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The Cover . . .

The headquarters and principal meeting place for the 1951 Alumni Reunion May 24-25-26 will be the commodious, colorful Coffman Union, center of many student, faculty, and civic activities, on the Minneapolis campus. Here will be, besides the reunion registration, ticket, and campus tour headquarters, the banquet, reunion luncheons, and the annual business meetings of the MAA and its Board of Directors.

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How It Looks from Here

By EDWIN L. HAISLET '31Ed
Director of Alumni Relations

If You Need an Invitation

THE 1951 Alumni Reunion Celebration, May 24-25-26, marking the University's one-hundredth anniversary, is an event that you don't want to miss.

The program has been planned with only one thought—that of giving you what you want on your return to the campus. The program has a cafeteria of offerings which we hope will appeal to your head, heart, and emotions.

For those of you who still have the thirst for knowledge, four college alumni institutes have been provided. This is something new this year and is especially designed as refresher courses for professional people who want to know about the new developments in their fields and observe how their colleges have kept up. An outstanding program of topics and speakers is yours for the taking.

For alumni who are interested in brick and mortar development—the growth of the physical plant of the University—a great opportunity is presented. The University of Minnesota now has one of the finest physical plants of any university in the country. See the old campus—the new campus—the medical center (one of the four greatest in the world)—and the magnificent new buildings.

For those who are interested in what goes on at the University, this reunion presents a unique opportunity to see the *University in action*. Visit classrooms, laboratories and lectures. Meet the present day student and faculty. Observe student-faculty relationship and judge for yourself the on-going of your great state University.

For those who are sentimental and nostalgic—you'll be amazed at the beauty of the campus, its quiet dignity, its pleasant ways.

For those of you who like drama—witness the Cap and Gown Parade, the Cauldron Ceremony, and the Salute of the Class of 1951 to the honored Golden Anniversary Class of 1901 as the graduating seniors pass in review before the graduates of a half century ago.

If you want most of all to see old friends and renew acquaintanceships, that, too, has been carefully arranged.

Yes, the reunion this year is an occasion that you don't want to miss. Turn to page 4 for a complete description of the three-day reunion celebration. It will be a gala event. We want you there.

If you need an invitation, this is it: **YOU ARE MOST CORDIALLY INVITED.**

Letters

Editor:

I want to tell you how much I enjoyed reading the April issue of "Minnesota, Voice of the Alumni." I think that you and Clarence Anderson* did a wonderful job.

This issue will certainly do a lot to acquaint University of Minnesota alumni with the new branch in Duluth. It should also help UMD alumni realize that they are now a part of the University alumni and that you people have whole-

heartedly accepted them and have a real interest in them.

Again let me compliment you on a fine issue. People around here who have seen it are high in their praise of it. We want more copies of it, but I believe Clarence Anderson has written you in that regard.

C. B. Lindquist
Administrative Assistant
University of Minnesota,
Duluth Branch

* Anderson is director of the Duluth Branch Information Service.

\$4,000 Is Received for Heggen Memorial Library

Gifts totaling more than \$4,000 for the Thomas Heggen Memorial library were received by the University school of Journalism following the recent Minneapolis engagement of Heggen's play, "Mr. Roberts." Major share of the sum represents proceeds from the March 11 performance of the play. The Heggen library was established at the school a year ago with gifts from the family and friends of the late Tom Heggen, a journalism graduate in 1941.

Centennial Reunion

Celebration Will Be Biggest in Alumni History



Ike Armstrong

The Dates: May 24, 25, 26



Wes Fesler



Leroy Matson

PLANS for the 1951 Alumni Reunion May 24-25-26 are going ahead like a jet plane in a big hurry! Marking the University Centennial year, this year's reunion will top any of the institution's history in the variety and interest of the various events - no foolin'.

"FUN-IN-'51-FOR-EVERYONE" will be balanced with a measure of addresses and discussions on current problems of alumni activity, as well as in the professional and business fields in which many of the alumni are engaged.

Reunion highlights will include:

- A new feature, four institutes sponsored by the University Department of Agriculture, School of Dentistry, Division of Library Instruction, and School of Business Administration.
- Participation in Cap and Gown Day.
- Class reunions and luncheons and mixers.

- Entertainment and exhibits in the Reunion Headquarters.
- College of Education centennial banquet.
- Guided Bus tour of Twin Cities campuses.
- Senior class day.
- Student-Alumni-Faculty tea.
- Annual Alumni Banquet.
- Annual Meeting of MAA Board of Directors and Corporation members.

This year's Alumni Banquet will be a bang-up affair. The main speaker will be no less than Wes Fesler, the University's new football coach, whose talks to date have proven him to be a welcome discovery as a speaker of ability and great personal charm.

Leroy R. Matson '22BA; '26LLB, associate justice of the Minnesota state supreme court, will be the toastmaster, and Ike Armstrong, University Director of Athletics, will introduce Fesler.

