of the University was soon restored to the Board of Regents.

At that first meeting other objectives of the association were stressed including the adoption of a higher salary scale for members of the faculty and the securing of increased legislative appropriations and more buildings for the rapidly-developing University.

The directors initiated a life membership campaign with the money from such memberships to be placed in a permanent life membership investment fund. Later, life subscription to the alumni magazine was combined with life membership payment and this investment fund held by the association totals nearly \$100,000.

At the time of organization the directors also had in mind the development of local alumni units throughout the state and nation. The

association now has a far-flung organization of Minnesota alumni clubs in communities throughout Minnesota and in nearly all the larger cities in the United States.

It is a tribute to the vision of the founders of the association and to its executive officers down through the years that many alumni program features developed at Minnesota have been adopted by the alumni organizations at other colleges and universities.

## Island Outposts in the Pacific Ocean

ONLY in the past two years have most Americans come to think of the islands of the Pacific in terms of strategic importance rather than in terms of romantic allure. When Commodore Perry and his expedition visited Japan in November, 1853, for the purpose of opening its ports for trade, this country held no island outposts in the Pacific.

It was not until the war with Spain that the United States government took positive action in securing formal possession of territories in the Pacific Ocean although in 1867 we had acquired Midway Island, Alaska and the Aleutians. And even in 1898 the taking over of the Philippines was strongly opposed in this country and the treaty with Spain came within two votes of failing in the Senate.

In 1893 a new governing group came into power in Hawaii and applied for annexation of the islands to the United States. The request was turned down by President Cleveland. The Spanish War served to emphasize the value of these islands to this country and in July, 1898, both houses of Congress passed the resolution annexing the Hawaiian Islands and it was signed by President McKinley. The Territory of Hawaii was set up with a governor and secretary appointed by the U. S. president, a territorial assembly, and a delegate who represents the territory in the U. S. Congress but has no vote.

Thus, the United States formally acquired the strategic naval base site at Pearl Harbor and a little over a year later, by agreement with Germany and Great Britain, also came into possession of the natural harbor at Pago Pago in the Samoan Islands south of the Equator. In the meantime, Wake Island and Guam had passed into the hands of the United States in the postwar reshuffling.

The mention of Guam brings into the picture the groups of islands between Hawaii and the Philippines which are now being featured in the Pacific war news—the Marianas, the Marshalls and the Carolines. Guam is one of the Marianas. All the islands in this area just north of the Equator belonged to Spain with the exception of the Marshalls which had passed to Germany in 1885 in a settlement of Pacific claims with Great Britain.

During the Spanish War the question of the disposition of these islands was over-shadowed by the larger question of the Philippines and when the armistice was signed, the United States asked only for the one island of Guam. Germany, which held the Marshalls, was deeply concerned about the disposition of the neighboring islands, and in December, 1898, succeeded in buying from Spain all the Carolines, the Palaus and the Marianas, except Guam. The United States had made a half-hearted move to get some of the Carolines, not for their strategic value, but rather because they might be useful as cable stations and because of the

American missionary activity in the islands.

When the Japanese entered the war against Germany in August, 1914, they immediately started to take over all German possessions in their sphere of operations including the German islands north of the Equator. At the moment, Great Britain was too busy in Europe to pay much attention to affairs in the Pacific and the opposition of the United States did not deter the Japanese.

At the Peace Conference it developed that Japan had secured the approval of the British, the Italians and the French to a plan whereby Japan was to retain possession of the Marshalls, the Carolines and the Marianas. An understanding in the matter had been made with Britain before the United States entered the war. President Wilson held out against the Japanese desire for outright annexation of the islands and in the end they were given to Japan as C-class Mandates. The mandatory power was to have control of trade and immigration in the islands but was forbidden to erect fortifications. At the time, President Wilson felt that the League of Nations would be able to enforce observance of the mandate

In a treaty with Japan, the United States protected its right of access to the island of Yap in the Carolines, an important cable and wireless station. At the Washington Conference in 1921, this country recognized the status of Japan as mandatory of the islands in general.

## Alumni Leaders



#### Aluminum Research

THE marking of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Aluminum Research Laboratories of the Aluminum Company of America in December was an occasion for the paying of tribute to the work of Minnesota men who have been leaders in the field of aluminum research.

The director of research at the Aluminum Research Laboratories at New Kensington, Pa., is Dr. Francis C. Frary '05Ch; '12Ph.D., and the assistant director is Junius D. Edwards '12Ch; '13Gr.

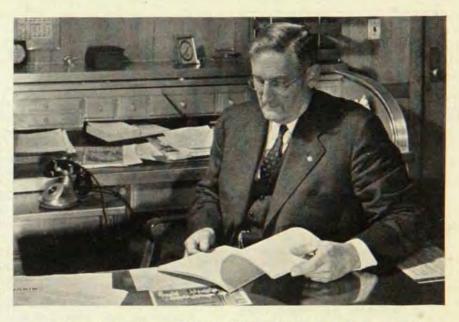
When the central research organization was established in 1918, Dr. Frary was selected to head it, and on December 16, 1918, he assumed his new position and started to assemble the research group which was to become the staff of the Aluminum Research Laboratories. He had served in World War I and had just been released from the Chemical Warfare Service. Mr. Edwards will complete 25 years of service with the Aluminum Company of America this coming April.

From 1903 until he left for war duty, Dr. Frary was a member of the staff of the department of chemistry of the University. He was a student assistant from 1903 to 1905, an instructor from 1905 to 1911, and in the latter year he became an assistant professor.

The aluminum industry has grown great through the progressive accumulation of scientific knowledge through research. During the past 25 years, the staff of the Aluminum Research Laboratories under the direction of Dr. Frary has developed more than 25 new aluminum alloys which have been put into commercial production. Each of these alloys has been developed with special characteristics to meet some industrial need.

#### Food Research

Dr. Aksel G. Olsen '23MS; '28Ph. D., has been appointed manager of the Central Laboratories of General Foods Corporation at Hoboken, N. J.



Dr. Francis C. Frary '05Ch; '12Ph.D., Director of Research, Aluminum Research Laboratories, Aluminum Company of America.

Dr. Olsen joined the company in 1923 as research chemist at its laboratories in Battle Creek, Michigan. In 1934 he was appointed director of research of Walter Baker & Company, Inc., a General Foods subsidiary and since 1938 he has been connected with the Central Laboratories of General Foods in various executive capacities.

During his years at the University, Dr. Olsen majored in agricultural biochemistry under the late Ross A. Gortner. He is a member of Sigma Xi, Phi Lambda Upsilon, Phi Kappa Phi and Gamma Alpha.

#### Teacher and Editor

Paul VanderEike '11Ed, is vicepresident of the California Federation of Mineralogical Societies and is also the editor of the federation publication, Mineral Notes and News. The magazine has attracted attention outside California and its growing subscription list now includes subscribers in many sections of the United States. The purpose of the federation, which includes 28 societies, is to further education in the earth sciences, especially mineralogy.

The editing of the magazine is a spare-time activity. Mr. VanderEike teaches geology and mineralogy and is chairman of the science department in the Bakersfield Junior College. Mr. VanderEike's address is Box 177, Bakersfield.

#### President of National Manufacturing Group

The new president of the National Association of Manufacturers is a Minnesota alumnus, Robert M. Gaylord '11, president of the Ingersoll Milling Machine Company, Rockford, Illinois. He was elected at the annual meeting of the association in New York in December.

Mr. Gaylord was born in Minneapolis and attended North high school. He worked for the old Minneapolis Steel and Machinery Company, then went to Rockford and later returned to Minneapolis to become vice-president of the Gray Tractor Company. In 1917 he was made vice-president of the Ingersoll firm and he has been its president since 1928.

Another Minnesota graduate, Charles J. Brand '02, of Washington, D. C., by reason of his chairmanship of the Resolutions committee of the National Industrial Council, has served as an ex-officio member of the Resolutions committee of the National Association of Manufacturers. He was also elected general chairman for the ensuing year of the Manufacturing Trade Associations Group of NIC. Mr. Brand, who has long been active in the affairs of the Minnesota Alumni Club of Washington, is executive secretary and treasurer of the National Fertilizer Association.

## Alumni Clubs

#### Chicago

The Minnesota Alumni Club of Chicago held a luncheon on December 30 at the Hotel Sherman in honor of Congressman Everett Dirksen '18, of Pekin, Illinois.

Present were J. A. O. Preus, Dr. Paul Klopsteg, Dr. Larry E. Hill, George Putnam, F. R. McMillan, Dale McAlpine, Joel Fitts, Godfrey Eyler, Edward A. Peterson, George Faber, Justin Miller, Albert E. Peterson, Thomas Strate and Porter West.

George Rennix, Joe Struelt, John Wirt, Alois Graf, Oswald Maland, Everett Dirksen and Eugene Lysen.

#### Los Angeles

The Gopher Club of Los Angeles, which is the Minnesota Alumni organization in that city, held a joint luncheon with the Los Angeles Big Ten Club on December 16. The chairman of the meeting was Otto A. Gerth '12L, past president of the Gopher Club. The secretary of the Minnesota group this year is P. J. Stillwell '20L. The speaker at the luncheon was Judge J. F. T. O'Connor, former Comptroller of the Treaurer.

#### Philadelphia

The Minnesota Alumni Club of Philadelphia will hold a dinner meeting on Saturday evening, February 5 at Kugler's Restaurant on Chestnut Street. Ray Halik is in charge of arrangements. All Minnesotans in the Philadelphia area are invited.

#### Minnesota Units

Minnesota alumni in St. Cloud will meet on February 23 to hear President Walter C. Coffey and Alumni Secretary E. B. Pierce. The Minnesota Alumni Club of New York City held an afternoon get-together on January 8. Several alumni in the Panama Canal Zone have formed a Minnesota club and honorary memberships have been sent to President Coffey and Alumni Secretary Pierce.

## Letters from the Late Mail

RECEIVED your October News Letter several days ago and can't tell you how glad I was to receive it," wrote Capt. Lloyd L. La Fountaine '38IT, from North Africa on December 17. "According to the pictures, things have changed quite a bit in the years since I have been there. I really enjoyed reading it and sincerely appreciate your sending it to me and I passed it on to several other Minnesota men in my unit including Capt. W. F. Arksey '36IT, and Major J. H. Heron '36Ex."

From Iran comes a long and interesting letter from T/5 Richard P. Baughman '36B: "Yesterday I received the Minnesota News Letter. It was delightful to see the pictures of the campus, changed as it is since 1936, when I left. I haven't found any alumni here despite the fact that I've seen four Iranian seasons.

"Back in the States I entered the Army from my home in Pasadena, Calif., and I was trained in Army finance in Indiana. Within three months of my induction I was bound for Persia, not to be confused with the atmosphere of that New York night spot called the Persian Room.

'Last summer it was the heat. At noon all work ceased and wasn't resumed until 5:00 P.M. Our little dog (Jughead) curled himself around an earthen water jug for relief. Shaving cream squirted like water from the tube. We drank huge quantities of water with about eight to a dozen salt tablets daily. Luckily, the nights cooled to give us the rest required to meet the day. And in spite of the weather, the Army has done a splendid job without complaint, except for the usual beefing, the sure sign of health and spirit.

"As the weather cooled in October we began fighting flies—
the most persistent, stubborn and insane flies imaginable. Now that winter is here the days are delightful when clear and the nights so cold that long handled underwear feels good. But we do have terrific rains."

"I want to be an active member of the alumni association," writes Ensign George G. Vaillancourt '43, "and would appreciate it very much if you would send the Alumnus to the address given here. I am now in service aboard a destroyer-high speed mine sweeper. And if you could put my address in the next issue of the Alumnus, I would like to hear from my former classmates who may spot it."

For security reasons we cannot publish overseas addresses in the Alumnus, but such addresses may be secured from this office on request. George's home address is 83 Grant Street, Attleboro, Mass.

Lt. D. G. Drommerhausen '42IT, of the Signal Corps, sends us the following information: "Have recently returned to duty at Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, after completing an eight weeks' course at a Fixed Station Transmitter School, Long Island, New York. Lt. Robert Knight '43IT, is attending school there now. My address is now 500 Deal Lake Drive, Asbury Park, New Jersey, and would appreciate your sending the Minnesota Alumnus to that address.

"My wife (Marjorie Moraw '41), and I greatly enjoy reading about our acquaintances and we recently passed several issues along to Robert Kidder '42ChE, who is now employed by Grumman Aircraft of Long Island."

A note informs us of the reunion of three Minnesota Dental Corps officers at Camp Anzer, Calif. They were Major C. G. Hawkinson '36D, Lt. William Simon '36D, and Lt. Joseph S. Nicola '39D. Lt. Simon, School of Dentistry faculty member on leave, is now overseas.

Lt. Newt Loken '42, USNR, former rooter king and champion gymnast, called the *Alumnus* office this month while enroute from the Navy Pre-Flight School at Iowa City to a new assignment on the West Coast.

## A A A Sports A A A

#### Basketball

In the first conference basketball game of the season before a crowd of 2,211 in the Field House on January 7, the Gophers were defeated by Iowa, 37 to 34. Overcome by the height superiority of the Hawkeyes in the early part of the engagement, the Gophers staged a great second half scoring rally to come within one point of the visitors in the last minute of play.

High scorer for Minnesota was Butz Lehrman, only member of the squad who has worn a Gopher uniform previous to this year. He played an important role in the drive to overtake the Hawkeyes and scored five field goals and a free throw for a total of 11 points. The other Minnesota scorers were Duane Baglien, Matt Sutton and Bill Wright, each getting three baskets from the floor. Baglien and Sutton are freshmen while Wright is a Navy V-12 transfer from Carleton College.

MINNESOTA	fg	ft	ftm	pf	Ip
Baglien, f	3	1	3	1	7
Geraghty, f		0	2	1	0
Emerson, c		1	0	2	1
M. Sutton, g		0	1	3	6
Wright, g		3	0	3	9
Lehrman, g		1	0	3	11
Poehler, c	0	0	0	1	0
Muske, g	0	.0.	0	0	0
Kelly, g	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	14	6	6	14	34
10WA	fg	ft	ftm	pf	tp
Ives, f	3	2	1	0	8
Danny, f	7	1	2	2	15
Herwig, c	4	1	1	2	9
Postels, g	0	0	2	4	0
Spencer, g	2	1	4	3	5
Grafton, g	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	5	10	11	37

Score at half-time; Iowa 20, Minnesota 15.

In the second game of the twogame series between Minnesota and Iowa, the Hawkeyes were again victorious, 37 to 29. In this contest on January 8 before a crowd of 3,117, the Gophers held a 19 to 14 lead at halftime. A newcomer to the Gopher squad, Rollie De Lapp, former state college scoring champion at Macalester College, put Minnesota out in front in the first period with five field goals but he was held scoreless in the second half. Other Gophers who scored field goals were Lehrman, one; Wright, two; Matt Sutton, one, and Geraghty, one. High scorer for Iowa was Danner with seven field goals.

Minnesota was defeated 59 to 32 by a team of tall and rangy Great Lakes Bluejackets in the Field House on December 21. Handicapped by a lack of height, the Gophers could not stop the scoring activities of the visitors. Butz Lehrman and Kenny Johnson were high scorers for Minnesota, each getting eight points.

In the Field House on December 11, the Seahawks of the Navy Pre-Flight School at Iowa City defeated Minnesota, 54 to 34. High scorers for the Gophers were Johnson with 13 points and Wright with 11.

On December 13, the Gopher basketball team defeated Nebraska, 40 to 21, in the Field House. Butz Lehrman was high scorer for Minnesota with 14 points.

#### Hockey

In the first scheduled hockey games of the season, the Minnesota team showed surprising strength in defeating the St. James squad from Winnipeg in both games of a two-game series in the Minneapolis Arena. The Gophers took the first engagement, 4 to 1, on January 7, and the second, 6 to 1, on January 8.

The scheduling of games has been a problem with Coach Larry Armstrong this season. Illinois does not have a hockey team this year and Michigan may not appear on the Minnesota schedule because of travel difficulties. Many of the Michigan players are naval trainees and they cannot be away from their Ann Arbor quarters long enough to make the trip to Minneapolis.

Stars of the first hockey games for the Gophers were Jim Wild, wingman, formerly of Cretin high school in St. Paul; Bob Carley, defenseman, a freshman who was an all-around athletic star at St. Paul Academy, and Lou Kalin, who has starred in the past at Eveleth Junior College, The only veterans in the line-up at the beginning of the season were Bob Graiziger of St. Paul, and John Behrendt,

Three of the Minnesota goals in the first game were scored by Jim Wild and the fourth by John Behrendt. Lou Kalin made 31 stops.

In the second game, Bob Carley scored Minnesota's first goal in the first period and passed to Paddy Ryan who scored the second. Other Gopher scorers were Wild, who got two goals, Behrendt and Jack Adams. Kalin made 26 stops. The game was rough with a total of 18 penalties being called.

The first game:

St. James (1)	Pos.	Minnesota (4)	
Harrison	G	Kalin	
Taylor	RW	Behrendt	
Gracek	LW	Adams	
Hayton	C	Ryan	
Lyons	D	Graiziger	
Cowie	D	Carley	

Spares: St. James—Parker, Kuley, Sosiak, Kelpin, Nixon. Minnesota—Norby, Wild, Opsahl, Gutterson, Shedd.

First period scoring: Wild (Carley) 10:40; Gracek (Taylor) 10:45; Wild (Graiziger) 14:50. Penalty: Cowie (tripping) 2; Graiziger (tripping); Hayton (boarding); Nixon (hooking).

Second period scoring: None, Penalties

Norby (tripping); Hayton (tripping);
Lyons (boarding).

Third period scoring: Behrendt (unassisted) 8:43; Wild (unassisted) 18:02. Penalties—Opsahl tripping); Lyons (kneeing); Graiziger (tripping); Norby (tripping)

Referee: Wilfred Pellitier; linesman-Tom Cunningham.

Stops:

Kalin	10	10	11-31
Harrison	4	6	2-12

#### Gophers at Tarawa

Several former Minnesota football players took part in the capture of Tarawa, according to reports which have come back from the scene of that action. Former Gophers who have reported being there are Capt. Pete Somers, quarterback in 1930 and 1931, Capt. Bob Johnson, tackle from Anoka, Capt. Chuck Myre, halfback from Albert Lea, and Marty Christiansen.

#### Notes

Paul Mitchell, honorary captain of the 1943 Minnesota football team, is in the Navy and in training at Ft. Schuyler, N. Y. . . . Bill Zieske, former Copher golfer, is an assistant recreational director with the Red Cross and expects overseas service. . . Francis "Pug" Lund, Minnesota all-American, was recently inducted into the Army and is now at Fort Snelling. . . . In the South Pacific, Ensign Johnny Dick of Buhl, former Gopher basketball ace, has had the

pleasure of a visit with a former teammate, Gordon Spear. . . . Two former Gopher football players, Dick Wildung and Don Nolander, and a golfer, Spero Daltas, were commissioned as ensigns at the Naval Training School for midshipmen at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., in December.

#### Top Woman Athlete

Patty Berg of Minneapolis, former student in the University, was named the outstanding woman athlete of 1943 in the annual poll conducted by the Associated Press. The former women's national golf champion came back, following a serious accident, to regain her laurels as the outstanding woman golfer of the country. This was the second time she had been so honored, having been named the woman athlete of the year in 1938. Miss Berg is now a lieutenant in the Marine Corps Reserve.

#### Losses

The Gopher basketball team lost two games to Purdue on January 14 and 15 at Lafayette. In the first encounter, the Minnesotans, playing with a revamped lineup because of illness of squad members, stayed on fairly even terms with the taller Boilermakers until late in the game when a scoring flurry gave Purdue a 51 to 38 victory. De Lapp was the Gopher high scorer with 12 points.

The Boilermakers won the second game, 43 to 17. Three squad members failed to make the trip and two others, Paul Sutton and Howie Peterson, had to return to Minneapolis before the second game to comply with the Navy's 48-hour rule.

The hockey team from the H.M. C.S. Griffon at Port Arthur, Canada, defeated Minnesota twice in games in the Minneapolis Arena on January 14 and 15. The Gophers played some good hockey but could not match the fine all-round play of the Canadian service team.

Minnesota lost the first game 9 to
4. Gopher scorers were Carley,
Wild and Nordby with Carley getting two goals. Minnesota came
back strong in the second game but
was nosed out, 3 to 2. Minnesota
goals were scored by Bob Graiziger
and Jack Adams.

## Minnesota's Mineral Resources

"It is very likely that the highgrade iron ores of Minnesota will be nearing exhaustion within the next 30 or 40 years, and therefore the future of the iron ore industry in Minnesota depends largely on how well the technical, economic, and political problems connected with the industry are solved."

From the geologist's point of view this is probably the most authoritative statement made in recent years on Minnesota iron ore, as it is included in the foreword to a new bulletin of the Minnesota Geological Survey, "Mineral Resources of Minnesota," edited by Professors William H. Emmons and Frank F. Grout, senior members of Minnesota's department of geology,

The bulletin, No. 30 in the series by the Geological Survey, and published by the University of Minnesota Press, provides a resume of all the principal mineral resources of the state, including water. Many of these resources, such as foundry sands, building stone, marl, various phases of iron ore, and the like, have been treated in more detail in individual works, but the present bulletin is, in effect, a condensation of the survey's work of recent years,

Among principal chapters are one describing the materials of the earth in Minnesota and sketching briefly its geological history and general geology, and one which describes the various iron ore deposits of the state. Since iron ores are Minnesota's most important mineral resources, they receive the most attention.

Drs. Emmons and Grout say: "The Mesabi Range has probably reached its zenith in less than fifty years since the discovery of ore at Mountain Iron. Yet there are many billions of low-grade, iron-bearing material on that range and it is not too early to plan for its utilization."

Use of the low-grade ore not now merchantable and of the large deposits of manganese bearing ore are the two outstanding problems of the mining industry at present.

"The use of certain portions of the iron-bearing formation of the Mesabi Range usually called 'taconite' may prolong the mining industry in Minnesota for many years," they continue. "Much lowgrade material intermediate between taconite and ore is and will continue to be tested by concentration processes that may ultimately be used to beneficiate taconite (treat it so that it may be shipped as ore). The mining industry should be encouraged to utilize this taconite in the future to a considerable extent, so that even if foreign high-grade ores should be available, we should have sufficient equipment and experience to make us independent of foreign supplies. Under certain conditions taconite, or ore as it would then be called, could probably compete with imported highgrade ore.

"The state has cooperated with the industry by encouraging research in the beneficiation of such low-grade material.

"The manganese problem is of national importance and would be even more important if supplies of foreign manganese ores should be cut off. The federal government should, as in the past, make detailed plans for the conservation of this metal while most of the normal requirements can still be imported. Minnesota has no substantial amount of high-grade manganese ore (containing more than 35 per cent manganese) but it does possess the largest reserve of manganiferous iron ore in the United States (ore containing more than five per cent manganese). The tonnage of manganese, calculated as metal, now proved to lie in these deposits is considerable."

In normal years, they point out, the United States has required about half a million tons of metallic manganese a year, a high percentage of it for use in the making of steel.

## \* The Reviewing Stand \*

#### First Alumni Family

In THE December issue of the Minnesota Alumnus we reported the fact that nine sons and daughters of the Edwin W. Hanson family of Graceville have attended the University of Minnesota. All were enrolled in the College of Agriculture, Forestry, and Home Economics, and there has been at least one member of the family on the campus every year since 1928 right up to the present.

Amazing as is this family attendance record, it is topped by the family of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Rice, 3136 Second Avenue S., Minneapolis.



MR. AND MRS. CARL J. RICE

Ten members of this family have been enrolled in the University of Minnesota, six sons and four daughters. The seven members of the group who have graduated from the University have obtained a total of 14 degrees and three have been honored with membership in honorary fraternities, Phi Beta Kappa, Lambda Alpha Psi and Sigma Psi.

The ten members of the Rice family who have attended the University are as follows: Millard W. '18L; Leonard J. '18; Vivien C. '18; Carl O. '26Md; Lila E. '22; Della J. '24Ex; Alfred C. '25Ex; Walter L. '28L; Herbert R. '29Md, and Thelma A. '32Ex.

Three of the sons served in the armed forces in World War I. Mill-

ard, who was wounded at Belleau Wood, later became National Commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars and is now an attorney for that organization. Dr. Herbert R. is a lieutenant commander in the Navy and is stationed somewhere in the Pacific.

Walter L. Rice, who was managing editor of the Minnesota Daily in 1924, served brilliantly for eight years as special assistant to the United States Attorney General and is now president of Reynold's Metal Company, Richmond, Va.

Two members of the second generation of the family have already enrolled in the University and one, Richard Rice, son of Leonard J. Rice of Minneapolis, received his degree in 1943, and with Magna Cum Laude honors. His brother, Norman, is now a student in the University.

The record of this family, both in college attendance and scholastic honors, stands as a magnificent tribute to the mother and father whose encouragement and sacrifices must have played an important part in this notable family achievement.

#### Supreme Court Justice

Thomas O. Streissguth '08; '10L, of New Ulm, was appointed an associate justice of the Minnesota Supreme Court on January 3 by Governor Edward J. Thye. He was named to fill out the unexpired term of Justice Charles Loring '98L, who was appointed chief justice following the resignation of Chief Justice Henry M. Gallagher. Mr. Streissguth will serve until January 2, 1945, under the appointment.

He had previously served as a supreme court justice for three months when in October, 1942, he was named, along with Maynard E. Persig '25L, to fill out the unexpired terms of Justice Royal A. Stone and Justice Andrew B. Holt '80.

Mr. Streissguth, who is 54, was born in Arlington, Minnesota, and attended Carleton College before entering the University. He entered law practice in Redwood Falls in 1914 and moved to Gaylord in 1915. He was elected county attorney of Brown County in 1924 and served in that position until 1942.

He is a veteran of World War I, having served as a captain of field artillery from 1917 to 1919.

#### Scientist

Frank E. Nelson '32Ag, assumed his new responsibilities on December 1 in one of the most important research and teaching positions at Iowa State College at Ames. He was appointed professor of dairy industry and research professor of the Agricultural Experiment Station.

He received his bachelor of science degree in the field of bio-chemistry in 1932 and then completed work for his master's degree while holding a Shevlin Fellowship. He was then awarded an Iowa State Brand Creameries Fellowship for study in the field of dairy bacteriology and he went to Iowa State College to complete the studies for his doctor of philosophy degree which he received in 1936.



FRANK E. NELSON

Dr. Nelson returned to the University of Minnesota to serve as an instructor in dairy bacteriology for two years before joining the faculty of Kansas State College as associate professor of dairy bacteriology.

He is regarded as one of the outstanding young scientific men in his field and recently, the American Dairy Science Association, in acknowledgment of his leadership, requested that he complete a review article for its Journal.

## Minnesota Women

#### Marine Officer

Capt. Grace Cotton '23, USMCR, who is commanding officer at the Women's Marine Recruit Depot at Camp Le Jeune, New River, North Carolina, was the Christmas guest of her father, Dr. C. E. Cotton and her sister, Mrs. Charles B. Carroll (Jean May Cotton '26), 5402 Drexel Avenue, Minneapolis. Also present at the family reunion were Mrs. R. William Turner (Margaret Cotton '17) of Washington, D. C., and Edith Cotton '19, of Ruston, Louisiana.

#### Recruits Nurses

Mrs. Louise Waagen Weller '33N, of St. Paul, was one of the thirty-three nurses selected to represent the National Nursing Council for War Service, and the United States Cadet Nurse Corps, on its College Field Staff last fall.

These nurses were released from their regular duties on short-time leaves to confer with deans of women, faculty members and students of colleges and junior colleges throughout the country in an effort to recruit 65,000 student nurses needed for wartime replacements and to interest college women in preparation for postwar careers.

Mrs. Weller is assistant to the superintendent of nurses and instructor of volunteer nursing at the Charles T. Miller Hospital in St. Paul. As the representative of the College Field Service of the National Nursing Council for War Service, and the United States Cadet Nurse Corps, she visited twenty-six colleges and universities in North and South Dakota, Colorado and Iowa during October, November and December.

Recruits in the Cadet Nurse Corps receive free tuition, free maintenance, distinctive street uniforms, and a monthly stipend during their entire period of training at the University of Minnesota or other accredited schools of nursing. In return, they promise to remain active in essential military or civilian nursing for the duration of the war. In her talks before college groups, Mrs. Weller told of the expanding opportunities in

wartime and postwar nursing open to women with college backgrounds.

Before assuming her present duties at the Miller Hospital, Mrs. Weller served successively as night supervisor on pediatrics, Minneapolis General Hospital; nursing arts instructor, Charles T. Miller Hospital, St. Paul, and as supervisor in the University Hospitals.

