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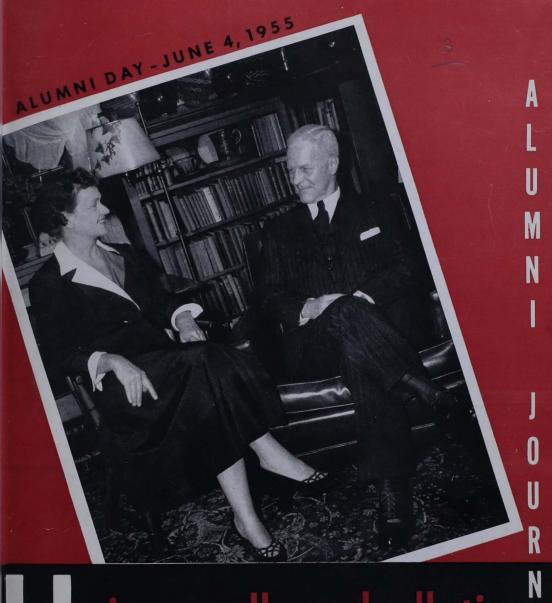
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# THE PRESIDENT'S PAGE

TO THE ALUMNI:

A few weeks ago Ursinus College received from The Pew Memorial Foundation two grants: one in the amount of \$200,000 for women's dormitories, and one in the amount of \$10,000 for general purposes. During the past four years the Directors of The Pew Memorial Foundation have made several grants to the College. For these very generous and helpful expressions of their confidence in Ursinus College the alumni and friends of Ursinus are deeply grateful.

The plan of the Board of Directors of Ursinus College is to build a group of dormitories for about 200 women. The cost will be about \$800,000. The gift of The Pew Memorial Foundation brings the total available for this purpose to \$600,000. I am confident that during the next two years the contributions of alumni and friends will provide the additional \$200,000 that we need. The Board of Directors today decided not to wait until this additional \$200,000 is in hand, but to build at once so that the dormitories will be ready for use in September, 1956.

At present our enrol!ment is 685 (414 men and 271 women). Of this total, 562 are resident students. The new dormitories will enable us to increase the number of resident students to 760. We plan to accept as resident students one hundred men and one hundred women above the present number. The College will retain most of the houses that the women now occupy. Some of these houses we shall continue to use as dormitories for women; other houses we shall convert into dormitories for men.

During the last six and one-half years gifts and bequests have enabled the College to double the permanent endowment funds. This the Board of Directors has accomplished without intensive "campaigns" under the direction of professional fund-raisers. The Board plans no special appeal, no intensive "campaign" or "drive", for the additional \$200,000 needed to cover the cost of the dormitories. I am certain that the Board will find the gifts needed for this purpose. I am certain also that we alumni are eager to give our share of the total. Each graduate, when sending a gift to the Loyalty Fund, may designate the gift "for the dormitories" or for any other purpose approved by the College. I hope that our gifts to the Loyalty Fund this year and next year will break all records. I hope also that within one week after the alumni read this page we shall receive gifts from at least a thousand alumni. If you have already sent a gift this year, perhaps you will decide to send a second one.

N. E. MCCLURE President

February 10, 1955

COVER PICTURE—Dr. and Mrs. Norman E. McClure at the president's home on 6th Avenue, Collegeville.

# THE COLLEGE



GUESTS OF HONOR AT FOUNDERS DAY CEREMONY Left to right, back row: Rev. Chester L. Brachman '26; Rev. Merritt J. Jeffers '29; Rev. Albert G. Gonser; Rev. R. Maxwell Paine '26; Rev. Paul E. Schmoyer '31. Front row: Dr. Harry E. Paisley; Dr. George E. Pfahler.

# Rev. A. G. Gonser, Founders' Day Speaker

The annual service commemorating the founding of Ursinus College was held on Sunday, Oct. 24 in Bomberger Chapel. Dr. N. E. McClure, President of the College, gave the welcoming address, briefly reviewing the history of Ursinus. The school was founded by the German Reformed Church and was named for Zacharias Ursinus, author of the Heidelberg Catechism, theologian and scholar.

Two great men in the history of Ursinus College were present at the service. They were Dr. George E. Pfahler, member of the Board of Directors, and Dr. Harry E. Paisley, President of the Board of Directors.

The Founders' Day address was given by the Reverend Albert G. Gonser, President of the South Wisconsin Synod

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of the Evangelical and Reformed Church. Dr. Gonser spoke about the merger of the Evangelical and the Reformed Churches, which occurred on June 26, 1934. The Church is now celebrating the twentieth anniversary of this union. Dr. Gonser spoke briefly on the history of both churches. Both originated from lands bordering the Rhine River in Germany, and both date back to the Protestant Reformation of the 16th century. Dr. Gonser mentioned the extensive part the Evangelical and Reformed Church has played in interdenominational works, and he stressed the fact that only a truly united church can make an impact on a divided world.

Five honorary degrees were conferred at the ceremonies upon Rev. Chester Louis Brachman, Rev. Albert G. Gon-



# General Electric Company Aids Alumni Giving

The General Electric Company has established the Corporate Alumnus Program in which its Educational and Charitable Fund joins with the employees of the General Electric Company and its subsidiaries in the support of the colleges and universities at which these employees received their higher education.

The program provides that G.E. will in 1955 match any gift to any college or university by an alumnus of that college or university up to \$1000 if the employee is in active regular employment of the General Electric Company.

Dr. Philip D. Reed, Chairman of the Fund's trustees, explained that the trustees are strongly convinced that one of the greatest untapped sources of continuing support for higher education lies in regular contributions by alumni. With the backing and co-operation of the General Electric Company, the trustees decided that a "corporate alumnus" program, with its provisions for joint action by the alumni and the fund, would do the most to stimulate colleges and universities to develop their own alumni-giving programs and thereby help themselves.

In announcing the plan, Mr. Reed said the plan "is thought to be unique in business-education circles because it provides for joint participation in the giving program by individual employees who are college graduates, and by the Educational Fund".

The program was heralded by the American Alumni Council this January as the best means yet to educate the college graduate to the needs of the privately endowed institution.

ser, Rev. Merritt James Jeffers, Rev. Ray Maxwell Paine and Rev. Paul Elmer Schmoyer.

The degree of Bachelor of Arts was conferred on James William Bright Jr., Harold Stephen Gold, Richard Eulner Howard, Orrin Hardy Main, and Maurice Jean Van DePutte.

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# Do You Know Any Prospective Ursinus Students

Alumni who know of young men and women who would make good Ursinus students are requested to fill out the form below and return it to the Registrar's Office, Ursinus College, Collegeville, Penna.

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☐ May we use your name when writing to the prospective student? Fill in and return to Registrar

# General Motors Corporation Announces Scholarship Program

The General Motors Corporation has announced a major expansion in its program of financial support to higher education. Harlow H. Curtice, president of G.M. disclosed a pioneering \$2,000,000 annual program of four-year scholarships to students and of grants to 306 colleges and universities throughout the country. The program includes three plans, A College Plan, A National Plan, and A Foundation Plan. The College Plan, of course, is the one of greatest importance to the administration and alumni of Ursinus College. Under the College Plan, two hundred and fifty scholarships, ranging up to \$2,000 annually, depending upon "demonstrated need", will be awarded by one hundred seven private colleges and universities and thirty nine public institutions in thirty eight states. The selection of these institutions is based on a formula under which at least one scholarship is made available to each accredited private institution which has twenty or more graduates employed by General Motors. A maximum of five scholarships a year, reaching a total of twenty in the fourth year of the program, will be available to any one institution.

The colleges and universities selected are given a free hand in choosing students of higher scholastic ability and leadership potential to receive these scholarship awards. The only qualifications are that the recipients be outstanding scholastically, have leadership qualities and need assistance.

In order to make certain that the Alumni Office has the names of all alumni employed by General Motors we request that each alumnus so employed write the Alumni Office at once.

The Foundation Plan will also be of benefit to colleges in Pennsylvania as General Motors will make unrestricted grants of \$10,000 each to foundations representing colleges in Indiana, Michigan, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania and New England.

#### Dr. Scheffey becomes President of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia

Dr. Lewis Cass Scheffey, Sc.D., Ursinus '43, Professor of Gynecology at Jefferson Medical College and Director of the Division of Gynecology, was on January 5 inaugurated as President of the College of Physicians of Philadelphia.

Several years ago Dr. Scheffey established the Jefferson Medical College Scholarship, which is awarded annually to an Ursinus senior who has been accepted for admission to Jefferson Medical College.

# Record Crowd Attends Old Timers' Day

Old Timers' day was one of the most festive occasions of the Fall season. It was celebrated by Ursinus students and Alumni on October 23. The many activities of Homecoming had been in the making for many weeks and the Spirit Committee is to be commended for its excellent work.

Festivities started with the Junior-Frosh breakfast for women in the college woods below the football field. The junior advisors prepared a delicious meal which was enjoyed by all in attendance around the large outdoor fireplaces. Most dormitories participated in the contest for the best-decorated dorm, which is an Old Timers' Day tradition at Ursinus. The first prize, a loving cup, went to Glenwood Hall for the second consecutive year. The Dorm used a nautical theme, complete with gangplank and with swabbies leaning from the portholes. Fetterolf House was judged the most original for its theme which centered around the flapper days of our alumni. Durvea Hall received honorable mention. The colorful decorations created a festive air traditional of Homecoming.

The sororities held luncheons in honor of their alumni before the football game with Swarthmore. KDK and O Chi held theirs at Lakeside Inn, Tau Sig members could be found at the Collegeville Inn, while Phi Psi was at Moorehead's. Sigma Nu chose the Perkiomen Bridge Hotel for their gathering.

The mood of Homecoming this year could be seen in the Freshmen at the football game flashing their red and black cards to form a U in the stands. Many alumni returned for the game and participated in the election of the Varsity Club Queen. Each fraternity elected a candidate, and during half-time these candidates were driven around the field in colorfully decorated convertibles. The candidate for Delta Sigma Lambda was Sonnie Kruse '57, Mims Lawley '57 represented Alpha Phi Epsilon, Eileen Kinderman '56 Demas, Zeta Chi elected Robin Blood '56, while Delta Pi Sigma chose Ellie Marcon '56, and Sigma Rho Lambda's choice was Barbara Rack '55. The voting was conducted at the game and the winner was announced at the Varsity Club Dance that night.

Following the game refreshments were served by the Alumni Association in the New Gym. The Old Timers' Day Alumni Committee were Grace Brandt



VARSITY CLUB QUEENS

Left to right: Barbara Rack '55; Eileen Kinderman '56; Ellie Marcon '56; Mims Lawley '57; Sonnie Kruse '57; Robin Blood '56.

Binder '43, Chairman, Bunny Harshaw Vosters '40, Peggy Eachus '33, Doris Harrington Abrams '43, Mary Jane Lytle '44, Blanche Shirey Wentzel '43, Peggy Brown Staiger '43, Seiber Pancoast '37, and Gordon Astheimer '40. Many of the alumni enjoyed this opportunity to talk with their classmates and undergraduate friends. The fraternities held parties and dinners before the dance. In the evening a banquet was held in Freeland Dining Room as a Kickoff Dinner for the 1955 Loyalty Fund Campaign for the Class Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen of each graduating class. Dr. McClure and several alumni addressed the gathering. Each lady who attended received a plant as a gift.

One of the biggest events of the day was the Varsity Club Dance which was held in the Thompson-Gay Gymnasium at 8:00 p.m. The gym was decorated with red, black and old gold streamers. Many of the alumni remained for the dance. The music for the evening was provided by Bill Tull's Campus Dance Band. Joan Kacik '54, the band's vocalist last year, sang at the dance. The high point of the evening was the crowning of the Varsity Club Queen, Mims Lawley, representing the Apes fraternity.

BAND REVIEW ON OLD TIMERS' DAY



# Chemistry Department Changes Curriculum

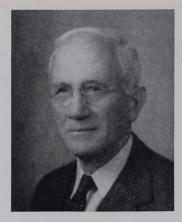
By Prof. R. D. Sturgis

New courses will be offered and revisions in present courses in chemistry will become effective in September 1955. These changes have been considered for several years as a result of the rapidly expanding field of organic and inorganic chemistry. The last changes in the chemistry curriculum were made between 1925 and 1930 when qualitative and quantitative analysis were offered each year and physical chemistry with laboratory work was begun.

Now that Dr. Staiger has completed his graduate work and is giving full time to teaching, the department is able to improve its work. Two years ago the course in general chemistry was divided so that non-science and science majors could be given the content and emphasis desirable for each. In September qualitative analysis will be reduced to a one semester course instead of being absorbed by general chemistry as in so many universities, and quantitative analysis will be expanded from 6 to 8 credit hours. This is in line with accrediting requirements of the American Chemical Society. The changes in "qual" and "quan" will enable the "pre-meds" to take a course in "quan" without taking a whole year of qualitative analysis.

Finally Dr. Staiger will offer two new courses: Organic Qualitative Analysis and Advanced Inorganic Preparations. Both will be for one semester and elective in the senior year. Dean Pettit, who teaches organic chemistry, urged the introduction of the course in organic qualitative as early as 1945. As Professor of Organic Chemistry he planned to offer it but because of his duties as Registrar and now as Dean he does not have time to do so.

We believe that the courses to be offered will help our graduates to meet the demands for an ever broadening chemical training. Laboratory courses are expensive and our laboratory budget is large in comparison with those of nonscience courses. As senior member of the chemistry department I must express my appreciation to President McClure and to Dr. Helfferich in particular who is "Director of the Budget" for providing the department with adequate funds for its operation.



# Dr. Heiges Passes Away

Dr. Jesse Shearer Heiges, 83, of Sixth Ave., Collegeville, died at the Montgomery hospital in Norristown on January 17 after a short illness. He was Professor Emeritus of Education at Ursinus, having been a graduate of the College in the class of 1898 and a member of the faculty from 1935 to 1948.

A statement written shortly before his death as part of a biographical sketch summarizes most adequately the character of this man and teacher.

"My philosophy was something like this: My chief concern was in 'Making a Life', not in making a living, although of course 'Making a Life' includes making a living. To me this meant culture of my higher nature, doing God's will and rendering service to my fellow-man, contributing my mite toward making this world a better place in which to live. I believed thoroughly in the philosophy of Horace Mann as expressed by him in these words, 'Be ashamed to die until you have won some victory for humanity'."