Recipients of the University's Outstanding Achievement Award, given only to alumni who have gained top positions in their vocational fields, will be announced and receive their medals and citations.

At the annual meeting of the MAA Board of Directors and Corporation Members, announcement will be made of the victors in the annual election of Board members, and board officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

Alumni who attend the 1951 reunion probably will go home in a somewhat exhausted state - but mighty glad they were in the middle of the big celebration.

MINNESOTA

Your 1951 Reunion Program

May 24-25-26

MAY 24—GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY DAY (Cap and Gown Day)

Registration Beginning at 9 A. M.
Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320
Coffman Memorial Union

Cap and Gown Day Parade 10:30 A. M.
Special reserved seats for Class of 1901 on Steps of Northrop Memorial Auditorium

Cap and Gown Day Convocation 11 A. M.
Special seats of honor reserved for Class of 1901, Northrop Memorial Auditorium

Golden Anniversary Class Luncheon 12:30 Noon
Class of 1901. Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union. Dr. William Aurand in charge. Tickets 75c

Old Grads Luncheon 12:30 Noon
For all alumni prior to Class of 1901; sponsored by the Alumnae Club. Mrs. Leo W. Fink, Ch. Room 307-308-309, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets 75c

Special Showing of Campus Slides and Movies 3-5 P. M.
Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320, Coffman Memorial Union

College of Education Centennial Banquet 6:30 P. M.
Presentation of College of Education Outstanding Achievement Awards; Dean Ernest Melby of New York University, main speaker. Main ballroom. Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$2.00

Minnesota—Mid-Century 6:30-7:30 P. M.
Special playback of KUOM series of documentary radio programs on the University's contributions to the state. Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320, Coffman Memorial Union

Senior Class Play 8 P. M.
Scott Hall Auditorium. Tickets \$1.00
Alumni especially invited

MAY 25—ALUMNI DAY

Registration Beginning at 9 A. M.
Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320,
Coffman Memorial Union

Alumni Institutes Morning Program
School of Dentistry, 9 A.M., Museum of Natural History Auditorium
Division of Library Instruction, 10 A.M., Room 5, University Library
Department of Agriculture, 10:15 A.M., Coffey Hall Auditorium, St. Paul campus

Guided Bus Tour 10 A. M.
Minneapolis and St. Paul Campuses. Register for bus tour at Registration Desk, Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320, Coffman Memorial Union

Class Luncheons 12:30 Noon
Class 1906—Room 353, Coffman Memorial Union
Henry C. Mackall, Ch. Tickets \$1.00
Class 1926—Silver Anniversary Luncheon, Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union. J. K. Fesler, Ch. Tickets \$1.25

Special Luncheons 12:30 Noon
Dept. of Agriculture—Dining Hall, St. Paul Campus. Dean Bailey, presiding
School of Dentistry—Room 307-308-309, Coffman Memorial Union. President Morrill, speaker. Tickets \$1.25
School of Business Administration—Ballroom Annex, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$1.00

Alumni Institutes Afternoon Program 2 P. M.
School of Dentistry—Museum of Natural History Auditorium

Division of Library Instruction—Room 5, University Library
Department of Agriculture—Open house, all divisions, St. Paul campus
School of Business Administration—Murphy Hall Auditorium

Student-Alumni-Faculty Tea 3-5 P. M.
Women's Lounge, Coffman Memorial Union
MAA Board of Directors as hosts

Coffee Hour, Department of Agriculture 3:30-4:30 P. M.
Home Economics Fireplace Room, St. Paul Campus

Div. of Library Instruction Tea 4-5:30 P. M.
Men's Lounge, Coffman Memorial Union

Class of 1936 Reunion Mixer 4-6 P. M.
Old English Room, Charlie's Cafe Exceptionale, 701 Fourth Av. S., Minneapolis.
Mrs. Wright Brooks (Gladys Sinclair), Ch.

Class of 1916 Coffee Mixer 5-6 P. M.
Women's Lounge, Coffman Memorial Union
Short business session. Noble K. Jones, Ch.

Pre-Banquet Program 5-6 P. M.
Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320,
Coffman Memorial Union

Annual Alumni Day Banquet 6:30 P. M.
Main Ballroom, Coffman Memorial Union
Roll Call of Classes; Outstanding Achievement Awards; Wes Fesler, new head football coach, main speaker. Tickets \$2.00

MAY 26—ANNUAL ASSOCIATION MEETING DAY

Registration 10 A. M.-12 Noon
Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320,
Coffman Memorial Union

Campus Movies and Slides 10:30-11:30 A. M.
Reunion Headquarters, Room 315-320,
Coffman Memorial Union

Class of 1911 Reunion Luncheon 12 Noon
Junior Ballroom, Coffman Memorial Union
James Gray, speaker; Ben Palmer, Ch.