#### Alumnae Notes

In the opinion of Joyce Ringbloom '40GDH, working in the Station Hospital at Napier Field, Dothan, Alabama, the Minnesota Alumnus "helps immensely to bridge the endless miles" between her and her classmates. She sends her best wishes and says, "there is little enough that I can say to express my sincerest thanks for your faithful bulletins and news letters and their wealth of Alma Mater 'doings'."

Gwendolen Schneidler '31BA; '35MS; '40 Ph.D., formerly a counselor on the University Testing Bureau staff, is now serving as a Lieutenant in the Women's Reserve of the U. S. Naval Reserve. She is stationed in the Bureau of Naval Personnel where she is working on the program of classification of enlisted men and women of the Navy.

Mrs. John Sprague Bauman, (Dorothy MacDonald Shrader '24BA), has been appointed supervisor of



LOUISE WAAGEN WELLER '33N

War Public Services for the Federal Works Agency in Region 1. This region comprises the New England states, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

After her graduation from the University, Virginia Menning '42BA, accepted a position in Detroit as Assistant Director of the Downtown USO Club where she was in charge of volunteer workers and handled publicity for the Club. For over fourteen months she held this position until she was married to Pvt. William G. Buterbaught of the Air Transport Command. While he is stationed in Romulus, Michigan, she makes her home at 7550 Hanover, Apt. 311, Detroit, 6, Michigan.

Lt. Alyce L. Chilgren '42GN, entered the Army Nurses Corps in April. She served at Camp Crowder, Missouri until July, and now is "somewhere in the Aleutians."

Corrinne Swanstrom '42BS (ED), American Airlines stewardess, has been assigned Chicago as her base. She lives at 6142 Washtenah Avenue South. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank N. Swanstrom '08Eng live at 4017 Oakland Avenue, Minneapolis.

#### Author

Because she was "exasperated by all the silly twaddle being written about the eccentricities of early America," Mrs. Alice Felt Tyler '27 Ph.D., gathered material from many widely scattered sources to write Freedom's Ferment. Her new book. released by the University Press on January 13, deals with American social history to 1860. This book is designed to show us the ideals and aspirations behind the fads and follies famous in our republic's history, and in it the early cults, utopias, and humanitarian crusades are interpreted in relation to American thought and action. Although this book deals with our past and interprets events of a century ago, it is disturbingly applicable to today's problems of world peace and humanitarian reform.

Mrs. Tyler, assistant professor of history, has been teaching at the University for 20 years. She came here from Knox College and got her Ph.D. degree while working as a teaching assistant. The University Press has published two other books by Mrs. Tyler, The Foreign Policy of James G. Blaine and the textbook, The Modern World.

## Navy Promotes Two Minnesota Officers

MINNESOTAN has succeeded a Minnesotan as commanding officer of the Naval Air Station, Wold Chamberlain Field, Minneapolis. In December, Commander Douglas M. Campbell '27E, USNR, who had been commanding officer of the station since June, 1942, was assigned to new duties as a member of the staff of the Commanding General, Southern Defense Command, and this month he was succeeded at Wold Chamberlain Field by Commander K. M. Krieger '28E, USNR. Commander Campbell, who is a Navy pilot on active flying status, is now at the Headquarters, Southern Defense Command. Ft. Sam Houston, Texas. Mrs. Campbell (Ethel M. Bowman '24B). and their 14-year-old daughter will join him in Texas this month.

While a University student, Commander Campbell received flight instruction in the Naval Reserve and he was commissioned an ensign in 1926. He served on fleet duty for a year after graduation on the East Coast and in the Caribbean and then for two years, as a civilian, he was in charge of aviation schools for American Airlines. From 1930 until 1935 he worked in civil engineering.

Commander Campbell returned to Navy duty in 1935 as an instructor at the Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla., and in 1939 was transferred to the Naval Reserve Aviation Base at Minneapolis as chief flight instructor and later as executive officer. In September, 1941, he went to the Naval Reserve Aviation Base at Miami as commanding officer and returned to the Minneapolis base in April, 1942, as executive officer and he became commanding officer two months later.

Commander Krieger, a native of Langford, S. D., also entered the naval aviation training program while a student at the University and he was commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve in February, 1928. After receiving his degree in electrical engineering in June, 1928, he served for a year on the aircraft carrier USS Lexington.

From May, 1936, to July, 1940, he was an executive officer of the Naval Reserve Aviation Base at Kansas City, Kan., and from the latter



COMDR. DOUGLAS M. CAMPBELL

date until December, 1942, he served as officer-in-charge, V-5 (aviation cadets) Procurement, Bureau of Naval Personnel, Washington, D. C.

He came to his new assignment in Minneapolis from Kansas City, Kan., where, since December, 1942, he had been personnel officer on the staff of the chief, naval air primary training command headquarters. Commander and Mrs. Krieger and son, Thomas, reside at 4929 Lyndale Avenue S.

#### Commanding Officer

Col. Sam F. Seeley '27Md, has been in the Army Medical Corps since graduation from the University and is now Commanding Officer of the 100th General Hospital at Fort Dix, N. J. Before going to Fort Dix he served for nine months as executive officer at Ashford General Hospital, W. Va.

Entering the Army as an interne at the Station Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Tex., in 1927, Col. Seeley since that time has served as a medical officer in almost every type of unit the Army boasts. He has been in a medical regiment, a medical battalion, has served as regimental surgeon with the infantry in Manila, as Post Surgeon at Pettit Barracks, Zamboanga, P. I., as a research student at the Mayo Clinic, Rochester, Minn., and in both station and general hospitals.

In 1937, he was Adjutant at the

Army Medical Center, Washington, D. C., later becoming Chief of the Urological Section at Walter Reed General Hospital. In 1941 he became liaison officer for the National Research Council's Health and Medical Committee in the Office of the Surgeon General in Washington. After that he became Executive Officer of the Procurement and Assignment Service of the War Manpower Commission.

#### Awards

Lt. Mark T. Kasper '42AeroE, Lightning fighter pilot with the Army Air Forces in the Southwest Pacific. has been awarded the Air Medal with oak leaf cluster by Lt. General George C. Kenney, Allied air commander in the Southwest Pacific. Lt. Kasper is credited with one Jap plane and several probables. He was cited for meritorious achievement in flights between July 21 and October 17. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Kasper, Lowry, Minn. His plane is named "Jane Ann" in honor of his wife, who resides at 905 Summit Avenue in Minneapolis.

Lt. Reuben W. Meyer of Fairmont, who attended the University in 1938-39, was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "outstanding accomplishment" by Lt. General George C. Kenney, Allied air commander in the Southwest Pacific, in December. Lt. Meyer is with the Fifth bomber command.

Col. Norman E. Hendrickson '16E, was among the group of American Army officers who received decorations from the British government this month. He received the Order of the British Empire. In December, Col. Hendrickson was decorated with the Legion of Merit by General Dwight Eisenhower for "exceptionally meritorious" performance of military duties at Hill 609, Bizerte, Fondouk and Kasserine Pass in the North African campaign. He is now serving as chief of staff of the Thirty-fourth division in Italy. His home is at 5101 Tenth Avenue S., Minneapolis.

## Minnesota's Roll of Honor

Karl P. Buswell

Lt. Karl P. Buswell '20, USNR, Navy chaplain, was killed on an aircraft carrier in the Pacific on December 24 while standing on the bridge to give spiritual encouragement to a nervous pilot who was practicing landings. He was struck by the wing of the plane.

The pilot had told Chaplain Buswell, "If you'll stand on the bridge while I'm coming in, I'll feel better." As the plane came in for a landing, it struck the deck, bounced into the air, and a wing crashed into the bridge. The pilot was only slightly injured in the accident.

Lt. Buswell was the son of the Reverend James O. Buswell, who for many years was pastor of Stewart Memorial Church in Minneapolis. While a University student he was a cadet colonel in the military corps and in 1918 he left school to enter the machine gun officers training school at Fort Hancock, Ga., where he was commissioned a second lieutenant.

Following war service, he completed the work for his degree in 1920 and went to China to teach biology at a university in Canton. For the government in South China, he made a survey of the silk industry in China, India, the Near East and France.

After one year in the Princeton Seminary in 1925 he went to Jerusalem as YMCA secretary. On November 26, 1926, he married Ellen Goodrich '19, who was teaching in the American Junior College for Girls in Beirut, Syria.

Lt. Buswell completed his seminary work at the San Francisco Theological Seminary, San Anselmo, Calif. He was assistant pastor of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, Los Angeles, from 1929 to 1932, pastor of the Trinity Presbyterian Church, 1932 to 1935, and pastor of the Beverly Hills Community Church from 1935 until he entered service.

He is survived by his widow and two children, Marguerite, 16, and Herbert C., 14. The family home is at 518 N. Camden Drive, Beverly Hills,

In an editorial tribute to Dr. Buswell, the Beverly Hills Citizen, said: "Beverly Hills has lost a fine friend and a great humanitarian in the passing of Dr. Karl Buswell. . . . This war will bring forth many episodes of extreme heroism but there will be none more poignant, more filled with devotion and love of humanity than that which cost the life of this beloved man."

#### Douglas Carroll Dahlberg

Lt. Douglas Carroll Dahlberg '35AA, of Minneapolis, was killed in the crash of a four-motor bomber near Sausalito, California on December 19. At the time he was flying home from a South Pacific base on a Christmas furlough. Just previously he had been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for "outstanding accomplishment" by Lt. General George C. Kenney, Allied air commander in the Southwest Pacific. Lt. Dahlberg was a pilot in the Fifth bomber command. He was the son of A. A. Dahlberg, 3939 Bloomington Avenue S., Minneapolis.

#### Frank Boyd Bush

Lt. Frank Boyd Bush '43Ex, was killed in action in the European war theater on October 8, according to word from the War Department this month. He previously had been reported missing. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Bush, 3929 Eighteenth Avenue S., Minneapolis. He entered the University from Roosevelt high school in Minneapolis. Lt. Bush was trained as a bombardier-navigator and went overseas in August, 1943. In September, he was awarded the Air Medal.

#### Robert O. Johnson

Robert Gustav Oskar Johnson '43B, a Midshipman in training at Northwestern University, died in Evanston, Illinois, on November 8, following a very brief illness. He was to have been commissioned an ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve just before Christmas and was to have been married on Christmas Day

to Marian Westman of Minneapolis. He was the son of John R. Johnson, 3333 Edward Avenue N. E., Minneapolis. A brother, John Richard, is a Naval air cadet at Dallas, Texas, and a sister, Roberta, is in the WAVES at Miami Beach, Florida.

#### Lawrence W. Cederholm

Aviation Cadet Lawrence W. Cederholm '44Ex, died on January 11 at the Naval Air Station, Wold Chamberlain Field, Minneapolis, after an illness of five days. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cederholm, 3509 Longfellow Avenue, Minneapolis. He had been called to active duty on August 10, 1943, and took his flight preparatory training at St. Olaf College, Northfield. Survivors beside his parents are Sgt. Donald M. Cederholm, Fort Benning, Ga, and Flight Instructor Wallace H. Cederholm, Ballinger, Texas.

#### Edward F. Hanold

Lt. Edward F. Hanold '39, 1762 Hennepin Avenue, died of a heart attack in Dallas. Texas on January 5. He was 29. Before being assigned recently to new duties in Dallas, he had been an Army instructor and company commander in the enlisted men's school at North Dakota State College at Fargo.

#### Paul W. Janssen

Lt. Paul W. Janssen '41B, Army air force pilot, who was reported missing in the North American area on December 10, 1942, has been officially listed as dead by the War Department. He was the member of a crew of a plane which left Greenland en route to a landing field in Labrador and which failed to arrive at its destination. Wreckage of the plane was found in an uninhabited area on April 18, 1943, and there were indications that Lt. Janssen and two other men had left the scene in a rubber boat.

#### Reid. F. Fellows

Lt. Reid F. Fellows '42, 1525 Goodrich Avenue, St. Paul, Army Air Force pilot, died in Italy on December 7, according to word received from the War Department by his father, Fred B. Fellows, who is general secretary of the St. Paul Association of Commerce. He was one of the first pilots to leave St. Paul after the United States entered the war. He was the son of Mrs. Paul W. Janssen of Worthington and was a graduate of Worthington high school.

Lt. Janssen enlisted in the Army Air Forces in the fall of 1941 and was called into service on January 5, 1942.

#### Edwin Joseph Welte

Lt. Edwin Joseph Welte '38Md, USNR, former member of the Minneapolis General Hospital staff, was reported killed in the landing on Tarawa in the Pacific on November 20. The landing boat in which he was going ashore was struck by a Japanese mortar shell.

Dr. Welte held a reserve commission in the Navy medical corps and was called to active duty early in the war. He saw service at Guadalcanal and other South Pacific points.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Welte of Crookston and attended St. Johns University before entering the University. His wife, Eleanor Jacobson Welte, and son, James Arthur, 23 months old, live at 2057 Laurel Avenue, St. Paul.

Among those in the landing boat with Lt. Welte was another Minnesotan, Lt. Jay O'Dell '34Ex, USNR, of St. Paul, who was wounded.

#### Lloyd S. Johnson

Lt. Lloyd S. Johnson '42Ex, former student in the College of Education, died in England last fall of wounds received in action, according to word received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sever Johnson, 194 Fuller Avenue, St. Paul. He was commissioned in June, 1943, and had been on active duty in the European theatre of war since that time.

#### James W. Hansen

Sergeant James W. Hansen '39, was killed in action in Italy on October 27, 1943. He was in the field artillery and attached to the Fifth Army. Before entering the Army he was registered in the Graduate School and worked in the office of Dean T. R. McConnell of the School of Science, Literature, and the Arts. His home was in St. Paul.

#### Hoyt A. Ross

Major Hoyt A. Ross '40Ex, has been reported killed as the result of an airplane crash somewhere in Australia where he has been on active duty for almost two years. He held a reserve commission in the infantry but entered the Army Air Forces when called into service immediately after Pearl Harbor. His wife, Mrs. Mabel Ross, lives at 4226 Scott Terrace, Minneapolis.

#### Missing

Lt. Robert G. Kramer '44Ex, navigator-bombardier in the Army Air Forces, has been missing in action since a raid over Italy on November 26, his relatives have been notified by the War Department. He was based in Sardinia. He entered service in March, 1942, was commissioned at Hondo Field, Texas, and went overseas in May, 1943.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kramer, 5152 Russell Avenue S., Minneapolis. His wife and daughter, Linda, live at 2315 Irving Avenue S.

Lt. E. Wilkie Schanke '44Ex, bomber pilot, has been reported missing in action following his fourteenth raid over Europe on December 16. He received his wings in April, 1943, at Yuma, Ariz., and flew his first bombing mission two weeks after arriving in England early in September. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Schanke, 2001 Girard Avenue S., Minneapolis. He is a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity.

Lt. John A. Bienapfl '42Ex, was reported missing after a flight over France on New Year's Eve, He is an air corps bombardier and was commissioned on May 8, 1943. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Bienapfl, 4023 Fremont Avenue N., Minneapolis. His wife (Mariam Johnson '42) lives at 3833 Standish Avenue, Minneapolis.

#### Prisoner

Lt. Carleton E. Mills '40B, has been reported a prisoner of war in Germany. He was a bombardier with an air group operating from a Mediterranean base and shot down over Germany. His wife is the former Marion Opstad '40. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Mills, 3507 Twelfth Avenue S., Minneapolis.



The director of the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University is a former student of the University, Lt. Rosser H. Matson (seated). He attended the University in 1920-21. Standing, in the picture, is Ross Jordan '44IT, NROTC senior. Lt. Matson was called to active duty in January, 1942, as an ordnance engineer and he came to the University as assistant professor of naval science and tactics in April, 1943. Before entering the service he was with Brown and Bigelow in St. Paul.

## \* \* Minnesotans in Uniform



#### Alumni War Records

INCLUDED in this department is information about Minnesota alumni in service which has been received recently in the office of the Minnesota Alumnus and the Alumni Records office. It is not intended as a directory of former students of the University in uniform but is a continuation of the lists which have appeared in preceding issues of the magazine.

Additional news items about Minnesota men and women in the armed forces are to be found in the class note section and elsewhere in the magazine.

The Minnesota Alumnus is anxious to receive information about all graduates and former students of the University who are now serving in the armed forces of the nation and in auxiliary organizations. This information becomes a part of the permanent Alumni War Records file being kept in the Alumni Records office.

Schaub, Harold W. 14Ex, Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry. AST unit. State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa.

Malmer, Alvin J. '20Ex, Second Lieutenant, AAF (navigator).

Klassy, Merrill H. '22Ex, Camp Barkeley, Texas.

Taney, Clifford Augustine, Jr. '24LLB, Captain. ASN 012846. 2141 Eye Street N. W., Washington, D. C.

Shadduck, Nobel '26BS; '33LLB. Seaman 1st Class.

Juers, Edward H. '27Ex, Lieutenant Commander.

Shockey, Houstin '27BA; '29LLB. Lieutenant, USNR. 995 Market Street, San Francisco, California.

Bergren, C. Leslie '29BS (Ed.) Adjutant. 19th Photo. Charting Sqdrn., Bradley Field, Conn.

Dashiell, Joseph A. '29BBA. Lieutenant Colonel. Stationed with the Eighth Air Force in England.

Fleming, Fred John '29DDS, Lieutenant, Stationed at Couer d'Alene, Idaho.

Hyberg, Edward C. '29DDS, 1st

Lieutenant, Promoted at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri.

Kucera, Henry '29DDS, Captain.

Normann, Ruth A. '29BA; '30MA. Pvt. WAC Detachment, Army Air Base, Salinas, California.

Reutiman, Frank R. '29BME, Lieutenant (j.g.)

Anderson, Harold Milton '30BS (Ed). 1st Lieutenant.

Kipp, John V. '30Ex. Major, USMCR.

Lunden, Walter Albin '30MA, Captain, Specialist Reserve.

Schneider, Mrs. George R. (Shirley F. Warner '30BA; '33MA). 2nd Lieutenant, USMCWR, Barracks No. 225, U.S.M.C. Air Station, Cherry Point, North Carolina.

Troost, Henry B. '30MD. Captain. Flight Surgeon, Air Corps, now overseas.

Yock, William Julius '30DDS. Lieutenant Commander.

Anderson, Melvin K. '31BS; '38-MA. First Lieutenant, Cherry Point, North Carolina.

Brakke, Hubert E. '31BME. Major. Camp Haan, Elsinore, California.



Following his graduation as a navigator in the Army Air Forces at Hondo, Texas, in December, Lt. Burton Petri '42, spent two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. O. Petri, 1728 Irving Avenue N., Minneapolis.

Sather, George Allen '31Ex. Captain.

Smith, Everett E. '31BA; '33LLB. Lieutenant. Judge Advocate Qms. Div. Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

Bugby, Waldo D. '32DDS. Dispensary 32. Camp Waldron, Farragut, Idaho.

Burt, Donald T. '32DDS, Lieutenant. Dental Corps, USNR. Camp Waldron, Farragut, Idaho.

Norton, Thomas C. '32Ex. Member of submarine chaser crew.

Shapiro, Sydney H. '32Ex, 1st Lieutenant. Stationed at Station Hospital, Homestead A.A.F., Homestead, Florida.

Adams, Edward L. '33BA. Red Cross Assistant Field Director. In North Africa.

Brinker, Russell C. '33MSCE. Lieutenant Commander. CEC — USNR, Training Officer. Quarters "C," Naval Advance Base Depot. Davisville, Rhode Island.

Confeld, Morton '33Ex. Lieutenant. 328th Fighter Control Squadron, Painefield, Wash.

Fransen, Walter E. '33Ex. Petty Officer Second Class. Stationed in Trinidad, British West Indies.

Heino, Arne W. '33BME, Lieutenant (j.g.)

Krause, Carl W. '33Md, Captain. Stationed at Fort Snelling.

Blume, Rudyard E., '34AA, Sergeant. Air Base Band, Columbia Air Base, South Carolina. Residence address: RFD No. 1, Box 500, West Columbia, South Carolina.

Burns, Frank R. '34Ex, Corporal. Stationed at Drew Field, Florida.

Campbell, Thomas R. '34Ex, Lieutenant. Stationed in California.

Fait, Roman V. '34Md, Lieutenant. Now on duty as a medical officer of a marine aircraft unit. He has been awarded a citation for his help in minimizing malaria. His wife and three children live in Little Falls, Minn.

Gasink, Ruth E. '34BA. Is doing mental rehabilitation work in a Red Cross Hospital in North Africa.

Moran, James P. '34BS (Phm.), Captain. Naughton, John M. '34Ex, Lieu-

O'Bryan, Charles D. '34Ex, Staff Sergeant. Stationed at Long Beach, California.

Stolpestad, Herbert L. '34Md, 1st Lieutenant. U. S. Medical Corps, Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania.

Arent, Louis J. '35BChem, 1st Lieutenant,

Bain, Kathryn '35GN, Lieutenant. Army Nurses Corps. Mason General Hospital. Brentwood, Long Island, New York.

Bernstein, Jerome W. '35Ex, 2nd Lieutenant. Commissioned in antiaircraft artillery at Camp Davis, North Carolina.

Burg, Erwin J. '35BA, Lieutenant

(j.g.)

Dreveskracht, Lloyd R. '35BA; '39MS. Captain. He is working on an assignment with an engineering unit in New York, N. Y. Residence address: 3 Washington Avenue, Hartsdale, N. Y.

Grover, Donald C. '35BArchE,

Corporal.

Howard, Eric G. 35Md, Commissioned a Naval Lieutenant in Minneapolis.

Larson, Earl R. '35LLB, Lieuten-

ant (j.g.)

McInnis, Elwood L. '35Ex, 2nd Lieutenant in the anti-aircraft artillery, Camp Davis, North Carolina.

Mark, Charles '35Ex, 1st Lieutenant.

Peterson, Gordon A. '35BCE, Electrician's Mate (3/c).

Peterson, John D. '35BMS, Captain.

Randall, Herman W. '35AA, Major. U. S. Army Air Corps, Elgin Field, Valparaiso, Florida.

West, R. L., Jr. '35Ex, Lieutenant. He is now living at Uvalde Courts, Uvalde, Texas. He is the son of Dr. R. L. West '09MS, of Waseca.

Anderson, George B. '35BS(Ed), 1st Lieutenant.

Bartoletti, Angelo B. '35Ex. Stationed in San Diego, California with the U. S. Navy.

Carlson, Rodger A. '36BBA, Ensign.

De Winter, William J., Jr. '36-BBA. Ensign.

Downey, Walter V. '36AA. USNR. Stationed in Boston.

Frellsen, Maurice L. '36Ex, Ser-

Kuehn, Douglas A. '36BME, Captain. Stationed in Ireland.



Lt. Lawrence C. Lundberg '41Ed, Airacobra pilot, supported the Marines in their landing operations on the Cape Gloucester, New Britain, front. Lt. Lundberg, formerly of Albert Lea, entered service in April, 1941, and was sent to the Southwest Pacific last September. His wife, the former Dorothy Murdock, lives at 2419 Eighth Street S., Minneapolis.

Lindstrom, Howard G. '36Ex, 1st Lieutenant.

Simon, William J. '36DDS. Lieutenant in the Army Dental Corps. He is assigned to Fort Hayes, Ohio.

Todd, Kay, Jr. '36LLB, 1st Lieutenant. He is now overseas with the Paratroops Infantry.

Austin, Julianna H. '37BS, Private. Assigned to Cooks' and Bakers' School.

Benninghoff, Bertha '37Ex, Platoon Sergeant, In North Africa.

Bockus, Herman '37BBA, Lieutenant, Marine Corps.

Ferriss, William B. '37BA(UC)., 1st Lieutenant. Stationed in Australia.

Gandrud, Rudolph V. '37DDS,

Captain.

Kehl, Ervin W. '37BA. Captain in Medical Administrative Corps. He is an Instructor in the Department of Training at the Medical Field Service School, Carlisle Barracks, Pa.

Klemer, Elizabeth J. '37BA. American Red Cross, Staff Assistant. She will be overseas for the duration.

Kretsch, John R. '37Ex, Ensign. Stationed at Miami, Florida.

Kurz, Clarence B. '37DDS, Lieutenant. Stationed at Camp Crowder, Missouri. Lindquist, Loren M. '37BA, Lieutenant, USN Chaplain.

Long, James J. '37BBA, Staff Ser-

geant. He is in Cairo.

Miller, Harold E. '37Md, Captain. Perrin, Samuel D. '37MA, Lieutenant (j.g.), USNR. Fort Schuyler, Bronx, New York.

Tollefson, Roy M. '37BA; '40BS (Ed), Aviation Radio Technician,

2nd class.

Van Sadelhoff, Harold T. '37Ex, Gunnery Sergeant, Marine Corps. Stationed in the South Pacific.

Weingarden, Max G. '37BBA, Lieutenant (j.g.) Stationed in the South

Pacific.

Williams, Robert F. '37BBA, En-

sign. Stationed overseas.

Wilson, Lorraine '37Ex, Staff Assistant with the American Red Cross Recreation Service in North Africa.

Bohlig, Lyle '38BBA. In service with the Army Medical Corps.

Brydahl, Irving L. '38BÉE. With the 536th Fighter Squadron, 87th Group, A.A.B., Richmond, Virginia.

Carlson, John R. '38Ex, 2nd Lieutenant. Commissioned as Navigator at San Marcos, Texas.

Freeburg, James W. '38BBA. (A/C) at AAF Advanced Flying School, Stockton, California.

Freeman, Doris R. '38BS, 2nd Lieutenant, WAC. Stationed with the WAC Recruiting Service in Austin, Texas.

Lundquist, Gilmore '38AA, Major. Bomber pilot and commanding officer of a bombing squadron.

Moos, Daniel J. '38Md, Captain.

Mott, George F. '38Ph.D., Lieutenant Colonel. Governor Shepherd Apartments, 2121 Virginia Avenue, N. W. Washington 7, D. C.

Rudoy, Irving L. '38Ex, Sergeant, Runyon, G. Lee '38Ex, Captain, USA (Ordnance Division). Stationed at Washington, D. C. Residence: 1125 North Kenilworth, Arlington, Virginia.

Sturley, Rodney F., Jr. '38Md, Captain. Stationed in the South Pa-

Walch, Helen M. '38GN. Stationed at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey.

Watten, Einer '38Ex, 1st Lieutenant.

Alkire, Thomas R. '39EM, Lieutenant, Naval Air Corps, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Anderson, Hubert L. '39Md, Lieutenant Commander. Stationed in the South Pacific.

Baughman, Ernest T. '39BS; '41MS, Seaman, First Class. Section A, Co. 12, 1st Bn. Naval Armory, Chicago, Illinois.

Benjamin, Daniel M. '39BS, Phm.

Mate 1/c.

Blair, Samuel V. '39Ex, Captain. Bronson, Melvin R. '39Ex, Ser-

geant. Victorville, California. Chase, Harold E. '39BS, Lieutenant, stationed at Camp Polk, Louisi-

ana.

Dahlberg, Paul C. '39Ex, Yeoman

1/c. In the Atlantic.

Dilly, Vincent S. '39Ex, Lieutenant. Bombardier on the 8th Air Force Liberator, "War Horse." Hummelgard, Conrad A. '39BBA,

1st Lieutenant.

Jacobson, Marion '39Ex, (A.S.), Naval Reserve Midshipmen's School, Northampton, Mass.

Jensen, Harold B. '39BBA, Stationed at the Harvard Navy Supply

School.

Lie, Gunnar R. '39BArch, Captain. Instructor in the Coast Artillery School at Camp Davis, North Caro-

Lutzi, Phillip R. '39Ex, 2nd Lieutenant in the Field Artillery. Stationed in the North African Area.

McTarnaghan, Mary K. '39BBA. Has taken a military leave of absence from the University to join the WAVES.

Marszalek, Joseph C. '39Ex, Pharmacist's Mate 3/c, at Farragut, Ida-

Milham, Roy E., Jr. '39Ex, Lieutenant, USA. Stationed at Camp Stewart, Georgia.

Nilsestuen, John S. '39Ex, S. Sergeant, 100th BFTG. Marana Army

Air Field, Tucson, Ariz.

Norvold, Rudolph W. '39DDS; '41MSD, Lieutenant. At Great Lakes, Illinois.

Palmerton, Ernest S. '39Md, Captain.

Plotkin. Edward I. '39BA. A/C. At Maxwell Field, Alabama.

Sartell, Thomas F. '39BA, Ensign. Has been on convoy duty in the Atlantic theater, in Great Britain and Africa.

Schulte, John M. '39DDS, Captain. Smith, John B. '39BA, Ensign, USNR. Stationed in Washington, Office of Naval Procurement.

Thompson, Carl O. '39Md, Cap-

Thompson, Russell A. '39Ex, 2nd Lieutenant, Frederick Flying Field, Oklahoma.