Dr. Heiges was a native of Luthersberg, Pa. He was graduated from Shippensburg Normal School in 1891 and from Ursinus college in 1898. After teaching in secondary schools he joined the staff at Shippensburg and was successively instructor, dean of instruction at Shippensburg Normal School and Shippensburg State Teachers College when the name was changed.

He retired from the Shippensburg faculty in 1934 and came to Ursinus to teach in the education department until his retirement.

He was a member of a number of state and national educational societies.

# Report from the Registrar's Office

#### By Prof. Geoffrey Dolman

Classes started in September with a total of 685 students. Although a few dropped out from various causes and a few more left at the end of the first term by invitation of the faculty, 30 additional students joined the undergraduate body when classes resumed for the second semester on February 7th.

Heartened by the announcement of plans for new dormitories for women, the Registrar is making plans for a slight but gradual increase in enrollment over the next several years. Applications at present show a 39% increase over last year, a trend which we hope will result in a healthy competition for a limited number of vacancies in September.

The Registrar reports a spirited increase in the active support by alumni in sending and bringing prospective students to the campus. Telephone calls and letters from alumni in support of candidates have been increasing as well. Alumni influence has been directly responsible for the visit of nearly two hundred high school students in the last year, and early indications show that at least four or five sons and daughters of alumni will be in the freshman class in September.

Alumni are urged to inform the Registrar of the names and addresses of high school juniors and seniors, who show promise of becoming good Ursinus students.

He had contributed a number of articles to education journals.

The athletic field at Shippensburg is named in his honor.

He held an honorary membership in the Lower Perkiomen Rotary club. He was a Mason.

Dr. Heiges was a member of the Trinity Evangelical and Reformed church of Collegeville and taught in the Sunday School.

Two sons, Dr. Ralph E. Heiges, '25, of Indiana, Pa., and Attorney Jesse G. Heiges, '35, of New York City, survive. He is also survived by a grandson and two sisters: Mrs. Cora Kroll and Mrs. George Seibert, both of Dillsburg, Pa.



### Evelyn Glazier Henzel '32 Elected to State Office

Mrs. Henry Henzel (Evelyn Glazier, 32), Alumni Representative to the Board of Directors of Ursinus College, was a successful candidate for election to the House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania from the Third District of Montgomery County at the last election held on November 2, 1954.

Mrs. Henzel's legislative activities have been a continuation of the social,



civic and educational interests in which she participated prior to her election. She is serving as a member of the Child Health Committee and the Public Health and Sanitation Committee in the present House.

On February 24, 1955, Mrs. Henzel discussed her legislative experiences with the International Relations Club at the College. She referred to her sponsorship of legislation seeking clarification of the school bus passing law. Other legislation which she is sponsoring deals with the promoting of equal pay for women, and limiting the distribution of crime horror comic books through the efforts of a standard setting commission. All persons were agreed that Mrs. Henzel is a very competent legislator.

#### Lloyd Hoagey '28 and Family Featured in National Advertising Program

The Lloyd A. Hoageys, 349 Church Street, Sellersville, are currently being seen on the pages of several national magazines. The Hoagey family, selected as the typical American home user of electricity, is featured in a full-page advertisement sponsored by the nation's electric light and power companies.

Served by Pennsylvania Power and Light Co., and selected from America's forty-two million domestic electric customers, the Hoageys are now being seen in the December issue of Editor and Publisher, Broadcasting and Telecasting Publisher's Auxiliary, and American Press. They will also be seen in the January 7 issue of Colliers, January 22 issue of Saturday Evening Post, January 28 issue of U.S. News and World Report, the January issue of American magazine and in Look magazine's February 8 issue.

The advertisement pictures Mr. and Mrs. Hoagey and their 13-year-old son, David, on the lawn of their home surrounded by more than fifty different electrical appliances which they use in their home to make living easier and more comfortable.

The advertisement points out that when Mr. Hoagey, a popular Sellersville insurance agent, was his son's age, electricity was used principally for lighting. The Hoagey's, as they are pictured in the advertisement, serve to illustrate the great strides which have taken place in the field of electrical development since then. In the relatively few short years since Mr. Hoagey was his son's age, use of electricity in America has multiplied seven times.

Besides their son, David, the Hoageys have an 18-year-old daughter, Kitty Lee, now a freshman at Pennsylvania State University.

Watch for Your Ballot Alumni Elections—April 1

#### South Jersey Alumni Group Bring Prospective Students to Campus

On February 19, the South Jersey Regional Alumni Association sponsored a trip for a group of approximately eighty high school juniors and seniors from the South Jersey area to the Ursinus campus. The group were greeted by the Registrars and the Dean of the College at a luncheon in the college dining room. The group of prospective students were then taken on tours of the campus and dormitories by student guides.

The program was planned and executed by the officers of the South Jersey group, President, Maurice Shuman and Secretary, Barbara Taylor Lentz.

The Ursinus Alumni Association of York is also planning a similar project for later in the spring.

#### Regional Group Meetings Planned

Robert R. Geist, President of the Regional Ursinus College Alumni Association of the Lehigh Valley has announced the annual dinner meeting for April 29th. The dinner will be at 6:30 in the Bethany E. & R. church at 5th Ave. and Market St. in Bethlehem. The speaker will be Mr. William Reimert of the Board of Directors and Managing Editor of the Allentown Call-Chronical newspaper.

The New York Regional group has announced that its annual meeting will be held May 4th in New York City. Details of the proposed meetings will be mailed to all alumni in their respective regions well in advance of the meeting dates.

The Philadelphia Regional Alumni Association held a Dinner-Dance on Saturday, March 12, at Casa Conti, Glenside, Pa. Music was supplied by the Ursinus campus band under the direction of Hal Singley. Officers of the Philadelphia Group are: President, Frank A. Wood, Jr.; Vice President, William E. Turner, Jr.; Secretary, Shirley Roberta Hutton; Treasurer, Hugh McLaughlin, Jr.



Ron Kichline '16 (right) former head coach at Ursinus receives gifts for his many years of devotion to football.

# Ron Kichline '16 Honored by Football Officials

Ronald C. Kichline, former Athletic Coach at Ursinus and the organizer of the Berks Football Officials' Association, was publicly honored for his many years of devotion to football at the 16th annual banquet of the Berks Football Officials' Association on December 1, 1954, at the Goodwill Fire Co, Reading, Pa. He is shown above receiving a silver platter from Jack Winters on behalf of the Philadelphia Chapter of Eastern Intercollegiate Officials, and a trophy from Walter J. P. Kurowski, President of the Berks Officials.

Kichline, who has been active in sports for more than forty years, has coached at Mansfield, Juniata, Vermont Academy, Ursinus, and at Reading High School.

It was while Ron was at Ursinus between 1925 to 1931 that he achieved coaching prominence. Under him the Bears registered successes such as the six victories, three losses in 1930, and a 6-2-1 log in 1931. The two defeats in the latter year were by Army and Drexel. After graduating from Ursinus in 1916, he became faculty membercoach at Mansfield State Normal School. In 1918 he left to join the army. In 1921 Kichline introduced football at Juniata College and in 1925 he came to Ursinus as head coach.

# Dean Clawson Publishes Mathematical Paper

Since his retirement in 1952 as Dean of the College, Dr. John W. Clawson has used a part of his leisure in geometrical investigation. He published a paper in 1954 in the American Mathematical Monthly entitled, "A Chain of Circles Associated with the 5-line", which exhibits some of the results of his studies. As long as the supply lasts, Dr. Clawson will be glad to send a reprint of this paper to any of his former students who may ask for it.

# Lost Classmates

The following alumni are in our lost file and so do not receive the journal. Will you help us find them? A post card to the Alumni Office will aid us in making the class files complete.

Mrs. Frederick Wagge (Vinnie O. Mensch) 1910

Samuel G. Dunseath

Mrs. Fred Mahan (Ruth Spang)

1916 Mrs. John R. Bowman (Rachel F. Shaner) Dwight O. Kerr 1917

Beulah M. Schaeffer Mrs. Danzer J. Schaub (Mabel Faulkner) Miles M. Spannuth 1918

Samuel W. Miller

1920 Mrs. Oliver C. Hill (Lillian Rayser) 1922

Harry A. Altenderfer Ruth H. Hebsacker Beatrice A. Latshaw Leon C. Saunders

1925 Mrs. Christopher Theophisus (Ethel Pauff)

Axel Rudolph Nelson, M.D.

Mrs. Harry Oberholtzer (Ruth Winger) 1930

Ruth G. Goss Mrs. Edward J. O'Hara (Sara Shafto) Frank J. Rohrbaugh Mrs. Claude G. Start (Mary E. Roorbach) Mrs. Robert C. Welsh (Sadie Allison Pease) 1931

Harry A. Maurer Wilbur D. Stouffer

Mrs. Asher M. Gottschalk (Elizabeth Shaub) Mrs. Corslen Johnson (Irene Dudley) Rev. Gilbert R. Kugler Margaret E. Miller Mrs. Robert J. Pegg (Eva Seiple) Shinzo Nakai

1933 1935 Joseph H. Diehl Mrs. Robert H. Hall (Elizabeth Harvey) Mrs. Edgar R. Klingeman (Louella E. Mullin) Mrs. Earl L. Thomas (Esther H. McClure)

1934 Robert H. Cunningham Jane L. Evans Mr. Joseph Farrell Mrs. Samuel V. Fletcher (Anna May Brooks) Marian D. Garrett Sylvia I. H. Liverant Mrs. J. Ridgeway (Hermine L. Loos) Rev. Jarence R. Robson Mrs. Moser Van Horn (Naomi M. Clark) 1934

1935

Rev. H. Allen Cooper Alexander Kravitz Eugene A. Shafto

1936 Glenn K. Epprecht Mrs. Fred R. Hess (Wilhelmina Meinhardt) Mrs. Harty W. Hunter (Dora Evans) Harold E. Jones Jacob Krause, M.D. Mrs. Thelma V. Wyner (Thelma Smith) 1937

Carolyn E. Mullin Mrs. William Reed (Elizabeth Scherfel) Frank Bradford Stone

1939 Albert G. Kaplan

1940 Edmund E, Fort Mrs. William Kerr Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Meade, Jr. (Marion Simpson) Carl Santoro William A. Williams

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Mindaul A. Williams 1941 Mrs. Philmore Dahlberg (Muriel Howarth) Mrs. John Martin Mrs. John Martin Mrs. Leonard S. Quinn (Winifred R. Doolan) Dorothy Shisler H. John Witman, Jr., M.D.

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1921	James W. Bright	4	8	15	50.00	120.00	140.00
1923	Arthur Fretz	7	7	17	303.00	478.00	416.00
1924	Mrs. Samuel T. Roeder	5	4	19	70.00	65.00	440.00
1925	Henry B. Sellers	3	2	5	65.00	20.00	75.00
1926	Allen C. Harman	3	8	25	20.00	71.00	248.50
1927	Morton J. Oppenheimer	6	7	15	65.00	85.00	302.50
1928	Arthur C. Faust	6	7	8	220.00	84.50	260.00
1929	Randolph G. Helffrich	5	4	13	155.00	2657.50	745.00
1930	Austin Gavin	10	12	40	180.00	272.50	517.50
1931		8	12	27	112.50	168.50	374.50
1932	Paul R. Wagner	6	12	31	1060.00	561.50	1285.00
1933	Ober Hess	6	10	28	162.50	207.50	442.50
1934	Edwin B. Hershey	3	3	14	36.00	36.00	166.50
1935	R. Blair Hunter	3	4	14	140.00	70.00	214.50
1936	Thomas J. Beddow	12	11	32	221.00	166.00	401.00
1937	Alexander E. Lipkin	8	9	12	152.50	150.00	200.00
1938	Paul S. Craigie	11	19	44	262.50	296.00	427.00
1939	Glenn E. Eshbach	7	15	43	165.00	633.92	444.50
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1941	Matthew R. Zeski	7 4	10 10	15 18	82.50 36.00	69.50 96.00	144.90
1942	Norman M. Callahan		10	27	67.50	125.00	186.00
1943	Robert L. Cooke	13 7	9	26	43.00	43.00	150.50
1944 1945	Grace T. Knopf Mrs. Charles A. Dando	11	15	26	90.00	74.50	165.50
1945	Marguerite S. Lytle	8 -	11	20	41.00	74.50	100.00
1947	Nancy R. Talcott	11	21	25	82.00	123.50	151.25
1948	Richard H. Clark	19	20	44	146.50	129.50	309.25
1948	Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reinhart		39	75	155.50	256.50	416.00
1950	Alfred M. Maser	11	40	30	35.00	183.50	105.00
1951	Floyd E. Justice	17	31	69	89.00	159.00	242.00
1952	H. Jay Ely	23	23	70	131.50	104.50	493.00
1953	Mrs. Ross Hopple	7	25	48	71.00	861.06	287.00
1954	Robert F. Hartman		41			157.50	
	Miscellaneous	2		3	43.00	225.00	193.00
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# 1955 Loyalty Fund Campaign Ahead of Last Year

Comparison of totals of the number of contributors and amounts contributed by January 21, 1954 and 1955 show this year's campaign to be well ahead of last year. The number of contributors was up 60% and the amounts contributed were up 56% over the same period last year. The interest and activity of the Loyalty Fund Chairman are responsible for this favorable report.

It is hoped that the announcement by Dr. McClure in his letter to the Alumni concerning the building of the new women's dormitories will encourage all Ursinus alumni to increase their gifts to the college.

The General Electric Corporate Alumnus Program as announced on page three of the Journal should also help to produce excellent results in the 1955 campaign.

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# Alumni Elections—Watch for Your Ballot in April

#### FOR PRESIDENT

MALCOLM M. DERK, '26, B.S.; M.Ed.; 831 Elkins Ave., Elkins Park 17, Pa.; is the Principal of the Glenside Elementary School, Cheltenham Twp. He is married to the former Margaret Koehler, and is the father of a son Frank in the Air Force and a daughter Anne who is a Sophomore at Ursinus. He is a member of the Quakertown F. & Am. Lehigh Consistory and past president of the Jenkintown Kiwanis Club. He is a member of the Calvary Presbyterian Church in Wyncote, Pa. and served as a Deacon. His special interest is sports. He is an active intercollegiate football official. He previously served as an Alumni Director.