Annual Meeting of MAA Board of Directors and Corporation Members 12 Noon
Room 305-306, Coffman Memorial Union.
Election of Board officers and executive committee; report of executive secretary on Association work and 1951-52 plans. President Harvey Nelson, presiding. Tickets \$1.25

The Alumni Institutes

THIS year for the first time a special feature of interest to all alumni—the alumni institute—has been added. These institutes are arranged and planned by the different colleges and departments, especially for their former students and alumni, and a cordial invitation is extended to them. Four outstanding institutes have been arranged and their complete programs are as follows:

Department of Agriculture

MORNING PROGRAM, 10:15 A.M., Coffey Hall Auditorium, St. Paul Campus

Greetings—Dean Clyde H. Bailey

Report on the Experiment Station—Dr. Harold Macy

Report on the College of Agriculture, Forestry, Home Economics, and Veterinary Medicine—Dean Henry C. Schmitz

Address—Dr. Oscar B. Jesness

Presentation of Outstanding Achievement Awards—President J. L. Morrill

LUNCHEON, 12:30 Noon, Dining Room—Tickets \$1.25

An interesting program has been arranged.

OPEN HOUSE, 2:00-3:30 P.M.

All divisions of the campus will hold open house for visitors.

COFFEE HOUR, 3:30-4:30 P.M., Home Economics Fireplace Room
Sociability, refreshments

ALUMNI BANQUET, 6:30 P.M., Main Ballroom, Coffman Union
Ike Armstrong and Wes Fesler, speakers. Tickets \$2.00

School of Dentistry

MORNING PROGRAM

9:00 A.M.—Museum of Natural History Auditorium. Lecture and movie—"Simultaneous Root Canal Filling and Apical Curettage"
—James Jensen, D.D.S., M.S.D.

9:45 A.M.—Lecture and movie—"The Present Status of the Acrylic Plastic Restorations that Polymerize at Mouth Temperatures"
—William J. Simon, D.D.S., M.S.D.

10:30 A.M.—Conducted tour through Owre Hall. Many physical changes have been made in the dental building recently, and it is believed the alumni would like to see them. An opportunity will also be provided to observe the students at work.

LUNCHEON, 12:15 Noon—Coffman Memorial Union, 3rd Floor.
Luncheon Speaker—President James Lewis Morrill. Tickets \$1.25

AFTERNOON PROGRAM,

2:00 P.M.—Museum of Natural History Auditorium. Lecture—"Caries Control by Enzyme Inhibitors and Antibodies", W. David McBride, D.D.S.

3:00 P.M.—Lecture—"Control of Rampant Caries by Diet"—Dwight Chernausek, D.D.S., M.S.D.

4:00 P.M.—Lecture—"Function and Equilibration of Occlusal Stresses"—William Branstad, D.D.S.

GENERAL ALUMNI DAY BANQUET, 6:30 P.M. —Main Ballroom
Coffman Memorial Union.
Ike Armstrong and Wes Fesler, speakers. Tickets \$2.00

Division of Library Instruction

MORNING PROGRAM, 10:00 A.M., Room 5, University Library
New Library Materials and Problems of Libraries Dealing with Them

How newspapers and magazines discover and appeal to readers' interests—Charles E. Swanson, Head of Research Division, Journalism Department, University of Minnesota

Making use of radio and television—Madelene S. Long, Consultant on radio, Minneapolis Public Schools

New reference materials to answer new demands—Elizabeth Bond, Head of Reference Department, Minneapolis Public Library

New uses of library materials in schools—Edith Hesser, Librarian, Ramsey Junior High School, Minneapolis

AFTERNOON PROGRAM, 2:00 P.M., Room 5, University Library
New Trends in Library Education and Their Implications for the University of Minnesota

Suggested new standards of the American Library Association Board of Education for Librarianship—E. W. McDiarmid, Director, Division of Library Instruction, University of Minnesota
Training problems and needs at the University of Minnesota—Discussion by Library School faculty and alumni

TEA, 4:00-5:30 P.M., Coffman Union Men's Lounge
Local alumni and Folwell Club as joint hosts to guests and Library School practice work supervisors

GENERAL ALUMNI DAY BANQUET, 6:30 P.M., Main Ballroom, Coffman Union
Ike Armstrong and Wes Fesler, Dinner Speakers. Tickets \$2.00

EVENING PROGRAM, 8:15 P.M., Frank K. Walter lecture, Murphy Hall Auditorium
Arthur Mizener, Carleton College. Author of "Far Side of Paradise"

School of Business Administration

LUNCHEON, 12:30 P.M., Main Ballroom Annex, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$1.00

Address by distinguished alumnus
Conferring of Outstanding Achievement Awards

AFTERNOON PROGRAM, 2:30 P.M., Murphy Hall Auditorium
Address by Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, formerly Chairman of the President's Council of Economic Advisers. Subject: ECONOMIC CONTROLS Panel Discussion 3:30 P.M.

Open House in Vincent Hall and faculty visits 4:30 P.M.

ALUMNI BANQUET, 6:30 P.M. Main Ballroom, Coffman Union
Ike Armstrong and Wes Fesler, speakers. Tickets \$2.00

Speakers at the Institutes



Nourse



Dr. Simon



McDiarmid



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The Class Reunions

“When We Were on the Campus . . .”