Thompson, Stanton C. '39Ex, Technical Sergeant, Infantry, Fort Benning, Georgia.

Watson, Robert D. '39BBA, En-Ground School Instructor, sign. Wold-Chamberlain Airport, Minneapolis, Minn.

Wayland, Russel G. '39Ex, Captain. Minerals Specialist for War Department. Residence: 602 Arlington Village, Arlington, Virginia.

Wentworth, Hobart L. '39BME, Ensign.

Binger, C. Robert '40BS, Ensign, NAC. Anacostia Field, Washington, D. C.

Brooks, Rodney C. '40Ex, Captain. Camp Horn, Arizona.

Cairneross, Renolds L., Jr. '40Ex, USA, Savannah, Georgia.

Donehower, Ross J. '40BS, 2nd Lieutenant, Flying Instructor. Address: Box 842, Marfa, Texas.

Ellery, Donald, '40MA, 1st Lieu-

Englund, Elvin F., Jr. '40BS; '42MB, Lieutenant. Mc AAF, 0-470431. SAAAB, Santa Ana, Calif.

Gess, Wallace G. '40Ex, Sergeant, Stationed at Statesboro, Georgia.

Herrmeyer, Ruth L. '40Ex. In the personnel division of the Red Cross. Stationed in Hawaii.

Hjetland, Robert I. '40BS, Lieutenant, USA AC. Stationed at Muskogee, Oklahoma.

Hnath, Helen E. '40Ex, Sergeant. Camp LeJeune, New River, North Carolina.

Hoefer, Orrin B. '40AA, 1st Lieutenant. Stationed in England.

## Alumni on Active Duty

Lt. Col. Harold W. Cox '29, former faculty member at Marshall high school in Minneapolis, is an executive officer in the Air Transport Command, Washington, D. C. When he reported for active duty in December, 1940, he became an executive officer at the Reception Center, Fort Snelling. Since leaving Fort Snelling, his duties have taken him to foreign points including Newfoundland, Labrador and to Alaska. . . . Ensign Wesley G. Tomhave '42, USNR, commissioned at Columbia University, March, 1943, has been on duty in the Southwest Pacific for several months.

Lt. Charles D. Wiley '40IT, is an instructor at the Engineer School, Fort Belvoir, Virginia, and he reports that he has had several Minnesotans in his classes. He was in an accident in September which put him in Walter Reed hospital for a few months but he is now back on the job.

After spending 18 months at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, Lt. R. E. McCollom '42IT', was transferred to Chicago and then to Minneapolis. He declares that it's mighty good to be back in Minnesota again. He is in the Minneapolis Area Office, A. A. F., 420 Plymouth Building.

Earl D. Stakston '41Ag, who saw service in the Hawaiian Islands and on Guadalcanal from November, 1942, to April, 1943, has been promoted to the grade of first lieutenant at the Infantry Replacement Center, Camp Wolters, Texas. Lt. Stakston is administrative officer of a company in the 62nd training battalion. In the Organized Reserves since 1936, he was ordered to active duty in January, 1942, and completed a training course in rifle and heavy weapons at Fort Benning, Ga. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Stakston, Noonan, N. D.

Roderick A. Lawson '42, has been promoted to first lieutenant in the Army Signal Corps and is stationed in Philadelphia. His wife is the former Helen Thoreen '43, of Stillwater. Their residence address is 5376 Wingohocking Heights, Philadelphia.

Capt. John D. Peterson '35IT, had a 30-day leave from his overseas duties in November and on November 6 he was married to Marjorie Walker of Merion, Pa. He has returned overseas. . . . Lt. Ralph J. Lundeen '42Ed, is stationed at the Army Air Base at Blythe, Calif. . . . Cpl. Hans George Hirsch '41Ag; '42Gr, is attending the Military Government Course, Provost Marshal General's School at Fort Custer, Mich. . . . Lawrence H. Flynn '41B, has been promoted to lieutenant (j.g.), USNR, and is serving as a disbursing officer with the fleet.

Hughes, William E. '40Ex, Private. Army Air Corps, Midland, Texas.

Kelley, Lester B. '40Ex, U. S. Maritime Service, 39 Broadway, New York, N. Y.

La Casse, James M. '40Ex, 1st

Lieutenant.

Lofquist, Lloyd H. '40BA; '41MA, 1st Lieutenant.

McDaniel, Fred C. '40Ex, Lieutenant, USA. Camp Hood, Texas.

Mahle, Herbert N. '40BME, USNR, Norfolk, Virginia.

Nielsen, Jonathan '40BA. Chaplain, U. S. Army, England.

Patton, Evan J. '40AA, Lieutenant, U. S. Army Air Force, New Guinea.

Paulson, Kermit P. '40Ex, Corporal.

Paulson, Philip J. '40BS. Supply Officer, Army. 188th General Hospital, Camp Robinson, Ark. Philip, Charles '40BBA. ASTU, VPI, Blacksburg, Virginia.

Rank, Chester S. '40BA, Sergeant, USA. Co. 2—Reception Center, Fort Snelling, Minn.

Roedler, George R. '40Ex, Lieutenant, in Louisiana.

Rom, William N. '40BS, Lieutenant, U. S. Naval Reserve, Washington, D. C.

Scarp, Robert C. '40Ex, 1st Lieutenant.

Selover, Robert B. '40Ph.D., Lieutenant (j.g.) Residence Address: 1680 Charon Road, Jacksonville 5, Florida. Business: Lieutenant H-V (S) USNR. Naval Air Gunners School, Air Tech. Training Center, Jacksonville, Florida.

Shapiro, Byron M. '40, formerly in the Army Air Corps, has been given a medical discharge. Sharkey, William R. '40BS. Ensign, USNR, Deck Officer.

Sigford, Kenneth J. '40DDS, 1st Lieutenant, D. C. Station Hospital, Mississippi Ordnance Plant, Jackson, Mississippi. Residence: 730 North Street, Jackson, Mississippi.

Silness, Arnold N. '40MA, 2nd Lieutenant, Signal Corps, 20th Signal Center Team, Camp Crowder, Missouri.

Simpson, Paul H. '40BS, Ground Instructor, AAF Primary Flying School, Helena Aero Tech. AAF Reserve Status, Helena, Arkansas. Residence: 1317 Porter Street, Helena, Arkansas.

Slifer, Robert L. '40BAero., Lieutenant. Stationed with a weather squadron in the Aleutians.

Snyder, John R. '40BS, 2nd Lieutenant, Signal Corps at Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

Soniat, Dr. Theodore L. '40MS, Captain, M.C. AAF. MacDill Field Base Hospital, Tampa, Fla.

Stevenson, Charles W. '40BA, En-

sign.

Stolurow, Lawrence M. '40BA, Lieutenant. AAF. Buckingham Army Air Field, Fort Myer, Fla.

Svien, Orwell E. '40BS, serving with the Army.

Tornes, Howard '40Ex, Major, Army Air Corps, Selman Field, Louisiana.

Towner, Harold E. '40Ex, 2nd Lieutenant, AAF (navigator).

Anderson, Robert R. '41Ex, Captain.

Bache-Wigg, Robert O. '41Ex. A/C. Army Air Corps, Buckley Field, Denver, Colorado.

Barnett, Donald B. '41BA, 2nd Lieutenant, Anti-Aircraft Artillery.

Boosalis, Michael G. '41BS. Is training at bombardier school, Big Spring, Texas. Will be a flying officer.

Brown, Gordon A. '41Md, 1st Lieutenant. Medical Corps, 22nd Alt. Tng. Unit. Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Alabama. Residence: 110 Agnew Street, Montgomery, Alabama.

Busch, Frederick F. '41Ex, 1st Lieutenant. Stationed in the South Pacific.

Finnegan, William F., Jr. '41BS, Lieutenant. USMC. San Diego, California. Residence: 4921 Saratoga Avenue, San Diego, California.

Gibson, George W. '41Ex, Av. Radio Tech. Stationed at the Naval Air Base, San Diego, Calif.

## All Over the World

Three brothers in service: Major Wendell G. Peterson '39Md, Army Medical Corps, is in charge of the Orthopedic Ward at Gorgas Memorial Hospital, Ancon, Canal Zone, where he has been stationed for 13 months. Lt. (j.g.) Carrell A. Peterson '43Md, USNR, has completed his internship at the Murray Hospital, Butte, Mont., and has been assigned to duty at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Seattle, Wash. Lt. Melville A. Peterson '42Ex, is a navigation instructor in the Army Air Forces and is stationed at Selman Field, La. Their home is in Warren, Minn.

Lt. Col. Carl Berzelius '29E, has been assigned to an important post in the Movement Division of the Office of the Chief of Transportation in Washington, after nearly two years of duty at the San Francisco Port of Embarkation. Col. Berzelius, a Coast Artillery officer assigned to the Transportation Corps, was assistant to the director of the Operations Division at the San Francisco Port of Embarkation and prior to that served as commandant of the Pacific Coast Transportation Corps Officers Training School at Camp Stoneham, Calif.

His wife and family reside at 2212 Twelfth Avenue, Rockford, Ill. He is the son of Mrs. Ida Berzelius, 1017 East Twenty-second Street,

Minneapolis.

Major Asher A. White '30Md, Army Medical Corps, of Minneapolis, is stationed at Oak Ridge, Tenn., as the member of a medical group which serves the employees of the Clinton Engineering works. Oak Ridge is near Norris Dam. Major White is the son of Dr. S. Marx White,

professor emeritus of medicine in the Medical School.

Lt. Marshall Crowley '28B, USNR, is stationed at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Ward Island, Corpus Christi, Texas. . . Lt. (j.g.) Alden J. Van Deusen '41ChE, USNR, was commissioned in 1942 and is now on active duty with the Pacific Fleet. . . Capt. Byron L. Swanson '39UC, promoted in December, is now stationed on Attu in the Infantry and his brother, Capt. Kenneth H. Swanson '42D, is in the Army Dental Corps in California. The engagement of the latter to Miss Jean Pfiefer of Glendale, Calif., was announced recently. . . Capt. Harris H. Hansen '41, has recently been transferred from the Army Air Depot, Spokane, Wash., to Headquarters, 15th Statistical Control Unit, Air Service Command, Patterson Field, Fairfield, Ohio. . . Lt. (j.g.) Paul Allen '43D, USNR, is on the dental staff in the Naval Air Station at Pasco, Wash. . . Lt. Robert H. Okeg '42D, USNR, has been stationed in Hawaii with the Navy Dental Corps for the past year.

## Keeping in Touch with Class Members

#### -1885-

Howard S. Abbott '85 former federal master in chancery and United States Commissioner, died on January 7 at his home, 900 Sixth Street S. E., after an illness of about two years. He was 80. Mr. Abbott was born in Farmington, Minn., on September 15, 1863.

He began practice as a railroad attorney when he was admitted to the state bar in 1887. In addition to his railroal legal work, Mr. Abbott lectured on public and private corporations at the University from 1897 to 1927. In 1890 he was appointed attorney for the Santa Fe railway in Chicago and in 1897 was named special master in chancery for receiverships of the Union Pacific and auxiliary lines.

Subsequently he was master in chancery in several railroad receiverships, and was master in chancery for federal court in Minnesota from 1898 until his retirement two years ago.

From 1907 to 1912 he was one of the commissioners on uniform legislation for the American Bar Association and a director of the Minneapolis Trust Company. He was the author of several volumes on public and private corporations and on the elements of corporation law and in 1942 he was elected to membership in the Eugene Field Society, national literary organization, for the "literary skill and craftsmanship" he displayed in his many legal treatises. Mr. Abbott was a member of various professional associations, the Minneapolis Club and Delta Kappa Epsilon and Phi Delta Phi fraternities.

While a student on the campus, he was managing editor of the Ariel, student newspaper and also served as an editor of the class yearbook. He married Mary L. Johnson and they had one daughter and one son.

#### -1891-

Martin E. Remmen '91L, died in Glendale, California sometime in November. After his graduation from the University, he practiced law in Valley City, North Dakota. Later he became the state's attorney of Adams Country, North Dakota, and was a practicing lawyer there until March, 1934. He was 78.

#### -1892-

Leo Goodkind '92, prominent St. Paul merchant until his retirement last year, died on December 14 at Miller Hospital, St. Paul. He was 74. He was an executive officer of Schuneman and Mannheimer. Burial was in New York.

Eugene H. Day '92Ex ('88-89L), died in Balboa, California, December 5, 1943. He was a member of the Minneapolis Real Estate Board and had been identified with the retail lumber business in Minneapolis since 1895. He was a director of the Marquette National Bank until 1942 when he resigned, a life member of the Minneapolis Athletic Club, and a member of Phi Kappa Psi. Surviving are his wife, a daughter, two sons, six grandchildren, and one great grandson.

#### -1895-

Margaret Lana Lawrence '95L, died Christmas Day in Minneapolis. She was a public school teacher in Minneapolis for 30 years and had been active in many organizations. She was engaged in home missionary work with the Baptist Missions Board, and was a member of the Captain John Holes chapter of the D.A.R.; chapter A, P.E.O.; College Women's Club; University of Minnesota Alumni Club; WCTU; Minnesota Territorial Pioneers; University Baptist Church; National Council of Americanization; Women's Home Baptist Mission Society, and a life member of Coffman Memorial Association.

#### -1897-

Francis X. Mooney '97Ex, died in San Carlos, California, December 31, 1943. He was 69.

#### -1903-

Dr. A. E. Johnson '03Md, died January 1. He practiced medicine in Madison, Minn., later moving to Watertown, South Dakota. For 27 years he was physician and surgeon there, and was a leader in building and maintaining the Luther Hospital in Watertown. He was a member of the American College of Surgeons.

#### -1909-

The northwest section of the American Society of Civil Engineers recently honored Frederick T. Paul '09CE, by electing him vice-president. Mr. Paul is Minneapolis city engineer.

#### -1911-

The Office of Price Administration recently announced that Edward B. Cosgrove '11, has been named to a canned vegetables industry advisory committee. Appointments to the committee are made in accordance with the OPA policy to consult with and seek advice from industry representatives on matters affecting pricing of their products. Mr. Cosgrove is a company official of the Minnesota Valley Canning Company, Le Sueur, Minnesota.

## Nursing Alumnae in Service

Minnesota's School of Nursing is now the largest school of nursing in the United States with a total of 1,025 students this month. A large number of its graduates are on duty with the armed forces and thus through its present expanded training program and through its alumnae, it is making a valuable contribution to the victory effort of the nation.

Here are the addresses of some of the nursing alumnae in service: Florence Randall '38 (Mrs. R. L. Heermance), Station Command Service, Fort Riley, Kansas; Lois E. Tupper '40, AAFNC, Station Hospital, Lowry Field, Colorado; Mabel L. Johnson '29, Station Hospital, Fort Riley, Kansas; Alyce Logefeil '40, ANC, Gardiner General Hospital, 1660 East Hyde Park, Chicago; Jean Ellingson '43, Schick General Hospital, Clinton, Iowa; Selpha Everson '42, AAFNC, Station Hospital, Patterson Field, Ohio; Mari Jane Ludden '42, AAFNC, Station Hospital, Patterson Field, Ohio; Ann Maertz '39, and Genevieve Paff '43, Station Hospital, Camp Carson, Colorado; Margaret Mewaldt '42, Post Hospital, Fort Riley, Kansas; Adele Edmonds '35, and Merilys Porter '39, AAFNC, School of Air Evacuation, Bowman Field, Kentucky; Beatrice Ogard '42, Station Hospital, Camp Phillips, Kansas.

#### -1917-

Mrs. R. G. Cerney (Lucille Noble '17), 1927 East River Terrace, Minneapolis, died on December 11. She was 48.

#### -1918-

Quincy H. Hale '15; '18L, has been engaged in the practice of law in La Crosse, Wisconsin, ever since he was discharged from the Army in 1919 following service in World War I. He has three daughters.

Commander Chester J. Mattson '18Ex, is commanding officer of the Fiftieth Naval Construction Battalion (Seabees) at an advanced island base in the Pacific. He was home on leave in December to visit his wife and children who live at 5009 Stevens Avenue, Minneapolis. Before going into service, Commander Mattson was a construction engineer with the Minneapolis Dredging Company.

lis Dredging Company.

Frank Kuehn '18; '20Gr, died in Asbury hospital in Minneapolis on January 9. From 1928 until he retired a year ago because of ill health, Mr. Kuehn had been superintendent of Bloomington Consolidated schools and lived on Route 1, Minneapolis. Before coming to Bloomington he had served for three years as superintendent at Wanamingo, Minn., and had taught in schools at New Ulm and Bertha, Minn., and at Russell and Jud, N. D.

#### -1920-

Norman Nelson '20, is associate professor of English at the University of Michigan and he also serves on the executive board of the Graduate School. From 1921 to 1924 he was an assistant in English at the University of Illinois and was an instructor at Tufts College from 1924 to 1927. In 1928 he received his Ph.D. degree from Harvard University and joined the faculty of the University of Michigan as an assistant professor of Rhetoric. He is married and has two children.

Edward A. Mooney '20BA(Ed), principal of Sheridan elementary and junior high school, died recently.

#### -1922-

Claude A. Thompson '22CE, has been appointed district engineer of the eighth highway district. He will have general supervision over construction and maintenance in the Marshall and Willmar districts, but for the present will retain his residence in Mankato.

#### -1923-

Nels Johnson '23CE, has been appointed district maintenance engineer at Mankato. He has been associated with the Highway Department since



Sgt. Warner F. Clapp, former staff member of the Photo Laboratory at University Farm, now an Army photographer, made more than 11,000 feet of movies during the New Georgia battle. He has been through two campaigns in the South Pacific since going overseas ten months ago. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Warner F. Clapp, 1882 Ashland Avenue, St. Paul.

1925 and during 1943 was the Engineer of Rural Highway Surveys and Plans. He will move to Mankato from St. Paul.

#### -1927-

John E. Barry '27Ex, has been appointed managing director of the Commodore Hotel in St. Paul. He was associated with the Lowry Hotel for ten years, and recently was its assistant manager.

#### -1928-

Donald A. Gordon '28Ex, has been in the Army since July, 1942, and he is now a Captain in the Medical Corps stationed in the Aleutians. He reports that he is fine and is "practicing" in a pyramid tent on the windswept, muddy slopes of a mountain.

#### -1929-

Major George B. Smith '29; '30G, peacetime dean of the College of Education of the University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kan., is now stationed at Camp Banning in California. He was home on furlough this month.

#### -1930-

Rolland Lorenz '30Ag, is in charge of a rubber development project at Tingo Maria, Peru. In addition to the task of supervising the setting out of about 200,000 rubber trees he is also getting a cinchona plantation started.

Wedworth L. Beard '30Ed, is with Northwest Airlines, Inc., Vandalia, Ohio. His mailing address is Route 5, Box 164, Dayton 5, Ohio. Mrs. Beard is the former Gunda K. Waldor

William J. Conroy '30B, has left his post as associate editor and business manager of The Catholic Bulletin, a diocesan paper. He recently was commissioned a lieutenant, junior grade, in the Navy and will report for duty at the Navy Indoctrination School at the University of Arizona in Tucson. For sixteen years he was associated with the paper, being a part-time assistant while still at the University. After his graduation, he was appointed associate editor and later became its business manager also. Lt. and Mrs. Conroy and their two children, Stephen and Julie, reside at 6609 Oliver Avenue South, Minneapolis. While attending the University, Lt. Conroy was a member of the Minnesota Daily staff,

#### -1931-

Webster F. Soules '31EE, Lieutenant Colonel in the U. S. Army Signal Corps has been transferred to a new assignment abroad and recently moved his wife, the former Helen Wildes '31, and children to Minneapolis.

#### -1932-

Edward G. Bigot '32Ed, has been commissioned a second lieutenant at Fort Washington, Maryland.

Major Martin J. Fuerst '32Ex, is on duty as a Weather Officer at the Merced Army Air Field. His wife and son reside in Merced, California.

Lt. Donald T. Burt '32D, Dental Corps, USNR, is stationed at Camp Waldron, Farragut, Idaho.

#### -1933-

Major William C. Harrison '33Md, is a patient at Billing General Hospital, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. He was injured in an aircraft accident in November, 1942.

Nobel Shadduck '33L, has resigned as enforcement attorney for the Twin Cities' district of the Office of Price Administration to join the Navy as an enlisted man. Shadduck began work with the OPA in April, 1941. He became state counsel for Nebraska and later served as chief legal adviser for the Twin Cities' area rent control office.

Robert E. McKibben '33BChemE, formerly of Duluth, is with the Associated Engineers, Inc., Fort Wayne, Indiana. Home address: 4109 Hoagland Avenue.

Major Richard E. Krafve '33Ex, has

been assigned to the Control Division at the Third Service Command. His home is in Superior, Wisconsin. Address: 11 East Read Street, Baltimore, Maryland.

Lt. Col. Ralph S. Hardiman '33BA, who has been on active duty with the Army for nearly three years is now stationed overseas. Mrs. Hardiman, the former Gertrude Page '33BS, and their two children, David and Janet, are living at 2260 Cathedral Avenue, N. W., Washington 8, D. C.

Mrs. Andrew S. MacKenzie (Josephine Hamilton '33), her husband and two children are prisoners of the Japanese in the Philippines. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hamilton of St. Paul Park, in December had their first letter from her since the start of the war. The letter was dated August 19, 1943, Camp Holmes, Baguio, Philippines. The former Miss Hamilton went to the Philippines on a visit soon after her graduation from the University and there she met and married Mr. MacKenzie who was secretary-treasurer of the Demonstration Mine at Baguio. They visited Minnesota in 1938.

-1934-Lt. Jay Odell, Jr. '34Ex, USNR, of St. Paul, was one of the first marines to land on Tarawa in the Gilbert Islands. Odell suffered a shoulder injury when he was hit by enemy fire as his party made its landing. He reached the beach, however, and worked for two days and two nights without rest, refusing to be evacuated. Odell was employed at the Philadelphia Inquirer for eight years, and before that was sports writer for the St. Paul Pioneer Press. At the University he was a member of Psi Upsilon fraternity, Masquers, Phoenix Society, and the R.O.T.C. Before serving in the Pacific Area, Lt. Odell served in the Atlantic.

Captain John A. Anthes '34BChemE; '39Ph.D., and Mrs. Anthes announce the birth of a daughter, Jeanne Louise, on November 26. Captain Anthes is stationed in New York City where he is assigned to a project of the Corps of Engineers. They are at home at 41 Neperan Road, Tarrytown, New York.

-1935-

Morris J. Ellis '35, has been commissioned a Second Lieutenant at Fort Washington, Maryland. His home address is 315 Fenimore Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

-1936-

Major John S. Evans '36AA, pilotofficer, recently was awarded the Air Medal for his part as squadron commander in a history-making non-stop mass flight of 1,300 miles over ocean from Midway Island to Honolulu.

-1937-

James J. Long '37B, staff sergeant, was pianist in a soldier orchestra which played at a Thanksgiving party given by President Roosevelt for Prime Minister Churchill at Cairo. They answered requests from the President, Churchill, Harry Hopkins and Anthony Eden. At the end of the concert, the orchestra members were introduced to the President and Churchill.

Ensign Joseph R. Parker '37; '39LLB, living at 33 Wildway, Bronx-ville, New York, announces the birth of twins, Joseph Webber and Pamela Mary on December 29, 1943.

-1938-

Major Gilmore J. P. Lundquist '38AA, bomber pilot and commanding officer of a bombing squadron has been awarded the Air Medal and two oak leaf clusters for his participation in the Sicilian Campaign. His home is at 5337 Chicago Avenue, Minneapolis.

Pvt. Miles J. Bredvold '38, is in training at Camp Barkeley, Texas.

Falsum V. Johnson '38Jour, was married on December 11 in Aberdeen, S. D., to George E. Russell, an engineer with the Minnesota Highway Department. For the past year, Mrs. Russell was on the staff of a newspaper in Carrington, N. D.

Ensign Robert Fletcher Hodgman '38, of White Bear Lake, is now serv-

## Do You Remember When?

The following notes on the campus news of years past were taken from the files of the of the Minnesota Alumni Weekly.

January, 1908: In a basketball game, Minnesota defeated Columbia, 9 to 8. . . . The Minnesota debate team was in the news and the members of the squad were Algernon O. Colburn, Harold C. Deering, Michael J. Doherty, Albert G. Evans, Stanley B. Houck and Zenas L. Potter. . . . The athletic board of control appropriated \$5,000 for a swimming pool and running track in the Armory, . . . Plans were being made to start a campus humor magazine and the name selected for the new publication was "Minne-ha-ha." . . . A committee was named to advance the campaign for a men's building on the campus.

January, 1918: Norman Kingsley was elected captain of the 1918 Minnesota football team. . . . Among the 36 men sent to Camp Custer, Michigan, for officer training were Ralph B. Beal, Arthur Hustad, Everett Dirksen, Frederick Bruchholz, Harvard Rockwell, Harold C. Timberlake, Pierce Atwater, Glenn Gullickson, Frank C. Clapp and Mark Amundson. . . . George Hauser was named at tackle on the All-American team selected by Walter Eckersall. . . . The Minnesota Base Hospital Unit, No. 26, headed by Major Arthur A. Law, director and chief surgeon, and Major S. Marx White, chief of medicine, was ordered to Fort McPherson, Ga.

January, 1928: In the first conference basketball game of the season, the Gophers under their new coach, Dave MacMillan, defeated Iowa, 33 to 32, in the Kenwood Armory. High scorers were Mally Nydahl and Johnny Stark. . . . The Greater University Corporation announced plans to start construction of Northrop auditorium in March. . . . Howard Haycraft resigned as managing editor of Minnesota Daily and was succeeded by C. Winton Merritt.

January, 1933: The panhellenic council adopted a plan to cooperate with the Red Cross in sewing garments for needy children. Committee members were Betty Cobb, Jeannette Barquist, Betty Wood, Fern Morrison and Win Ellen McEachern. . . A committee appeared before the Regents asking that compulsory military drill be abolished for men students, . . The Regents voted to allow students to pay their tuition in two installments.

January, 1938: Work was started on the new State Board of Health building adjoining the Psychology building. . . . The Minnesota basketball team defeated Long Island University in Madison Square Garden. The long range shooting of Gordon Spear was a feature of the game. . . . On the Junior Ball executive committee were Peter Schruth, Mary Louise McLaughlin, Alden Grimes, Stanley Seaver and Bill Burgess.

ing in the Southwest Pacific. He was commissioned in the USNR at Annapolis in December, 1942.

#### -1939-

Emily B. Anderson '39GN, daughter of Ole Anderson, Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin, is an Ensign in the Navy Nurses Corps, stationed at Tarawa. She formerly was a nurse at Miller Hospital in St. Paul, and at the United States Naval Hospital in San Diego.

Captain Samuel V. Blair '39Ex, recently was awarded the Air Medal for participating in 25 operation flights in the Southwest Pacific. Home address: 3524 Pleasant Avenue, Minneapolis.

Shirley Edelston '39Ex, now serving with the WAC, has been assigned as secretary to the Director of Training at South Plains Airfield, Lubbock,

Lt. Vincent Dilly '39Ex, a bombardier on the 8th Air Force Liberator, "War Horse" has been awarded the Air Medal. He comes from Herman, Minnesota.

Sgt. George E. Flanagan '39B, has served as radio-man-gunner aboard the Flying Fortress, "Sonny II," in 25 bombing missions over Europe. Recently he was transferred to the Salt Lake City Air Base from England where he will be an instructor. His Fortress served as squadron leader on the raids, and it is credited with destroying five enemy planes. He has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with

three oak leaf clusters. His home is at 1003 8th Street S. E., Minneapolis.

Ruth Hagen '39Ed, is a medical technician with the U. S. Army Engineers at Fairbanks, Alaska.

James W. Hansen '39, Sergeant in the U. S. Army, was killed in action in Italy on October 27, 1943. He was with the Field Artillery, attached to the 5th Army.

Lt. Leland B. Gunderson '39EE; '41MS, is scheduled to receive his silver pilot's wings from the Pampa Army Air Field, Pampa, Texas. He took his primary flight training at Chickasha Flying School, Chickasha, Oklahoma, and his basic flight training at Coffeyville Air Field, Coffeyville, Kansas.

#### -1940-

Kermit Paulson '40Ex, a corporal in the Army has received the Silver Star Award for gallantry in action in Sicily. His wife lives at 2635 Aldrich Avenue North, Minneapolis.

Father Owen Linus Tekippe '40MS, was reported safe in Manila on December 15, 1943. Damian Baker, Secretary at St. John's College, had word in the first letter Father Tekippe has been allowed to write since his internment on January 4, 1942. Father Tekippe reports that he is well and comfortable enough and that he is at the College of St. Thomas in Manila with other Americans. He has been allowed to teach children in the grades and high schools. At the time of Pearl Harbor, Father Tekippe was teaching at San Beda College, Manila, P. I.