THOMAS PARVIN GLASS-MOYER, '36; A.B., LL.B.; North Hills Ave., Willow Grove, Pa.; is an attorney specializing in tax law. He is married to the former Frances Thierolf, '40, and is the father of three small daughters. He is a member of the American, Pennsylvania, and Philadelphia Bar Associations; the Lawyers' Club of Philadelphia; the Judge Advocates' Association; the Order of the Coif; and the Philadelphia Tax Group. He served as vice president of the Alumni Association from 1941 to 1942, and as President since 1953. He was editor of the Alumni Journal from 1948 to 1950.

PAUL I. GUEST, '38; A.B., LL.B.; 228 Crosshill Road, Penn Wynne, Philadelphia 21, Pa.; is a partner in the firm of Grubb, Guest and Littleton, 1010 Fidelity-Philadelphia Trust Building, Philadelphia 9, Pa. He is married to the former Dorothy M. Dunkin and is the father of two daughters and a son. He is a member of the American, Pennsylvania, and Philadelphia Bar Associations; Lawyers' Club; Union League of Philadelphia; Midday Club; American Legion Post No. 545, Merion, Pa.; Military Order of the World Wars. He is a member of the Bala-Cynwyd Methodist Church and a Trustee of the Methodist Episcopal Hospital. Since 1952 he has been serving on the Executive Committee of the General Alumni Association, and is also General Chairman of the Lovalty Fund Committee. He served as President of the Philadelphia Regional Alumni Association from 1946 to 1953.

#### FOR VICE PRESIDENT

MRS. JOHN G. EACHUS (Margaret Deger), '33, A.B.; 121 Fourth

### **Sample Ballot**

PRESIDENT

(Vote for one) Malcolm M. Derk, '26 Thomas P. Glassmoyer, '36 Paul I. Guest, '38

> VICE PRESIDENT (Vote for one)

Margaret Deger Eachus, '33 Martha Daniels Scheirer, '52 Dorothy Dietrich Shiver, '51

FACULTY REPRESENTATIVE (Vote for one)

William T. Parsons, '47 Evan S. Snyder, '44 Paul R. Wagner, '32

> ALUMNI DIRECTORS (Vote for one)

C. Eugene Blum, '27 R. Maxwell Paine, '26 William R. Shaffer, '23

#### ALUMNI-AT-LARGE (Vote for two)

Doris Harrington Abrams, '43 Helen Eisenberg Ballantyne, '24 Robert L. Bateman, '31 Samuel S. Gulick, '18 Shirley Roberts Hutton, '38 Floyd Justice, '51

Avenue, Phoenixville, Pa.; is a housewife and mother. She is married to John Eachus, '33, and is the mother of two daughters and a son. She serves as substitute for the Phoenixville school district; and caterer's assistant. She is an alumnae member of PhiAlphaPsi sorority. She is a member of the Girl Scouts of Chester County, Washington Memorial Museum Auxiliary; Martha Washington Guild: Phoenixville Woman's Club: Ursinus Woman's Club and the Episcopal (Washington Memorial Chapel) Church, Valley Forge, Pa. She has loyaly served on committees and for four years was on the executive board of the Ursinus Woman's Club.

MRS. PAUL SCHEIRER (Martha Daniels), '52, B.S.; 173 Hughes Ave., Gloucester, N.J.; is a teacher of Health and Physical Education at the Gloucester Catholic High School. She is married to Paul Scheirer, '51. She is a member of the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Audubon, N.J. Her special interest is coaching. At present she is coach for Girls' Basketball at Gloucester Catholic High School.

MRS. JAMES B. SHIVER (Dorothy Dietrich), '51, B.A.; Box 36, Limerick, Pa.; is a secretary in the Alumni Office and Supply Store. She is married to James Shiver who is a senior student at Ursinus. She is an alumnae member of the Alpha Sigma Nu Sorority. She is a member of the Ursinus Circle and the Lutheran Church. Her special interests are sewing and cooking.

#### FOR FACULTY REPRESENTATIVE

WILLIAM T. PARSONS, '47, B.A., M.A.; Main Street, Schwenksville, Pa.; is Assistant Professor of History at Ursinus. He is married to the former Phyllis Vibbard, '54. He is a member of the American Association of Teachers of French; Pennsylvania Historical Association; Parent Teachers Association; American Legion (Post Vice-Commander); Mason. His civic projects are Borough Councilman, Board of Directors Schwenksville Community Library. He is a member of the Heidelberg E. & R. Church where he serves on the consistory and as Training Supt. in the Sunday School. He is Reunion Chairman for the class of '47. His special interests are local history and philately.

EVAN S. SNYDER, '44, B.S., M.S.; 339 E. Ninth Ave., Collegeville, Pa.; is Assistant Professor of Physics at Ursinus, presently he is on leave of absence to complete thesis requirements for Ph.D. He is married to the former Virginia Boyer, '46, and is the father of a small daughter. While on military leave of absence (1944-46) he served as Electronics Engineering Aide, Manhattan Project, Los Alamos, New Mexico. He is a member of the American Association of University Professors, American Association of Physics Teachers, Sigma Xi and Trinity Evangelical and Reformed Church. His special interest is photography.

PAUL R. WAGNER, '32, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.; 518 Main St., Trappe, Collegeville, Pa.; is Professor of Biology at Ursinus. He is married to the former Ethel Ackerman, and is the father of two daughters. He is a member of Sigma Xi, Pa. Academy of Science, American Society of Plant Taxonomists, Philadel-

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THOMAS GLASSMOYER for president



MARTHA DANIELS SCHEIRER for vice-president



WILLIAM T. PARSONS for faculty representative



ROBERT L. BATEMAN for alumni-at-large



PAUL I. GUEST for president



DOROTHY DIETRICH SHIVER for vice-president



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SAMUEL S. GULICK for alumni-at-large



R. MAXWELL PAINE for director



EVAN S. SNYDER for faculty representative

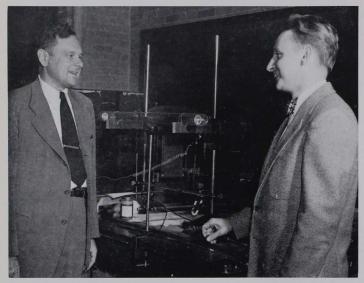


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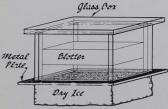
FLOYD E. JUSTICE for alumni-at-large

# GOINGS ON IN TH



Professors John Heilemann and Evan S. Snyder in the Atomic Physics Laboratory.

The thief who in 1952 made off with most of Ursinus Physics Department's electronics equipment turned out to be a college benefactor. One of the pieces of equipment which was stolen was a Geiger counter, a sensitive electronic instrument used to detect the presence of radioactive substances. The counter which disappeared had been used in an experiment in the Atomic Physics laboratory work, so it was necessary to find a temporary and inexpensive replacement for the experiment in which it had been used. A diffusion-type cloud chamber seemed to be a good choice, since interest in the device had currently been revived. Reduced to its bare essentials an elementary diffusion cloud chamber consists of a glass box with a metal bottom which rests on a cake of dry ice; a wet blotter humidifies the air in the



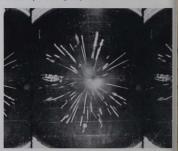
Elementary Diffusion Cloud Chamber

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box and the air just above the cold metal plate becomes so saturated that a cloud forms readily if atomic nuclei are provided in which the water vapor can condense. Such nuclei are provided as electrical débris when an atom of a radioactive substance undergoes spontaneous disintegration. The electrical débris condense a cloud path as they pass through the water vapor. Dr. John Heilemann and Mr. Evan S. Snýder of the Ursinus Physics department set about to construct a cloud chamber according to specifications found in the literature to study the emanations of radioactive materials.

Radioactive substances give rise primarily to three kinds of emanation; electrons, alpha particles, and gamma rays. Electrons are minute quantities of negative electricity, alpha particles are electrically charged helium atoms and gamma rays are a form of penetrating radiation similar to light, radio waves, and x-rays. When charged particles such as electrons pass through very humid air, they cause the moisture to condense along their paths, leaving a kind of "vapor trail," and the thickness and length of this trail depends upon the speed and size of the particles. The super-humid air just above the plate of the elementary cloud chamber is ideally suited for the observation of such vapor trails: if the plate is blackened and the glass box is strongly illuminated from the side, the particles emanating from a piece of uranium ore produce trails or tracks which are easily seen. Alpha particles travel a few inches in air before being stopped, while electrons may travel many feet before losing their energy. The track of an alpha particle is thick and straight, that of an electron is thin and irregular.

When a chamber was constructed according to the specifications found in the literature the results were disappointing. The tracks, when they did appear, were difficult to see and the dry ice disappeared at an alarming rate. Under the direction of Professors Snyder and Heilemann, the students in the physics laboratory constructed a chamber like the one shown in the second diagram. The glass box was replaced by a doublewalled plastic one and the cake of dry ice by a vacuum bottle filled with a mixture of wood alcohol and powdered dry ice. The metal plate was cooled by conducting the heat away through the brass rod which dipped into the cooling mixture, so that a small quantity of dry ice lasted for as long as several hours. Fortunately nearly optimum conditions of

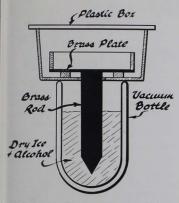


Alpha-ray tracks from polonium. Frame from 16mm film. Source is a thin wire tipped with a minute quantity of polonium.

size and temperature were realized in the very first model constructed so that it operated with a reliability and showed things which were not even imagined when the project was started. It turned out to be very easy to make moving pictures, as far as is known the first ever to be made of an operating cloud chamber.

In 1953 the new modification of the cloud chamber was entered by Professors Snyder and Heilemann in the Iowa Colloquium of College Physicists in competi-

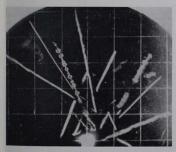
# HYSICS DEPARTMENT



Diffusion Cloud Chamber, Ursinus Design

tion with other equipment from throughout the United States and received first prize in the demonstration of new physics laboratory equipment.

Indirectly the thief of May 27, 1952 unwittingly inspired the development of a demonstration apparatus and a set of moving pictures of the cloud chamber in operation which will carry the name of Ursinus to every part of the civilized world. The name of Ursinus will appear in the advertising of the scientific apparatus company which purchased the motion picture films and the design for the cloud chamber. The profits of this enterprise have been returned to the college to be made available for new equipment for the physics department. This is just one example of the resourcefulness and loyalty of the Ursinus faculty.



Alpha-pairs from a radioactive gas. Two particles are emitted about two thousandths of a second apart from an atom of gas, actinon. Probably the first photograph ever made of this phenomenon.

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#### History Department Requests Magazines

The History Department of Ursinus College is assembling a library of art reproductions to be used in conjunction with some of its history courses. Dr. Elizabeth Foster and Mr. William Parsons, '47, Professors in the History Department would like to appeal to alumni for back issues of Life Magazine, the National Geographic Magazine, Art News, or other periodicals containing articles dealing with painting, sculpture, or architecture. Issues of the World War II years or immediate post-war years are particularly desired. Bring them along when you pay a visit to Ursinus or send them to Mr. Parsons in care of the History Department.

## Varsity Club Banquet

The Varsity Club's annual banquet will be held Tuesday, May 10th at a place undesignated as yet.

Features will include the awarding of recognition plaques to seniors, most valuable player cups to designated individuals in the various sports, awarding of letters and sweaters, and the awarding of the James P. Armstrong Memorial Trophy to the "Most Valuable Athlete of 1954-55." This trophy was established last year by Matthew "Max" Zeski, Class of 1941, in memory of Jim Armstrong, beloved classmate. Last year's recipient was William Burger.

The featured speaker will be John Steckbeck of Dickinson College, author of the book "Fabulous Redmen." The book is the story of the famous Carlisle Indians and of course Jim Thorpe. His talk will be about these "Fabulous Redmen."

All former Varsity Club members and others interested in athletics at Ursinus are invited to attend. After the meeting there will be a meeting of the recently organized group of "Ursinus Boosters" under the leadership of George Sauerman. For further details of alumni attendance at the Varsity Club Banquet, contact George Sauerman, c/o Levengood Dairies, Pottstown, Pa.

### Curtain Club Presents "My Three Angels" for Spring Play

The Ursinus College Curtain Club will present its Spring Play on May 13th and 14th at 8:30 P.M. in the Thompson-Gay Gymnasium. The play reading committee has chosen a delightful comedy, MY THREE ANGELS, by Sam and Bella Spewak. Rehearsals are now under way. Mr. H. Lloyd Jones, Jr., is faculty director and the student director has not yet been announced.

MY THREE ANGELS is a comedy about the well-meaning but criminal efforts of three convicts in French Guiana to aid the course of true love and bumbling economics in the household of a French storekeeper who is sadly distressed by a harsh relative. The play was enormously successful on Broadway a few years ago and promises to be equally successful in the Ursinus tradition of sparkling May Day humor.

All alumni and friends of the college are urged to make reservations for either the Friday or Saturday night performances. Tickets can be ordered by telephoning Mrs. Mary S. Steele in the President's office or by leaving a request at the switchboard, Collegeville 3311.

#### Theatre Group Presents TV Show

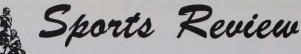
The Delta Tau Chapter of Alpha Psi Omega, the honorary dramatic fraternity at Ursinus, is rehearsing under the direction of Messrs. Geoffrey Dolman and Lloyd Jones a short dramatic cutting from David Copperfield for presentation on Television Station WPTZ, Channel 3, Classroom Playhouse. The performance is scheduled for 10:45 A.M. on Friday, May 13th.

### **Missing Ruby Issues**

The Alumni Office library of Class Ruby's is in constant use as a reference shelf of valuable alumni information. It includes volumes from the first Ruby published in 1896 by the Junior Class in the memory of Dr. Samuel Vernon Ruby, Professor of English Language and Literature, through to the present with the exception of some missing issues during the war years. The collection also includes special reunion issues which have been published on six occasions by reunioning classes.

The Alumni Office would like to make an appeal for copies for five missing years, '28, '45, '46, '48 and '49. If any married alumni of the same year have two copies, it would be appreciated if they would consider contributing one of the copies to the office library.







# **Football Season 1954**

Led by Captain Ken Walker, the "Fighting Bears" gave Ursinus its second successive winning season with a 4-3-1 record. Along with the 1953 season, it was the best record posted by an Ursinus football team since the early thirties.