THE tradition at the University of Minnesota is that four classes each year hold official class reunion meetings. This year those classes are: the class holding its first reunion—the Class of 1936; the Silver Anniversary Class—the Class of 1926; the class 35 years out of the University—the Class of 1916; and finally, the Golden Anniversary Class—the Class of 1901, celebrating 50 years away from the University.

Always, too, there is the meeting of the Graduate Emeritus Club—those graduates of the University who have been out of the University more than 50

years.

Naturally, a reunion celebration is a time for all classes to return to the campus, to take part in the festivities and program arranged for their enjoyment and to renew old acquaintances and friendships. Some classes meet annually at reunion time and, of course, that is a pattern that all classes are invited to follow.

The Classes of 1906 and 1911 are holding special reunion meetings, celebrating this year in honor of the University Centennial.

The schedule of class reunions is as follows:

- Old Grads—May 24, 12:30 Noon, Rooms 307-308-309, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets 75c
- Class 1901—May 24, 12:30 Noon, Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets 75c
- Class 1906—May 25, 12:30 Noon, Room 353, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$1.00
- Class 1911—May 26, 12:00 Noon, Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$1.25
- Class 1916—May 25, 5:00 P.M. Women's Lounge, Coffman Memorial Union.
- Class 1926—May 25, 12:30 Noon, Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$1.25
- Class 1936—May 25, 4:00-6:00 P.M., Charlie's Cafe Exceptionale, 701 4th Ave. S., Old English Room

Old Grads Luncheon —

This luncheon, sponsored by the Minnesota Alumnae Club, is open to all graduates and former students who have been out of the University more than 50 years. A most interesting program is in store for those who attend. Mrs. Leo W. Fink is in charge. May 24, 12:30 Noon, Rooms 307-308-309,



Mrs. Fink

Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets 75c.

Golden Anniversary Luncheon —

This is the most important anniversary of all. The class committee, composed of Dr. William H. Aurand, chairman; Ross Bates, Josiah Chase, C. P. Bull, and Harry C. Libby, has been working hard to arrange a fine program. All who attend receive their Graduate



Dr. Aurand

Emeritus Certificates. May 24, 12:30 Noon, Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets 75c.

Class of 1906 Luncheon —

This is the forty - five - year celebration of the Class of 1906, especially held in honor of the University Centennial. Henry Mackall is in charge. May 25, 12:30 Noon, Room 353, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$1.00.



Mackall

Class of 1911 Luncheon—

The forty year reunion celebration of the Class of 1911 is especially held in honor of the University Centennial. The committee in charge is Ben Palmer, chairman, Harold Falk, Mabel Gron-dahl, and Mrs. Lorna F. Mittelstadt. James Gray, author of the Centennial history of the University, is to be the main speaker. May 26, 12:00 Noon, Junior Ballroom, Coffman Memorial Union. Luncheon tickets to be paid out of class funds.



Palmer

Class of 1916 Mixer—

The thirty-five-year reunion celebration of the Class of 1916 is held this year. Noble K. Jones, chairman; David Shearer, Mrs. Lucy Potter, Wendell T.



Burns

Burns, and Arthur Hustad are the committee in charge. This class, at its last reunion, raised \$2,500 to be used by the University for loans and scholarships, and the fund is known as the Bernie Bierman Fund in honor of their illustrious class member. Its reunion will be a special Coffee Hour prior to the Alumni Banquet. May 25, 5:00 P. M., Coffee Mixer, Women's Lounge, Coffman Memorial Union.

Reunion Headquarters in Coffman

This is your headquarters while visiting the campus May 24-25-26. This is where you register, get information on the various programs and events, where you make your reservations or pick up your tickets. Everything starts at the Alumni Reunion Headquarters. It's a place to meet your friends, check on your friends, call them. A place to rest—to wait between events. It's a place to see and hear a lot about the University because there will be displays, posters, slides and movies of the University at regularly scheduled times for your convenience.

Where is the headquarters? Room 315-320, Coffman Memorial Union. Remember, check in to headquarters first.

Class of 1926 Luncheon—

This is the Silver Anniversary Reunion of the Class of 1926. The planning committee is composed of the following: John K. Fesler, chairman; Mrs. Ramsey Parker, Justice LeRoy Matson, and F. W. Mortenson. The class committee members are:



Fesler

College of Agriculture—Clifford H. Schrader and Virginia M. Bailey; School of Business—Waldo E. Hardell, H. L. (Bud) Craddick; Science, Literature and the Arts—Jack Connor, Norvy Mulligan, Mrs. Florence Karp Kunian, and Mrs. Arthur B. Anderson (Helen Grant Acker); Education—Betty Erikson Minar, Sara Jane Olin Parsons; Engineering—T. H. Comfort, Gordon Volkenant; Medicine—Dr. Douglas Head, Dr. R. E. Hultkrans; Dentistry—Dr. Myron Lusk; Pharmacy—James W. Keaveny; Law—Margaret Bringold Andrews.