Technical Sergeant John H. Hofstedt '40Ex, has been in the Army since March, 1942. As a radio operator and gunner on a B-25 Mitchell bomber, he has flown on 50 combat missions in Africa and Italy and holds the Air Medal with nine oak leaf clusters. His wife resides at 1728 South Layton Boulevard, Milwaukee.

Walter J. Koshuba '40IT', on December 1, was made assistant superintendent of Research Engineering in charge of forging, heat treating, plating and laboratory at the Allis Chalmers supercharger works in Milwaukee.

Burton E. Frank '40AA, formerly a metallurgist with the Carnegie Illinois Steel Company at Gary, Indiana, is now in boot training at Camp Scott, Farragut, Idaho.

Foster Bens '40D, is a practicing dentist at Staples, Minnesota. The Bens have a daughter, Patricia Jean, now one year old.

S. L. Goldberg '40BChemE, A/S, is

## Student Activities This Month

Classes for civilian students were cancelled on the morning of January 14, when the building service employes of the University went on strike. All Army and Navy units on both the Main and the University Farm campuses continued their normal programs. Student activities were at a standstill with the exception of the Minnesota Daily which continued publication.

John Rukavina '44Md, resigned this month as president of the Board of Student Publications and he was succeeded by John Dablow '44, an NROTC student . . . The enrollment in the Cadet Nurses Corps has made it necessary for the School of Nursing to seek additional classroom space. A preliminary course in practical hospital techniques is given on the third floor of Northrop auditorium.

The student war bond drive was delayed by the strike and the cancellation of classes. The student committee in the Fourth War loan campaign included Josephine Dedolph, chairman, Mary Rumble, John Christinson, Marge Twedt Benson, Marie Bergman, Maxine Siegel, Louise Harris, Bernice Iverson and Lorraine Veidt . . . At the beginning of the annual Snow Week on the campus this month the student committee was faced with two major difficulties: (1) There was no snow; (2) There were no students . . . The University Theatre has asked faculty members as well as students to try out for roles in forthcoming plays.

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1943, a total of 363 students received scholarship assistance totalling \$40,794.79, according to the annual report of the Bureau of Student Loans and Scholarships issued by George B. Risty, director of the bureau. Most of the scholarships were awarded to women. The bureau approved loans to 529 students and the total was \$51,683.57 for the year. From the special War Loan fund, 407 students were granted a total of \$96,605.55. This fund, established by Congress, is open only to students registered in the technical fields most closely related to the war effort.

Alpha Tau Omega was the first academic fraternity to place its surplus funds in the student organization investment fund set up by the Board of Regents. The fraternity put one thousand dollars in the fund which is invested largely in government bonds. The policy of requiring all student organizations to invest their surplus funds in the trust fund was adopted by the Board of Regents last June... Officers of the Senior class cabinet are Robert Carlson, chairman, Donna Caldwell, Laura Mae Peterson and Daniel O'Connell . . . Skates and other outdoor winter sports equipment have been made available to service men on the campus by Coffman Union.

stationed at the U. S. Naval Training Station, San Diego, California.

Dr. Merrill E. Henslin '40Md, was present at the landing of the American forces in North Africa, in Sicily and in Italy. He is now with the Army Medical Corps in Italy. He reported for duty at Carlyle Barracks, Pa., on July 1, 1942, and was sent overseas in August, 1942. For some time he was in charge of a base hospital in Northern Tunisia. His home is in Le Roy, Minn.

#### -1941-

Lt. Delbert A. Kuehl '41, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kuehl of Minnetonka Mills, Minnesota, is serving as chaplain with the troops in Italy. Recent dispatches reveal that Lieutenant Kuehl walked into the "no-man's land" section of the fighting near San Pietro to rescue wounded comrades. Kuehl states that he and twenty other Americans surprised the men in the fighting holes and that the Germans ceased firing when they saw the faded red cross on the white flags.

Lieutenant Kuehl was ordained in March, 1941, and trained as a paratrooper at Fort Bragg, North Carolina. Earlier in the year he received recognition as the youngest jumping chap-

Capt. Richard H. Sauve '41Ex, has been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster in lieu of a second Air Medal for his participation in 25 operation flights in the Southwest Pacific.

Lt. Deno Geankoplis '41, solo violinist, played his first concert abroad recently. According to the Stars and Stripes of September 30 he played to a packed house. Lt. Geankoplis is a member of the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra. The concert abroad was sponsored by the American Army for the benefit of the French Red Cross.

Marcelle G. Bredvold '41, is a stabilization interviewer with the U. S. Employment Service in Minneapolis.

Leslie M. Holmes '41BAeroE and Mrs. Holmes, the former Margaret Marks '43Ex, are now living at 2806 Naylor Road, S. E., Washington 20, D. C. Mr. Holmes is employed as a Service Representative for Pratt and Whitney.

Elizabeth Boon '41, has moved to Milton, Florida. Her new address is: S.P.T., 3rd Class, Linktrainer Dept., U.S.N. A.A.S. Whiting Field, Milton, Florida.

Dan Brennan '41Ex, formerly with the RCAF, now a sergeant in the United States Air Force, has written another book between raids on Ger-



Ensign Michael Culhane '42, USNR, was commissioned at Northwestern University on December 22. He was the winner of the Fred Allen contest for the most talented undergraduate at the University in 1942 and was well known in musical circles as a singer. His home is at 3714 Pillsbury Avenue S., Minneapolis.

many and Italy. His latest is called, Never So Young Again.

Lt. Dick Dobrick '41IT, travelled throughout Florida in November on a manpower survey. In his party was Pfc. Luther K. Een '42Gr, and in Jacksonville he visited with Larry L. Miller '41IT, who is on the staff of the Florida Board of Health. Lt. Dobrick was home on leave in December while enroute to a new assignment with the Army Air Forces. He has been in the Army since May, 1942, and until July, 1943, he was a small arms instructor at the Ordnance Replacement Center, Aberdeen, Md. On November 3, 1943, he was graduated with a commission from the Adjutant General's School, Fort Washington, Md. -1942-

Charles Faltin '42EE, lieutenant (j.g.), is now on active duty in the South Pacific. Upon graduation he was commissioned an ensign and sent to several schools to study radio and radar.

James E. Fisher '42BChemE, a lieutenant in the Army Air Forces, is now an Engineering Officer with an airways detachment somewhere in China. He received his commission in the technical command and was stationed for some time in India.

Lieutenant (j.g.) Merlin R. Jensen, USNR is now Assistant Planning Officer, New Construction Machinery,

Puget Sound Navy Yard, Bremerton, Washington.

Robert B. Strom '42MA, has been commissioned an Ensign at the Lakehurst, New Jersey, Naval Air Station. He will serve as an airship aviator on a Navy blimp and will be assigned to a squadron for anti-submarine patrol duty along the coast.

Dr. John H. McLaughlin '42D, of Hibbing, died suddenly on September 22

Joseph W. Peterson '42Ex, has been discharged from the Army and is now doing cost accounting work in Minneapolis. His home is at 5052 Upton Avenue South.

Nick Steve Subak '42Ex, has been promoted to First Lieutenant at Camp Wolters, and is serving as plans and training officer of the 53rd training battalion.

Lt. Chester A. Swanson, USNR '42CE, is now stationed at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Alameda, California. In June, 1943, he was married to Constance O. Kiel and they are living at 527 H Palace Court, Alameda, California.

Lt. William E. McEachern '42D, returned to his duties at Fort Crook, Nebraska, in December following the completion of a six-week course at Carlyle Barracks, Pa.

Donald J. Harmer '42, and Mrs. Harmer, the former Virginia E. Johnson '43Ex, announce the birth of a daughter on August 15. Mr. Harmer is serving with the Navy and recently was transferred from Great Lakes, Illinois, to the University of Indiana.

Lt. Mary Balster '42N, Army Nursing Corps, has been in service since April, 1943, and now has an overseas address.

Donald H. Brendal '421T, is with the United Aircraft Corporation at Hartford, Conn. He is in the research division and his work has been in wind tunnel design. Last August he was married to Miss Meryl Hansen of Alexandria, Minn. His home is in Glenwood. They are living at 40 Boswell Road, West Hartford, Conn.

Richard Carleton '42Ag, is working as a supervisor in the nitrocellulose department of the Radford Ordnance Works of the Hercules Powder Company at Radford, Va. His engagement to Irene Roberts '43HEc, was announced in October.

Ensign Richard Blair Hodgman '42, of White Bear Lake, was commissioned in the USNR at the Midshipmans School at Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., in December, 1942. He is now overseas.

#### -1943-

Ensign John W. Chandler '43Ex, received his commission from the New York Midshipman's School, USS Prairie State, on October 20. On October 25 he married Mary Louise Giuliani in St. Paul. He has been assigned to Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pennsylvania, for a special course in Diesel Engineering. Address: 113 South Frazier Street, State College, Pennsylvania.

Sgt. John E. Wasche '43Ex, now a German prisoner of war, has received the Air Medal and three oak leaf clusters for bravery. Home: Mrs. Helen Wasche, Perham, Minn.

Lt. (j.g.) Sidney Becker '43BM, is taking his internship at the U. S. Naval Hospital, Great Lakes, Ill. Mr. and Mrs. Becker, the former Marjorie P. Norton '42Ex, and their young daughter, Virginia, are making their home at 1848 Pleasant, Highland Park, Illinois.

Gordon Paske '43Ed, and Mrs. Paske (Louise Boyum '43Ed), are living in Chaska, Minnesota, where Mr. Paske is Director of Music in the Chaska High School. Mr. and Mrs. Paske were married during the summer.

Ensign Robert L. Wasley '43IT, USNR, is studying radar and electronics at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was commissioned right after his graduation from the University in March, 1943, and before taking up his present studies he completed a Navy course at Bowdoin College, Brunswick, Maine. His Minneapolis address is 5100 Chowen Avenue South.

#### -1944-

Marjorie Ann Corwin, a senior at the University, is engaged to Midshipman Henry A. Montillon '43Ex, now at Annapolis, Maryland. He is a first classman and will be graduated and receive his commission as Ensign on June 7.

Harold Westerberg '44Ex, and Earl S. Hinners, Jr. '44Ex, have been commissioned Ensigns at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Lakehurst, New Jersey. They will serve as blimp pilots and will be assigned to anti-submarine patrol duty.

#### -1945-

Sgt. Joseph Kapala '45Ex, who was with the Marines on Guadalcanal is at the Marine Officers' Training School. He has been awarded the Presidential Citation. His home is at 230 13th Avenue N. E., Minneapolis.

Cpl. Thomas R. St. George '45Ex, now on the staff of the Yank Down Under tells of his experiences in the Army in his first book, C/O Postmaster, the September Book-of-the-month selection.

#### -1946-

Yanks in the Fifth Army in Italy were astonished at Donald Alton's

'46Ex, capacity one morning. He downed a breakfast consisting of 22 pancakes, five bowls of cereal and a quart or two of coffee. Alton is a Private, first class, in the Army. His uncle, A. C. Carlson, lives at 827 Grand Avenue, St. Paul.

William O. Paulson '46Ex, A/C, has completed his primary training as a bombardier at Santa Ana and is at gunnery school in Las Vegas, Nevada.



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Mable Mathis '25Ed, and Dr. C. J. Reed of Ortonville. She recently resigned her position in the Robbinsdale school. They will be at home in Ortonville.

Mary Mathewson '34Ex, and George A. Johnson '32Ex, at Santa Barbara, California. They will live at 641 Berendo Street S., Los Angeles, Calif.

Marjorie C. Burke '35BA, and Lt. Sex-

Evelyn J. Tingdale '37BS, and Owen M. Heath. They will live at 4213 Salem Avenue, St. Louis Park.

Kathryn Minton '38BS, and Capt. S. A. Swift, army medical corps.

Lt. Bruce A. Erickson '39LLB, and Gretchen Jensen at Owatonna, He is sta-tioned at Temple U., Philadelphia, Pa. Alice Lightner '39BS, and Lt. Gordon

L. Keen on January 4, in St. Paul. Ensign John B. Smith '39BA, USNR,

and Helen R. Taylor, WAVE, of Rutland, Vermont. Both are stationed in Washington D. C. and will be at home at 2437 Porter Street, N. W.

Eunice Carleton '40Ex, and Dr. Sylvan B. Lee. They will live at 212 Walnut Street S. E. Marjorie Mack '40Ex, and Lt. Grant

Calhoun of Seattle at Hobbs Field, New Mexico.

Phyllis Thorgrimson '40BA, and Stefan A. Riesenfeld '43BS. Mr. Riesenfeld is also a graduate of Harvard and teaches law at the University of Minnesota.

Caroline Adams '41BA, and Richard K. Barton '43Ex.

A. Dorothy Eggen '41BS, and Norman C. Mindrum. Both have resumed their teaching positions in Faribault and Lewiston, respectively.

Lt. Howard L. Kaibel '41Ex, and Wanda

Varner at Camp Lee, Virginia.
Lt. (j.g.) Zondal R. Miller '41BA, and
Esther S. Singer '43Ex. They will live
in Long Beach, Calif.
Dr. Harry W. Mixer '41BA, and DeLoris

V. Moline in St. Paul.
Anne Richter '41BA, and Edward W.

King '40Ex. They will live in San Diego, California.

Marjorie K. Kohler '41BA, and Roy W. Tess '39-43Gr. Mr. Tess is a member of the Institute of Technology staff and will receive his doctor's degree soon.

Kenneth L. Zakariasen and Florence J. Oien at Canby, Minnesota. They will live in San Diego, California.

Lt. Charles W. Baston '42BAeroE, and Mary L. Meighan '45Ex. They will make their home in Seattle, Washington.

Lt. Gerald Engelman '42Ex, now in the Army Air Corps and Annabel D. Johnson.

They will live in San Antonio, Texas.

Lt. Robert G. Feldman '42AeroE, and
Doris E. Larson '44Ex, were married on
June 9 in Hibbing. He is a B-29 Flight Engineer, Army Air Corps, stationed at

Salina, Kansas. Address: 415 Franklin, Salina.

John C. Hays '42BA, and Beverly Ann

Rydeen '44Ex, in St. Paul, December 28. Ruth E. Henrici '42BA, and James S. Robertson '45, on January 15. Mr. Robertson is a member of the V-12 at the Uni-

Sybil M. Koontz '42BA, and Lt. James Reynolds, now serving with the Navy, at San Francisco, California.

Lt. Robert L. Linderberg '42Ex, and irginia Young at Petersburg, Virginia. Virginia Young at Petersburg,

Elizabeth Ann Rudolph '42BS, and Pvt. Lloyd E. Thompson at Fort Jackson Chapel, South Carolina. Audrey L. Magnuson '42DH, and John

P. Marvin '44. Mr. Marvin is a senior at the University.

Esther Marion Tideman (Peggy) '42BS (MedT), and Dr. William C. Flinn. They will be at home at Barclay Field, Texas, where Dr. Flinn is serving with the Army Medical Corps. Lt. Richard H. Wehr '42Ex, and Betty

Baird of California. They will live in Long Beach, California.

Ensign Robert H. Bednar '43BA, and Ruth E. Preston. They will live in Norfolk, Virginia.

Lt. Gene M. Bierhaus '43Ex, of the Marine Corps and Jeanne L. Broach at

Quantico, Va. Robert J. Brimi '43MB, and Hazel C. Kaiser '43BA. They will live in Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Brimi will serve his internship in the Wayne County Hospital.

Ensign James H. Callan '43B, and Ade-laide K. Steidler '44Ex, in Minneapolis. They will be at home in New York.

Ruth H. Callaway '43Ex, and Pvt. John C. Goberschock '43Ex, at Fort Ord, Monterey, California. They will reside at 521 Watson, Monterey, California.

William J. Cecka, Jr. '43BE, and Mar-jory Green. They will be at home in Los Angeles where he is employed as an instructor in aeronautics.

Lt. Fred W. Curle '43Ex, Army Air

## **NEWS ITEMS**

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Corps, and Claudia J. Harding. They will live in Miami, Florida.

Faith Foster '43BA, and Lt. Warren Charles Christianson '42BBA, at the post chapel, Sebring, Florida. They will be at home at Sebring, Florida, until he is reassigned.

Margery Ingalls '43Ex, and William F. Maloney '41BBA. Mr. Maloney is a medical student at the University of Minnesota, and the couple will be at home at 3121 Fremont Ave. S.

Helen P. Lauritzon '43GN, and Lt. Raymond Rozycki '42Ex, at Tampa, Florida, on November 13. His new address is: 595th Bomb. Sqd., Drew Field, Tampa, Florida.

Jr. '40-43Gr, and Arthur J. Madden, Jacqueline Boucher '46Ex, at Somersworth, N. H. Mr. Madden is an instructor in the chemical engineering department of the University of Minnesota and Mrs. Madden is a student. They will live in Minneapolis.

Donald H. Renneke '43Ex, USNR, dentistry student and Betty Houd, a nursing student. They will live at 1212 Powderhorn Terrace.

Ensign Robert Rosenwald 43Ex, and Lucille Goldonik

Betty Scott '43Ex, and Lt. Harold C. Faro at Minneapolis. They will live at Camp Butner, North Carolina.

Jane Skedgell '43BS, and Ensign Ross Thorfinnson '43LLB, at Washington, D. C. They will be at home in Washington, D. C.

Thorvald Tendeland '43BAeroE, Florence M. Ohman at San Jose, California. They will live at Mountain View. California.

Marion Tomsky '43BA, and Cpl. Earl M. Toherman '42Ex, in Minneapolis.

Delle T. Doty '44Ex, and Lt. Ronald M. Howard '43Ex, Army Air Corps at Minneapolis.

Gertrude M. Lott '44Ex, and Capt. Charles H. Melnick of Billings, Montana, at Los Angeles, California. Captain Melnick is with the Ordnance Training Cen-

ter at Camp Santa Anita.

Lorna E. Pierce '44Ex, and Douglas B.

King at Glendale. They will be at home in Los Angeles.

Ruth M. Yetter '44Ex, and Wesley H. Windmiller '45Ex, at San Diego, Califor-

Marilyn A. Dean '45Ex, and John H. McNiven '45Ex, at Washington, D. C. They will be at home at 2401 Fifteenth Street, N. W.

Stanley A. Grapp '45Ex, Air Cadet, and Ann Sachko, at Fort Worth, Texas. They will make their home at 3617 Townsend Drive, Fort Worth, Texas.

Marilyn A. Mullen '45Ex, and Robert C. Reiss, Petty Officer, in Washington, D. C., on December 24, 1943.

Lorraine M. Gorham '46Ex, and Francis J. Campo of Springfield, Illinois, at the Chapel of San Antonio. The couple will live at 609 North Shelton, Santa Ana, California.

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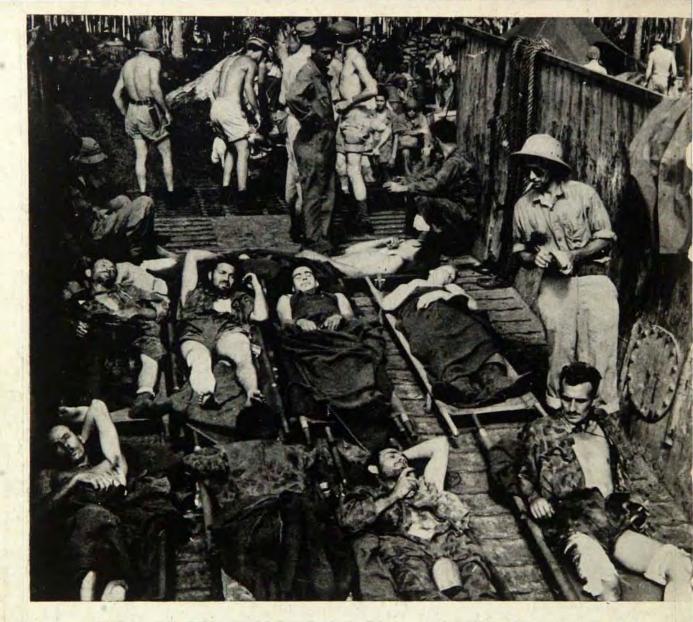
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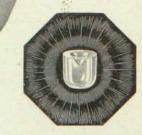
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#### The Cover

SHOWN in the cover picture taken by John Mc-Brady are members of the editorial staff of the Minnesota Daily. This year the job of editing the student newspaper which continues to carry the declaration, "The World's Largest College Newspaper" on its masthead, is handled nearly entirely by women students.

Seated, left to right, are Doris Liebenberg, copy desk, Minneapolis; Margaret Warren, copy desk. Sioux Falls, S. D.; Gerry Sohle, sports editor, Alexandria: Marjorie Twedt Benson, editor, Minneapolis, and Ruby Juster, managing editor, Minneapolis.

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Two of the key staff members, Marjorie Twedt Benson and Marjorie Searing Caldwell, are married. Miss Searing was married on January 31 in St. Paul to William Caldwell '43, who was editor of the Minnesota Daily last year. He is now in the Army and in training at Boston College. She is the daughter of Dr. Ralph T. Searing '19D. and Mrs. Searing (Bernice Fullerton '19Ag), of St. Paul.

MINNESOTA was well represented among the contributors in the January issue of the Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science. The number was devoted to the topic. "Higher Education after the War." Various phases of the general topic were discussed in articles prepared by the following members of the staff of the University of Minnesota: Malcolm M. Willey, vicepresident for academic administration; T. R. Mc-Connell, dean of the Arts College; E. G. Williamson, dean of students; Julius M. Nolte, director of the General Extension Division, and Professor Roland S. Vaile of the School of Business Administration.

The entire section on professional education after the war, with one exception, was written by the deans of Minnesota's professional schools. Another Minnesotan contributor was Arthur R. Upgren, formerly of the School of Business Administration, who is now vice-president and economist of the Minneapolis Federal Reserve Bank.

THE Minnesota Alumnae Club will sponsor a performance of the University Theatre production of the play "Cry Havoc" in the Music Building auditorium on the campus on the evening of March 1. The money received from the sale of tickets will be placed in the club's scholarship fund. The admission price is one dollar.

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There was no snow on the campus until the final day of the annual student Snow Week but the committee selected three Snow Girls anyway. Here they are, left to right, Rosemary Dawson, Ortonville, representing Comstock Hall: Donna Perkins, Madison, representing the Co-op Cottages, and Ruth Rossiter, Chicago, Ill., representing the Independents. The winners got hand painted vases instead of the traditional metal loving cups.—Minneapolis Morning Tribune Photo.

## University Has Three-fold Obligation

UNTIL the war ends, the major job of the University of Minnesota will be to continue with vigor its program of assistance to the national government in the battle for victory over the enemy. This program includes the numerous special



Dr. E. G. Williamson, dean of students, is chairman of the Committee on Student Personnel Work of the American Council of Education. This committee is preparing advisory reports on the postwar counselling and training of men serving in the armed forces. Dean Williamson is also a member of the advisory commission on readjustment counselling of the War Manpower Commission.

war training courses set up and operated by the University for men in the armed forces, vital war research, training courses to prepare civilians for specialized work in war industries, accelerated instruction schedules for students in professional fields, and other emergency services. More than 500 members of the faculty and staff have left the campus to serve in the armed forces or in related war work. Other faculty members are serving the government in advisory capacities while continuing their regular University duties.

These contributions of the University to the successful prosecution of the war take precedence over all other obligations.

There are other obligations, however, important ones, which cannot be ignored and are not being ignored by the University.

The institution must maintain the continuity of its normal teaching services for the youth of Minnesota throughout the war period and preserve its high standards of scholarship and instruction. There are still nearly 7,000 civilian students of collegiate grade in attendance. In addition to this instruction at the college level, the University carries on a

a diversified program of services to the

people of the state.

A third and pressing obligation is that of making plans for the postwar years. What types of educational services will be best adapted to the needs of the men and women of the armed forces following their demobilization? This question is being given serious study at Minnesota preparatory to the consideration of adjustments in curriculum and practices to meet these postwar educational demands.

It is estimated that more than 500,000 veterans will want to resume their college careers or enter college when the war is over. The matter of providing educational opportunities for returning veterans at Federal expense and under State management has been brought to the attention of Congress. Bills have been introduced which provide that any member of the Army, Navy or certain other categories of the national service shall be entitled to the equivalent of one academic year of education. It is expected, of course, that a large number of the veterans will select vocational training of one kind or another.

There is a further provision that selected students, who meet certain qualifications, may continue their education for three additional years at Federal expense. This selection will be made on the basis of the capacity of the individual to profit

by the education.

Several members of the staff of the University are members of national committees which are studying various aspects of postwar educational problems. Malcolm Willey, vice-president for academic administration, was appointed this month to participate in the preparation of a report for the National Association of State Universities. Other Minnesota men who figure prominently in national studies are T. Raymond McConnell, dean of the College of Science, Literature, and the Arts, and E. G. Williamson, dean of students.

A problem which seems nearly certain to face the University following the war is that of a greatly increased enrollment. The committee on education of the University Senate recently made a report on this matter which suggests that the collegiate enrollment in the fall of 1950 may be as high as 21,500 students.

## Naval Officers

In response to a request of the Bureau of Naval Personnel in Washington for additional officers for general sea duty to meet an immediate need, the University of Minnesota will graduate 60 Naval ROTC men on February 25. The special training these men have received while students on the campus has prepared them for immediate sea duty and they will be commissioned.

Forty-two members of the group will be completing their normal schedules of training on February 25 while 18, who would not have completed their schedules until next fall, have been given a concentrated course in naval subjects during the past month to prepare them for February graduation. Under the V-12 program, these University students in the Naval ROTC have continued their academic work for degrees.

The request for the early graduation of all Naval ROTC men who would normally complete their training by November 1, was received by Capt. John W. Gates, commanding officer of naval units at the University.

Following the announcement of the early release of these men for active duty, President Walter C. Coffey said: "Some indication of the



Dr. Erret W. McDiarmid is the new University Librarian succeeding Frank K. Walter. He is also director of the Division of Library Instruction. He holds degrees from Texas Christian University, Baylor University and the University of Chicago and was assistant director of the University of Illinois Library School before coming to Minnesota.

size and importance of the navy training program at the University is found in the fact that at one time we can graduate 60 men, ready for their commissions, and send them from the campus to immediate sea duty. Graduation and commissioning of Minnesota men at this rate reveals the true significance of the University war program. We wish all these men the best of luck."

#### Symphony

The Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra left the week of January 30 on its annual mid-winter tour. The 5,000 mile trip will take them to many states including Ohio, Florida, Louisiana, Tennessee and Wisconsin, as well as Canada. The 90 members and its conductor, Dimitri Mitropoulos, are making the tour this year on the theory that good music as a morale building agency is more important than ever, and it is in keeping with the orchestra's long tradition of pleasing music lovers throughout the country. The first concert was held in Chicago with Artur Rubenstein, famed pianist, appearing as soloist with the group. The orchestra will end its trek in La Crosse, Wisconsin, and return to Minneapolis in time for a scheduled concert in Northrop auditorium on Friday, March 10, with Ezio Pinza, noted bass of the Metropolitan Opera, as guest artist.

#### Foreign Students

There are 85 regularly registered students from outside the continental United States taking work at the University of Minnesota this quarter, according to Aldus C. Smith, adviser to foreign students. Twenty-four countries are represented including Canada, China, Iceland, Sweden, Turkey, Switzerland, Egypt, Iran, India, South Africa and several in South America. There are also students from Alaska, Hawaii, Panama Canal Zone and Puerto Rico.

In addition to this group of 85 regular students, there are a number of individuals from other nations who are engaged in research and special projects in various departments.

One special group of foreign students is composed of Latin Americans who are studying the Kenny treatment for infantile paralysis in the Medical School.

## News and Views

#### To Aid Veterans

IN ANTICIPATION of the time when demobilization of the armed forces will allow former college students to resume their educational careers and many other service veterans to enter college for the first time, the University is making plans to assist these men and women in adjusting themselves to study programs. A number of men who have already received their discharges from military service are students in the University and they are being given special counselling assistance and study guidance through the office of E. G. Williamson, dean of students.

This month the committee on education of the University Senate recommended that a committee on the coordination of advisory services to returning veterans be established. The education committee which prepared the report at the request of President Walter C. Coffey suggested various steps to be taken toward preparing the admissions, counselling and guidance machinery of the University for the task of giving the most careful and helpful attention to the needs of the veterans. The report was accepted by the University Senate.

It was suggested that the committee on coordination shall plan, expedite and coordinate the process of getting the returning veterans into the right colleges, according to their needs and capabilities, or, if necessary, of cutting cross-lots and permitting them to take work in more than one college. It shall also maintain effective liaison with the United States Veterans' Administration with respect to the admission and progress of veteran-students, and handle

such matters as transfer from one college to another when such a change seems to be indicated. An existing provision in university rules that only students 24 years of age or more will be accepted as special students taking less than the full standard "load" of studies will be waived in the case of veterans. The word "veterans" applies to women as well as to men.