Ursinus averaged over 15 points per game while the opponents averaged 17. Ursinus scored in every game, while holding three opponents scoreless.

The Bears gained an even split with the two new opponents on the schedule, downing Brooklyn College 19-0 and being crushed 47-6 by Moravian College.

The Gurzynski-Spangler record of having never lost an "Old Timer's Day" game since taking over was kept intact. In a thrill packed contest on Patterson Field, the Bears came from behind to tie Swarthmore 20-20. Paul Neborak threw a touchdown pass from a "bootleg" play to end LeRoy Krasley to make it a 19-20 with only minutes to play. Captain Ken Walker calmly booted the all-important extra point to tie it at 20-20.

Three men will be lost by graduation, Captain Ken Walker, half-back; Al Paolone, half-back; and Nick Chapis, tackle. Fullback John Conti, although only a junior, will be going to dental school. These four men will be greatly missed.

To single out any individuals or groups among the veterans and newcomers for special mention would require fine powers of discrimination since so many showed great promise. Suffice to say, the coaches are quite willing to predict at least as successful a season for 1955 as enjoyed by the 1954 team.

The coaching staff expresses its heartfelt thanks to the alumni for their continuing interest and support.

	THE	SEASO	N'S RECORD	
Ursinus		12	Susquehanna	0
Ursinus		13	Drexel	41
Ursinus		12	Haverford	0
Ursinus		20	Swarthmore	20
Ursinus		34	Wagner	7
Ursinus		6	Moravian	47
Ursinus		19	Brooklyn Col.	0
Ursinus		6	Juniata	28
Total		122		143

# Basketball 1954-1955

The basketball team opened the season with a thrilling 80 to 76 victory over a surprisingly good National Agriculture College five. Hopes for a successful year were boosted with victories over Susquehanna, Philadelphia Pharmacy and Swarthmore. Mixed with these victories were close losses to Juniata, Delaware, and F. and M. Then the Bears seemed to lose the touch in losses to Haverford and Drexel. Lack of height seems to be the big difficulty, but with a few weeks rest better things are expected in the last six league encounters. So far the starting five has been made up of cocaptains Carl Smith and Gene Harris, leading scorer Ralph Schumacher, Art Ehlers and Jack Schumacher, Players lending much assistance are Phil Smith, Ron Owens, Paul Neborak, Andy Carter, Wayne Engle, and Dave Burger.

### Larry Zartman '55 Makes All-American Soccer List

Larry Zartman, an Ursinus senior, has been chosen by the National Soccer Coaches' Association, official All-American second soccer team for 1954. Larry was also named to the first team All Northeast League Middle Atlantic Conference.

Zartman, whose home is in Myerstown, Pa. was honored at the annual Awards Luncheon at the Hotel Martinique in New York City on January 15th. Larry ranks with the top twentytwo soccer players in the United States.

"Ace" Bailey, Ursinus Director of Athletics, says, "This is the first time, to my knowledge that an Ursinus athlete has been officially recognized on an All-American team."

Coach Baker has lauded Zartman by stating that "This award is a rare honor indeed and one rarely to be expected in a college of Ursinus' size. Zartman is a player whose diligence, good nature, and skill are exceptional. Perhaps his outstanding characteristic is the superb condition of muscle and mind which enables him to drive full speed for 88 minutes of every game."

# Soccer Season 1954

The Ursinus Soccer Team enjoyed its best season in years the past fall, winning six of its nine games. After victories over LaSalle and Muhlenberg, a hard-fought fray at Lafayette, tied up at 3-3 at the close of the regular periods, was lost by one goal in the overtime.

The game which followed against the Alumni was close, 1-0 in favor of the undergraduates, as the Alumni fielded an unusually strong side. The Old-Timers who renewed their youth, their charley-horses, and their sore shins on this occasion were: J. Bright, '54; M. Aden, '54; H. Davis, '54; J. Ely, '52; C. Foreman, '54; C. Frambes, '53; H. Knull, '54; R. Lange, '54; R. Lewis, '50; V. Morningstar, '42; J. Peterson, '50; A. Simons, '48; E. Ulmer, '48.

Two losses, the last of the season, followed at the hands of our always strong neighbors, Swarthmore and Haverford. The latter team, Conference winners last year and this, was the only opponent to finish more than one goal in the lead.

After a close victory over Lehigh in Bethlehem, the team returned home to play the most exciting game of the season against a strong Drexel eleven. The continued hard work and spirit of the home club earned the one point 'which meant victory. This was probably the best played game in Ursinus soccer history. The season closed with another hard match at F. & M., where, though the winning goal was slow in coming, Ursinus' superiority was hardly in doubt.

One regularly scheduled Junior Varsity game was lost to Haverford 1-0.

THE	SEASO	N'S RECORD	
Ursinus	4	LaSalle	0
Ursinus	2	Muhlenberg	0
Ursinus	3	Lafayette	4
Ursinus	1	Alumni	0
Ursinus	0	Swarthmore	1
Ursinus	0	Haverford	4
Ursinus	1	Lehigh	0
Ursinus	3	Drexel	2
Ursinus	2	F. & M.	1

## Wrestling Report 1954-'55

During 1954, the Ursinus wrestling team sported an even log of three wins, one tie and three defeats. They finished fifth out of nine teams in the Middle Atlantic Wrestling Championships at Gettysburg. The only really bright spots in the season were the achievements of two Ursinus lightweights, Ed Dawkins, 123 lbs. and Dick Padula, 137 lbs. Ed won his second consecutive Middle Atlantic Championship and was voted the outstanding wrestler of the tournament. Dick also won the championship in his weight, an outstanding feat for a freshman.

This year Ursinus has one of the best wrestling teams in its history. So far they have won two over Swarthmore and Haverford and lost a close meet to a powerful Lafayette squad. By comparative scores, it looks as though Ur-

Saturday, April 23	
Elizabethtown	Away
Wednesday, April 27	
Swarthmore	Home
Saturday, April 30	
Haverford	Home
Tuesday, May 3	
Pennsylvania Optometry	Home
Saturday, May 7	
Albright	Away
Wednesday, May 11	
Drexel	Away
Saturday, May 14	
LaSalle	Away
Tuesday, May 17	
Delaware	Home
Saturday, May 21	
Moravian	Home
Home meets on week-days 3:	00 P.M
Home meets on Saturdays 2:	OO PM

sinus will finish the season without another defeat. At 123 Co-Captain Dawkins is undefeated this season and holds a combined high school and college dual meet record of fifty-seven straight wins. Co-Captain Al Paolone is also undefeated this year at 130 lbs. He has met his hardest competition and looks as if he is well on the way towards winning a Middle Atlantic crown. The third undefeated member of the team is sophomore Dick Padula at 137 lbs. At 167 lbs. is another of Ursinus' big guns, Dick Heydt. Heydt has met his toughest opposition, losing only to a very good Lafayette opponent in a closely contested match. Heydt, who is very fast and strong may well take either a 1st or 2nd place in the Middle Atlantics.

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# Alumnae Sports

The women's hockey teams have had an eventful season. The Ursinus Alumnae hockey team finished their season with four wins, two losses and one tie coached by Miss Snell and captained by Ginny Dulin '47. Again Ursinus was distinguished by having six alumnae place on teams traveling to the national tournament. Joanne Duncan '50 (Royals), Jen Price '54 (Ursinus Alumnae), and Nancy Vadner Chance '51 (Germantown Cricket) all placed on the Philadelphia first as center, halfback, goalie, and left fullback, respectively. Selected on the Philadelphia

BASEBALL SCHEDULE	1955
Wednesday, April 13 Albright	Away
	Away
Saturday, April 16 Johns Hopkins	Home
Thursday, April 21 Franklin and Marshall	Away
Saturday, April 23 Elizabethtown	Home
Tuesday, April 26	
Drew University	Home
Thursday, April 28	
Haverford	Away
Saturday, April 30	
Dickinson	Away
Monday, May 2	
Delaware	Home
Wednesday, May 4	
Swarthmore	Away
Saturday, May 7	
Drexel	Away
Monday, May 9	
Haverford	Home
Thursday, May 12	
P.M.C.	Home
Saturday, May 14	
Philadelphia Pharmacy	Away
Wednesday, May 18	
LaSalle	Home
Saturday, May 21	
Moravian	Home
Tuesday, May 24	
Lehigh	Away
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Home games on Saturday at 2:	
Home games during week at 3:	15 P.M.

fourth were Adele Boyd '53 (Ursinus Alumnae) and Jean Leety '53 (Germantown Cricket), while Hilda Anderson Daley '48 (N.J.) placed on the New Atlantic second. Both Joanne Duncan and Jen Price were selected All American Reserves.

In basketball, the alumnae season opened this year with two teams coached by Miss Snell and captained by Connie Warren Poley. The Ursinus Alumnae have suffered only one loss, while the Ursinus Cubs, captained by Jen Price, have lost three, one to the Alumnae. The Alumnae players are Connie Warren Poley '49, Doris Harrington Abrams '43, Shirley MacKinnon '52, Audrey Rittenhouse '53, Nancy Vadner Chance '51, Irma Keyes '47, Adele Boyd '53, Blanche Schultz '41, Sara Parent '53, and Marge Merrifield '54. The Cubs are Marge Abrahamson Anderson '54, Marge Johnson ex'54, Jen Price '54, Betty Keyser Staurowsky '51, Ginny Dulin '47, Bev Syvertsen '54, Sally Lumis '53, Marguerite Spencer '52. Joan Leet Smith '54, and Teddy Knopf '44.

The Ursinus varsity basketball team, captained by Jo Kuhn '55, has just four letter girls: the captain, Marge Dawkins '57, Elizabeth Mason '55, and Ruth Heller. Even though lacking varsity experience, the team shows good potential.

	Saturday, April	16
Haver		Home
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	and Saturday, May Atlantics	13 and 14 Lafayette
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wrunie	Saturday, May 2	
Lehigh		Away
Home	meets on Saturday a	t 2:30 P.M

#### Sisters Receive Tennis Rankings

Two sisters won recognition in tennis when the Middle States Tennis Association released its ranking in December. Mrs. Alice Cressman Gottshall '39 was ranked twenty fifth, while Edith Cressman '34 was at number twenty six. Alice was a semi-finalist in two Eastern States Clay Court Championships at the Idle Hour Tennis Club, Drexel Hill and the Bethlehem Tennis Club. Edith was a finalist in the Montco Clay Court Championships at Norristown, Pa.



Left to right: Professor Felice Battaglia, Rector of the University of Bologna and Dr. C. Grove Haines '27, Professor of Diplomatic History, School of Advanced International Studies of the Johns Hopkins University.

# Dr. C. Grove Haines '27, Director of Johns Hopkins University Center in Bologna, Italy

One of Ursinus College's distinguished alumni, Dr. C. Grove Haines '27, will be the first Director of a new venture in American education—the establishment of a Bologna Center of the School of Advanced International Studies in Bologna, Italy, which is the first attempt of an American graduate school to set up an independent school of its own in a foreign country.

A graduate of Ursinus College in 1927 with the A.B. degree, Professor Haines received his A.M. and Ph.D. degrees from Clark University. He then joined the faculty of the University of Syracuse in 1931, becoming Professor of History in 1943. In 1945 he went to Washington to join the faculty of the School of Advanced International Studies.

The School of Advanced International Studies (known popularly as SAIS), of which Dr. Haines will be a director, was originally established in 1944 to train young men and women for careers in government and business in the international field. It has been a graduate school of The Johns Hopkins University since 1950. The Center, though using the physical and academic facilities of the University of Bologna, will be entirely independent of the Italian institution and will be operated as an extension of the Johns Hopkins University

Dr. Haines emphasizes, "This is not an exchange program. We are going to Italy as part of The Johns Hopkins University and will operate on American graduate standards." The center will provide a place for the training of American students in European affairs and international relations.

Four Ursinus graduates have attended SAIS and graduated with their M.A. degrees, and one student, Fred Nichols '50, attended a summer session. The four graduates of Ursinus and SAIS are Hermann Eilts '46, James Robert Wilson '47, Chad Alger '49, and Robert Herber '51. Eilts and Wilson are now in Iraq and Japan as Foreign Service Officers. Alger, after several years in the government, is now at Princeton University as an advanced graduate student. Herber is scheduled for appointment as Foreign Service Officer in early 1955.

# 25th Anniversary of Sigma Rho Lambda

The Sigma Rho Lambda Fraternity is this year celebrating its twenty-fifth anniversary as a campus organization. Like all of the college fraternities, Sigma Rho is a local social organization having no national affiliations.

On February 19, the group announced at its 25th Anniversary Buffet Supper Dance the project of establishing a one thousand dollar scholarship for an Ursinus student. The project is the first of its kind to be undertaken by any of the local sororities or fraternities.

# Necrology

#### MARGUERITE R. RAHN '15

Miss Marguerite R. Rahn died January 22, 1955 at her home in Burlington, N. J. Miss Rahn was born in Norristown, Pa., October 11, 1894. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Warren R. Rahn.

Miss Rahn taught in schools in Allentown, N. J., Bristol, Pa., Haddon Heights, N. J., Trenton Junior High School and Trenton Senior High School, Trenton, N. J. She was the supervisor of instruction at Trenton Junior High School from 1926 to 1934 and vice-principal from 1934 to 1941 when she retired.

Surviving Miss Rahn are three sisters: Mrs. M. C. Price, Edgewater Park, N. J., Mrs. William E. Hewitt, Burlington, N. J., and Mrs. Alfred H. Lippincott of Palmyra, N. J.

#### RICHARD E. SHAFFER '34

Richard E. Shaffer died suddenly in his study at Hellam, Pa., May 1, 1954. Born in York, Pa., May 16, 1912. Licensed by Zion Classis and ordained by Gettysburg, he was pastor of the East Berlin Charge until 1945 and of the Kreutz Creek Charge until his untimely death.

He is survived by his wife and one son. He was active and successful in work with young people in camps and conferences.

#### PHILIP J. MAY '19

Rev. Philip J. May, Ivyland, Bucks County, Pa., minister of the Ivyland Presbyterian Church, died November 18, 1954.