I. D. Fink was named Toastmaster of the luncheon. May 25, 12:30 P. M., Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union. Tickets \$1.25.

One of the duties of the Class of 1925 is to nominate the toastmaster

of the General Alumni Banquet, and Justice Matson was the unanimous choice.

Class of 1936 Mixer—

The "spirit of '36" will be given special flourish at this year's Alumni Day activities as graduates mark the fifteenth anniversary of their own class along with the University's one hundredth birthday.



Mrs. Brooks

A committee headed by Mrs. Wright Brooks (Gladys Sinclair) is at work to round up classmates and boost attendance at the Alumni Banquet in Coffman Memorial Union May 25. The committee appointed Glenn Seidel to arrange an informal gathering at Charlie's Cafe Exceptionale in Minneapolis before the dinner. Festivities there will start about 3:30 P. M. that day. Be on hand when Ike Armstrong and Wes Fesler are both inducted into the Class of 1936 as honorary members.

Committee announcements stress that husbands, wives or sweethearts are welcome at both functions even if they were not for-

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Fesler Will Be Banquet Speaker

MORE than 740 alumni who jammed the Main Ballroom of Coffman Memorial Union last year for the alumni banquet were thrilled with the fast moving program presented then.

This year the same type of program is in store; all the traditional events such as the roll call and the "bell ceremony" will be performed. The seven newly elected members of the MAA Board of Directors will be introduced, and President Morrill will honor members of the Minnesota alumni who have achieved outstanding recognition in their fields, through the presentation of Outstanding Achievement Awards.

Then—for the first time, both our new Athletic Director and our new Football Coach will be officially presented to the alumni. Athletic Director Ike Armstrong will introduce Coach Wes Fesler who will tell us his philosophy of athletics and football.

Justice Leroy Matson of the Minnesota state Supreme Court, will act as master of ceremonies. It will be a real treat—one that you don't want to miss. Get your reservation in early! May 25, 6:30 P.M. —Coffman Memorial Union—Tickets \$2.00.

College of Education Will Have Banquet on May 24

The College of Education expects to have 400 of its alumni at its Centennial Reunion Banquet May 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the main ballroom of Coffman Memorial Union. Dr. Ernest Melby, dean of the College of Education of New York University and a Minnesota alumnus and former faculty member, will speak. Outstanding Achievement Awards will be presented to a group of the education alumni.

Parking Made Easier at Reunion

Here's What to do About
Parking for the Reunion:

Generally speaking, parking facilities are definitely limited during the day; however, limited reservations have been made in all three garages—Coffman Union, Center for Continuation Study, and Northrop Auditorium. The same applies to all parking lots but especially those back of Coffman Union, in front of Comstock Hall and Parking Lot 2 at Fourth St. & Nineteenth Av. S. E.

There is no parking problem for late afternoon and evening programs.

For Events at Coffman Memorial Union:

UNION GARAGE—A maximum of 30 reservations during the

day on a strictly "first come" basis. Be sure to drive in, even if *reserved* or *full* sign is up, to inquire about space. If they can't take care of you, they probably will be able to refer you to another garage.

PARKING LOTS 4 AND 5—directly behind Coffman Memorial Union and in front of Comstock.

For Events at Museum of Natural History Auditorium:

Use Center for Continuation Study Garage or Northrop Auditorium Garage—Reservations for day use limited and on a "first come" basis. Be sure to drive in even if *reserved* or *full* sign is up, to inquire about space.

Or Use Parking Lot 2—at Fourth St. & Nineteenth Av. S. E. You should find ample space for parking in this lot.

SIGN UP FOR ALUMNI CELEBRATION

(Clip and mail to Alumni Office NOW.)

I am planning to attend the 1951 Alumni Reunion Celebration. Please make the following reservations for me:

MAY 24

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Cap and Gown Day Parade | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Showing Campus Slides & Movies |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cap and Gown Day Convocation | <input type="checkbox"/> College of Education Centennial Celebration (\$2.00) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Golden Anniversary Luncheon (75c) | <input type="checkbox"/> Minnesota Mid-Century |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Old Grad Luncheon (75c) | <input type="checkbox"/> Senior Class Play (\$1.00) |

MAY 25

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Division of Library Instruction Alumni Institute | <input type="checkbox"/> School of Dentistry Luncheon (\$1.25) |
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Signed

Address

Reunion Will Have Good Speakers

Who They Are _____

MAY 24

Dr. William S. Cooper, professor of botany (retiring) U. of Minn.
 Cap and Gown Day Convocation speaker 11 A. M., Northrop Memorial Auditorium
 Dr. Ernest Melby, dean, College of Education, New York University
 College of Education Centennial Banquet 6:30 P. M., Main Ballroom, Coffman Union

MAY 25

ALUMNI INSTITUTES:

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE—10:15-12:15 Noon, Coffey Hall Auditorium, St. Paul campus

Dr. Clyde H. Bailey, dean and director, Dept. of Agriculture, U. of Minn.