#### Credit for Training

One of the important tasks of the committee and those whose work it coordinates will be that of determining the value in college credits of various experiences of the returning soldiers and sailors. Courses taken in such units as the Army Specialized Training Program, in other specialized training units and also experiences will receive credit equivalents.

"The director of admissions, special veterans' advisers and advanced standing committees of the colleges shall give careful attention to each veteran regarding possible accreditation of military training and experience," the report said.

The report also recommended that University of Minnesota policies and machinery for helping returning service people be set forth clearly in university bulletins, so that all may have a clear understanding of the possibilities.

Under present rules of the University of Minnesota students who have not finished high school courses may be admitted if they demonstrate high ability in certain tests, and these arrangements will be "tailored" to meet the needs of returning veterans who apply without having a high school diploma, said the report.

#### **ASTP** Curtailed

A War Department order this month calling more than 110,000 trainees in the Army Specialized Training Program to active combat duty will affect between 500 and 800 men in training on the Minnesota campus. Under the order which drastically curtails the ASTP units at colleges and universities throughout the country, the men will be transferred to other assignments on April 1.

The order, however, does not affect about 600 men in uniform at the University who are advanced students in medical, dental and engineering courses. About 40 per cent of the Army personnel in training at Minnesota is in the advanced groups.

The dropping of this number of men from the campus war training program will necessitate various readjustments including changes in the housing situation.

Mounting manpower needs on the fighting fronts was given by the War Department as the reason for the curtailment of the training programs in colleges and universities.

At present, ASTP students enrolled in basic engineering courses are housed at Augsburg seminary and advanced students in Sanford hall.

Medical and dental students are in Pioneer hall. Trainees in Japanese area and language courses are in Shevlin hall; Swedish and Norwegian area and languages, Motley school, and northern European area and languages, Thatcher hall at University Farm.

It has been announced that certain of the military training courses at the University may be terminated following the completion of the periods of training of the men now assigned to these courses. On January 31, the University received notice from the War Department that the air force pre-flight training program on the campus will be discontinued. No termination date was given but the present pre-flight group at the University is scheduled to complete its period of training on May 20.

The men in this air corp unit have been housed in the second floor interior of Memorial stadium and have been fed in Coffman Union. The commanding officer of the unit is Major E. O. Sheldon and the University coordinator in charge of the pre-flight program is Horace Morse '28, associate director of the General College.

The Army students in the premeteorology and personnel psychology units will not be replaced on graduation.

In the Navy training program on the campus, the courses for machinists mates are to be terminated but a larger number of men are being assigned to courses for electricians mates.

#### **Head Departments**

In the past three years, four members of the department of pediatrics in the Medical School have left the University to become the heads of pediatrics departments in other universities.

In January, Dr. Arild E. Hansen '25Md, professor of pediatrics, left Minneapolis to assume his new duties as head of the department in the medical division of the University of Texas at Galveston. He will also be director of the Child Health program of the Buchanan Foundation of Texas. Dr. Hilda Wiese, biochemistry assistant to Dr. Hansen at Minnesota, will later join his staff in Texas.

Dr. Chester A. Stewart '19Md, former clinical professor of pediatrics in the Medical School, left in 1941 to become professor and head of the department of pediatrics at the University of Louisiana. On his staff at Louisiana is a former Minnesota teaching assistant, Dr. Wallace Sako '36Md.

Dr. Ralph V. Platou '36Md, former instructor in pediatrics, left Minnesota in 1942 to become associate professor and acting head of the department of pediatrics at Tulane University in New Orleans. Also at Tulane as an instructor in the department is Dr. Allan J. Hill '39Md, former resident pediatric physician at Minnesota.

On April 1, 1943, a former assistant professor at Minnesota, Dr. John A. Anderson '34Md, became head of the department of pediatrics at the University of Utah. On his staff are Dr. Robert Alway '39Md, and Dr. Sophia Chamberlin Alway, former fellow in pediatrics at Minnesota.

The head of the department of pediatrics in the Medical School of the University of Minnesota is Dr. Irvine McOuarrie.

#### Kenny Course

On January 1, the University of Minnesota instituted a formal twoyear course to train instructors in the Sister Elizabeth Kenny method of poliomyelitis treatment. Dr. William O'Brien, director of postgraduate medical education, is in charge of the Kenny program on the campus. The course has been arranged in cooperation with the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis which has assured scholarships for



Paul E. Klopsteg '11; '16Ph.D., has been appointed a National Counsellor of the Purdue Research Foundation, a lifetime appointment. The group of members thus designated "is composed of ten distinguished engineers and research investigators." Dr. Klopsteg is also a member of the Advisory Committee of Northwestern Technological Institute of Northwestern University; Chief of Division 17, National Defense Research Committee; and chairman of the Governing Board, American Institute of Physics. He is president of Central Scientific Company of Chicago, and resides with his family at 2424 Lincolnwood Drive, Evanston.

students. It will be held in the Center for Continuation Study.

For nearly two years the University has been cooperating with Sister Kenny in the training of technicians in the Kenny method and all but a few of the 183 physical therapy technicians now at work throughout the United States have been trained at Minnesota. The initiation of the new course opens the way for a long range program of training in the method.

A manual on the Kenny system has been published under the sponsorship of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis in addition to numerous articles on the Kenny treatment. Additional publications on Sister Kenny's theory and practice are being planned for general use. In 1941 the National Foundation gave the University of Minnesota a grant of money for research and evaluation of the Kenny method.

#### Law Association

Everett Fraser, dean of the Law School, has become president-elect of the Association of American Law Schools, the combination of outstanding American law schools formed in 1900 to set and help raise the standards of American legal education. Ninety-five out of about 180 law schools in this country hold membership. After holding the title president-elect for one year, Dean Fraser will be president of the association during 1945. He is the second Minnesotan in recent years to hold the presidency, Professor Wilbur Cherry having held it in 1939.

#### **University Press**

Margaret S. Harding '22Gr, director of the University Press, has been in New York attending the annual meeting and show of the American Association of University Presses. At the show each university press is permitted to exhibit five books. Three of the books chosen by Mrs. Harding to represent the work done by the Minnesota University Press were written by University professors. Included are: Freedom's Ferment, by Alice Felt Tyler, assistant professor of history: Modern Mexican Art, by Laurence Schmeckebier, associate professor of fine arts, and Northern Fishes, by Samuel Eddy. associate professor of zoology, and Thaddeus Surber.

# McConnell Becomes Dean of Arts College

DR. T. RAYMOND McCONNELL was appointed dean of the College of Science, Literature, and the Arts by the Board of Regents on February 11. He has been serving as acting dean of the college since August 1, 1941, when Dean John T. Tate was called to Washington to help direct the work of the Office of Scientific Research and Development.

Dr. Tate requested that the Regents accept his resignation as dean in view of the fact that his important duties in connection with the war research program of the nation will keep him in Washington for at least another year. He informed the Regents that when he does return to Minnesota, he would prefer to resume his former position of professor of physics.

Dr. Tate first came to the University of Minnesota as an instructor in physics in 1916 and became a professor in 1920 following his return from service in the first World War. In 1937, he was appointed dean of the Arts College succeeding Dr. J. B. Johnston.

In 1931, with Karl T. Compton, president of Massachusetts Institute of Technology and others, he helped found the American Institute of Physics and served as chairman of the governing board of the organization. He is also a past president of the American Physical Society and the editor of the journals of that society.

In a letter to President Coffey in which he expressed his desire to retire from the deanship, Dr. Tate said: "The next several years will be unusually critical and difficult ones in the history of the college. Super-imposed on the already changing perspective of liberal arts colleges generally will be added problems of adjustment to the after-war conditions.

"To meet these problems wisely, the college should have at its head, now, not an acting dean whose tenure in that office is contingent upon my return, but a dean who can study and plan for the future of the college with the assurance of continuity of policy and control."



DEAN T. R. McCONNELL

Dean McConnell is an outstanding educational administrator. He came to the University of Minnesota in 1936 as associate professor of education and in 1937 he became professor of educational research and chairman of the University committee on educational research. In 1940 he was made associate dean of the Arts College and he has been a member of the advisory committee of the General College.

Dean McConnell received his doctor's degree from the University of Iowa. From 1925 until he came to Minnesota, he served as instructor, professor and dean at Cornell College in Iowa.

He has had a part in many educational studies and surveys and at present is chairman of the committee on general education in the postwar period of the American Council on Education.

An article by Dean McConnell on "Liberal Education after the War," appears in the January issue of the Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science.

#### Station WLB

Burton Paulu '31Ed; '34Gr, resigned as manager of the University radio station WLB in January to join the radio staff of the Office of War Information. He expected to be assigned to overseas duties in North Africa. He had been connect-

ed with WLB in various capacities since 1928 and had been manager for the past six years. In 1931 he started a program in music appreciation which has run continuously since that time.

E. William Ziebarth, who has been a member of the WLB staff since 1938 as director of the Minnesota School of the Air, has been named acting director of the station. Mr. Ziebarth has been an instructor in the speech department since 1936 and he teaches radio speech courses in the General Extension division. He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin.

Station WLB is operated as a unit of the General Extension division of the University.

### Professor L. B. Shippee

Lester B. Shippee, who came to the history department of the University in 1917 and later became chairman of the department, died February 9 at Delray Beach, Florida. He had been ill about a month, and had been in Florida only two weeks.

He was a native of East Greenwich, Rhode Island, and an alumnus of Brown University from which he held bachelor of arts, master of arts, and doctor of philosophy degrees. Before coming to the University of Minnesota, he taught in Pacific coast schools, including three years at Washington State College and three years at Pacific University. He also lectured at Brown University for two years.

Dr. Shippee, who specialized in American history, was the author of two well-known books, Recent American History and Canadian-American Relations. He contributed articles to the Political Science Review, the Dictionary of American History, the Dictionary of American Biography, and he edited Bishop Whipple's Southern Diary.

He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Delta Upsilon, and a former president of the Mississippi Valley Historical Society and the Minnesota Historical Society, He is survived by his wife; a son, Warner '37A, who is in government employ in Washington, D. C., and two daughters, Mrs. Alvin E. Templer, the former Elizabeth G. Shippee '33A, and Mrs. William R. Morse, formerly Margaret S. Shippee '39Ex.

## Dr. Fred Engelhardt

Dr. Fred Engelhardt, who was a member of the faculty of the College of Education from 1924 to 1937, died on February 10 at his home in Durham, New Hampshire. He was 58. Since 1937 he had been president of the University of New Hampshire. He had been in ill health since last summer.

He was an outstanding educator and an authority on public school administration. Thousands of public school administrators throughout Minnesota and the Northwest have been numbered among his students. While at the University he conducted school surveys in Robbinsdale, Austin, Albert Lea, Aurora and Ortonville, Minn., and Superior, Wis.

He was the author of many books on educational administration and procedures. During World War I he served as a major in a heavy artillery unit and was co-author of a book on artillery fire.

### Senator Kingsley

State Senator Burton L. Kingsley, who was chairman of the University committee in the Minnesota Senate, died on February 16, in Minneapolis, Born near the campus on March 9, 1879, he had represented the University district in the state legislature

for 25 years, as member of the House of Representatives from 1919 to 1935 and as senator beginning in 1935. He had been in poor health for several years but had been able to attend regularly to his public duties.

#### Major in Marines

Cornelia D. Williams, formerly on the University staff as assistant professor and counselor, has been promoted to the rank of major in the Marine corps women's reserve. She was sworn into the Marines a year ago in Minneapolis with the rank of captain, and was detailed at once to Washington. In the Washington headquarters she has been officer in charge of detail branch at Marine corps headquarters, and she supervises classification standards in selection of recruits.

# Minnesota Alumnus Receives Chemistry Award

JUNIUS D. EDWARDS '12; '13Gr, assistant director of research of the Aluminum Research Laboratories of the Aluminum Company of America, was selected to receive this year's Pittsburgh Award which is presented by the Pittsburgh section of the American Chemical Society. The presentation was made at a dinner in Pittsburgh on February 17.

The following citation accompanied the award: "In recognition of his distinguished service to chemistry, through his fundamental contributions in the field of gas chemistry, and the chemical and physical metallurgy of aluminum and aluminum paint, and the practical application of these developments for the betterment of mankind through his activities as inventor, author and editor."

The tangible form of the award is an aluminum plaque which has been given to persons who have made prominent contributions to science in the Pittsburgh district. Mr. Edwards is the second Minnesota graduate to be so honored. In 1937 the recipient of the award was Francis C. Frary '05Ch; '12Ph.D., director of research, Aluminum Research Laboratories,

Aluminum Company of America.

Mr. Edwards, a native of Minneapolis, joined the Aluminum company on April 1, 1919, as chief of the physical chemistry division, and was promoted to his present position as assistant director of research two years later.

After receiving degrees in chemistry and chemical engineering from the University, he joined the staff of the National Bureau of Standards in Washington, where



JUNIUS D. EDWARDS

he did research on the physical chemistry of gases. In the six years he was in Washington he rose from laboratory assistant to associate chemist.

At the aluminum laboratories in New Kensington, Mr. Edwards has taken an active interest in all phases of research, and at one time specialized in the development of aluminum paint and is the author of a book on such paint.

He is the author of a great number of scientific papers, and is the inventor of processes having to do with the electrolytic refining of aluminum, the improvement of aluminum-silicon alloys, and the perfection of oxide coatings on aluminum. He holds a score of patents on these inventions.

Mr. Edwards is a co-author, with Dr. Francis C. Frary and Dr. Zay Jeffries, of "The Aluminum Industry," which covers, in every inclusive form, the mining, refining, reduction and fabrication of aluminum.

Mr. Edwards, who wrote the chapter on aluminum in the 1939 edition of the Encyclopedia Americana, is a member of several scientific societies.

# Income and Expenditures of the University

IN REFERRING to the University of Minnesota as a state-supported institution we usually think of "support" in terms of legislative appropriations. The biennial grants made by the legislature are certainly vital to the operation of the University but these maintenance appropriations represent only about one-fourth of the total income of the institution

This is one of the revealing facts to be found in the little pamphlet, "A Brief Summary of Financial Operations for the Year Ended June 30, 1943," prepared by the office of William T. Middlebrook, vice-president for business administration. This little bulletin which is published to promote a better understanding of the finances of the University may be secured by alumni on request from the office of Mr. Middlebrook.

The legislative maintenance appropriation for the year covered in the report was \$3,734,000 whereas the total receipts of the University for the year amounted to \$15,063,006.94. This appropriation is for the general support of instructional, research and administrative departments, and maintenance of buildings and grounds, including the Department of Agriculture, and the Agricultural Schools and Experiment Stations.

Other State sources of income for the year were the 23/100 mill tax, the standing property tax for the support of the University, which provided \$236,529.54; the State's share of the cost of indigent patients in the University hospitals which amounted to \$200,000, and the numerous special projects administered and carried on by the University for the general benefit of the people of the State.

These special projects, for the support of which the University received a total of \$326,286.60, include agricultural extension, county agents, beneficiation of manganiferous ores, beneficiation of low-grade ores, soils survey, dairy manufacturing, medical research, Live Stock



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Sanitary board, crop breeding and testing, child welfare, Psychopathic hospital maintenance, mastitus control, potato research, vegetables research, lard and pork products research and general research.

The largest single item of income is that from the University's self-supporting service enterprises and revolving funds, a total of \$4,388,293.52. The service enterprises of the University include the dormitories and dining halls, cafeterias, a printing department, a laundry, garages, bookstores, cold storage plant, the Army and Navy war-training programs, and other enterprises and revolving funds. These are operated by the University for the purpose of rendering service to the student body and of reducing the cost of general University operations.

#### War Training Costs

This item of income is offset on the other side of the financial statement by the operating and capital expenditures of the service enterprises totalling \$4,533,213.42. The fact that the expenditures in this field of operation were greater than the income for the year might be taken to indicate that the University spent more on the war training programs than it received in payment for this service. This discrepancy has been caused by delays in the final negotiation of contracts

with the armed forces who bargain closely, and ultimately the income and expense will be brought to balance.

From fees and receipts during the year in question the University received a total of \$2,816,529.40. This income was divided as follows: Student tuition fees, \$1,344,275.70; counties' share of the cost of indigent patients at the University hospitals, \$197,397.74; other hospital receipts, \$322,379.29; dental infirmary receipts, \$71,321.74; other departmental receipts such as laboratory fees, sales of livestock and agricultural products, \$881,938.45; miscellaneous receipts for plant extension, \$782.52.

In grants from the federal government, apart from the war training programs, the University received \$774,901.41. This money was allocated as follows: For instruction, \$141,179.52; for agricultural research, \$147,269.04; for agricultural extension work, \$486,452.85.

Income from the permanent University Fund during the year was \$311,341.92. The principal of this fund, amounting to \$15,010,600.83 on June 30, 1943, was derived from land set aside by the federal government and 10 per cent of the occupational tax on iron ore. The income is used for general University support.

Another University source of income is the Swamp Land Fund which provided \$70,025.56 during the year. The principal of this fund was derived from land set aside by the State of Minnesota and the University participates in the income.

Intercollegiate athletics contributed \$321,106.03 while the income from trust funds was \$1,883,992.96. The trust funds include gifts and donations for scholarships, prizes and income from endowments for teaching, research and the care of the sick. The total endowment of the University on June 30, 1943, was \$23,747,896.63.

On the side of expenditures, the largest item was \$6,260,924.60 for instruction and research, which is

65 per cent more than the entire state appropriation for maintenance.

Other items of expenditure were for service enterprises and revolving funds which have been listed above; general university, \$637,818.87; administration, \$246,958.88; physical plant operations, \$707,085.53; physical plant extension, \$40,243.95; trust fund purposes, \$1,391,545.12, and for intercollegiate athletics, \$211,502.08.

The difference between the total receipts for the year of \$15,063,06.94 and the expenditures of \$14,029,291.45 was made up in six items: Certificates redeemed, \$40.000; reserve for depreciation, \$45,000; endowment increase, \$112,152.24; transfer to athletic contingent reserve, \$20,000; increase in outstanding obligations and allotted balances, \$821,773.51, and free unencumbered balance, \$6.048.29.

## Public Administration Training Center

In Minnesota's Training Center for Public Administration, 95 students have been given thorough preparation for careers in public service since the special training unit was established in 1936. The director of the center is Lloyd M. Short, professor of political science.

The training program is under the supervision of an all-University committee of deans and faculty members representing the colleges and departments most immediately connected with the work. When the unit was first organized, it received a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation for a five-year period and in 1941 this financial aid was extended another four years. A limited number of fellowships are awarded each year.

Only graduate students are chosen for this training. There are two groups of trainees, the in-service and the pre-service. The pre-service students are those who have just completed the work for their undergraduate degrees, while in the in-service group are men and women who have had some work experience in government offices.

Individual programs of study are planned for each student in a special field of interest and he takes courses in many departments of the University. The only required course for all trainees is a graduate seminar in public administration.

# Propaganda for Peace or for War

THE war has brought a tremendous expansion in international broadcasting with the radio playing a key role in the phase of the conflict referred to as psychological warfare. In the hands of the Germans it has become a propaganda instrument of perversion and terror.

Before the war, the few powerful international broadcasting stations in the United States were in private hands and were experimental in nature. Now the Federal Government, through the Office of War Information, has taken over for the duration 14 of the privately-owned stations and has built or will build 22 new high frequency transmitters. Whether these stations continue operation under direct government supervision and ownership after the war is a domestic question. What these stations, and the high-power stations in other countries, broadcast after the war in the way of program material, is an international problem related to the future peace and welfare of the world.

Printed propaganda material, designed to inflame racial hatreds and to divide peoples, may be halted or screened at national borders but a short-wave radio signal knows no frontiers and will go around the world seven times in a second.

Short-wave radio, under effective control and regulation, might very well become a powerful medium of international reconciliation and understanding. Without control, it may be used as an instrument to incite further warfare. It is estimated that at the present time the world's radio audience numbers more than 400,000,000 listeners.

Germany was the first to develop the possibilities of radio as a medium of mass-persuasion. The master propagandists in Berlin made effective use of it in their indoctrination of the German people in the Nazi ideology and then moved beyond the borders of the Reich to utilize radio as a weapon of their aggressive foreign policy. Preceding their invasions of neighbor states, the Germans used radio to divide and confuse their victims and radio stations were among the first objectives of the invading armies,

The potentialities of international

radio for both good and evil have been recognized for a long time and as early as 1925 the problem was receiving the consideration of international organizations including the League of Nations and the International Broadcasting Union. There were resolutions condemning the use of radio to promote hatreds between peoples and to interfere with the internal affairs of other nations. It was urged that restrictions be placed upon international broadcasting and, lacking an international enforcement agency, that individual nations police their own broadcasting activ-

There arises the inevitable question, of course, of freedom of speech in connection with the placing of restrictions. This right is not absolute in the international sphere to the extent that it allows one nation to endanger the public order and security of another nation and the peace of the world any more than domestically it allows an individual falsely to shout "fire" in a crowded theatre, to quote an expression from a decision by Justice Holmes. Nevertheless, the job of setting up limitations will always be a delicate task.

Following several conferences on the subject of international use of radio in which several organizations had participated, a conference sponsored by the League of Nations at Geneva in 1936 drew up a "Convention Concerning the Use of Broadcasting in the Cause of Peace." It imposed obligations on each signatory state to ban the transmission of radio propaganda which might cause international misunderstanding, incite disorder in any individual state, or lead to acts of war between states. The signatories also agreed that only information whose accuracy had been verified should be broadcast. Only seven states ratified the Convention and this group did not include such major broadcasting powers as the United States, Germany, Italy and Japan.

The United Nations or any other international organization which seeks to maintain world peace following the present war cannot escape the problem of international radio control.

# February Is University Anniversary Month

TWO significant dates in the history of the University of Minnesota occur in February. The territorial Government of Minnesota first made provision for the establishment of the University in February, 1851. There were not as many people living in the territory then as there are enrolled in the University at the present time. There was not much demand for collegiate instruction and it was to be several years before an institution of higher learning would be ready to accept students.

It was on February 18, 1868, that a plan for the reorganization of the University was adopted and this led to the eventual opening of the institution. The reorganization act provided for the establishment of five colleges or departments including a department of elementary education, a college of science, literature, and the arts, a college of agricultural and mechanical arts, a college or department of law, and a college or department of medicine.

The new Board of Regents of the University, created by the Act of 1868, faced the task of selecting a president and faculty. In August of 1869, William Watts Folwell was appointed president and professor of mathematics and the first instruction of collegiate grade was offered in the classes which started on September 15, 1869. Thus, this coming September will mark the seventyfifth anniversary of the holding of the first college classes on the campus. The one University building in 1869, Old Main, was located in the approximate area now occupied by Shevlin Hall.

For some time there was some confusion as to which date should be specified as the official founding date of the institution. This question was cleared up in 1939 when the Board of Regents adopted a resolution to the effect that the action of the territorial legislative body on February 25, 1851, marked the actual founding. That body voted to establish an institution of learning at or near the Falls of St. Anthony to be known as the University of Minnesota and the laws of 1851 have ever since remained as

the charter governing the University.

The University now makes use of 114 major buildings valued at 25 million dollars, located on the Main campus, the University Farm campus and in various parts of the state where the University has special centers. These several University sites contain more than 7,000 acres of land devoted to research and experimentation as well as to teaching and state-serving activities.

To carry on its functions, the University has a staff of men and women numbering in the thousands. If all part-time instructors are reduced to the full-time equivalent basis—that is, two half-time members counting as one full-time member—the academic staff now numbers approximately 1,130. There is also the non-teaching staff without whose services the University could not function; members of this staff now total approximately 1,655, again reduced to the full-time equivalent basis.

## Fifty-fifth Birthdays

TWO colleges of the University, the Law School and the School of Dentistry, passed their fifty-fifth birthdays during the war year of 1943. Both have attained high rank in the field of professional education.

Provision was made in the charter of the University for a college of law but the school was not formally organized until 1888 and the first instruction was offered in September of that year, William S. Pattee was named the first dean and he delivered the first lecture in the school on September 11, 1888.

During its first year the school had quarters in the basement of the Old Main building and its own building, now known as Pattee Hall, was ready for occupancy in October, 1889. The present Law building was constructed in 1928,

Until 1894 a two-year course was offered with an evening course of three years. In that year both courses were made three years in duration and a steady increase in enrollment created the need for a larger staff and larger quarters. This was the first department of the University to offer night classes for those who were unable to attend during the day.

In 1909 the Board of Regents ruled that students should complete a year of preparatory work of college grade before entering the Law School and the requirements have been increased from time to time to place the legal training offered by Minnesota on a



The first classes of college grade on the campus were held in this building known as Old Main. It was located on the approximate area now occupied by Shevlin Hall. Old Main was destroyed by fire in 1904.

par with other leading schools in the country.

The board of directors of the old Minnesota Hospital College organized a course in dentistry in 1883. The students were required to complete two five-month terms and in order to get a diploma they had to treat two or more patients, write a thesis, make one plate and one mechanical specimen to be deposited in the Museum.

When the College of Medicine and Surgery was reorganized in 1888 and the department of medicine was established as a teaching instead of merely an examining institution, provision was made for the establishment of a college of dentistry and a faculty was appointed with Dr. Charles M. Bailey as secretary. Dr. Perry Millard was the head of the department of medicine.

For four years the work of the new college was carried on in an old building at the corner of Ninth Avenue South and Sixth Street in Minneapolis and in 1892 it was given a place on the campus with a greater degree of freedom in the management of its own affairs.

Dr. W. Xavier Sudduth was elected dean under the new organization plan and he served until 1895 when he was succeeded by Dr. Thomas E. Weeks. The deanship was dropped in 1897 and Dr. William E. Dickinson acted as secretary until 1900 when he was appointed dean and he continued in that capacity until 1905 when he was succeeded by Dr. Alfred Owre who had received his dental degree from the college in the class of 1894.

When Dr. Owre resigned to accept a post at Columbia University he was succeeded by the present head of the school, Dean William F. Lasby '04D. Several hundred graduates of the School of Dentistry are now serving in the dental corps in the armed forces. The school has served as the training ground for men who now hold important teaching and administrative positions in many of the leading dental schools in the United States.

The Minnesota Alumnus is read by more than 16,000 former students of the University of Minnesota.

# Basis of Potential Linen Industry

RESEARCH workers in chemical engineering at the University of Minnesota who have been conducting an experiment in the utilization of flax straw say there is no scientific reason why the two million tons of seed-flax straw produced in Minnesota and the nearby states of Montana, North and South Dakota each year cannot be made the basis of a linen industry in the Northwest. Textiles ranging all the way from towelling up to that used in the finest linen handkerchiefs could be produced.

Assuming the top possible production from the flax straw available in the Northwest, it is estimated that 400,000 tons of linen thread might be made from this agricultural by-product, most of which is now wasted. This figure is probably in excess of the total world production of linen thread at present and the research men do not seriously suggest that such production will be achieved in the Northwest in the near future.

This significant research project has been financed with funds provided by the Graduate School, and Dr. R. E. Montonna, recently named head of the Minnesota Research Institute at the University, Dr. Lloyd H. Ryerson and Elias Amdur, research fellow, are ready to report on the progress of the study.

The men doing the research in the department of chemical engineering have built their own spinning machine and the thread they have produced has been woven at the department of home economics at University Farm under the direction of Professor Ethel Phelps.

The flax plant grown in Minnesota for its seed, the basis of the linseed industry, is the same, basically, as that from which the fine linens of Ireland and the low countries are made. It has, however, been selected for seed productivity and is therefore considerably shorter and more branching. Straw of European linen flax is about 36 inches long, whereas Minnesota-Dakota flax seldom exceeds 18 inches in length and has a

12-inch minimum. Another difference is that the straw in this area would be somewhat more mature and stiffer at harvest time, because it must stand until the seed is ripe.

Small use is made of Minnesota flax straw at the present time, although some goes to North Carolina for manufacture into cigarette papers and some fiber is extracted for use in packing furniture. There is also a fiber carpet industry that uses some coarse fiber.

The yarn produced in the experiment is strong and of such high quality that, when woven, resulting cloth is acceptable in the making of the finest handkerchief. The wearing qualities of the textiles have been tested by Professor Phelps by putting them through the ringer, as it were. Some of the products of the campus experimenters have been subjected to ninety washings and are still strong.

Dr. Montonna thinks that mass production methods might make it possible to produce good linen for as little as one and a half times the cost of cotton goods. If this could be accomplished it would result in a tremendous increase in the use of linen. He feels that the experiments have reached the point where it might be worth while for someone to build a small-scale commercial mill with a capacity of about 200 pounds a day. This is the smallest unit that would be commercially feasible. From the scientific and botanical standpoint, he says, there is no reason why an American linen industry could not be based on Northwest

Dr. Montonna first gave thought to the project in 1926 but it was not until two years ago that funds were made available for the experiment.