Dr. May had held pastorates in Dillon, Montana, and Dover, N. J., before his association in Ivyland. For 26 years he had served in the Cameroons, West Africa, as a missionary at the Dager Biblical Seminary of which he was a director. He was educated in the public schools of Newark, N. J. He graduated from Princeton Theological Seminary in 1922, and received the degree of master of theology there in 1929. He was ordained in 1922 by the Presbytery of Newark.

Dr. May was awarded an honorary doctor of divinity degree at Cedarville College in Ohio. Surviving are his wife, the former Ellen Harriet Belk; a son, Rev. Donald E. May, of Eddington; a daughter, Mrs. Charles L. Pifer, Pittsburgh, five brothers and three sisters.

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phia Botanical Club, and Rotary Club. He serves as auditor in the borough of Trappe, Pa. He is a member of the Trinity E. & R. Church. His special interests include music, field botany and photography. He is now serving as Loyalty Fund Chairman for the Class of '32.

#### ALUMNI DIRECTOR

CLAIR EUGENE BLUM, '27, A.B., B.D., D.D.; is pastor of the Trinity First Reformed Church of York, Pa. He is married to the former Helen Lucas, '28, and is the father of two daughters. He is the current president of the York Rotary Club, Red Cross Director and serves on the Executive Committee of the Council of Churches. He was a former Director and President of the Alumni Association.

R. MAXWELL PAINE, '26, A.B., B.D., D.D.; is pastor of the Reformed Church of the Ascension, Norristown, Pa. He is married to the former Sallie M. Houtz, he is the father of a daughter and son. His daughter, Nancy, is in the Junior class at Ursinus. He is a member of Rotary Club and Chairman of "Morning Devotions" for the WNAR Radio Broadcasting Station in Norristown. His special interests are Counselling; Social Service Work; Dramatics; Music and Broadcasting work. He held the offices of President and Treasurer of the Lehigh Valley Alumni Association.

WILLIAM R. SHAFFER, '23, A.B., B.D.; S.T.M., D.D.; is pastor of Faith Evangelical and Reformed Church, West Oak Lane, Philadelphia, Pa. He is married to the former Katherine A. Stevenson, '25, and is the father of two daughters and a son. He is a member of the Free Masons. He has served as president of the Philadelphia Synod, Commission on Higher Education. Presently he is a member of the Board of International Missions, and Board of Directors of Cedar Crest College.

#### ALUMNI-AT-LARGE

MRS. JOHN ABRAMS (Doris Harrington), '43, B.S.; 2312 Kenilworth Road, Ardmore, Pa.; is a homemaker and mother of a daughter and son. She is a member of the Eddystone Girls' Club (social, athletic and welfare or ganization); and Parent-Teachers Association in Lower Merion. Her special interests are sports—still plays basketball with Ursinus Alumnae. Was 1954 champion of the Philadelphia Suburban Girls' League. Referees basketball and softball and is coach of the church basketball team. She is a member of the Bethany Temple Presbyterian Church.

MRS. R. J. BALLANTYNE (Helen Isenberg), '24, B.S.; 31 E. Central Ave., Moorestown, N.J.; is a teacher in the Junior High school in Maple Shade, N.J. She is the mother of Mary Ann Porter who graduated from Ursinus in '48. She is a member of the Moorestown Woman's Club; Service League of Presbyterian Church and League of Women Voters. She is vicepresident of Ursinus Woman's Club. Her special interests are civic affairs and young people. She has served as commissioner of Girl Scouts for Burlington County; past president of Moorestown, Parent-Teachers Association: past president of Service League and Federation Secretary of Moorestown Woman's Club. She is a member of the Presbyterian Church.

ROBERT L. BATEMAN, '31, B.S., M.S., Ph.D.; 331 Park Avenue, Manhasset, N.Y.; is a chemical executive. He is manager of the Fine Chemicals of Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Co., a division of Union Carbide and Carbon Corporation. He is married to the former Isabel Rickley, '30, and is a member of the American Chemical Society, American Institute of Chemists, Society of Chemical Industry (British), and the Chemists' Club of New York.

SAMUEL S. GULICK, '18, B.A., M.A.; is a Vocational Counselor for the Veterans Administration. He is married to the former Anne Roeder, '21, and is the father of three daughters. Jane graduated from Ursinus in '53. He is a Mason. He is a member of the Vocational Guidance Association of Philadelphia. He is serving as a Director for the First Wayne Federal Savings and Loan Association. His special interest is Psychology and has done graduate work in this field. He is a deacon in the Ardmore Presbyterian Church.

MRS. JAMES F. HUTTON (Shirley Roberts), '38, A.B.; 1301 Morris Road, Wynnewood, Pa.; is a housewife and mother of a twelve-yearold daughter. She is a member of the Women's University Club of Philadelphia; Chairman of Troop Committee of Girl Scouts; Women of St. Paul's; Snack-Bar Committee for Pennsylvania Hospital Day and Devon Horse Show. Her special interests are music, traveling and gardening. She is a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Ardmore, Pa. She is the present secretary of the Philadelphia Regional Association.

FLOYD E. JUSTICE, JR., '51, A.B.; 45 Corson Road, Conshohocken, Pa.; is Senior Industrial Engineer for pany, Philadelphia, Pa. He is married to the former Mary McPherson, '51, and is the father of a son. He is a member of the Whitemarsh Lion's Club; president of the Andorra Acres Civic Association and served on the Executive Committee of the Philadelphia Regional Association. His special interests are Ursinus, hunting, fishing, gardening and civic affairs. He is a member of the Evangelical and Reformed Church.

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#### CHARLES EARL LINK '24

Mr. C. Earl Link died November 17, 1954, at his newly established residence in Daytona Beach, Florida. Mr. Link was born in Chester, Pa., November 29, 1902. He was married to Florence J. Corkhill. After graduation he was employed by E. I. DuPont de Nemours Co. as a chemist in the high explosives department. From 1930 to 1937 he was a member of the staff of Belle Works, Ammonia Department, Product Division, Belle West Virginia. He moved to Florida from his home in Charleston, W. Va., because of ill health.

#### EUGENE A. PASCUCCI '52

Mr. Eugene A. Pascucci died suddenly on November 30, 1954 of a heart attack while in a classroom at Villanova College. Mr. Pascucci was the son of William G. and Rose Pascucci of Pottstown, Pa. He was graduated from Perkiomen School, Pennsburg, in 1948. Upon graduation from Ursinus Mr. Pascucci was employed for two years by the International Business Machine Co., Philadelphia, Pa. He entered Villanova College Law School last fall. At Ursinus he was president of Alpha Phi Epsilon Fraternity, co-editor of the Ruby, he played football for four years and was on the wrestling team for two years. After graduation he assumed the duties of the Loyalty Fund Chairman for the class of 1952.

Surviving are his parents and a brother, Ronald.

#### HAROLD D. STEINBRIGHT, HONORARAY '53

Mr. H. D. Steinbright died November 20, 1954, in the hospital in Norristown, where he had been a patient for more than two months.

Mr. Steinbright made his home in Cedars, Pa. He was secretary of the American Chemical Paint Co., Ambler.

Three years ago he was the regional chairman of a nation wide fund raising campaign for the E. and R. Church

Mr. Steinbright was a lay member of the Philadelphia Synodical Council and a trustee of Cedar Crest College, Allentown, and First Vice-President Ursinus College. He was also a director of the Delaware River Ferry Co.

Surviving are his wife, Edith, and a daughter, Marilyn.



#### **OURSELVES** N E W S ABOUT

Name and address shown opposite each year is the class secretary.

# 1904

Rev. Oscar D. Brownback writes that his return last spring to attend Alumni Day and Commencement was for him a pleasant and extraordinary event. It was his fiftieth reunion and the only one he has been able to attend since graduation.

# 1910

Attorney S. S. Laucks, Sr. is compiling historical information and pictures of Red Lion, Pa. to prepare a historical supplement for this year's celebration of the borough's diamond jubilee.

1914

Mrs. Leighton Smith Sixth Ave. Collegeville, Pa.

Rev. Benjamin H. Kell is wintering in Florida where he is recuperating from major surgery.

1917

Mrs. Mark Messinger 298 Hawthorne Ave. Haddonfield, N. J.

Guy A. Koons has gathered together and published in booklet form records and statistics on football at Steelton High School, Steelton, Pa., where he has been faculty Manager of Athletics since 1934.

1919

Edna M. Boyd 5121 Wayne Ave. Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Emma M. Senweigert is teaching Biology, Chemistry and Physics at the Menaul School, a Senior High School, in Albuquerque, N.M. The school is operated by the Board of National Missions of the Presbyterian Church.

# 1920

Mrs. Harry Bartman 1222 Queen St. Pottstown, Pa.

Mrs. Romaine L. Skinner (Olive Slamp) is a receptionist at the Reading Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Eugene S. Grossman are planning a flying trip around the world this spring in which they will visit twelve countries. They plan to look up some of our alumni in the farther reaches of the world.

#### Mrs. John N. Bear Warminster, Pa. 1922

Dr. Franklin I. Sheeder gave an address at Franklin and Marshall College, Lancaster, Pa. on October 17, 1954 on the celebration of the historic merger of two Protestant denominations 20 years ago-The Evangelical Synod of North America and the Reformed Church in the United States. Dr. Sheeder, since 1946, has been the Executive Secretary of the Board of Christian Education and Publication of the Evangelical and Reformed Church.

Elwood C. Cornog is director of boys' athletics at Summit High School, Summit, N. J. 1923

Mrs. Henry Beck 412 Carlton Ave. Wyncote, Pa.

Ursinus Class of '23 has 44 members, 6 with the title of Reverend, 1 with the degree of D.D., 2 with Ph.D. and 4 with M.D. At least 33 live within about 60 miles of Ursinus. The other 11 are scattered throughout the U.S., even to Oregon and California.

William R. Shaffer, D.D., on February 1, 1955 celebrated his 20th anniversary as pastor of Faith Evangelical and Reformed Church which has 1331 members, the largest congregation in the Philadelphia Synod. He and his wife (Kay Stevenson '24) have three children and three grandchildren.

Rev. Arthur Fretz lives in Wyncote, Pa. where he is superintendent of the Evangelical and Reformed Church Home for the Aged, which is now having a new addition built so that it may house about 65 to 70 guests. Arthur does a great deal of fine solo work in the choir of the Faith Evangelical and Reformed Church, Philadelphia.

Mary E. Gross, in addition to her duties in the English Dept. of West Philadelphia High School, has taken to short story writing (at present for children). Although she could boast of having had some published, she is, as ever, quite modest about her achievements.

Daniel Ludwig, Ph.D. is a Professor of Physiology at Fordham University since 1952 (after assistant, associate, and full professorship in N.Y.U.). He has approximately 40 publications to his credit. The two most recently published are: "The Effect of DDT on the Composition of Larval Blood of the Japanese Beetle", and "Changes in Distribution of Nitrogen in Blood of a Japanese Beetle during Growth and Metamor-phoses". During the last several years, he has received research grants from the office of the Surgeon General in support of his work. He is at present Secretary of the Biology section of the N. Y. Academy of Sciences and also of the section of Insect Physiology and Toxicology of the Entomological Society of America. The Ludwigs have three sons and one grandson.

Rev. Herbert R. Howells has a new address, as follows: 3582 Indian Queen Lane, Philadelphia 29, Pa. He preaches in The Falls of Schuylkill Methodist Church.

Karl and Caroline McBlain Houck were present at our 30th reunion banquet table. Karl is a bone surgeon in Reading, Pa. Their daughter, Mary Grayson, is doing post graduate work in Radcliffe College.

Helen A. Achenbach Snyder is a dormitory counselor in East Carolina College housing 284 girls. She takes a term of summer school every other year. In 1952 she received an M.A. in administration and supervision. Mrs. Snyder has traveled extensively in the United States and abroad.

Verna Kurtz Lambert says that her "life is not topped with big doings"-but of her two children, one is in State Teachers' College and the other is a junior in high school. She hopes to send him to Ursinus unless the Service gets him first.

Claire Lavelle is in Corbett, Oregon,

working in a hospital in Portland and living on a farm (with a couple of other girls), sticking to raising chickens (fryers).

Millicent Z. Xander Loeb, now at 68 N. Bridge Street in Somerville, N. J. has a son Frank, Jr. going to Lawrenceville Academv.

Mrs. Herbert R. Wakefield (Margaret L. Richards) new address, 522 Moreland Ave., Wyndmoor, Phila. 18, Pa. keeps busy with her many activities for the Methodist Orphanage in Philadelphia. She was secretary, but now is chiefly doing publicity work, speaking to many church groups throughout the district on behalf of the Orphanage and its little charges.

Wesley and Linda Hoyer Updike write that "Uppie" besides teaching in the Governor Mifflin High School of Shillington, Pa. since 1934, is on the local church council as well as teaching a Sunday School class. Their son John H. received his B.A. degree magna cum laude from Harvard, and has been awarded a Knox Fellowship to attend Oxford University in England, where he and his wife will live during the coming year. He was also among this year's winners of Bowdoin Prizes, top students literature awards at Harvard.

Mrs. Henry Beck (Erma R. Boyd) has been appointed Class Secretary. All '23'ers please write, phone or visit her at 412 Carlton Ave., Wyncote, Pa. Phone Ogontz 4742. She wants information files about you to exchange with others of the class. She keeps busy in civic and religious activities as well as in A.A.U.W. where Ursinus is exceptionally well represented. Married for almost 31 years, the Becks have two foster children, a son 26 and a daughter 21, both single.

Mrs. S. Russell Prizer writes that her son Donald graduated from the Wharton School, University of Penna. in June 1954. He married Patricia Whitney of Collegeville on December 2, 1954 and is now in the Army Air Force.

1924

Mrs. Samuel T. Roeder 429 Sheridan Ave. Roselle Park, N. J. Dr. Rowland Hall Mulford retired as su-

perintendent of the Bridgeton, N.J. School system in December 1954.

Miss Ruth Kistler 1615 Chew St. Allentown, Pa. 1925

Miss Nettie Boyer was honored for her 20 years service to the Lehigh County Board of Assistance, Allentown, Pa.

Mrs. Richard Schoenly 1219 W. Russell St. Philadelphia 40, Pa. 1926

Mrs. Allen Thomas (M. Amanda Keen) is teaching at the Palmerton Area Joint High School.

Miss Edna S. Harter is teaching Mathematics in the Berwick Senior High School. She received her M.A. degree from New York University in 1938.

### 1928

Mrs. Raymond Hedrick 432 E. Slocum St., Mt. Airy Phila., Penna.