Dr. Harold Macy, director and professor, Agricultural Experiment Station, U. of Minn.

Dr. Henry C. Schmitz, dean, College of Agriculture, Forestry, Home Economics, and Forestry, U. of Minn.

Dr. Oscar B. Jesness, professor and chief, Agricultural Economics, U. of Minn.

DIVISION OF LIBRARY INSTRUCTION—Room 5, University Library

Morning Session, 10 A. M.

Charles E. Swanson, head of Research Division, Journalism Department, U. of Minn.

Madeline S. Long, consultant on radio, Minneapolis Public Schools

Elizabeth Bond, head of Reference Department, Minneapolis Public Library

Edith Hesser, librarian, Ramsey Junior High School, St. Paul

Afternoon Session, 2 P. M.

Dr. E. W. McDiarmid, librarian and director of library instruction, U. of Minn.

Evening Session, 8:15 P. M. Murphy Hall Auditorium

Arthur Mizener, Carleton College. Author of "Far Side of Paradise". Delivering the 1951 Frank K. Walter Lecture.

SCHOOL OF DENTISTRY—Museum of Natural History Auditorium

James Jensen, D.D.S., M.S.D. 9:00 A.M.

William J. Simon, D.D.S., M.S.D. 9:45 A.M.

President James Lewis Morrill, luncheon speaker 12:30 Noon
 Rooms 307-308-309 Coffman Memorial Union

W. David McBride, D.D.S. 2:00 P.M.

Dwight Chernausek, D.D.S., M.S.D. 3:00 P.M.

William Branstad, D.D.S. 4:00 P.M.

SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION 2:30 P.M.
 Murphy Hall Auditorium

Dr. Edwin G. Nourse, formerly chairman of President Truman's Council of Economic Advisers.
 Subject: "Economic Controls".

ALUMNI DAY BANQUET 6:30 P. M., Main Ballroom, Coffman Memorial Union

IKE ARMSTRONG—Director Athletics, University of Minnesota

Wes Fesler—Head Football Coach, University of Minnesota

Justice LeRoy Matson, Minnesota Supreme Court, Master of Ceremonies

MAY 26

James Gray, author of the University Centennial History Class of 1916 Reunion Luncheon
 12:00 Noon, Room 337, Coffman Memorial Union

HAVE YOU VOTED?

(See ballot on opposite page)

Have you voted in the MAA's 1951 election?

If you have not, you should!

The MAA directors are the people who decide the basic policies and program of the Association. Election to the Board of Directors of the Minnesota Alumni Association is an honor and brings responsibility.

Since the first publication of the official ballot in last month's issue, more alumni already have voted in the 1951 election than in any previous year.

If you don't know about the candidates, you can learn their qualifications from their biographical sketches in last month's issue. It's a small, but important task to vote. **DO IT NOW!**

MAA Board Members Will Elect Officers May 26

It will be held Saturday noon, May 26, in Rooms 305-306 of Coffman Memorial Union.

At this meeting the seven newly elected Board members will assume their places on the MAA Board and the Board will elect its own officers and executive committee members for 1951-52. The annual report of the executive secretary on the affairs of the Association and plans for the new year will be heard.

All members of the Association are cordially invited. Luncheon tickets are \$1.25—by reservation only.

Your Last Chance to Vote

Official MAA Ballot

The accompanying list of 14 candidates is hereby certified as correct. Each association member will vote for seven directors to serve for a three-year term.

Signed:

Victor Christgau
Mary Eberhardt
Edwin M. Grime

Ben Palmer
Louis M. Schaller, Ch.
Nominating Committee

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Place an X opposite each person that you vote for. Do not vote for more than seven or ballot will not be counted.

2. Sign ballot with full name and initial and *print* same as ALL ballots will be checked against official membership list and it is important that your name is legible.

3. Nominations may also be made by petition from not less than twenty-five members of the Association filed in writing with the Executive Secretary of the Corporation not later than Friday, April 6. In case of nomination by petition the ballot will contain after the name of each person so nominated the statement "Nominated by Petition."

4. Clip ballot and send to Executive Secretary, The Minnesota Alumni Association, 205 Coffman Memorial Union, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis 14, Minnesota. No ballot will be accepted on any other form.

For assured secrecy in submitting ballots, the mailing envelopes may be marked "Ballot" or enclosed within the mailing envelope in a separate envelope so marked. All envelopes so labeled will be opened only by the election tellers.