The Minnesota Institute of Research mentioned above was established as a unit of the Graduate School by the Board of Regents in November, 1943. Provision for the institute was made by the state legislature which granted \$10,000 for each year of the 1943-45 biennium for its support.

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COACHES of the spring sports— Jim Kelly, outdoor track; Dave MacMillan, Baseball; Phil Brain, tennis; W. R. Smith, golf—plan the personnel of their squads with the reservation: "If the leading prospects for first string positions are still in school when the season opens." Gone are all the men who gave Minnesota a near-national championship track team.

#### Basketball

Minnesota outscored Camp Grant, 25 to 23 in the second half of their game at Rockford, Ill., on February 14, but the soldiers had built enough lead in the first period to give them a 56 to 38 victory. Matt Sutton was high scorer for the Gophers with 13 points, Bill Wright got nine points and Butz Lehrman scored eight.

Northwestern defeated Minnesota, 57 to 32, at Evanston on February 5. High scorers for the Wildcats were Otto Graham with 17 points, and Jerry Carle, former Gopher, with eight. Bill Wright, Gopher center, got 13 points. The inexperienced Gophers were behind, 27 to 8, at halftime but started to break through the Purple defense in the second half. Other Gopher scorers from the floor were Pepper, Lehrman, Geraghty, Kelly and Muske.

Wisconsin cagers defeated Minnesota, 49 to 30, in the Minnesota Field House on January 29. The taller Badgers controlled the play around the baskets and their center, Ray Patterson, proved himself a tipin artist as he scored seven baskets. Bill Wright, center, was the star for the Gophers as he made seven of the 13 field goals scored by Minnesota. Other Gopher scorers from the floor were Pat Geraghty, Bill Pepper, Bill Johnson, Duane Baglien and Butz Lehrman.

#### Hockey

The Gopher hockey team showed power in defeating Fort Snelling in a Red Cross benefit game in the Minneapolis Arena on February 5. The score was 6 to 4. Paddy Ryan, former Gopher, scored two goals for the soldiers. Minnesota scorers were Jim Wild, Bob Graiziger, Fred Nordby, Bob Carley and Behrendt. Wild scored two goals and was credited with several assists. The service team took a 3 to 1 lead in the first period but the Gophers moved to the front with a fine display of speed and shooting. Marty Falk, former Gopher, was in the nets for the Fort Snelling team. Minnesota goalie was Bob McCabe.

With Dick Nordby leading the scoring with three goals, the Gopher hockey team defeated the Navy Fliers from Wold Chamberlain Air Station, 7 to 2, in the Minneapolis Arena on February 4. Other Minnesota scorers were Bob Graiziger, John Adams, Johnny Behrendt and Jim Wild, Bratnober was in the nets for Minnesota and made 22 stops. A former Gopher, Bill Galligan, played center for the Navy team.

### Wrestling

An outstanding performer for Minnesota in intercollegiate competition this winter is Verne Gagne who has been winning his matches in two wrestling weight divisions. This freshman from Robbinsdale won a first string position at end on the football team last fall and now he is high point winner on the mat team coached by Stan Hanson.

#### Late Headlines

Verne Gagne of Minnesota won the Big Ten wrestling title in the 175pound division in the conference meet at Evanston, Ill., on February 19. He was the only Gopher to win a title but the team placed third in scoring.

With 18 points, the Minnesota swimming team placed third in the Big Ten meet at Evanston on February 19. Michigan was first and Northwestern, second. Gopher scorers: Vern Ruotsalainen, second in lancy diving; Edwin Robb, third in the 220-yard breast stroke: Don Fraser, fifth in the 100-yard free style. The Gophers took third in the 300-yard relay and fourth in the 400-yard relay.

The Minnesota basketball team defeated Indiana, 48 to 47, in the Field House on February 18 with Wright the star. On February 19, Indiana beat Minnesota by the same score in an overtime game. Gophers Wright and Lehrman were high scorers, each with 16 points. He started the season as a heavy-weight but has reduced his weight to become eligible for the 175-pound division. The Gopher wrestlers have a veteran heavyweight in the person of Bill Aldworth who is also well known for his activities on the gridiron. In his first match in the lighter division, Gagne threw his Wisconsin opponent in one minute, as the Gophers defeated the Badgers for the second time this season by a score of 19 to 11.

Minnesota won by falls in the last two matches to give the Gopher wrestlers a victory, 15 to 11, over Wisconsin in the Field House on January 29. Roddy Lister, 175 pounds, pinned his man, and Heavyweight Verne Gagne, a freshman football star last fall, downed his opponent in a hurry. Gagne was state high school champion at Robbinsdale. Gophers winning their matches by decisions were Wayne Brock, 136 pounds; Dick Nelson, 155 pounds, and Ivan Doseff, 165 pounds.

Michigan's undefeated wrestling team defeated Minnesota 25 to 3 at Ann Arbor on February 5. Only Gopher winner was Verne Gagne in the heavyweight division.

#### Swimming

Coach Niels Thorpe's swimmers remained undefeated by beating Iowa, 45 to 38, at Iowa City on February 12. The Gophers won the first six events including the 300-yard medley relay. Individual Minnesota winners were Fraser in the 200-yard free style; Solhaug in the 60-yard free style; Ruotsalainen in low board diving; Evans in the 100-yard free style, and Reigel in the 150-yard backstroke. The medley relay team included Thomssen, Gorgan and Adams.

#### Bierman to Pensacola

Lt. Col. Bernie Bierman '16, Marine Corps, has been named athletic director at the Naval Air Training station at Pensacola, Florida. The former Minnesota football coach will be in charge of the physical fitness program for approximately 25,000 men in training at the station. In addition to basic calisthenics, the physical fitness program of the base includes intramural competition in a number of sports al-

though football is not on the schedule. Pilots and crew members are taught how to take care of themselves if forced down in jungle areas.

Before assuming his new duties this month, Col. Bierman completed an inspection tour of naval air establishments throughout the country. He had been on assignments at San Diego and in Washington, D. C., since leaving his assignment as athletic director at the Naval Pre-Flight station at Iowa City.

## Gophers

Jack DeField, Minnesota's Big Ten pole vault champion, tied with Cpl. Milt Padway, formerly of Wisconsin, for first place in the pole vault in the annual Millrose games in New York on February 5. Both made 14 feet. Another former Gopher, Ralph Pohland, now in Marine training at Notre Dame, was fourth in the half mile.

Leonard (Butch) Levy, former Gopher lineman and wrestler, and now a chief petty officer in the Navy, was married on January 25 to Miss Loretta Bellson of Minneapolis. The bride came to this country from Germany five years ago with her parents.

Paddy Ryan, star center on the Minnesota hockey team, was lost to the team in mid-season. He is a dentistry student in uniform and his service program was such that he could not spare the time for practice on the rink. . . . It has been announced that Bob Graiziger, hard-hitting football player on the grid-iron and defenseman in hockey, will join the Chicago Black Hawks of the National Hockey League at the end of the college season.

Basketball Coach Card Nordly is getting several years of coaching experience all rolled into one this season. It has been a case of developing new team combinations nearly from week to week. By the first of February, things seemed to be pretty well stabilized—and then came word that Rollie De Lapp, high scoring Gopher, was to report as a Navy trainee at Notre Dame on February 7. De Lapp, former Macalester College scoring ace, had just joined the Gopher squad this quarter.

Former Gophers Marty Falk and Paddy Ryan have been stars on the Fort Snelling hockey team this winter.

# From Katzenjammers to Superman

HIGHLY competitive circulation campaigns carried on by aggressive New York newspapers to reach a new mass audience in the Eighteennineties brought about the introduction of numerous mass appeal features including the comic strip. The growth of the pictorial story-strip since the Katzenjammer Kids first started their antics in 1897 has been a phenomenon of American journalism and it has been estimated that at least one hundred million men. women and children in the United States today are habitual readers of the so-called comics.

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In addition to the newspaper strips there are the comic magazines and some eighteen million of these are sold on the newsstands every month. Only two of the nation's larger daily newspapers—the New York Times and the Christian Science Monitor—fail to keep their readers posted on the day by day activities of Dick Tracy, Blondie and other story-strip personalities.

The Katzenjammer Kids are still with us but there have been many changes in the comic strip pattern and content since 1900. Certain definite stages in the evolution of the story-strips are easily recognized.

First, there was the period when the comics were supposed to be comical. The characters completed one slapstick situation each day and were usually pretty well kicked out of shape in the final square, but were back fresh and free of scars and ready for further devilishness in the next issue.

With the introduction of story continuity there came a broadening of the human interest base and the day by day activities of families and individual characters were pictured. In this second period the adventure strip achieved high popularity and there was little or no attempt to be funny. Gangsters with names to suit their looks and activities appeared in the pictures as the villains.

Then out of the blue in 1938 came Superman to inaugurate a new trend

in the story strips in which wish fulfillment is the basis of the emotional appeal. This modern and invulnerable combination of Achilles and Ulysses performs super-heroic feats and uses his great powers to insure the triumph of good over evil. The comic books feature the activities of numerous super-human heroes and heroines who are defenders of justice and the weak and whose time and efforts are devoted to the laudable job of frustrating the nefarious schemes of as diabolical a crew of villains as the imagination of man has ever conjured. This triumph of good over evil appeals to a universal human emotion. In keeping with current national antipathies, the stories are made more appealing by pitting the invincible heroes against Germans and Japanese.

Critics have charged from time to time that comics and the adventure strips have an emotional appeal only for moronic minds and that they are a menace to national mental health. They (the strips, not the critics) may be lacking in mental substance but one hesitates to say that the one hundred million readers are all morons. Maybe you read the comics yourself.

Basically, of course, the appeal lies in the fact that they are picture stories. The story script minus the drawings would attract few readers. A noted psychologist, William Moulton Marston, writing in a recent issue of *The American Scholar* points out in further explanation of the popularity of the comics that:

"Nine humans out of ten react first with their emotions rather than their minds; the more primitive the emotion stimulated, the stronger the reaction. . . . The picture story fantasy cuts loose the hampering debris of art and artifice and touches the tender spots of universal human desires and aspirations, hidden customarily beneath long accumulated protective coverings of indirection and disguise. Comics speak, without qualm of sophistication, to the innermost ears of the wishful self."

## Reviewing Stand

#### Regent Honored

Dr. E. E. Novak, University Regent, who has served continuously as a member of the school board in New Prague for 38 years, was honored by the Minnesota School Board association at its annual meeting in Minneapolis on February 10. The association awarded him its distinguished service award for 1944 and the presentation was made by Lt. Gov. Archie Miller of Hopkins.

Dr. Novak, who has engaged in the practice of medicine in New Prague since 1895, has been a member of the school board since 1906 and was president of the Minnesota School Board association in 1935-36. He has been a member of the Board of Regents of the University since 1939.

#### Research Award

For the second consecutive year, a University of Minnesota graduate has been honored with the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineering award for outstanding student research.

For his paper on Low Pressure Reduction of Iron Ores, George Specht '43E, of Superior, Wisconsin, will receive \$100 plus a trip to New York. The latter award carries with it a minor touch of irony, however. Specht now is an ensign stationed in Baltimore, Maryland, a two-hour ride from New York.

John Elliott of St. Paul, who was chosen in 1942, is now a navy lieutenant in the South Pacific.

#### Comstock Library

Mrs. Wallace Notestein, who, as Ada L. Comstock, was Minnesota's first dean of women, has made a gift of books to the library in Comstock Hall, the residence for women named in her honor. Mrs. Notestein has also established the S. G. Comstock book fund in memory of her father, a former regent of the University of Minnesota.

Miss Comstock, who was dean of women at Minnesota from 1907 to



Ten sons and daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Rice, 3133 Second Avenue S., Minneapolis, have attended the University of Minnesota. In this family group, left to right, are Mrs. Thelma Long '32Ex, Walter L. Rice '28L, Mrs. Vivien Morris '18, Alfred C. Rice '25Ex, Mrs. Carl J. Rice, Carl J. Rice, Leonard J. Rice '18, Mrs. Leila Applequist '22, Millard W. Rice '18L, Mrs. Della Veatch '24Ex, and Dr. Carl O. Rice '26Md. Missing from the picture is Lt. Comdr. Herbert R. Rice '29Md, USNR, who is stationed somewhere in the Pacific.

1912, retired this past summer as president of Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Mass., and was married in June to Dr. Wallace Notestein, a former member of the Minnesota faculty, and now Sterling professor of English history at Yale University.

#### State Director

The Minnesota League for Planned Parenthood named Mrs. Thomas Steward (Muriel Fairbanks '18A), as its state director. She formerly served as director of health education for the Hennepin County Tuberculosis Association, and handled social welfare publicity for the Minneapolis Council of Social Agencies.

#### **Education Post**

Walter A. Andrews '17; '31Gr, has been appointed to the staff of the Minnesota State Department of Education as director of Elementary and Secondary Schools. Since 1939 he has been superintendent of the public schools of New Ulm and has submitted his resignation to the New Ulm board of education effective March 15.

Before going to New Ulm, Mr. Andrews held superintendencies at Lake City, Buffalo and Annandale. Mr. and Mrs. (Abby Lauzer '17) Andrews will live in St. Paul.

#### Office in Houston

Dr. John E. Skogland '37Md, has opened an office at 521 Medical Arts Building, Houston, Texas, with his practice limited to diseases of the nervous system.

Dr. Skogland did graduate work in neuropsychiatry at the University and received his M.S. degree in 1939 and his Ph.D. degree in that field in 1940. Until January 1, 1944, he was assistant professor of neuropsychiatry at the Louisiana State Medical School in New Orleans.

## Opera Singer

When the Philadelphia Opera Company presented Johann Strauss's comic opera, *Die Fledermaus*, in Northrop Auditorium as part of the Artists' Course series of concerts, it was a homecoming for Betty Baker Griffith '39A; '40Gr.

Last fall she joined the Philadelphia group as a contralto lead. Previously she was in the company of the Broadway hit, Rosalinda. While in school she was featured in many campus musical presentations, and in her senior year was chosen to sing with the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra in its annual concert.

Mrs. Griffith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Baker, 932 Hague Avenue, St. Paul. Her husband, Fred Griffith '30Ex, is in service with the merchant marine.

## Alumni Meet in London

A LUMNI of Minnesota and Notre Dame now serving in the armed forces in England held a joint reunion dinner on January 15 at the No. 3 Grosvenor Club, 3 Grosvenor Square, London, W. 1. It was the largest and most successful of a series of college reunion meetings arranged for American college alumni in London.

So pleasant was the occasion that it was suggested that the Minnesota and Notre Dame alumni get together again and there was a feeling that an ideal place for the next meeting would be Berlin. The meeting has been scheduled and the date will be announced later.

The program included brief talks by Lt. Col. Frank McCormick, Minnesota's athletic director-on-leave, and Gerald Fitzgerald '35Gr, of the American Red Cross in London. Mr. Fitzgerald is also a graduate of Notre Dame. There was a songfest and the showing of a short motion picture provided by the Special Service Division, United States Army.

Minnesotans present were: T/Sgt. Rudolph J. Charney '42; Cpl. S. D. Birenzweig; Capt. Charles B. Mills, Jr. '19; Capt. Ivan C. Dimmick; Maj. Paul E. Arneson '30; Lt. James C. Nelson '39; Maj. Raymond J. Karpen; Lt. Walter A. Hurtley '40; Lt. William A. Johnson; Lt. James Moise '40; Capt. H. S. Walker '29B.

Lt. John P. Painschaf; Capt. Gustav Svendsen '32; Maj. C. B. Huntley '38; Lt. Clarence J. Hein; Lt. Milton K. Hedberg; Lt. R. K. Nelson '40; Lt. K. E. Rotegard '38; Sgt. Wallace Niss '39; Adam Cameron; Capt. Daniel S. Feidt '32L.

Capt. J. E. Osborne '29L; Lt. Col. Frank G. McCormick; Capt. Eugene W. Gentry; Capt. Thomas J. Beauchance, Jr.; Lt. Norval C. Iverson '31B; Lt. Charles E. Gormley; Lt. Thomas W. Henderson '40; Lt. George Fahlstrom '42; Pvt. William N. Campbell; Lt. John M. Paulson; Capt. W. J. Durrenberger; Cpl. Morris Marwede '43; Lt. David P. Rhame '42; Frank W. Vieden; John Y. Loper; Mr. Gerald Fitzgerald '35, and Capt. Clarence Tormoen '26L.



Lt. Col. Frank McCormick

#### Los Angeles

The Gopher Club of Los Angeles, the Minnesota alumni organization in that city, held its annual dinner and meeting at the University Club on February 17. Present as guest and speaker was Alumni Secretary E. B. Pierce. Mr. Pierce reviewed the war program of the University and also showed movies of campus war activities.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the annual meeting included Rockwood Nelson '15E, president of the Gopher Club; P. J. Stillwell '20L, secretary, and John F. Sinclair '06; '09L, George Judson '09, and Webster Tallant '08.

#### Rochester

Three members of the University staff were guests of Minnesota alumni in Rochester at a dinner meeting in that city on February 3, Laurence R. Lunden, comptroller of the University, reviewed in detail the war program of the institution and told of the adjustments which had been made to meet the urgent need for special training courses and facilities.

The wartime intercollegiate sports program was discussed by Dr. George Hauser, head football coach. He gave a summary of some of the problems facing college coaches now as they prepare teams for competition,

Alumni Secretary E. B. Pierce served as toastmaster and led the group in the singing of Minnesota songs. He also showed the movie highlights of Minnesota's 1943 football season. Dr. Mark Anderson '25Md, of the Mayo Clinic, was in charge of arrangements for the meeting.

## Engineers in California

Minnesota engineers employed in the aircraft industry in Southern California held a Stag dinner on January 15 at McDonnell's Monterey Restaurant in Los Angeles, Sixtyeight were present representing Douglas Aircraft, Hughes Aircraft, North American Aviation, Northrop Aviation, Vultee Aircraft, Lockheed Aircraft and the California Institute of Technology.

The group voted to meet twice a year, a dinner dance in July and a Stag in January. The arrangements committee will include one man from each aircraft company and a mimeographed directory of the group is to be prepared and circulated. Plans for this first meeting were made by H. A. Ericksen '37AeroE, Frank Duschik '36AeroE, and R. Swancutt. H. A. Swift '34AeroE, played the piano and R. J. Sutton led the singing.

#### Chemists in Ohio

There are more than 20 members of the 1943 class in chemical engineering in the Akron-Cleveland area and they are planning a get-together sometime this spring, we learn in a note from Robert H. Berg '43IT, 640 Sackett St., Apt. 5, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. The members of this class in chemical engineering have a news letter called "Ch. U. M. '43."

#### Honor Class Member

Members of the class of 1918 held a meeting at the Minneapolis Club in January in honor of Representative Everett Dirksen '18, of Illinois, who was in the Twin Cities to fill a speaking engagement. Mr. Dirksen is seeking the Republican nomination for the presidency.

# Minnesota's Roll of Honor

### Fayette Krause

Captain Fayette Krause '34Ed. former University athlete, was killed in an airplane accident in Greenland. Capt. Krause was on an air transport being transferred to a new base when the accident occurred. In 1934 he was captain of the University of Minnesota baseball team and was awarded his "M" letter. He also was prominent in athletics in Detroit Lakes, his home town. Prior to entering the army. Krause had been coaching at Columbia Heights high school. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Krause of Alexandria, Minnesota, and his wife, the former Edmonde E. Lindquist '34N, and son of Minneapolis, survive.

#### John H. Richardson

Lt. John H. Richardson '36Ex, with the U. S. Army in the Mediterranean Area, has been killed in action.

#### Theodore T. Vasatka

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Vasatka of Mendota, Minnesota, were notified by the Navy Department on January 27 that their son, Lt. Theodore T. Vasatka '44Ex, missing in action since December 30, 1942, must be presumed lost. The message said that all possible efforts to learn of his fate have failed. Vasatka was pilot of a PBY rescue ship in the Aleutians and on the day the ship disappeared, he had rescued the crew of a B25 that had crashed on water. He was seen by other airmen to pick up the crew, but he did not return to base. No evidence has ever been found of the plane or its crew or passengers. The plane was last seen over Kiska, then occupied by the Japanese. General Arnold, of the Army Air Forces, in a personal letter to Ted's mother, praised his record and said that while in training at Lubbock Field, Texas, Ted was looked upon as an outstanding officer. Lt. Vasatka also was awarded the Silver Star for his gallantry.

#### John McClelland Entrikin

Ensign John M. Entrikin '43-AeroE, has been reported killed in action in the South Pacific. He received training in the Naval ROTC on the campus and is the first graduate of that University unit to lose his life in the war. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Entrikin, 4160 West 44th, Minneapolis. While a student, he was a member of Anchor and Chain, national naval fraternity, and he was also a member of the crack drill platoon.

#### Harvey J. Anderson

Lt, Harvey J. Anderson '44Ex, pilot of a Flying Fortress bomber, was killed in action over England on January 7. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hjalmer F. Anderson of 4604 Oakland Avenue, Minneapolis, were informed by the War Department on January 26. Lt. Anderson entered the air force in July, 1942, and went overseas in October, 1943.

#### Porter M. Hoidale

Services were held in Minneapolis on January 29 for Lt. Comdr. Porter M. Hoidale '40Md, Flight Surgeon, who died in Klamath Falls, Oregon. His wife, the former Elinor Watson '33A, and two year old son, Kevin, survive.

#### William L. Anderson

Sgt. William L. Anderson '43Ex, member of an infantry medical detachment, was killed in action in Italy on January 17. He entered



LT, THEODORE T. VASATKA

active service with the national guard in March, 1941. In April, 1942, he went to northern Ireland. Later he served in the North African campaign. Parents: Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Anderson, 951 Eighteenth Avenue S. E., Minneapolis.

#### Elvin Erickson

A War Department report on January 29 to Mrs. E. O. Erickson of 3911 East 54th Street, Minneapolis, informed her that her son, Lt. Elvin Erickson '45Ex. was killed in action over Germany during the Schweinfurt raid on October 14. Earlier reports listed him as missing. Memorial services were held in Minneapolis on February 2.

## Wounded

Lt. Edward Bonk '40Ex, of the Marine Corps, was wounded on January 18. His mother, Mrs. Mary Bonk, lives in South St. Paul.

Captain Byron W. Hess '43Ex, has been reported wounded in the Mediterranean Area. His home is in Thief River Falls, Minnesota.

Lt. Thomas W. Thompson '44Ex, with the U. S. Army in the European Area, was wounded recently. Home address: 1622 Wellesley, St. Paul.

Lt. Kenneth B. Wieman '38BA, of Donnybrook, North Dakota, has been wounded while serving with the U. S. Army in the Asiatic Theater,

## Missing

Lt. Leo Canelake '42Ex, of Hibbing, Minnesota, serving with the U. S. Army, is missing in the European Theater.

Lt. Frederick A. Delbern, Jr. '40Ex, is missing in Europe. His wife lives in Duluth, Minnesota.

Flight Officer James P. Eastwood '40Ex, has been reported missing in the European Theater on February 2. His home is in LeSueur, Minnesota.

Lt. Harvey J. Hanson '40Ex, has been reported missing on February 2 in the Mediterranean Theater. His home address is 1107 Edgerton Street, St. Paul.

Captain Irving R. Lifson '40B, of the U. S. Army, is missing in the Asiatic Area. His mother, Mrs. Jennie Lifson, lives at 1103 James Avenue North, Minneapolis.

Pilot Officer David A. MacGregor '35Ex, of the Royal Canadian Air Force, has been missing in action over Europe since January 22. His mother, Mrs. Frank MacGregor, of 3224 East Minnehaha Parkway, Minneapolis, received the notice on January 31. Pilot Officer MacGregor has been serving in the RCAF since October, 1942.

On January 16 word was received that Lt. Robert D. Stevens '36Ex. is missing in the Mediterranean Area. His wife, Mrs. Marian A. Stevens, lives at 4025 Madison Avenue, Min-

neapolis.

Lt. Robert V. Stolpe '39Ag, was reported missing by the Navy Department on January 26. He made his home in Hibbing.

Lt. George T. Winzenburg, of the U. S. Army, is missing in the European Area,

### Prisoner

Lt. Carl O. Flagstad, Jr. '43Ex, a navigator aboard a bomber based in England, is a prisoner of the Germans. First notice, received by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. O. Flagstad of 5027 28th Avenue South, Minneapolis, on January 24 from the War Department indicated that he was lost over Germany on January 4. A second notice informed them that he had been taken prisoner.

Lt. Flagstad was commissioned at navigation school at Hondo, Texas, and went to England in November, His father, Dr. Carl O. Flagstad '11D, is professor of dentistry and practices at the University, and secretary-treasurer of the American Association of Dental Schools. Two of Lt. Flagstad's sisters attended the University, Virginia (Mrs. Harvey Hoyt '41Ed), and Margaret (Mrs.

Robert Guthrie '40MdT).

#### Awards

Lt. Col. Robert W. DuPriest '35Md, has been awarded the Legion of Merit for "outstanding service. during and following the attack on Pearl Harbor." While in school, Colonel DuPriest was president of the junior and senior councils. He was at Fort Lewis, Washington for three years, and has spent five years in Hawaii. At the time of the Pearl Harbor attack, he was chief of general surgery at Tripler General Hospital. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. John R. DuPriest of 144 Melbourne

Avenue S. E. Mr. DuPriest is Professor of Mechanical Engineering at the University.

For his destruction of a Jap Zero over Wewak, Lt. Donald J. Gibb '41Ex, has been awarded the Air Medal. Lt. Gibb was commissioned at Turner Field, Georgia, in October, 1942, and has been in the southwest Pacific since last April. Parents: Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Gibb, 312 Sixteenth Avenue S E., Minneapolis.

Flight Officer Gary L Croll '44Ex. pilot of a B25, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal for participating in 50 bombing missions in the China-Burma-India theater. His home is in Shakopee, Minnesota.

George H. Olson '40Ex, serving as a marine dive bomber pilot, has been awarded the Air Medal. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Olson, live at 4625 Aldrich Avenue South, Min-

neapolis.

A French regiment of Algerian riflemen decorated Captain George A. Specht '22Ex, "for services rendered" while stationed in North Africa. The decoration carries with it a full uniform and honorary French citizenship. Capt. Specht is the 57th man honored by the regiment which is more than 300 years old. His wife, Lt. Casimira Specht, of the Army Nurses Corps, was sent overseas recently. Their son, Pvt. George R. Specht '46Ex, is stationed at the University of Nebraska, Lin-

Lt. William R. Wilson '43Ex, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for 50 missions with an air force troop carrier squadron in the southwest Pacific.

Clyde E. Youngs '42Ex, who became known as the "youngest captain with the AEF in Britain," has been promoted to Lt. Colonel and awarded the Legion of Merit for his part in the Tunisian campaign.

A Legion of Merit medal has been awarded posthumously in Honolulu to Lt. Volt H. Tom '41Md, Army medical officer, who died in line of duty on Guadalcanal in May, 1943. The decoration, in degree of Legionnaire, for his services as battalion surgeon during action against the Japanese in January, 1943, on Guadalcanal, was accepted by his sister, Miss Ellen Tom, 1095 Beretania St., Honolulu.

Lt. Tom served his interneship at the Jersey City medical center and before being called to active duty in March, 1942, he was resident physician at a Lansdale, Pa., hospital. He was born in Hilo, Hawaii, June 25, 1915.

## Notes from the Late Mail

DEAR EDITOR: I have just received a copy of the Minnesota News Letter, your bulletin to Gopher alumni in the services. It brought many a pleasant nostalgic twinge to me as I read it, and I enjoyed it so much I was moved to dash off this note of appreciation to you. As my British pals say, "it's jolly good."

Now then—Can I have an encore? I

don't know how often you publish it, but I would like to be on your mailing

A suggestion: Do you send the Minnesota Alumnus abroad? Here in London are many Minnesota grads (as witness the alumni banquet in January) and a number of Red Cross clubs. Why not send the Alumnus to one or more of them? Many homesick Gophers would enjoy and appreciate it, I'm sure. Thanks again.

Lt. James Moise '40, England

Editor's Note: Encores of the Minnesota News Letter there will be for Lt. Moise and other Minnesotans (10,000) in the armed forces for whom we have cor-rect addresses. Copies of the Minnesota Alumnus are sent to camp libraries and reading rooms at posts and stations in the U. S., and also to overseas points when service regulations permit.

DEAR EDITOR: I am very grateful for all the letters and alumni publications being sent to the men in service from the University. Every bit of news from the campus is very cheering. It is best to use my home address, 315 Second Street N. W., Little Falls, Minn.