Floyd D. Mulford was installed as president of the Collegeville Fire Co. for his fifth term.

Joel B. Francis, vice-president of the Collegeville Flag and Manufacturing Co., was re-elected president of the Collegeville School Board in December 1954.

Mrs. Richard O. Bonner (M. Charlotte Berger) and her family moved from their home in Allentown, Pa. in November 1954 to Olympia, Washington.

Miss R. Claire Frank was among a group of teachers who were presented awards in recognition of their interest and service to the Pennsylvania School Press Associationan organization dedicated to the training and helping of young people to produce an accredited junior high school newspaper. Miss Frank is now teaching at the Mt. Rose Junior High School, York, Pa.

1929

Mrs. Richard Snyder 730 Mt. Vernon St. Lansdale, Pa.

A quarter of a century ago, our class had just graduated, had just passed through the beginning of the big depression, and we were on our first jobs. Most of us were unmarried, and many had returned to their homes to find work. Now, the Class of 1929 is scattered over fourteen states, including California and Florida. Most are married, with children, and even a few have grandchildren. Some of our children have attended, or are attending Ursinus. (A recent questionnaire sent out to members of the class whose addresses are known brought a few replies in time to beat the deadline for this issue of the Journal. Other information will be published in subsequent issues, and, if there is sufficient interest, an issue of a paper devoted exclusively to news of the Class of 1929 will be sent to members.)

John S. Hartman is selling insurance in Norristown.

Mrs. Henry Alden (Abbie Carter) lives in Warren, Ohio, has two children and one grandchild.

Blanche Fehr is a teacher in Northeast Junior High School in Reading.

Jane Kohler is Chairman of the English Dept. of the new Central Bucks High School in Dovlestown.

Malcolm Barr is preaching in Lebanon. Marjorie Trayes is Dean of Students at the New Jersey College for Women, in New Brunswick.

Mrs. Alva A. Davey (Jane Bowler) lives in Haddonfield, N. J. where her home and club activities keep her quite busy.

Harvey Lyttle, another preacher, is located in West Leesport, Pa. and makes his home in West Reading, Pa. He is the father of three, one of whom graduated from Ur-sinus three years ago. The family also includes one grandchild.

Mrs. Thomas S. Thompson (Elvira Shupert) is, in her words "a plain old housewife," The Thompsons live near Collegeville.

Mrs. Anson M. Hamm (Olive Sargeant) is the mother of two daughters. She teaches mathematics in Bangor High School, Bangor, Pa. where she lives.

Horace E. Godshall lives in Collegeville and works as a sales engineer for G. and W. H. Corson Inc. Lime Manufacturers. One son is now at Ursinus, another at Brown University in the NROTC program.

Mrs. Sherwood Peters (Josephine Riddle)

lives in Pittsburgh. She has an 18 year old son.

Mrs. Joseph J. Voelker (Jeanette Strauss) lives in Havertown, Pa. She teaches homebound children for the Upper Darby School District.

Walter F. Beltz is in the resort hotel business in Schwenksville, Pa. Walter has two daughters.

Richard and Irene (Ackerman) Snyder, the only all-1929 couple, both teach in Lansdale. They are the parents of a 12 year old daughter.

Walter B. Scheirer is teaching music in the public schools of Manchester, N. H. He had recently been teaching music at the University of Connecticut at Storrs.

Mrs. H. Willard Richter (Mary Helen Oberlin), her husband, and their 9-year-old daughter have been living in Alexandria, Va., but soon plan to move to Wilmington, Del

Mary G. Rule is Chairman of the Mathematics Dept. of the Bergenfield, N. J. Junior-Senior High School.

Mrs. Clifton E. Savanson (Pauline Thompson) is making her home in Whittier, Calif. The Swansons are the parents of two children, ages 9 and 13. Pauline writes that she has lived at her present address, 546 S. Michigan Ave., for about a year and would like to know if there are any other '29ers nearby.

#### 1930 Mrs. John K. Henry 5100 Pontiac Rd. Drexel Hill, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. Wilmer F. Burns (Alice Frances Hodges) writes that their daughter Patricia is enrolled at Ursinus and is a member of the class of '56.

Edgar H. Schnure reports that his family is now composed of five. The Schnures have two boys, 12 and 10 years, and a daughter 3.

Rev. William Henry Denny has been minister of the Church of the Covenent (Presbyterian Congregational) at Berkeley and Neubury Streets in Boston since 1941.

Van Davies in boson site 1941. Van Davies is teaching Mathematics at Newton, N. J. He is also Director of Sus-sex County Adult School.

Harold F. Martin, Turbotville, Pa., writes that he is a director in the Bureau of Education, Dept. of Public Instruction, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

John W. Riordan, is living in Bayside, N.Y. where he is a district supervisor of the New York Telephone Company.

Thomas B. Weidensaul, Reedsville, Pa., is an industrial engineer with the American Viscose Corporation.

# 1931

Stanley Omwake, Chambersburg, Pa., is employed by the Grenoble Hotels, Inc. as Manager, Hospital Management Division.

Albert S. Thompson, Oradell, N. J., is Professor of Psychology, Dept. of Guidance, Columbia University.

The Rev. John Henry Sando was installed as pastor of the First E. and R. Church, Spring City, Pa. on October 10, 1954. Offi-ciating Ministers at the service were Dr. John Lentz '02, Dr. Franklin I. Sheeder '22, The Rev. John B. Frantz.

Mrs. Charles Mattern 19 College Ave., Trapj Collegeville, Penna. 1932 Trappe

Mr. Stewart R. Baker is teaching at North Carolina State College. Last summer he completed a nine thousand mile tour of our west coast and Canada.

Mrs. Robert R. Strine (Carolyn Everingham) of King of Prussia has been appointed Volun-Valley Forge District Chairman of teer Services of the American Red Cross. Mrs. Strine has participated in various Red Cross activities including the Bloodmobile visitations. The Red Feather Community Chest campaigns also have enlisted her support.

Mrs. Richard Anderson 1933 Delaware Road Chesapeake City, Md.

Mrs. Carl W. Brubaker (Coreta Nagle) is teaching Social Studies and English in the Tabor City High School, Tabor City, North Carolina.

Mrs. Robert L. Heath (Alice L. Smith) is a teacher of English and Spanish in the Alfred I. DuPont Junior and Senior High School in the Duval County School System, Jacksonville, Florida.

Dr. Clair E. Hubert is associate Professor of Psychology in the College of Business Administration, University of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Eveline Omwake is director of the nursery school at the Yale-Child Study Center.

Mrs. Sidney Hampson 43 Meade Ave., Broad Axe Ambler, Penna.

William A. O'Donnell, Jr. was elected a director of the National Bank of Pottstown, Pa.

Mrs. Joseph Large Doylestown, R. D. 2. 1935 Penna.

1934

Rev. Charles G. Link writes that he is pastor of the Columbia E. and R. Church in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Fred B. Schiele, Norristown, Pa. is teach-ing in the Norristown School District.

Mr. R. Blair (Mike) Hunter writes that his business as a General Contractor in Pottstown is good. He has two children, one boy and one girl.

Mrs. Lachman Rinehart 16 Pinetree Way Belmar, N. J. 1936

William M. Leeborn is chief of surgery at the Community Hospital Clinic, Elk City, Oklahoma. He was elected to the College of Surgeons last year.

Mr. Elmer Gaumer 5010 Smedley St. Phila. 41, Penna. 1937

Marlin B. Brandt, Norristown, Pa., is supervising principal of the East Norriton School District.

J. Clayton Worster is living in Abington, Pa. and is employed by the Welsbach Corporation as corporate secretary.

Rev. Harry F. Fenstermacher is a Navy Chaplain at the Naval Training Center, Bainbridge, Md.

Howard A. Michener was appointed Supervising Principal of the Spring Garden Township School District, York, Pa.

H. King Heiges who has been in Germany for over five years, has recently moved his family to Frankfurt from Wiesbaden. His headquarters as Regional Superintendent of Schools for American Dependents is also in Frankfurt. In January he will fly to the U.S. on a two month mission of recruiting teachers for the next school year. In June Mr. Heiges expects to return his family to the U. S.

E. Eugene Shelley was appointed Chair-man of the County Division for the Ameri-

can Red Cross campaign in York County. Last fall Mr. Shelley headed the Professional Division in the York Community Chest Campaign.

Alexander E. Lipkin is a partner in the Pottsville, Pa. firm of Houck, Bohorad, Krencewicz and Lipkin.

Miss Doris Snellinger was chosen "Secretary of the Year" at a meeting of the White Rose Chapter, National Secretaries' Association, York, Pa. Miss Snellinger, who is employed by the Penna. Railroad, is a past president of the White Rose Chapter and immediate past state secretary.

#### 1938 Mrs. Frank Reynolds 68 Maple Ave. Littletown, Penna.

Dr. Charles C. Wallick, Hampton, Conn., former Chaplain and assistant professor of Religion at Ursinus, has taken over duties as executive secretary at the University of Cincinnati YMCA. Dr. Wallick is married to the former Nancy Jane Cole, M.D. H. Stanley Weikel, Quakertown, Pa., is

H. Stanley Weikel, Quakertown, Pa., is teaching in the Hellertown Lower Saucon Joint School District.

Paul S. Craigie writes that he and his wife have become the Resident Managing Couple of High Point Inn, Mt. Pocono, Pa. Paul has also assumed the duties of Sales Manager, Pocono Mountain Resorts, Inc. of which High Point Inn is a member hotel. A warm welcome awaits Ursinus Students and Alumni at High Point Inn.

Dr. Arthur T. Martin, who is on special assignment for Hercules Powder Co. of Wilmington, Del. at their Argonne National Laboratory, Chicago, Ill., has been promoted to the rank of senior research chemist.

1939

E. Jane Poling 7245 W. 48th St. Wheat Ridge, Colorado

Mabel B. Ditter and J. William Ditter, Jr., '43, announce the moving of their law office to the Gazette Building Ambler, Pa.

Norman Fuerman opened his auto supply store in Quakertown, Pa. the week of December 1st.

#### 1940 Mrs. Robert H. Landis Mount Alverna Rd. R. D. 2, Media, Pa.

Mr. Andrew F. Harris returned to the Philadelphia area as Assistant Branch Manager for the Philadelphia Branch of the General Fireproofing Company.

Harold Chern is working with the Howe Scale Company, Hartford, Conn. Mrs. Robert Ricketts (Lorraine Seibert)

Mrs. Robert Ricketts (Lorraine Seibert) went to Yokohama, Japan, in May 1954 to join her husband. They expect to be there for two years. The Ricketts have two children. Karen age 11 and Robbie 6 years.

Their address is N.A.S. 3835, Box 11, F.P.O. San Francisco, Calif.

Kathryn Snyder Dittler is living in Walnut Creek, Calif. Her husband, Harry, a Lieutenant in the Marine Corps, is working in the field of Nuclear Physics at the University of Calif.

After graduating from Yale University Divinity School, *Robert C. Yoh* taught in the public schools of North Troy and Chester, Vermont. He also served as pastor of churches there. Recently he became Professor of Literature and Religion at Southern Union College, Wadley, Ala. where he will also serve as College Chaplain.

1941 Mrs. Albert W. Foster 405 Park View Drive Wynnewood, Pa.

Dr. E. Curtis Leuallen is employed by the Fellow Mayo Clinic where he has completed three years training in Internal Medicine. He is married and has two children, ages twenty one months and five months.

John F. Rauhauser, Jr., of York, Pa. has been named to the post of assistant international Y's Men's new member counselor by the international committee of the Y's Men's Club of the YMCA. In his new position Attorney Rauhauser will correspond with new member counselors of Y's Men's Clubs all over the world regarding programs of the various clubs in assimilating new members into the YMCA's program.

Nathaniel R. Johnson, Jr., writes us that he is special agent in charge of the Oklahoma office of the FBI in Oklahoma City. He was married to Maybelle Larson, November 10, 1944. They have two sons, Michael age 8 and Stephen 5 years.

Dorothy Ehmann Downing has been working as the Director of Girls' Physical Education in the Yorktown Heights, N. Y. School District. Dorothy was married to W. George Downing December 2, 1950. They have two children, Geo-Anne and Billy.

1942 Miss Charlotte Witmer 178 Main Street, Trappe Collegeville, Penna.

Dr. John F. Cornely is a practicing Obstetrician and Gynecologist in association with Dr. F. H. Cooley in Aberdeen, S. D.

N. J. Biscotte V.M.D. now has a newly built Veterinary Hospital in Fincastle, Va.

#### 1943 Mrs. Frank Wood 118 Webster Ave. Wyncote, Penna.

Lester S. Verdelli is a graduate student at Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa. Mrs. Charles P. Barnard (Isabel Down-

Mrs. Charles P. Barnard (Isabel Downing) is living in Berwyn, Pa. and is employed by the Girard Trust Corn Exchange Bank.

Dr. and Mrs. Leon L. North (Peggy Brunner '45), now have a family of four children, David, Barbara, Carol, and James. Leon is employed by the Devereux Schools in Devon and has a private practice in psychiatry.

Warren E. Hewitt writes that he is working in the office of the Legal Advisor, Dept. of State, Virginia.

Maurice N. Heckman is teaching at the Chatham High School, Chatham, N. J.

Edwin M. McCausland, Jr., Wantugh, N. Y., is Assistant Principal at the Northside Grade School, Levittown, N. Y. Ed married Gladys Williams May 19, 1945. They have two children, Patricia Ann and Robert Stanley.

#### 1945 Mrs. James Baird 7 Wollaston Rd. Wilmington 3, Del.

Dr. Regina M. Fitti announces the opening of an office for the care of infants and children at 79 Rittenhouse Place, Ardmore, Pa.

R. T. Schellhase is taking his graduate work at Edinburgh, Scotland. He plans to spend the summer traveling and will return to the U. S. after September 10th.

1946 Mrs. Frank Pierce 1308 Harding Ave. Palmyra, Pa.

Robert Geist is planning a spring meeting of the Lehigh Valley Alumni group. All members living in that area should be hearing from Bob and his committee soon.

Mrs. Philip W. Urban (Dustine Brooks) is living in Trenton, N. J. since June 1954 when she returned from Cuba. She had been living there for three years. The Urbans have three children.