5. Ballot must be in the office of the Executive Secretary by Monday, May 21, in order to be counted.

CLIP AND MAIL

NOW 

MAY-JUNE, 1951

OFFICIAL BALLOT

Seven to be elected for a three-year term

MRS. C. DARRAGH ALDRICH '00BA - (Clara C. Thomas), Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>
ELMER G. APMANN '34Ed - Waukesha, Wis.	<input type="checkbox"/>
MRS. WRIGHT BROOKS '36BA - (Gladys Sinclair), Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>
THEODORE FRITSCHÉ '31MD - New Ulm, Minn.	<input type="checkbox"/>
FRANKLIN D. GRAY '25BA - St. Louis Park, Minn.	<input type="checkbox"/>
LOUIS GROSS '25LLB - Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>
LAWRENCE E. JOHNSON '29IT * - Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>
LEONARD A. JOHNSON '47ALA; '50BA - Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>
STANLEY LUNDGREN '34DDS - Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>
JAMES C. OTIS, JR., '37LLB - St. Paul	<input type="checkbox"/>
GLENN E. SEIDEL '36MechE - Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>
MRS. HAROLD STEMSRUD '35Ed - (Connie Cryslér), Alexandria, Minn.	<input type="checkbox"/>
ROBERT UTNE '36BSL - St. Paul	<input type="checkbox"/>
WELLS J. WRIGHT '36BSL&LLB * - Minneapolis	<input type="checkbox"/>

* Incumbent

I certify that I am a member of the Minnesota Alumni Association and entitled to vote.

Signature _____

Address _____

Print Name _____

Graduation year or years attended _____

Alumni Frosh Scholars — How Good Are They?

They Are Great People with a Will to Go Places

WHAT sort of young people are benefitting by the Alumni Freshman Scholarship program at Minnesota, now in its third year? What use are they making of the educational opportunity provided through the generous gifts of alumni and others to the alumni sponsored Greater University Fund? What do they think of the University?

To tell the alumni about this year's 40 Alumni Freshman scholars, all from the state of Minnesota, here are capsule interviews with five who are typical of the group. Talking to these young people was an inspiring experience.

Richard M. Barker of Cambridge

Dick, a civil engineering student, said he wants eventually to be an engineering consultant. Without his \$250 freshman scholarship it would have been impossible for him to go to a university or college, at least until his older brother, Blaine, a junior at Minnesota, completes his course. Dick had a winter quarter honor point rating of 2.59. Valedictorian of his graduating class and student council president in high school, he is now president of the Freshman Council. He longed to go to Minnesota and declined a scholarship at another Minnesota college to accept the Alumni Freshman scholarship. He's glad of his choice.

Patricia Schutz of Robbinsdale

Patricia, who achieved a 2.21 scholastic rating in the winter quarter and whose father is dead and whose mother is employed, said she "had put out of her mind" her hope to go to college until her high school counselor advised her to apply for an Alumni Freshman scholarship. "I like the University even though I have to study harder than ever before" she said. "University teachers are friendly and

helpful. I did baby sitting during high school and I do it now to help pay my way." She was secretary of her high school senior class and a Girls' Club hostess.

Charles Fisher of Duluth

"Receiving an Alumni Freshman scholarship helped me greatly in my decision to go to Minnesota," said Charles, who washes dishes in a student co-op rooming house to help pay expenses. With a 2.5 fall quarter scholastic rating, he said the Minneapolis campus "is a friendly



Fisher

place for those who seek friends." He is on the very successful freshman debate squad and a member of the SLA curriculum committee. In high school, Charles, who has overcome a serious physical handicap, won third place in the state United Nations essay contest and tenth in the national competition.

Phyllis LuBatty of Cannon Falls

Six-foot tall Phyllis LuBatty ranked third scholastically in her high school graduating class at Cannon Falls where she was vice president of the St. Ansgar's Lutheran Church League, a Sunday school teacher and a member and librarian of the choir. "Minnesota is wonderful for student life," said Phyllis, who passed up two other scholarships to come to Minnesota. An SLA student, she wants to be a child placement or psychiatric social worker. She's in the University Chorus and on the council of the Lutheran Students' Association. She pays some of her expenses by being a clerk and receptionist in the Student Health Service.



Holders of Alumni Freshman Scholarships share in the fellowship of beautiful Coffman Union as a part of their student life. Visiting in the main lounge were: Left to right, Patricia Schutz, Richard M. Barker, Phyllis LuBatty, and Irma Martinson.

Irma B. Martinson of Thief River Falls

Typing 20 hours a week in the University Summer Session office helps out on expenses for Irma, who also finds time to play the French horn in the varsity and girls' auxiliary bands, and participate in activities of the Tennis Club and the Women's Athletic Association. Also she achieved 2.37 and 2.55 scholastic ratings for her first two quarters at the University. Majoring in chemistry, Irma said: "I want to learn to be a research chemist on foods. Had it not been for my freshman scholarship, I would have had to work at least a year before I could have started to school." In high school she was associate editor of the school newspaper and secretary-treasurer of the Girls' Athletic Association.

Edward W. Wehler of Blue Earth

Typical of a problem today facing all male students is Edward, whose qualifications made him an excellent choice for an Alumni Freshman scholarship. He was not available for an interview because he left his studies to serve in the United States Navy. The MAA hopes he may complete his studies after he has concluded his patriotic service to all of us.