I have been in England for the past three months and have met many other Minnesota alumni. I would like to attend the U. of M. reunion in London on January 15, but I don't think I can make it, Keep up the good work. Ensign Al Nathe '42B, USNR, England

DEAR EDITOR: Just a note to ask you to change my address, because I have been gadding about the country you last heard from me. New address: c/o Office of Port Director, NTS, 12th Naval District, San Francisco 2, Calif.

After spending four months at the Navy Supply Corps School at Harvard, I had a two-months' tour of duty with the Sea Bees in Williamsburg, Va. I am now awaiting assignment to a chartered merchant ship as supply officer.

Ensign Lynn Fenstermacher '41B

# Notes from India to Capri

WE HEAR from "somewhere in England" that Lt. Col. Frank McCormick, Minnesota's athletic director-on-leave, has taken to the high-framed English bicycle with all the ease of an Oxford undergraduate and that in baseball games at the base he more than holds his own with men and officers far his junior. He has earned a reputation as a heavy-hitter.

Col. McCormick is an assistant chief of staff at a Troop Carrier Command base of the Army Air Forces in England. He entered active Army service on February 22, 1942. Stationed at the same base is Capt. Max F. Stevens '21B. Others from Minnesota there are Cpl. Orville O. Gilmore of Albert Lea, Cpl. William D. Blunt of Minneapolis and Cpl. Harold R. Chase of Rochester.

### Visits Campus

Capt. Orville Freeman '40A, of the Marine corps, former Gopher quarterback, was home recently on furlough. He was leader of a 35man patrol on a river on Bougainville Island during a battle in the Solomons area, and he credits the accuracy of marine artillery fire with saving his patrol. After three skirmishes, in which Capt. Freeman was wounded in the neck by a Jap bullet. the patrol dug in for the night in a swamp. The next morning retreat was cut off by a body of Japanese, numbering 400 to 600, but Marine artillery fire from the base wiped out the enemy.

#### Meet in India

Two engineering graduates said good-bye in Memorial Stadium on graduation night of 1935. Next time they meet they are "somewhere in India." Major John McGlone and Major Burton Ward Thompson are both stationed there, and the first person Major McGlone ran into was Major Thompson.

In his two and one-half years in India, Major McGlone has had some interesting experiences. The highpoint in his social life was attending a dinner given by a high-ranking Chinese general. He relates how "it took hours and hours to eat course after course—all with chopsticks." He's still wondering how he got through the soup courses. Mrs. McGlone, the former Elizabeth M. Odenbriet '41N, and their two children, are living in Minneapolis.

Major Thompson spent New Year's Day in the hills with a Scottish family. For relaxation and diversion he played lawn tennis, went swimming, rode elephants and played with the family's pet ape. Mrs. Thompson and their daughter live in Minneapolis,

### Red Cross

Dorothy L. Menzies '32HEc, assistant field director with the Red Cross, has arrived safely in India. In a letter to her mother, Mrs. O. A. Menzies of Minneapolis, she was very enthusiastic about the marvelous Red Cross service clubs there. Miss Menzies has been sightseeing and visiting the temples. Recently she was invited to dine at the home of an Indian temple priest.

Patricia Ann Pattison '41Ex, has been convalescing from an appendectomy at Capri. She has been overseas with the American Red Cross since July and her first work



Dr. Forrest R. Immer '24Ag; '27Gr, associate director of the Agricultural Experiment Station at University Farm, has been called to England to serve in a civilian advisory capacity with the Army Air Forces. He made the trip in January by air.

was in Sicily. Her assignment as a "doughnut girl" took her over the entire Sicilian area, and to reach the many air bases the group flew to avoid the treacherous road conditions. When her recovery is complete, Pat will resume her work in the morale department as "doughnut girl." Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George J. Pattison live in Rochester, Minnesota.

#### WAC Officer

Lt. Prudence Merriman '19A, owner and director of Camp Merriwyn for Girls, at Bemidji, Minnesota, has been in the WACs since October, 1942. She graduated in the thirteenth officer candidate class in January, 1943, and taught map reading to officer candidates as well as basic companies. In the fall of 1943, she was transferred to O'Reilly General Hospital, Springfield, Missouri, where she has been serving as an army emergency relief officer and a counsellor to civilian women.

During 1921 and 1922, Lt, Merriman held a fellowship in the French department of the University. The following year she served in France with Anne Morgan's Comité Américain pour les Regions Devastées.

#### Trains Marines

Phyllis Ziebarth '38Ed, is now serving as a second lieutenant at Camp Lejeune, New River, North Carolina. She is in charge of the physical education training for all enlisted women in the marine corps reserve. All women reserves go through recruit training at this base, and Lt. Ziebarth has a staff of seven officers working with her on this program.

#### Handles Supplies

Colonel Arnold W. Shutter '16MA, is second in command of an army replacement depot in Noumea, New Caledonia. He came to the replacement depot in May, 1943, when it was established, and he says, "our job here is to supply all army branches of the South Pacific area with replacements." Col. Shutter taught languages at the University for a year and enlisted in the army in 1915. In 1917 he took an examination for a provisional commission and two years later it was made permanent.

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#### Alumni War Records

INCLUDED in this department is information about Minnesota alumni in service which has been received recently in the office of the Minnesota Alumnus and the Alumni Records office. It is not intended as a directory of former students of the University in uniform but is a continuation of the lists which have appeared in preceding issues of the magazine.

Additional news items about Minnesota men and women in the armed forces are to be found in the class note section and elsewhere in the magazine.

The Minnesota Alumnus is anxious to receive information about all graduates and former students of the University who are now serving in the armed forces of the nation and in auxiliary organizations. This information becomes a part of the permanent Alumni War Records file being kept in the Alumni Records office.

Lt. Gordon Tucker '18Ex, USNR, has been detached from his post at the naval air station at Glenview, Ill., for foreign duty. He served in the navy in the last war and formerly was with the naval cadet selection board in Minneapolis.

Lenore Alway '23Ed, is serving with the SPARS.

Ethel Theilmann '27Ed, has been promoted to captain in the medical department. She is stationed in Springfield, Missouri.

Major F. E. Colien '28Ed; '30Gr; '34Ph.D., has accepted new duties as chief of the laboratory service in the new Dibble General Hospital. Address: Dibble General Hospital, Menlo Park, California.

Lt. John McKasy '28L, is now in Washington where he is serving in the Military Affairs Division. He was a member of the first officer candidate class at Ann Arbor, Michigan in 1943. Later he attended the Command and General Staff School. Lt. Michael Shores '29B, is with the air corps at Ellington Field, Texas. He is living at the Schneider Hotel, Pampa, Texas.

Capt. Harold Westin '29L, has completed training in the ninth officer class at Ann Arbor and at the Command and General Staff School at Fort Leavenworth. He is now serving with troops.

Myrtle L. Glasser '31Ed; '41MS, is attending Midshipmen's School in Northampton, Massachusetts. Her home is in Breckenridge, Minnesota.

D. J. Partridge '31Ex, is in training at Great Lakes, Ill. Address: USNTS, Co. 1897, Great Lakes.

Major Charles E. Rea '31Md; '32MS; '37Ph.D., is with the army medical corps. Address: Chief of Medical Services. U. S. Engineer Office, War Department. Manhatton District, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Helen Slocum '31Ed; '41MS, is now serving with the WACS.

L. N. Anderson '32Ex, is with the U. S. Naval Reserve. He makes his home at 4300 Thomas Avenue North. Minneapolis.

Verna B. Brocker '32N, is with Army Nurses Corps overseas.

Captain Theodore J. Bulinski '32Md, is serving with the 26th General Hospital overseas.

Doris Genge '32A, is now serving with the WACS.

Bernice M. King '32A; '35MA; '37B, is attending Midshipmen's School in Northampton, Massachusetts.

Major Scott E. Linsley '32E, is a signal corps officer. He served 26 months with the AAF in Antigue, Curacao, Puerto Rico, St. Thomas and St. Croix.

Tech. Sgt. Thomas S. McCart '32B, is stationed with a service squadron overseas.

Lorraine Paulson '32B, is serving with the WAVES.

Capt. Rolland C. Beck '33D, is stationed overseas.

Marguerite A. Johnson '33A, a hospital social worker with the Red Cross, has arrived safely in Australia.

Lt. Ivar Sivertsen '33Ex, is stationed at the presidio in Monterey, California.

William Thiel '33L, is attending the 4th officer candidate class at the Judge Advocate General's School in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Sgt. John A. Bowman '34A; '35Ed, is with a photo reconnaissance squadron overseas.

Harlow Curran '34Ex, now in foreign service, has been promoted to the rank of Major.

Major John Herbert '34L, is working in the Military Affairs of the Judge Advocate General's Office in Washington.

Virginia Lewis '34A, a hospital recreation worker with the Red Cross, has arrived safely in Hawaii. She is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. B. Lewis of St. Cloud, and formerly worked as instructor and secretary at the Minneapolis Institute of Arts.

Captain William Moroney '34L, who served in the Military Affairs of the Judge Advocate General's Office in Washington, is now with the troops as a staff judge advocate of a division.

William H. Richardson '34Ex, an assistant field director with the Red Cross, has arrived safely in Australia. His home is in Pipestone, Minnesota.

Major Raymond P. Sharood '34L, is working in the Military Affairs of the Judge Advocate General's Office in Washington.

Henry Somsen '34L, is scheduled to attend the Judge Advocate General's School at Ann Arbor with the sixth officer candidate class in March.

Captain Maurice Stacy '34ChE, is now in Italy.

Lt. John Abdo '35L, was a member of the first officer candidate class at Ann Arbor, Michigan He now is post judge advocate of a prisoner of war camp at Scottsbluff, Nebraska.

William R. Halloran '35Ex, has been promoted to first lieutenant at Fort Lewis, Washington, Robert A. Lobdell '35Ex, of Detroit Lakes, has been promoted to Captain at Fort Jackson, South Carolina.

Constance Sabin '35Ed, hospital recreation worker with the Red Cross, has arrived safely in Hawaii.

Garnet S. Aspnes '36D, has been promoted to captain in Italy.

Major James W. Brown '36Md, is wing surgeon with the Central Africa Ferrying Wing.

Tonie Callenbach '36Ed, is now serving with the WAVES.

Cpl. Gordon W. Lagerstrom '36A; '38Gr, is doing personnel work with the headquarters squadron of a fighter command in the South Pacific.

Mary P. Porter '36B, is attending Midshipmen's School in Northampton, Massachusetts.

Captain Donald M. Brink '37Md, is in the army medical corps with the 50th Station Hospital overseas.

Arlene Fredsall '37Ed, is serving with the WAVES.

Ensign Leo J. White '37Ex, is stationed with the naval air corps at Corpus Christi, Texas, where he is an instructor.

White Leo J. '37Ex, Ensign, USN AC. Stationed at Corpus Christi, Texas, as an instructor.



Lt. Kenneth J. Rockstroh '41, received his wings as a combat navigator in the Army Air Forces at Hondo, Texas, in January. He is the son of Mrs. Minnie Rockstroh, 4122 39th Avenue S., Minneapolis.

M/Sgt, Alton V. Brage '38A, is with a fighter group overseas.

Lt. Charles Carlsen '38L, is attending the Judge Advocate Gen-

eral's School in Ann Arbor, Michigan,

Goldie L. Kozberg '38Ex, is attending Midshipmen's School in Northampton, Massachusetts.

Louis A. Marn '38Ex, is in training at Great Lakes. Address: 8th Reg. 2nd Batt. Co. 124, Great Lakes, Illinois.

Karl E. Rotegard '38A, was recently promoted to first lieutenant in England. Since his arrival overseas he has served as a classification officer.

Lt. Lyle (Bud) Werring '38Ex, has been in Minneapolis waiting reassignment. For 15 months he was stationed in Newfoundland, and it was there he connected with his first hole-in-one. While in school, Lt. Werring was one of the University's golf stars.

Lt. Lester Breslow '39Md; '41-MPH, is with the army medical corps. In January he was to report for duty in the Port Surgeon's Office at Fort Mason, headquarters of the San Francisco Port of Embarkation. He formerly was associated with the Minnesota Department of Health. His wife and son are living at 1665 E. Mountain, Pasadena, California.

Ensign Margaret F. Buckle '39B, was home recently for a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Buckle, 2254 Arthur Street N. E., Minneapolis. She was on her way to Los Angeles from Northampton, Massachusetts, where she was graduated from the WAVES' basic training course.

Enstrom, Everett T. '39BS(Ed), 2nd Lieutenant, navigator AAF-

Erzar, Stanley F. '39Ex, 2nd Lieutenant.

Flanagan, George E. '39BBA, Sergeant.

Lt. Donald F. Flinn '39E, is with the army air corps. Address: 1st A.A.F.F.T.D. Santa Ana Maria, California.

Frederickson, Alfred W. '39Ex, 1st Lieutenant.

Gilman H. Goehrs '39Md, has been promoted to the rank of major in the Southwest Pacific.

Gerald J. Grunz '39Ex, petty officer, USNR, is stationed at Great Lakes, Illinois.

Pvt. Frank M. Kozlik '39B, is with the army medical corps overseas.

Cpl. Ralph Menning '39Ex, is in cadet training at Keesler Field, Mississippi. Richard F. Rupp '39A, has been promoted to first lieutenant in Seattle, Washington.

Lt. Alfred H. Swoffer '39E, is now a student in the four-engine pilot school at Roswell, New Mexico. He recently received his pilot wings at Douglas Army Air Field. He joined the army in January, 1942, and received his commission in June, 1942. For a year he served as an engineering officer with the air corps.

Ervin C. Upton '39Ex, is in training at Great Lakes. Address: Company 23, USNTS. Great Lakes, Illinois.



Lt. Rufus R. Nelson '41, former member of the Minnesota Daily staff, is a navigator in the Army Air Forces. He received his wings at San Marcos. Texas, in January. He is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma. Lt. Nelson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus E. Nelson, 911 Seventh Avenue, Minneapolis, and his wife, Mrs. Dorothy R. Nelson, lives at 1047 18th Avenue S. E.

Donald A. Brownell '40E, stationed in Puerto Rico, has been promoted to Major.

Glen E. Bruer '40Ex, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the army air forces, ground branches, at Miami Beach, Florida.

Costney B. Egan '40Ex, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the army air forces as pilot at the central flying training command headquarters in Texas.

George F. Halpin '40Ex, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the field artillery at Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Richard W. Kerker '40E, was commissioned an ensign in naval aviation at Pensacola, Florida.

Captain Roger M. Nordby '40E,

is a radio officer with the army overseas.

Lt. George E. Olson '40B, is with a weather squadron overseas.

Lt. Ralph D. Peltz '40Ex, is a pilot in the army air forces.

Lt. George C. Peterson '40E, is serving with the 55th Signal Repair Co., Camp Cooke, California.

Lt. Richard C. Rasmussen '40B, is serving with the navy overseas.

Lt. George A. Schulte '40Ex, is stationed at Ellington Field, Texas.

Lt. Albin Seaberg '40A, is overseas with an army service group

Gordon, Milton, '41BBA, 2nd Lieutenant, AAF (navigator).

Hartley, Mrs. Paul (Ann C. Smalley) '41GN), 2nd Lieutenant. 223rd Station Hospital.

Hendrickson, Merrill J. '41Ex, Ser-

geant, Blythe, Calif.

Kaibel, Howard L. '41Ex, Lieutenant. Stationed at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Virginia.

Karkeet, Blanche P. '41BS, Corporal, Marine Corps Women's Reserve. San Francisco, Calif.

Kaufman, Alvin B. '41AA, Sergeant. Stationed at the University of Missouri with the Engineering Corps. Address: 413 Fifth Street S., Columbia, Missouri.

Lenmark, Mason E. '41Ex, Cap-

tain. Army Air Force.

Lill, Charles R. '41Ex, Lieutenant. Attending Officers School for Advanced Training, Fort Benning, Georgia.

Long, Kermit A. '41BS, Lieuten-

ant (j.g.), Santa Ana, Calif.

Lowery, Forst E. '41Ex, Lieutenant. Weapons Department, Academic Regiment, Tank Destroyers School, North Camp Hood, Texas.

McWhirter, William S. '41Ex, 1st

Lieutenant.

Murphy, Joseph E. '41Md, Captain.

Murphy, Vincent P. '41BS, Inf. Soldier Instructor. Visual Aids, Academic Department, The Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia.

Musty, Nicholas J. '41Md, Campatin USA MC. Flight Surgeon AAB Hospital, Walla Walla, Washington. Address: Army Air Base Hospital, Walla Walla, Washington.

O'Brien, Susan E. '41Ex, Army Cadet Nurse, in training at Bellevue

Oja, Leonard '41Ex, 2nd Lieuten-

Hospital, New York, N. Y.

ant, Army Air Corps.

Pagani, Joseph E. '41Ex, 2nd Lieutenant, Army Air Force Ground Crew.



Lt. Louis P. Moentenich '42Ed, received his wings as a navigator in the Army Air Forces at San Marcos, Texas, in January. He is a member of Sigma Delta Psi and Phi Epsilon Kappa. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Moentenich, 4441 Fifth Avenue S., Minneapolis. His wife, Mrs. Mary Moentenich, also lives in Minneapolis.

Pederson, Victor A. '41Ex, Lieutenant, C.A.C. Officer's Provisional Training Bn. Fort Bliss, Texas. Residence: 600 W. Yandell Blvd. El Paso, Texas.

Riedel, Harley E. '41Ex, Lieutenant. Quartermasters Market Center, 1201 Jones, Fort Worth, Texas. Residence: 2428 Winton Terrace East, Fort Worth, Texas.

Saltnass, Arle M., Jr. '41BBA, 1st Lieutenant. Army Air Corps, Ajo Army Air Field, Ajo, Arizona.

Sargent, Maxwell R. '41BS, Army Air Force, 4th Weather Squadron.

Sauve, Richard H. '41Ex, Captain, Seelig, Herman S. '41Ph.D., 1st Lieutenant. Chemical Warfare Development Lab. MIT. Cambridge, Massachusetts. Residence: 8 Chauncy Street, Cambridge 38, Mass.

Seland, John T. '41Ex, Private. Stationed at the Army Administration School, Brookings, South Dako-

Shabatura, Emil '41Ex, Chief Warrant Officer, Camp Pickett, Virginia,

Shaffer, James M. '41MS, Pfc. Medical AST Unit, Western Reserve University.

Shannon, Charles W. '41BGeolE, 2nd Lieutenant. CAC, A of the U. S. AAATC Off. Sch. Casual Off. Pool, Camp Haan, Calif.

Shapera, Wallace H. '41BChE, 2nd Lieutenant. Army Air Force, Altus, Oklahoma.

Smith, Leslie O. '41AA, Private. Oklahoma City, Oklahoma. Smythe, Arthur C. '41BBE, Lieutenant, USN, serving with the Pacific Fleet.

Sneath, George E. R. '41BBA, Cadet for commission in Canadian Armored Corps. Address: Officers' Training Center, Brockfille, Ontario. Canada.

Sobol, Morton '41BA. Staff Ser-

geant, serving in Alaska.

Souba, Frederic J. '41BBA, Pfc., ASTP, Psychology Unit training at University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania,

Spehar, Anne D. '41BS, 2nd Lieutenant. Hospital dietitian at Woodrow Wilson General Hospital, Staunton, Virginia.

Storey, Robert C. '41BS, 2nd Lieutenant, stationed at Normoyle Ordnance Depot.

Strang, George S. '41BSL; '41LLB. AAFWST (Instructor Flight Training), Kenansville, N. Carolina.

Stuntebeck, Margaret C. '41BS. WAC Section, 1580th S. U. Camp Campbell, Ky.

Talbert, Walter W. '41Ex, 2nd Lieutenant, Captain, Air Corps.

Torvie, Ivan M. '41Ex, Cadet. Maritime Service—Army Transport School, St. Petersburg, Fla.

Aizman, Sidney B. '42Ex, 1st Lieutenant, Dodge City Field, Kansas.

Aker, Robert E. '42Ex, Lieutenant. Flight Control Center, Municipal Airport, Denver, Colo.

Anderson, Alfred R., Jr. '42Ex, Sergeant, On overseas duty.

Beizer, Dr. Lawrence H. '42Md, Captain. Stationed at the 182nd General Hospital. Le Garde General Hospital, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Bevier, Joseph H. '42Ex, Ensign. Stationed in Washington, D, C.

Bowers, William B. '42Ex, Sergeant, Fort Sheridan, Illinois.

Brick, James D. '42Ex, 1st Lieutenant.

Brickman, Arthur D. '42BME, Ensign.

Burns, Hugh T. '42Ex, 1st Lieutenant. Assigned to the Mountain Home Army Air Base, Dental Corps.

Clegg, Dr. Reed S. '42MS, Captain, 182nd Gen. Hosp. La Garde, New Orleans, Louisiana. Residence: 618 South Citrus Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif.

Farah, Fred F. '42Ex, Sergeant. Stationed at Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana.

Hargis, William H., Jr. '42MS, Major. USA MC. Station Hospital, Fort Bliss, Texas. Jardine, William T. '42Ex, 1st

Johnson, Lloyd S. '42Ex, Lieutenant, AAC. Died of wounds received in action. Word received by parents from England December, 1943.

Lindstrom, Vincent L. '42BS, En-

Lindstrom, Vincent L. '42BS, Ensign. Temporarily at San Francisco.

Calif.

Livers, Allen F. '42Ex, 1st Lieu-

tenant. Stationed in Alaska.

Nowell, Gerald F. '42BBA, 1st Lieutenant, field artillery, AUS, Baton Rouge, La.

Nye, Harry F. '42Ex. Sergeant. Is

now stationed overseas.

Page, Roger B. '42Ex, Lieutenant (j.g.) Stationed at the U. S. Naval Proving Training Command at Kansas City.

Pattison, Donald H. '42MS, Lieutenant. (MC) USNR, U. S. Naval

Hospital, Corona, Calif.

Pelletier, Robert V. '42Ex, 2nd Lieutenant, Army Air Corps (Navigator).

Perlman, Herschel L. '42Md, Captain. Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Peterson, Willard O. '42Ex, Private, Medical Corps, Charleston, S. Carolina.

Rank, Donald E. '42MBA, Staff Sergeant. ASN 37091169, Sec. 1, Det. Med. Dept., Station Complement, Camp Butner, North Carolina.

Rubenstein, Arnold '42Ex, 2nd

Lieutenant, bombardier.

Swanson, Donald F. '42Ex, Private, Army Signal Corps.

Toberman, Earl M. '42Ex, Cor-

poral, U. S. Army.

Torvie, Arthur I. '42Ex, 1st Lieutenant, Ordnance. Commissioned at Fort Sill, Okla.

Vant Hull, Fred N. '42Ex, Chief Petty Officer. Stationed at Seattle,

Wash.

Wolff, Richard P. '42Ex, 1st Lieutenant. Now in training at Santa Ana, California, as a pilot student officer.

### Ensigns

Dick Wildung of Luverne, former Gopher football captain and all-American tackle and Don Nolander of Minneapolis, former center, were among the group of Minnesota men commissioned as ensigns in the U.S. Naval Reserve at Northwestern University at Evanston recently. Following is a list of the men from Minneapolis and other Minnesota communities:

Frank Ewart Adams, Jr.; Charles E. Cashman, Owatonna; Murray J. Cliff, Lake City; Michael L. Culhane; Melvin Ralph Harris, St. Paul; Richard K. Wildung, Luverne; Melvin G. Kvam, Willmar; Lester R. Ladouceur, Brainerd; Sherman L. Levin; John B. Lockerby, Wayzata; Harold B. Martinson, and Russell William Nash.

Donald A. Nolander; Richard Oberfeld, Robbinsdale; Stuart A. Olson, Zumbrota; Edward L. E. Pardee, St. Paul; Warren H. Puelston; Warren E. Schoon, Luverne; Melvin I. Schumeister, St. Paul; Jacob Schway, St. Paul; Richard Emmett Somers, and Orville L. Sorvik, Barnesville.

Spero Paul Daltas, St. Paul; Oreland A. Thornsjo; Robert Samuel Traff, Harry J. Van De Riet, Fairmont; Robert A. Van Nest; George M. Welch, St. James; Robert Eugene Westfall, Winona; Robert W. Wulf, Excelsior, and Robert G. Zumwinkle.

The following men recently have been assigned to the Army Specialized Training Program at the University of Illinois: Richard S. Aberg, St. Paul, '45Ex, Jess J. Belfori, Kinney, '39Ex, Jack M. Isenberg, Minneapolis, '45Ex, Albert B. Miller, St. Paul, '29Ex, Jack D. Smith, Minneapolis, '46Ex.

The following men are aviation cadets in basic flight training at the Garden City Army Air Field in Kansas: John W. Mathys, Jr. '43Ex, Joseph T. Russell '45Ex, and Henry N. Teipel, Jr. '44Ex.



Lt. Conrad W. Carlson '43Ag, received his wings as a combat navigator in the Army Air Forces at Hondo, Texas, in January. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl E. Carlson, Madison, S. D.

## Classes



## Brief Notes About Minnesota Alumni

This department is read each month by more than 15,000 men and women who have attended the University of Minnesota. Our readers now include alumni in uniform who are stationed in all parts of the world. Contributions of news items or clippings from newspapers regarding the activities of Minnesota alumni are greatly appreciated. It is important that changes of address be sent to us promptly in order to prevent delay in the delivery of your copies and to free the postal service from unneces-sary work.

## Former Faculty Members

One of the great personalities in the early years of the University of Minnesota, Frederick Scheetz Jones, a member of the faculty from 1885 to 1909, died at his home, 3220 Whitney Avenue, Hamden, Conn., on January 14. He was 81 years old. From 1902 to 1909 he was dean of the College of Engineering at Minnesota.

He was born on April 7, 1862, at Palmyra, Mo., and came to the University as an instructor in physics in 1885 following his graduation from Yale. From 1889 until he was appointed dean of the College of Engineering in 1902, he was professor of physics. He left Minnesota in 1909 to become dean of Yale College and he continued in that position until his retirement in 1927. He is survived by a son, George Gill Jones of Washington, D. C. His wife died in 1933 and a daughter in 1932.

Dean Jones was renowned as a speaker and teacher and for his broad sympathy and keen understanding of human nature evidenced in college administration and in handling cases of discipline. He served for 20 years as a member of the State Board of Education of Connecticut and retired in 1939.

Dean Jones has been called "the father of Minnesota football" because of the part he played in the early development of the game at Minnesota. He assisted interested students in getting football equipment and playing fields and arranged for instruction in the playing of the game.

Wieland L. Oswald, 64 years old. former professor in the School of Agriculture, died in Glendale, California, on January 22. He and Dean Freeman pioneered in the building of the state seed laboratory at University Farm, and he was instrumental in putting better seed and the analysis of seed before the people of this state. Later he organized the course, agricultural botany, and became professor of this department. In 1917 he took a year's leave of absence to join the federal government in their search for good seed corn. a project prompted by the bad seed year of 1916. Professor Oswald also helped in the reclamation of thousands of burned over acres in northern Minnesota after the destructive forest fires of 1917. He left the University and for several years was employed by a local grain company. Later he went to Chicago as editor of the magazine, Seed World.

Dr. Charles F. Sidener, 85, former professor of chemistry who retired 15 years ago, died January 19 in Minneapolis. Dr. Sidener was graduated from the University in 1883. He stayed on as an instructor in chemistry and in 1904 became professor in the department. He is the author of the text, Quantitative Metallurgical Analysis, Dr. Sidener was a member of Phi Beta Kappa and the American Chemistry Association.

—1887—

Norton M. Cross '87L, Minneapolis attorney and civic leader, died January 17 in San Miguel, Mexico, where he and his daughter, Marion '33MA, had gone to visit an art colony. Since 1914 he was associated with the Kingman, Cross, Morley, Cant and Taylor law firm. He served on the Minneapolis Public Library Board, and was a member of the Minneapolis, Minikahda and Rotary clubs of Minneapolis, the Northland Country Club of Duluth, and the Chi Psi fraternity. Besides being active in civic and

Besides being active in civic and fraternity affairs, Mr. Norton was a student of art, folklore and local history.

—1899—

Rev. Perry O. Hanson '99A, and Mrs. Hanson, have been on an extensive speaking tour since their return from China, but they expect to remain in Iola, Kansas, after the first of the year. Their son, Perry O. Han-

R. A. Jehle '05, has been elected Secretary-treasurer of the newly organized Potomac Division of the American Phytopathological Society. He is still State Plant Pathologist and Professor in Plant Pathology at the University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland.

—1907—

Mary Michener '46Ex, daughter of Mr. C. K. Michener '07, and Mrs. Michener has left for the South to serve in the SPARS.