#### 1947 Mrs. C. D. Willis 8 Pilgrim Rd. Plymouth Meeting, Pa.

Dr. Jean Caton Johnston is practicing medicine in the Medical Arts Building, Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Rath Moore Sanders writes that she is a business office supervisor with the New York Telephone Co. Ruth has a 2 year old son.

Dr. William V. Garner is now living at 822 Douglass Ave., Ames, Iowa. Bill has just completed a long program of education. He received an M.A. degree in Zoology from Boston University in 1948 and an M.S. degree in Entomology from Penna. State University in 1949. On September 11, 1954 Bill received his Ph.D. from the University of California at Berkeley in Entomology. He is now Assistant Professor of Zoology-Entomology at Iowa State College. In 1950 he married a Californian. He now has two children, John, three and a half, and Nina, one and a half.

Joseph G. Newlin is Dean of the Junior Year Boys at Scarsdale High School, N. Y. Joe received his M.A. degree from Lehigh University in 1953.

William T. Parsons has been appointed to the Borough Council of Schwenksville, Pa. He will serve three years of an unexpired term. Mr. Parsons has been a resident of Schwenksville since 1950.

Dr. Andrew H. Souerwine has been promoted to Assistant Professor of Psychology at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

Dr. Souerwine is an Associate of the American Psychological Association, secretary-treasurer of the Conn. Valley Association of Psychologists, and chairman of the membership committee of the Eastern Psychological Association, and a member of the Society for the Psychological study of Social Issues and the Conn. State Psychological Society.

1948 Mrs. John C. Richards Dublin, Pa.

Millard S. Leute M.D., just opened his office for the general practice of medicine.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Deen (Doris Meck, ex '48) are living in Mount Bethel, Pa. Herb is employed by the Caloric Appliance Corp. The Deen's have one child, Candace, born May 18, 1953.

J. W. Miksch is practicing dentistry at 106 E. Main St., Lititz, Pa.

Dr. Drew E. Courtney, is completing his first year of general practice in Myerstown, Pa. The Courtneys have three children; Drew, four, Michael, two and a half, and Barbara Lynn, four months. Henry Pfeiffer is employed by the Stevens-

Henry Pfeiffer is employed by the Stevens-Nelson Paper Corp., N.Y.C. Hank is Assistant Treasurer of the Company and probably by publication date of the Journal will be moved up to treasurer.

Mrs. John Waldo (Elaine Lloyd) is living in Berkeley, Calif. where her husband did his Master of Arts work in history and is now an instructor in American History. Elaine is substituting in the local schools. They have a son, Kurt Albert, born in March 1953.

Randolph A. Warden announces the opening of his law office at 325 Swede St., Norristown, Pa. His evening office remains in the Hower Building, Oreland, Pa. Mrs. John C. Richards (Mary Flad)

Mrs. John C. Richards (Mary Flad) writes that she and her two year old daughter, Janet Marie, would be very pleased to have any Ursinusites stop to see them in

ried have Stan Dublin, four miles north of Doylestown, Pa. on Rt. 313. Dr. Richards is engaged in the general practice of medicine there.

Edith Hess Ashenfelter sends her best wishes. The Ashenfelters have two children, Christine Lyn, 3 years, and Robert Dean, 9 months.

Marjorie Kirkpatrick Allen lives in Plymouth Valley, Pa. On December 26, 1954, she was greeted by her fourth daughter, Amy Suzanne. Amy's other sisters are Bonnie, 5; Gai 3; and Jeanie 18 months.

#### Mrs. Seth Bakes 2B-1, Redfield Village Metuchen, N. J. 1949

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Chad Alger, Princeton, N. J., is presently working on his Ph.D. at Princeton University. He received his M.A. from Johns Hopkins. Chad is with the Navy Dept. as an Intelligence Analyst.

Earl J. Helmbreck is Director of Health and Physical Education for the Fairfax County School System. E. J. is studying for his Ph.D. degree at the University of Virginia. The Helmbrecks have two daughters.

Peter Tenewitz is teaching mathematics and coaching football at the South Orange-Maplewood, N. J. school. Pete has two boys, one four years and one two years old. The Tenewitzs have just purchased a home in Livingston, N.

Dr. Robert M. Zweig has just set up practice in Riverside, Calif. Dr. and Mrs. Zweig have three children.

Rev. Richard H. Whitney is pastor of St. Paul's E. and R. Church in Boston, New York.

Arthur Stein recently purchased a paper box manufacturing business in Pittsfield, Mass. and moved there from Philadelphia. He was married to Sylvia Siegel September 3, 1950. They have one daughter, Maxine Julie, born May 25, 1953.

Forrest E. Sovring writes to the editor that he is a stockbroker with Hornblower and Weeks, Philadelphia, Pa. and would enjoy talking with any Ursinus Alumni interested in investing.

#### Mrs. Robert MacMurray 80-2 N. 64th St. Philadelphia 31, Pa. 1950

John L. Bower is the owner of a tavern in Glassboro, N. J.

Guilliam Clamer is living in Lansdale, Pa. and is employed by E. J. Brooks Co. as a real estate and insurance salesman.

Richard G. Gradwohl is an accounting executive in the Foreign Dept. of Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Beane.

John J. Sciarra is employed as chief of mathematical processes by the Kellett Aircraft Corp. in Camden, N. J.

Edward Cornfeld is a senior at Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray Silverstein (Patricia Richardson) are living at Holmes, Pa. Murray completed medical school in June and is serving his internship in the U. S. Navy at the Philadelphia Naval Hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert J. Hekking (Mary Carter, '48) are living at 1703 N. 60th St., Philadelphia 31, Pa. Bob will enter the service in March. He has been engaged in general practice since completion of his internship at Presbyterian Hospital on July 1, 1954.

William G. Forsyth is teaching Health and Physical Education in the Norristown School district. Bill is also coaching football, basketball and baseball.

Dr. Ernest M. Tassoni is interning at

Philadelphia General Hospital until the first of July. He will then go to Temple Hospital for one year of study in pathology.

Mary Ruth Muffley Divas has had 21/2 years of graduate work in Christian Education at Princeton Theological Seminary. Her husband, Armando, is from Guatemala and also a seminary student in his senior year. They expect to go to Guatemala in July as Presbyterian missionaries.

Max Jentsch has recently become associated in business with Jim LaFlam. LaFlam-Jentsch, Inc. is located in Runnemede, N. J. Their services include factory authorized repair work, used cars reconditioned to exacting requirements and of course, the sale of Desoto and Plymouth automobiles.

William Charles Brown received his degree as doctor of medicine from Temple University in June 1954. He is serving his internship at the Mercer Hospital, Trenton, N. J.

Joseph W. Simpson opened a general practice of medicine in Conshohocken, Pa. in association with Dr. Lawrence Limbert.

Harold O. Gross, Jr. is employed as a real estate and insurance broker by Fretz and Fretz, Perkasie, Pa.

Matthias Lukens, Jr. is secretary and salesman of the Lukens Manufacturing Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

Alfred M. Maser is employed by Doubleday and Co., Inc. Hanover, Pa. as an industrial engineer.

Wallace F. Smiley, Norristown, Pa., is a claims representative with Aetna Casualty and Surety Co., Philadelphia Pa.

Louis D. Stefan is an attorney-at-law with Foulke, Knight and Porter, North Wales, Pa

Phillip Stumpf of Pitman, N. J., is employed by the Socony Vacuum Oil Co.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Kuhn (Jeanne McQue '52) are living in Drexel Hill, Pa., while Charles is interning at Bryn Mawr Hospital. They have a son, Curtis, born July 1954.

#### Mrs. Donald Williams Stenton Manor Apts. Apt. 5B Philadelphia 19, Pa. 1951

Manfred E. Drummer, Pennsburg, Pa., is employed as a sales representative with McCormick and Co., distributors of spices and extracts.

Don and Effic Cumpstone (Effic Siegfried) have bought a new home in Cheshire, Conn. Don is an industrial engineer with the New Haven Board and Carton Co.

William U. Helfferich is working for Remington Rand.

Rev. Joseph O. Gross was ordained last June and installed as pastor of St. Andrew's E. and R. Church in South Philadelphia, Pa.

Miss Norma Titus is working in the accounting department of the Catalytic Construction Co. of Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Thomas Devlin (Marjorie Paynter) Mrs. Thomas Devin (Marjone Lag is teaching mathematics at Catonsville Junior High School at Catonsville, Md. Devlins are living in Baltimore while Tom is working for his Ph.D. degree in Biochemistry at Johns Hopkins University.

Mrs. Robert Hockenbury (Jacqueline Jordan) is teaching 3rd grade at Friends Central School, Philadelphia, Pa. The Hockenburys have a new home which keeps them quite busy.

Robert C. Herber writes that his work at the School of Advanced International Studies of The Johns Hopkins University consist of

three fields: public relations, placement, and alumni affairs.

Aubre M. Givler is doing graduate work and instructing at the University of Pennsylvania.

Richard Giles High of New Castle, Del., is a district manager with the Scott Paper Co

John E. Davies has a graduate assistantship at Lehigh and is living in Bethlehem, Pa.

"Whistler" Donahue is now settling down from his world travels and has entered the insurance business. His mailing address is: Connecticut General Life Insurance Co., 11 Commerce St., Newark, N. J.

Joan Farquhar 7807 Ardmore Ave. Phila., Penna. 1952

William H. Beckley attended the Westinghouse Graduate School and is now employed by Westinghouse as a Manufacturing Engineer. Bill is living in Aldan, Pa.

Charles E. Fach, Jr., is with RCA Victor Record Division as Manager of Systems and Procedures, Camden, N. J.

Ernest A. Roemer, Jr., is sales and promotion manager of R. B. Corson Co. Millville, N. J.'s oldest furniture company.

Robert Rosenberger is employed by Pennsylvania Savings and Loan League, Harrisburg, Pa. as a director of field service.

Richard Buckwaller is in his third year of studies at Temple University School of Medicine.

Stanley Gross is happy to report that he was separated from the army in November where he was a sergeant in the Medical Corps.

Mr. John P. Iravin will graduate from Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary this summer.

Mrs. Daniel Vurckio (A. Beatrice Bunn) is now living at 352 Clarke Ave., Staten Island 6, N. Y. She is employed by the N.Y.C. Housing Authority.

William Shakin is a junior at the Osteopathic College for Physicians and Surgeons in Los Angeles, Calif. Bill was married in April 1954.

Shirley MacKinnon is teaching Physical Education and Health and coaching hockey and softball at Phoenixville, Pa.

Adelle Michels Parsons is working in the medical research laboratory at the Army Chemical Center, Edgewood, Md. Her husband is stationed there.

Donald S. Malvern has accepted a position with the Marine Midland Trust Co. of New York in the credit department.

Mykola Saporoschenko was re-appointed as a research assistant in the physics department of the Washington University College of Liberal Arts. Mr. Saporoschenko's appointment became effective in September 1954.

Kenneth Mammel, released from the Army, has returned to Ursinus to do practice teaching.

David Gilbert High, a senior at Temple Ministerial School, has recently been ap-pointed minister at the Wissihickon Methodist Church.

#### Helen Lightfoot 1414 Spruce St. Philadelphia, Pa. 1953

Helen Lightfoot has just consented to take over the duties of permanent class secretary. Helen is living in Philadelphia at 1414 Spruce Street. All members of the class of '53 keep in touch with Helen and she

will forward all news to the Journal.

James F. Scott is doing research on the flow of plastics at the University of Delaware where he is working on his M.S. degree in Mathematics.

Joanne Sherr, Lancaster, Pa., is working at the Lancaster General Hospital as a physical therapist.

Duke E. Stouffer, Tacoma, Wash., is currently a supply sergeant in the U. S. Army.

Kenneth G. Weisel, Perkasie, Pa., is teaching Mathematics in The Boyertown Joint High School.

J. Russell McConnell is teaching American History at Stewart Junior High School in Norristown, Pa.

William E. Lukens has been working for the past year in the Quality Control Laboratory of "Americas Oldest Lime Manufacturer" the G. and H. W. Corson Lime Co., Plymouth Meeting, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Lockhart (Joan Brier, '55) are living in Oreland, Pa. Art is now production supervisor and a company officer of the Gylock Corp., Textile Mill. He will soon transfer to the sales department.

Stanley Berman is enrolled at Hahnemann Medical College.

Genevieve Ann Tiedeken is employed in the General Offices of the Campbell Soup Co. Genevieve was the first member of the class of '53 to become a life member in the Ursinus Alumni Association.

Ursinus Alumni Association. Robert G. Fisher is doing control work for a special analysis group in the Niagara Falls plant of E. I. DuPont Co.

George Back of Collegeville, Pa., is an ensign in the U.S.N.R. and has just returned from a Pacific cruise.

John R. Manning received the degree of Master of Science at the fall convocation of the University of Illinois. He holds a fellowship in Physics and is continuing his work toward the Doctor of Philosophy degree.

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#### Joan M. Higgins 39 W. Broad St. Gibbstown, N. J.

Ewing W. Tibbels, attending Temple Medical School, has become a member of Phi Rho Sigma Fraternity.

Patricia Frey is employed as a buyer of junior dresses, coats and suits by the Bon Ton Department Store in York, Pa.

John J. Gruber of Elkins Park, Pa., is serving in the U. S. Army.

George H. Voegel of Collingswood, N. J., is in the U.S.N.R.

John F. Strickland is working toward his Ph.D. in Psychology at Johns Hopkins University.

Perf. John B. Satterthswaite, U. S. Army, attended school at Ft. Holabird, Md., a Counter Intelligence Center, and is now taking advanced training at a base in New Mexico.



#### Class of 1948 JUPPE-ZIEGLER

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ziegler of New York City announce the engagement of their daughter. Gloria, to *Robert J. Juppé*, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Juppé of Rochelle Park, N. J. Miss Ziegler attended the Pratt Institute in Brooklyn, N. Y. Bob is employed in the public relations of BOAC.

#### NORMAN-THOMPSON

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Thompson of Roper, N. C., announce the engagement of their daughter, Betty, to John R. Norman, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Norman, Norristown, Pa.

Miss Thompson is a graduate of Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va.

John is now a second year student at Philadelphia Divinity School.

#### WEIKEL-EYSENBACH

The engagement of Miss S. Anne Eysenbach to Mr. Derl E. Weikel has been announced. Anne is teaching at the Subbury High School, Sunbury, Pa. Mr. Weikel is a sales representative of the Busser Supply Co., Lewisburg, Pa. A spring wedding is planned.

#### Class of 1950

#### SIMPSON-LAW

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Law of Norristown, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris and Clarence R. Simpson of Plymouth Meeting, Pa. Clarence is employed with the Pennsylvania Turnpike Commission.

#### ANSON-DETAR

Dr. and Mrs. David Dewey Detar, Bechtelsville, announce the engagement of their daughter, Emma Jeanne to *William R. An*son, Norristown, Pa. Bill is employed by Donald Schurr, an engineer in Norristown.

#### Class of 1953

#### JOHNSON-SHOWALTER

Mr. and Mrs. Ellwood W. Showalter of Beechhurst, Long Island, announce the engagement of their daughter, *Gretchen Patricia*, to Robert Ward Johnson of Hampton, Va. Mr. Johnson is a graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute and received his M.S. degree from Penn State. He is employed by the DuPont Co. as a research engineer.

#### COX-RITTENHOUSE

The engagement of Miss Audrey Rittenhouse to Mr. Gerry W. Cox'55, has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rittenhouse of Lansdale. Miss Rittenhouse is health and physical education instructor for girls at the Collegeville-Trappe High School.

#### VAN RIPER-MERSFELDER

The engagement of *Miss Marjorie Mersfelder* to Donald C. Van Riper of Elizabeth, N. J., has been announced. An April wedding is planned.

#### Class of 1954

#### ESHBACH-KYRITSIS

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Lillian Kyritsis '55, Easton, Pa., and Richard Eshbach of Philadelphia, Pa.

#### QUINN-HARRIS

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harris of Hightstown, N. J., announce the engagement of their daughter Barbara '55 to Mr. John E. Quinn of Conshohocken, Pa. John is employed as a chemist with the Sharpe and Doehme Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

#### WESTERHOFF-BARNHART

Mrs. Elizabeth R. Barnhart of Annville, Pa., announces the engagement of her daughter Miss *Alberta L. Barnhart* to Mr. John H. Westerhoff, JII, son of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Westerhoff, Jr., of Carlisle, Pa.

Miss Barnhart is teaching in the Shippensburg Area High School. Mr. Westerhoff will be graduated from Ursinus in June 1955. He is planning to enter Harvard Theological Seminary in the fall of 1955.

#### SWETT-REINIGER

Mr. E. M. Reiniger of Edgemont, announces the engagement of his daughter *Miss Margaret Rose Reiniger to Mr. Robert F. Swett* '53, son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl A. Swett of Madison, N. J. Mr. Swett is serving with the U. S. Army in Korea.

#### DAVIS-WALTON

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Shirley Walton '56, to Mr. Howard L. Davis of Upper Darby, Pa.

#### SHILLINGFORD-PRICE

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Jenepher Price to Mr. Paul Shillingford.



#### Class of 1933 CLARK-EACHUS

Mr. and Mrs. John Eachus '33, announce the marriage of their daughter Kathryn Jane ex '57 to Mr. Albert Theodore Clark ex '56, September 11, 1954, in the Washington Memorial Chapel, Valley Forge, Pa.

The wedding took place on the 20th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Eachus. Included in the wedding party were three Sigma Rho boys and two Shreiner Hall girls: Gerry Cox '55, Dick Baltz '55, John Stoner '55, Diane Arms '57, Roberta Schweiker '57.

#### Class of 1940

#### SIMON-MCMURTRIE

Miss Ellen McMurtrie and Dr. Joseph Simon were married September 13, 1954 in Dubuque, Iowa. They are at home at 201 N. Franklin St., Madison, Wisconsin.

#### Class of 1945

#### KEEN-HAINES

Mr. and Mrs. Frans M. Djorup announce the marriage of their daughter Barbara Djorup Haines to the Reverend R. Hunter Keen on October 9, 1954. The wedding was solemnized at the Roslyn Presbyterian Church, Roslyn, Pa. The Rev. and Mrs. Keen are at home at 136 Earl Lane, Hatboro, Pa.

#### Class of 1948

#### DALEY-ANDERSON

Miss Hilda Anderson and Mr. Courtland T. Daley were married August 28, 1954. Mr. Daley is a graduate of Trinity College.

The Daleys reside at 53-73 Third Ave., Garwood, N. J.

#### Class of 1949

#### HAND-FAUST

The wedding of Miss Catharine Faust to Mr. T. Spencer Hand took place December 26, 1954 in the Falkner Swamp E. and R. Church, Swamp, Pa. Mrs. James Johnson (Mabel Faust '51) served as Matron of Honor. Miss Mary Faust '55 was the bridesmaid. They are residing at 608 Swede St., Norristown, Pa.

#### Class of 1950

#### WHERLEY-FREDERICK

The wedding of Jean Bertolet Frederick, daughter of Mrs. Helen B. Frederick, Spring City, Pa., to Mr. Joseph J. Wherley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph B. Wherley of Table Grove, Illinois, was solemnized December 18, 1954 in the First Evangelical and Reformed Church, Spring City.

Jean is teaching English at Spring City High School, Mr. Wherley is on duty on the U.S.S. Ortilon.

#### Class of 1951

#### WENNER-YODER

Miss Marie Yoder and Nelson J. Wenner were married June 13, 1954. Nelson was graduated from Lancaster Theological Seminary in 1954; ordained May 1954, and installed July 1954 as pastor of Salem E. and R. Church, Altoona, Pa.

GROTEWALD-EHLMAN

Miss Lois V. Ehlman and Mr. Andrews Grotewald were married August 21, 1954.

#### Class of 1952

#### STAHL-BARON

Miss Ellen Carolyn Baron of Sheaton.

Pa., and *Charles J. Stahl* were married November 20, 1954 at the Chapel, U. S. Naval Base, Philadelphia, Pa. Mrs. Stahl is a graduate of the Jefferson School of Nursing 1950. Charles is a third year student at the Jefferson Medical College of Philadelphia. He received his commission as Ensign in the U.S.N.R. on September 9, 1953, and during the past summer was on active duty for training at the U.S. Naval Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### N.ESENBAUM-SLOWETSKY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Slowetsky announce the marriage of their daughter Barbara to *Leonard Nietenbaum*, son of Mr. and Mrs. David W. Niesenbaum, Philadelphia, Pa., on December 19, 1954. Leonard is a medical student at Hahnemann Medical College, Philadelphia, Pa.

#### Class of 1953

#### FREIMUTH-SAPP

Miss Joan M. Sapp and Mr. Erich J. Freimuth '54, were married on October 30, 1954, at St. Joseph's Church, Frackville, Pa.

Joan is a sophomore and Erich a freshman at Temple University School of Medicine.

#### GRAHAM-PRIESTER

Mr. and Mrs. Max V. Priester, Willow Grove, Pa., announce the marriage of their daughter, Jacqueline Ann Priester to Robert Charles Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. David T. Graham of Rydal on August 7, 1954, at the Abington Presbyterian Church. The bride is teaching at the Upper Moreland High School.

#### MRAS-MATTHEWS

Miss Grace Matthews '52, and Mr. Fred Mras were married September 11, 1954, in Easton, Pa. Mrs. Albert Redway (Eleanor Dunn, '52) was a bridesmaid in the wedding party.

The Mras are living in Orange, N. J. Grace is employed as a service representative with the New Jersey Telephone Co., and Fred is working for the Fireman's Insurance Co. of Newark, Newark, N. J.

#### Class of 1954

#### VAN DE PUTTE-WITMER

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Witmer announce the marriage of their daughter, Dorine E. to Mr. Maurice J. Van de Putte on January 8, 1955. Dorine and Mike were married by Dorine's uncle, Rev. H. W. Hoover '09, and Rev. J. Bucher. James Sheen '55, was best man and Jules Yeager '54, was one of the ushers.

#### URSINUS COLLEGE BULLETIN

#### HAGER-HELWEG

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence William Helweg announce the marriage of their daughter Mary Anne to Mr. Earle Vaughan Hager on Friday the 24th of December, at Wynnewood, Pa.

#### WESNER-MELLNIK

Miss Thelma Mellnik and Lt. John A. Wesner were married on June 9, 1954, at West Point Military Academy.

The Wesners are residing in Winter Haven, Florida. Thelma is teaching sixth grade there and Lt. Wesner is training as a pilot with the U. S. Air Force.

#### ABRAMSON-GRABOSKY

Miss Diane Grabosky and Mr. Edward A. Abramson were married September 12, 1954. Ed is doing graduate work in the dept. of physics at the University of Pennsylvania.

#### MAIN-MORGAN

Miss Carol Anne Morgan '55 and Mr. Orrin Main were married at Fort Dix, N. J., on October 27, 1954. Mrs. Donald Rose '55, was matron of honor.

#### Class of 1955

#### KENNEY-SADLER

Miss Suc Sadler, and Mr. Charles Kenney were married November 27, 1954, in the Wellesley Hills Congregational Church, Wellesley, Mass. Lois Crawford ex '55, Ron Fisher '54 and Pete Jespersen '56, were members of the wedding party. Charles is in his first year at Temple Dental School and Sue is a correspondent with the E. I. DuPont Company in Philadelphia, Pa. The Kenney's address is 3318 North 15th St., Philadelphia, Pa.

#### RUTH-SKINNER

Dr. William Skinner and Mrs. Laura G. Skinner announce the marriage of their daughter *Miss Janet Skinner* to Ensign John Donald Ruth, U.S.N., on December 9, 1954, in Trinity Evangelical United Brethren Church, Easton, Pa.

Ens. Ruth, an alumnus of Pennsylvania State University, is stationed at the Fleet Training Center, Newport, R. I.

#### SCHWARTZ-SPEISER

Miss Claire M. Speiser and Mr. Marvin Schwartz were married November 25, 1954, in New York City.



#### Class of 1933

To Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Levin a son, Jon, on June 20, 1954. Jon has four brothers and sisters, Merle 14, Kay 12, Anne 9, and Martin 6. Dr. Levin has been appointed Chief of the Pediatry Staff at the Fairview General Hospital, Norristown, Pa.

#### Class of 1939

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Trout (Harriet C. Adams) a son, Wendy Sayers, on September 8, 1954.

#### Class of 1942

To Mr. and Mrs. John C. Garlock (Gladys Hoagland), a son, John Harper, II, on October 29, 1954, at Los Alamos, New Mexico. The Garlands have two daughters, Jill, age 5 and Judy 2 years. Jack is stationed in Los Alamos with the U.S.A.F. as a weather forecaster.

#### Class of 1943

To Dr. and Mrs. Alan H. Crosby, Natchitoches, La., a son, Lloyd Alan, November 14, 1954. Dr. Crosby is teaching at Northwestern State College, La.

#### Class of 1944

To Rev. and Mrs. H. Newton Hudson, a daughter, Deborah Anne, on October 17, 1954.

#### Class of 1945

To Mr. and Mrs. Donald P. Strang (Elizabeth Ann Orr) a second son, Scott Pattison, on August 18, 1954. Their first son Steven Fraser was born in May 1952.

To Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Detwiler (Eleanor Bauer), a second son, Jonathan Edward, on August 12, 1954. Their first son David is now four years old.

#### Class of 1945

Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Schmalstick (Elinor Paetzold) announce the adoption of a baby boy, Randy Paul, born May 27, 1954, and arrived in the new family, July 9, 1954.

#### Class of 1946

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Leslie (Ruth Titus), a son, Robert E., Jr., in November 1953.

To Rev. and Mrs. K. G. Peterson (Jane E. Shumaker), a daughter, Martha Jane, on September 25, 1954. Martha Jane has two brothers. Rev. Peterson is minister of the Congregation Church in Burton, Ohio.

To Dr. and Mrs. Horace S. Woodland (Mary E. Brendlinger), a daughter, Mary Christine, December 4, 1954. Dr. Woodland has been practicing dentistry in Norristown, Pa., for three years.

#### Class of 1947

To Mr. and Mrs. William J. Watson, Jr., (Elizabeth Forney) a third son, Christopher David, on November 6, 1954.

#### Class of 1948

To Dr. and Mrs. Milton Marion, Pennington, N. J., their third child, Paul Milton, September 22, 1954.

To Mr. and Mrs. Horace H. Lanan, Jr. (Joyce O'Neill), a third son, Keith William, born December 22, 1954.

To Dr. and Mrs. Jerome M. Cotler of Melrose Park, Pa., a daughter, Michele Gail, December 9, 1954.

To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Huber (Eleanor Hoffman), Schenectady, N. Y., a second daughter, Nancy Helen, October 10, 1954.

#### Class of 1949

To Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Powell (Elizabeth A. Herrick), a son, David Andrew, on December 3, 1954. David has a brother Stephen, age 2.

To Mr. and Mrs. Morvin Miller (Joan Kahn), a second daughter, Mauri, on May 2, 1954. Mauri's older sister is Eve. To Dr. and Mrs. Robert Poole (Emily

To Dr. and Mrs. Robert Poole (Emily Anne Smith) of Doylestown, a daughter, Cynthia, November 27, 1954.

#### Class of 1950

To Mr. and Mrs. Wayne L. Hartman, a daughter, born on July 7, 1954. This is the Hartman's fourth child. The first three are boxs.

To Mr. and Mrs. William Baur, Jr. (Joyce Derstine), a son, Mark Carl, on November 24, 1954. Mark has a brother Freddy.

To Lt. j.g. and Mrs. Donald J. Weisel (Marion Matteson '52), a son, Dale Robert, on April 22, 1954.

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# ALUMNI DAY Saturday, June 4, 1955

CHAIRMEN OF REUNION COMMITTEE

## DAVID HARTMAN '40 206 Haws Avenue, Norristown, Pa.

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#### 1925

Mrs. David Stevenson 626 N. Evans Street, Pottstown, Pa.



#### 1930

Dr. Charles Mattern College Avenue, Trappe, Collegeville, Pa.

#### 1935

Mr. Paul Levengood 620 Main Street, Collegeville, Pa.

#### 1945

Mrs. Evan Morrow 439 Hampton Road, Upper Darby, Pa.

#### 1950

Mr. George Saurman R. D. 2, Boyertown, Pa.

Buffet Luncheon	Freeland 12:00 Noon
Class Reunions	Arranged by Reunion Chairmen
Annual Meeting Alumni Association	Bomberger Hall 2:00 P.M.
President's Reception	Library 3:30 P.M.
Dinner and Entertainment	Thompson-Gay Gymnasium 6:30 P.M.