Dr. A. B. Butter '07D, clinical associate professor and lecturer in the School of Dentistry since 1918, died February 6 at his home, 6630 Normandale Road. He was 59. He had practiced in Minneapolis since 1907. He served in the dental corps in World War 1. Dr. Butter was a member of Delta Sigma Delta, Beta Beta, honorary dental fraternity and recently was made a life member of the Minnesota State Dental Association.

#### -1908-

An "Information, Please" program was given by the Minneapolis District Dental Society recently with Douglas

## Do You Remember When?

The following notes on the campus news of years past were taken from the files of the Minnesota Alumni Weekly.

February, 1904: The new athletic board included A. D. Evans, president; J. N. Thelan, C. L. Haney, C. P. Schouten, S. F. Shrader, A. M. Thompson and E. Y. Youngberg. . . . The Junior Ball was held in the Armory. . . . A report of the freshman attempt to break up a sophomore party in the Armory got nearly as much space in the newspapers as the rumors of war between Russia and Japan. . . . The Minnesota basketball team returned from a victorious trip through the East with a claim to national championship honors. Squad members were E. B. Pierce, Ray Varco, George Tuck, Hugh Leach, Michael Kiefer, Helon Leach, William C. Deering, Richard D. Collins and Randolph McRae.

February, 1914; Professor Otto Zelner was named chairman of the Senate committee on intramural sports. . . . B. F. Nelson succeeded John Lind as president of the Board of Regents. Fred B. Snyder was elected vice-president. . . President Vincent announced that the University would offer a course in journalism in 1915. . . . Thirty women graduates made plans to organize the Minnesota Alumnae Club. . . . Argyle Buck, colorful campus personality, died.

February, 1919: The Board of Regents approved the recommendation of the University Senate that the four-quarter system be adopted. . . . Also approved by the Regents was the establishment of a Signal Corps unit in the ROTC. . . . The College of Pharmacy shipped its last consignment of 6,000 bottles of digitalis to the government for use in army hospitals. . . . The University Health Service moved into the ground floor of Pillsbury Hall. . . . Alumni suggested that a war memorial be erected on the campus.

February, 1924: About 600 disabled war veterans were enrolled at Minnesota. They received medical, dental and hospital care, necessary supplies and compensation allowance. . . . Hugo H. Hanft and Adelaide Stenhaug led the Junior Ball grand march. . . . The third annual Gridiron Banquet was staged by Sigma Delta Chi. . . . It was announced that the new Library building would be completed by June.

February, 1934: The students on the campus receiving federal aid organized the "400 Club." . . . Walter L. Stockwell '89, gave the annual Charter Day address in Northrop auditorium. . . . The Regents accepted a gift of \$500,000 from Drs. William J. and Charles Mayo for medical research. . . . An all-woman staff edited one issue of the Minnesota Daily with Helen Murchie as editor and Harriet Premack, city editor.

Yock, Alfred A. Pagenkopf '08D, and Joseph M. Little '13D, as the "board of experts" to answer questions on dental plastics. The great value of the natural appearance of the new substance was pointed out and findings show, after three years of use for fillings, inlays and bridgework, that the natural appearance has produced some "amazing results" on patients suffering from inferiority complexes. Dr. Little said that "patients are keenly interested in the material because of its natural appearance."

—1910—

A. C. Godward '10E, was presented a certificate "for distinguished community service" at the annual meeting of the Minneapolis Council of Social Agencies in January. He has served on the board and as an officer of the Council of Social Agencies,

Mr. Godward has been chairman of the service corps of the Minneapolis Defense Council, a member of the War Chest board of directors, secretary of the Northwest Research Foundation, on the advisory committee of the U. S. Employment committee, Minnesota Safety Council and chairman of the central planning and research committee, Council of Social Agencies.

He has also been chairman of the Minneapolis Charter Commission and has been active in the affairs of the city planning commission. For several years, Mr. Godward served as a member of the board of directors of the General Alumni Association.

A veteran newspaper and publicity man, Joseph C. McDermott '10Ex, died at Veterans' Hospital in Minneapolis on February 1. He worked on the Minneapolis Daily News, at one time being city editor, and engaged in publicity work for many years, handling publicity for the Minneapolis automobile shows. At the time of his death he was on the news staff of the Minneapolis Star Journal. During the last war, he was a war correspondent and ambulance driver in France before we entered the war. In 1917 he returned to this country and enlisted in the United States army. He was commissioned a second lieutenant and served as a machine gun instructor at Augusta, Georgia, for the duration.

#### -1911-

Major Martin J. Orbeck '11E, is now stationed at C. A. School, Fort Monroe, Virginia. He formerly served at this same fort as a student officer, and his new assignment dates from December, 1943.

#### -1913-

William D. Gullickson, aviation cadet, son of Glenn Gullickson '13L, and Mrs. Gullickson, the former Grace Stellwagen '12A, suffered skull fractures in a mid-air plane crash during night flying last December near Chico, California. He is now home on a three weeks' convalescent leave. The accident automatically grounded him for a year so he has been assigned to the army air forces communications school at Sioux Falls, South Dakota. His home is at 1730 Irving Avenue South, Minneapolis.

#### -1916-

Dr. B. T. Bottolfson '16Md, has been granted a fellowship at the Willis Eye Hospital in Philadelphia.

At the sixty-first annual meeting of the Minnesota State Dental Association, completed arrangements for an international conference on postwar planning for better dental health will be presented, W. Lester Webb '16D, of Fairmont, Minnesota, association president, announced recently. The meeting will be held in St. Paul March 1-3 and it is expected that more than 3,000 interested persons will come from Minnesota, surrounding states and Canada.

—1918—

Everett M. Dirksen '18Ex, Republican representative from Illinois was in the Twin Cities recently to address

## Student Activities This Month

Aileen Shannon '44Ag, has been named chairman of the alumni contacts committee of the Senior class cabinet. This chairmanship carries the post-graduate responsibility of the promotion and planning of the five-year reunions of the class of 1944. Other Senior cabinet chairmanships have been assigned. Mary Rogers '44B, will handle the details of the March graduation. Co-chairmen of the Senior Prom which will be held late this month are Roger Williams '44IT, and Hubert Solberg '44D. On the committee are Helen Rachie '44, Phyllis Kremer '44, and Carol Gibson '44Ag. Bernice Iverson '44HEc, is senior announcements chairman.

Back in the Twenties, members of the staff of the student engineering magazine, the Technolog, played prominent roles in the all-male dramatic productions written and presented by the Arabs, an engineering group. It would no longer be necessary for men to play girls parts in the shows, for the Technolog staff this year includes several women. On the staff are Eleanor Odegard and Mary Ann Busch, both Business seniors; Flora Palmstein, Ann Bennett and Harriet Schmitt, Arts freshmen, and Helen Helland, Home Economics sophomore. Marie Vachon, former circulation manager, is now in the WACS.

The University Theater gave six matinee performances of "Anne of Green Gables" in the Music Building auditorium for 4,400 school children of the Twin Cities. . . . The all-University Council is setting up a new merit system to aid student organizations in determining the qualifications of students seeking positions. Marion Harvey, home economics junior, is chairman of the planning committee. . . . The Minnesota Daily has announced an award to be given to a member of the faculty for outstanding service to the University. Judges will consider leadership in extra-curricular activities, special contributions to the war program, and unusual skill in counselling.

The University Chorus is now composed entirely of women. Under the direction of Professor Earle Killeen, the chorus will give a concert on March 7.
... A bond total of \$51,542 was sold on the campus in the Fourth War Loan drive by the student campaign committee. Josephine Dedolph, nursing freshman, was chairman. ... Francis Ryan '44L, has been elected commander, and Robert Jones '44, executive officer, of the new War Veterans' club on the campus.

Women students are taking over the jobs as University Library pages, the assistants who scurry back through the stacks to find the books requested at the circulation desk. In the past this has been considered a man's job, but now the women outnumber the men, 25 to 16. . . . Women are taking over the jobs as attendants in the University's three underground garages at Northrop auditorium, Coffman Union and the Center for Continuation Study.

a meeting of the Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation in St. Paul. He is touring twenty states in his quest for the presidential nomination, but he emphasized the fact that he was not in Minnesota to try to turn Minnesota delegates away from Lt. Comdr. Harold E. Stassen '29L.



Major Edwin G. Benjamin '31Md, is commanding officer of the medical detachment, and post surgeon. Enid Army Flying School, Enid, Oklahoma. He received the gold wings of a flight surgeon at Kelly Field, Texas, in December, 1942, and was at the Aviation Cadet Center, San Antonio, before going to Enid. His home is in Minneapolis.

Captain Donald McCarthy '18Md, has been reassigned to Great Lakes to wait for further orders. For two years he served as Chief of the Medical Division of the hospital ship, USS Relief. He treated casualties from most of the major engagements in the South Pacific and is enthusiastic about the splendid services and equipment at hand to treat the injured of this war. After his graduation, he served at Great Lakes for a year as a lieutenant (j.g.), and until 1940 practiced medicine in Minneapolis.

#### -1921-

Dr. J. J. Christensen '21BS; '22MS; '25Ph.D., Professor of Plant Pathology at the University Farm School, has been elected President of the American Phytopathological Society.

#### -1927-

E. Louise Grant '27N; '33Ed, has been appointed a member of the Virginia state board of examiners of nurses in Richmond. Miss Grant is now dean of the medical college of the Virginia School of Nursing. She was appointed by Governor Darden of

Virginia and she will serve for five years. —1928—

John M. Jacobsen '28Ed; '29MA, has been appointed regional director of the CIO political action committee. The region includes Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska, and the offices are being established in the Twin Cities.

From 1932-37 he was an instructor in Education Psychology at the University. In 1939, following service with state agencies, he went to Washington, where he since has been associated with various governmental bureaus, including the war trade staff of the foreign economic administration. Mrs. Jacobsen is the former Marion L. Mellgren '28Ed.

#### -1930-

Dr. Louis E. Epstein '30D, is now stationed with the Marine Corps in San Diego. His address is: Lt. Louis E. Epstein, Dental Corps, USNR, Marine Corps Base, San Diego, California.

—1932—

Mrs. John McDonald, the former Jean Gilruth '32BS; '34MA, died July 5, 1943, at Midland, Michigan.

#### -1933-

Major Earle W. Nelson '33Ex, who played end at Minnesota in 1930 and 1931, was one of the officers who distinguished himself in the drive against the Japs on Attu and Kiska. He received the Silver Star for gallantry in action as well as a promotion to Major on the field. Major Nelson received the Silver Star for his part in taking Sarana Ridge and he was one of the two officers that came through the battle unscathed. In civilian life he was in the accounting business, and his home is at 4409 Branson Street, Morningside. His wife, the former Marion E. Marshall '31A, and their son, are living temporarily at 538 Woodland, Duluth.

#### -1934-

Mrs. Lee E. Grove, the former Elizabeth Bartholomew '34A, is working as head of the script department of radio station WTOP in Washington, D. C. Her home is at 106 Brookside Drive, Arlington, Virginia.

#### -1936-

Major Fred E. Hild '36MS, has been appointed Assistant Air Inspector for the area around Randolph Field, Texas. This area embraces a large territory of land, and innumerable flying schools and stations. Major Hild received his pilot's wings at Kelly Field, Texas, in 1940. While in school

he received honorable mention for the All-American halfback position, and he later played with the Green Bay Packers' professional team. His wife lives with him at Mission, Texas,

#### -1937-

Captain Henry B. Erikson '37E, Assistant Post Exchange Officer in the Quartermaster Corps of Camp Forrest, Tennessee, and Mrs. Erikson, the former Riva Hemphill of Miami, announce the birth of a son, Henry Hemphill Erikson, on January 11. Captain Erikson's father, Henry A. Erikson '96E; '08Ph.D., is the former head of the physics department. He served at the University for 41 years and was chairman of the department from 1915 until his retirement in 1938. Captain and Mrs. Erikson are at home in Tullahoma, Tennessee. Prof. and Mrs. Erikson are living at 1207 Genoa Street, Coral Gables, Florida, for the winter.



Lt. Everett T. Enstrom '39Ed, is an aerial navigator, Army Air Forces. He received his wings at San Marcos, Texas, in January. He is a member of Phi Mu Alpha fraternity and a former treasurer of the University symphony. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Enstrom, 2535–30th Avenue S., Minneapolis.

T. Douglas Monahan '37Ed, recently had his first book, Decisions for Personality Growth, published by the Progress Press of Chicago, and his second book, A Boy's Book of Courage, will soon be off the press. Mr. Monahan is living in Evanston, Illinois, where he is Boys' Work Secretary of the YMCA.

By accident, Sidney Lippman '37Ed, became a composer of popular music, but he hopes eventually to turn his serious music training to advantage in doing something of the kind that

made George Gershwin and Ferde Grofe names in the music world.

Shortly after leaving the University, Mr. Lippman went to work for the Irving Berlin music publishing organization as an arranger, writing stock arrangements of tunes which the firm brought out for publication. One day a member of the Modernaires, a singing group with Glen Miller's orchestra, came in with a set of lyrics he had written. Lippman worked on a tune for them and suddenly he was a song writer. He teamed up with lyric writers, Buddy Kay and Freddie Wise in turning out popular songs. Mr. Lippman was in Minneapolis recently waiting his call to the merchant ma--1938-

Adelbert C. Lyon '38L, recently completed a course in Depot administration and supply at the Army Service Forces Depot in Columbus, Ohio. He received his commission in the Quartermaster Corps at Camp Lee, Virginia, in November, 1943.

Before entering the military service, Lt. Lyon was an attorney for the state, and he lived at White Bear Lake, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Mary Louise Vincent '38Ed; '43MA, is teaching English at Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio.

#### -1939-

Wes. E. Gilbertson '39G, is now in Hawaii. He formerly lived in Valley City, North Dakota.

Lt. E. J. Kleimola '39D, USNR, has been in service since November, 1942. His first assignment took him to Farragut, Idaho, where he stayed until September, 1943. He then was sent to Camp Elliott, California, and now is 'at Camp Pendleton, Oceanside, California, awaiting orders to take him overseas for service with the Marine Corps.

Capt. Garth H. Merkeley '39D, of Winnipeg, is now serving with the RCAF. He left for overseas duty December 1.

Esther Lebens '39BS, is employed as Orthopedic Field Nursing Consultant for the University of Illinois. Residence: 815 East Nebraska, Peoria 4, Illinois.

Stanley B. Lindley '39Md, has been appointed superintendent of the Willmar State Hospital for four years.

Katherine M. Nelson '39Ed, is working as a librarian and teacher at Glenwood, Minnesota. She teaches in the Glenwood Junior High School and is librarian at the Glenwood Public Library.

Bernice Oas '39HEc, is an instructor in clothing at the West Central School of Agriculture at Morris, Minnesota.

—1940—

Lt. A. M. Albrecht '40D, is stationed at the U. S. Naval Air Station, New Orleans, Louisiana. He now is the Senior Dental Officer of the station and recently was promoted to the rank of full lieutenant.

Phil C. Baldwin '40E, is now employed as a metallurgist at the Western Casting Co., Seattle, Washington. On February 21, 1943, a daughter, Judith Rose, was born. Address: 1946 26th Avenue North, Seattle 2, Washington.

Lt. James E. Ekhaml '40BChE; '41MS, was married to Ensign Rita Marie Connor, of Pennsylvania, on January 11 in an all navy wedding. Lt. Ekhaml is on duty in the Ammunition Section of the Navy Bureau of Ordnance in Washington, D. C.

Vernon Nelson '40BAeroE, formerly of International Falls, is working as a Flight Engineer with the Pan-American World Airways, with headquarters in San Francisco.

Harry H. Nessell '40E, since his graduation has been working at the Bendix Radio Company. Address: 323



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Hopkins Road, Baltimore 12, Maryland.

Captain Robert F. Peed '40E, is now serving with an Ordnance Company with the U. S. Army in Italy. His brother, W. D. Peed '40E, is living at 531 West Riverside Drive, Jeffersonville, Indiana.

Stanley K. Seaver '40Ag, is now an Instructor of Agricultural Economics at the University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut.

Olga A. Simi '40HEc, is a personnel worker in the Office of Price Administration in La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Bessie Smith '40BS, is working as a psychometrist in the Richmond Consultation Service. Address: 900 Park Avenue, Richmond, Virginia.

Quentin F. Soper '40ChE; '40Ph.D., is serving as a Specialist Research Assistant engaged in research in penicillin at the University of Illinois. Address: 411 West Nevada Street, Urbana, Illinois.

Frank J. Warner '40L, is an attorney in the Rand Tower Building, Minneapolis.

John A. White '40Ex, is employed in the Engineering Department of the Hartwell Aviation Supply Company in Los Angeles, California. He lives at 3417 Crenshaw Boulevard, Los Angeles 16, Calif.

Sidney J. Wolfenson '40E, is working at the Born Shipbuilding Company in Houston as Field Electrical Engineer. This company has set production records in turning out Destroyer Escort Ships and now is beginning work on the LSM ships. Address: YMCA, 1600 Louisiana Avenue, Houston, Texas.

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Roger Elliott '41IT, is now employed at the Pratt & Whitney Division, United Aircraft Corporation, East Hartford, Connecticut. He was married to Charlotte Daniels '39Ex, on June 26, 1942, in Hartford, Connecticut.

Capt. Thomas D. Merchant '41E, is an Ordnance Officer with the Philadelphia District Transportation Office. His wife and young daughter, born September 24, are with him at 200 White Horse Pike, West Collingswood, New Jersey.

Mrs. Raymond C. Peterson, the former Ruth J. Silliman '41A, is now living at 406 W. Mineral King, Visalia, California.

Lester Sartorius '41B, is employed as an Auditor with the War Department, U. S. Engineering Office. He is now stationed in the Edmonton



Roger E. Carlson '43B, second lieutenant, USMC, is a member of the Marine basketball team at Quantico, Va. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest S. Carlson, 1424 Charles Avenue, St. Paul.

District. Address: 10731 126th Street, Edmonton, Alberta, Canada. Permanent address: Welcome, Minn.

Marguerite E. Seip '41A, is head librarian of the Fostoria High School. Residence: 935 North Main Street, Fostoria, Ohio.

Ellen M. Smith '41MdT, is working as a Research Technician at the Billings Hospital in Chicago. Address: 6146 Kenwood Avenue, Apt. 508, Chicago 37, Illinois.

Lt. Wiley (Bud) Souba '41, is staying with William J. Hamilton '10A, at 1535 Euclid Avenue, Dayton, Ohio, until the completion of the Bach. Off. Quarters at Wright Field.

Emilio Terrazas '41IT, and Senora Terrazas, the former Florence A. Rouse '42Ex, announce the birth of a son, René, on November 15 at La Paz. Senor Terrazas is Chief of the Topographical Brigaid of Bolivia. Their home is at Casilla 226, La Paz, Bolivia, South America.

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Alden Burkstrand '42B, is employed at the A. O. Smith Corporation in Milwaukee as an Industrial Engineer and Aide to the Vice-president in Charge of Manufacturing. Address: 633 North 4th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. He is a former Gopher base-ball player.

C. Lawrence Carlson '42IT, is working at the Pratt & Whitney Division, United Aircraft Corporation, East Hartford, Connecticut. He is engaged to Dorothy Brewer of Hartford.

Marjorie R. Freeman '42MdT, was married last year to Sgt. Robert E. Niemi at Hammer Field Chapel in Fresno, California. Mrs. Niemi is employed as a laboratory technician at the Medical Group Building in Fresno. They are making their home at 620 College Avenue.

Lewis L. May, Jr. '42Ex, has been promoted to a first lieutenant at Asheville, North Carolina. He is serving in the Weather Wing of the Army Air Forces. The weather wing branch of the air force exercises direct control over the army weather service in the continental United States and certain other areas of the western hemisphere. It handles training, supplies and personnel for the weather service in foreign theatres and also provides weather service for the army ground forces and army service forces.

Robert N. Peterson '42E, is working in the Engineering Department and Nylon Section of the du Pont Company in Belle, West Virginia. Address: 2114 Kanawha Boulevard, Charleston I, West Virginia.

The Feather Merchants, another humorous book by Max Shulman '42A, is scheduled for publication in March by the Doubleday-Doran Company. Shulman, now serving as a staff sergeant with the air corps in Washington, D. C., is the author of Barefoot Boy with Cheek, a riotous volume on university life. His first book sold 11,000 copies, a very good record for a humorous book. The initial printing of his new book will be 10,000 copies, and an extensive advertising campaign already is in process. While in school, Sgt. Shulman was editor of the campus magazine, Ski-U-Mah.

Richard Skoog '42IT, and Ingrid E. Westin '42B, were married September 25, and they now are living at 102 Chesterfield Road, Hampton, Virginia. Mr. and Mrs. Skoog are employed at the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics, Langley Field. Mrs. Skoog is doing personnel work and Mr. Skoog serves as an aeronautical engineer.

Robert Toft '42IT, is working in East Hartford, Connecticut, at the Pratt & Whitney United Aircraft Corporation. He is engaged to Joyce Brewer of Colechester, Connecticut.

Lloyd E. Vesely '42E, has been employed by the Boeing Aircraft Company of Seattle since his graduation. At present he is serving as a Construction Engineer for six branch plants located in various Washington cities. Address: 4710 University Way, Apt. 511, Seattle, Washington.

Kenneth A. Voge '42BChemE, is a supervisor with the Hercules Powder Company at the Badger Ordnance Works, Madison, Wisconsin. Mrs. Voge is the former La Vone Brunskill '39Ex.

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Robert H. Berg '43IT, has been working as a chemical engineer with the B. F. Goodrich Company in Akron, Ohio, since his graduation in March. He and Mrs. Berg make their home at 640 Sackett Street, Apt. 5, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

Elizabeth McCracken '43A, is employed in the Catalogue Department and the West Branch Library of the

Dayton Public Library.

Marian J. Radke '43Gr, is employed as a Research Associate with the Child Welfare Research Station at the University of Iowa, Iowa City. Address: 821 North Linn Street, Iowa City,

Rhoda St. Germain '43Ed, recently commissioned an ensign in the WAVES, is now serving as an instructor in navigation at Quansett Point, Rhode Island. She took her indoctrination at Smith College in Northampton, Massachusetts, and from there went to Hollywood, Florida, for further training in navigation. She is qualified to serve as navigator on an air transport and she is hoping for such an assignment.

Dr. John Schulze '43Md, house physician at Fairview Hospital, died recently from bronchial pneumonia. He was found injured on January 29 after his car ran off the highway in Edina, and he died the following Wednesday. A post-mortem examination was ordered as there was no evidence of serious injury due to the accident. Results proved the cause of death, and inquiry revealed that Dr. Schulze had developed pneumonia following an operation a few weeks ago. Before completely recovering from the pneumonia attack, he had resumed his professional duties.

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P. George Olin '44Ex, has been given a medical discharge from the army air forces after serving as a pursuit pilot for two years. He suffered from 'pilot's fatigue," a common disability which Olin says, "hits you in the stomach especially during combat maneuvers," He is the first returned veteran to be employed in the courthouse in Minneapolis, and he is working in the office of the country treasurer.

## Alumni Marriages \* 公

Capt. John D. Peterson '35E, to Marjorie Walker of Mirion, Pennsylvania, on November 6. Mrs. Peterson is living with her parents while Captain Peterson has

her parents while Captain Peterson has resumed his overseas duties.

Margretta M. Smith '38A, and Earl C. McIntosh in Seattle, Washington.

Dolores M. Thauwald '38Ex, daughter of Mrs. Clara Thauwald, 396 Roy Street North, St. Paul, married Senator H. Styles Bridges of Concord, New Hampshire on February 11 in St. Paul, Mission February 11 in St. Paul shire on February 11 in St. Paul. Miss Thauwald has been in Washington for six years and is administrative assistant in the world trade intelligence division of the State Department.

Elaine Mary Coleman '42Ex, to Richard J. Walsh '38Ex, at Oakland, California. Mr. Walsh is with the Navy stationed at Camp Parks, California. Robert K. Anderson '39Ex, and Shirley

M. Nelson in Minneapolis on January 15. Ethelyn J. Kempe '40HEc, and Lt. Richard Rupp '39A, on October 15 in St. Paul. They are at home in Port Orchard, Washington.

Lt. William Lee Dunsworth '40GC; '42Ed, of Minneapolis, to Juanita Rogers of Wichita Falls, Texas, on January 25 in Wichita Falls, He is stationed as assistant medical supply officer at Sheppard Field. They are at home at 1314 Harri-son, Wichita Falls.

Elizabeth A. Ellis '41Ex, and Stephen Troy Ochoa of Tucson, Arizona, on Feb-

ruary 11 at Fort Thomas.

Lt. Paul Grande '41ChE, was married to Arlene Pflaum, of Detroit, Michigan, on January 15 in Detroit. They are living at 150 West Euclid, Detroit.

Annabelle Lindstrom, sergeant in the Marine Corps Women's Reserve, and Captain Robert W. Johnson '41IT, U. S. Army, in Minneapolis, on January 21.

Annabelle Lee '41MdT, and Dr. John F. Neander '43Md, at the home of the bride in St. Paul.

Ensign Clinton Lobstetter '41Ev, and

Ensign Clinton Lobstetter '41Ex, and Jane Whiting in Hollywood, California.

Lt. Ann Craigmile Smalley '41N; '41Ed, and Capt. Paul Hartley Jordan, M.C., on November 6 in Charleston, South Carolina. Both Captain and Mrs. Jordan are overseas now.

Priscilla Smith '41Ed, to Paul A. Anderson, USNR. Address: 2101 Hammett Avenue, Norfolk, Virginia. Capt. William Baldwin '42Ex, and Kim Hunter, Hollywood actress, on February

11. Baldwin formerly lived at 4137 Vincent Avenue South, and was commissioned a lieutenant in the Marine corps in January. 1943.

Capt. Ray E. Fischer '42Ex, and Barbara Ruth Lehe of Sacramento, California. From Sacramento they went to Brownwood, Texas, where they will make their home. Capt. Fischer is stationed at Camp Bowie, an army artillery base, near Brownwood.

Leonard (Butch) Levy 42A, former Gopher and professional wrestler, and Loretta Bellson, in Minneapolis on Jan-

uary 25. He is now a Chief Petty Officer and was home on leave from his station in Farragut, Idaho.

Lt. Timothy P. Quinn '42L, now serving as an instructor at Fort Benning, Georgia, and Mary F. McCarthy in St. Paul on January 15. At home in Fort Benning, Georgia.

Clifford F. Anderson '43Ex, and Peggy Winton, in Washington, D. C., on Octo-ber 30. He is stationed with the Marines at Quantico, Virginia. Catherine Anne Bauers '43Ex, and James B. Bownds of Dallas, Texas, at

the Catholic servicemen's chapel in Miami Beach, Florida, Mr. Bownds is on the army medical staff at Miami Beach Regional hospital. They are making their home at 932 Avenue Roderigo, Miami,

Jean B. Grismer '43A, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Raymond L. Grismer, to Daniel B. Magraw '43A, in St. Peters-burg, Florida, on Januray 11. Lt. William D. Hayford '43Md, and Helen J. Beaubien of Whitney, Indiana, at the chapel at Camp Tyson, Paris,

Tennessee.

Vernice II. Meyer '43N, and Wendell Wessman, of Dassel, Minnesota, at the home of the bride in Minneapolis on

February 6.
Ruth Cole '44Ex, and Ensign Russell Nash '43A, in Norfolk, Virginia, in Jan-

Beatrice K. Osgood '43Ex, and Lt. Allan Weeklund, in Texas, Lt. Weeklund is stationed at Biggs Field, and he and Mrs. Weeklund are at home at the Cortez Hotel in El Paso.

Dorothy A. Wiest '43Ex, and Dr. Maurice Martins da Silva in New York City, September 25. They are on their way to Brazil.

Dolores Engelhardt '44Ex, and Roger Claesgens, radio operator in the navy, in Tom's River, New Jersey, Mr. Claesgens is stationed at Lakehurst, New Jersey,

is stationed at Lakehurst, New Jersey, and they will make their home in Tom's River, New Jersey.

Lt. James C. Ferguson '44Ex, son of Dr. James C. Ferguson '01Md, and Mrs. Ferguson of St. Paul, and Adelaide Quinn '44Ex, daughter of Frederick J. Quinn of Knollwood, Hopkins, at St. Thomas Catholic Church in Wachington. Thomas Catholic Church in Washington, D. C., on January 22. They are at home in Cherry Point, North Carolina. Lt. Ferguson is attached to the marine air corps base there.

Jeane Glorvig '44, and Lt. David H.

Telander, in Minneapolis, on January 21. Miss Glorvig graduated from the Minne-apolis School of Art in 1940 and is the art editor of the Ski-U-Mah campus maga-

Jeanne Marie Dietz '45Ex, and Pvt. Howard V. George of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Margaret E. Naus '46Ex, and I. Michael Spellacy '45Ex, on February 12 in Min-neapolis. Cadet Spellacy received his commission in the Army Air Force February 8,