312 Ask 1951-52 Scholarships

THE University Scholarship Committee had 312 applications for Alumni Freshman Scholarships for consideration as it began in April the final selection of approximately 40 candidates to receive the 1951-52 awards.

This was a 63 per cent increase over the 197 applications of last year—a strong indication of the growing public interest in the Alumni Freshman Scholarships.

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This is the third year the scholarships have been offered. They are financed by gifts to the alumni sponsored Greater University Fund. So far the scholarships are offered only to students living in Minnesota.

First Test in March

The 312 applications were screened in March by scholarship committees in each of the MAA's 22 districts in Minnesota. The committees then submitted to the University Scholarship Committee the students' records, together with committee recommendations. Each district committee included five alumni and two school executives.

The University Bureau of Student Loans and Scholarships, which aided the MAA in distribution to the high schools of application forms and explanatory materials, tabulated the district committee findings for the University Scholarship Committee.

Procedure Evaluated

This was the second year that district committees participated in selection of the students. At the conclusion of their work and upon MAA invitation, the committees evaluated the district program for obtaining and screening applicants. Praising the committees' service in cooperation with the high schools, in screening the candidates, and in evaluating the program, Ed Haislet, MAA executive secretary, said several of their recommendations will be adopted for improvement in future years.

University Scholarship Committee is Unchanged

This year's University Scholarship Committee, which now is selecting the approximately 40 Minnesota high school seniors who will receive Alumni Freshman Scholarships for 1951-52, has the same personnel as last year. The members are:

Representing the MAA—*Morris Bye* '40MA, superintendent of the Anoka, Minn., public schools, who was chairman last year; *T. J. Berning* '27Ed; '32MA, assistant Minnesota state commissioner of education; and *Clifford C. Sommer* '32BusA.

Representing the University—*Edmund G. Williamson* '31PhD, dean of students; *Horace T. Morse* '28BA; '30MA; '39PhD, dean of General College; and *Robert E. Summers*, dean of admissions and records; together with two Minnesota school executives, *Ralph W. Bergstrom* '40MA, of Hutchinson, and *James K. Michie* '36MA, Hibbing.

George B. Risty '40MA, director of the University Bureau of Student Loans and Scholarships, is committee secretary.

Class of 1936

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tunate enough to be members of the class of '36.

Members of the committee and colleges they represent are:

SLA—Mrs. Brooks and Angelo Cohn; Education—Vernal "Babe" LeVoir; Law—John F. Finn, Jr., John V. Sigford, Maurice E. Scroggins, Jr., and Howard Mithun; General College—Margaret Berglund Berdahl and William L. Maxson; Medical—Dr. David A. Burlingame and Dr. Phil C. Roy; Dentistry—Dr. Richard F. Messing and Dr. Wright B. Page; Pharmacy—Lawrence B. Rosenthal and Harold James Walsh; Agriculture—Sarah Gold Malkerson, wife of Les Malkerson, the newest University regent, and Carla Meacham Wilkens; Nursing—Lulyan V. Glasrud and Eileen G. Kuss; Business—Vance Jewson and Helen Jacobson Rosholt.

NEW LIFE MEMBER

Carl C. Hanke, Jr., '50CivE, of Chicago, now serving on the U.S.S. Richard B. Anderson (DD-786), c/o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Campus Life Is Described to High School Students, Parents

THE Minnesota Alumni Association's newest service project—local community meetings to inform high school students and their parents in Minnesota about the University—went into action in the latter part of April.

Alumni clubs sponsor the meetings in their communities, with MAA assistance on arrangements. Assemblies were scheduled for this spring at Marshall, April 19; Alexandria, April 23; Wadena, April 24; Coleraine, April 27; and Fergus Falls, May 1.

University Described

Speakers for the meetings are members of the faculty and counseling staff of the University. They outline the University's educational program and admission requirements and describe campus life. The speakers are making a special point of answering questions from students, parents, and the high school faculties. Parents of present University students also were invited to take part in the meetings.

At Marshall, the scheduled speakers at a meeting for students and the Parent-Teacher Association were Dr. Cornelia Williams, General College counselor, and William C. Stevens, coordinator of faculty counseling. Students and parents from surrounding communities were invited. The general meeting was followed by a session for students planning to attend the University, and their parents.

Dr. Ralph F. Berdie, director of student counseling, and Keith McFarland, assistant to the dean of the College of Agriculture, were the scheduled speakers for the meetings at Alexandria, planned similarly to those at Marshall.

At Wadena, Dr. Berdie and McFarland were to address the high school students in the afternoon and speak at a meeting of the Wadena alumni club to which stu-

dents planning on going to Minnesota were invited.

Williamson at Coleraine

Dr. Edmund G. Williamson, dean of students, was to address high school students in the afternoon at Coleraine and speak in the evening to high school students intending to go to Minnesota, as well as interested junior college students.

Speakers scheduled for Fergus Falls were Dr. Marcia Edwards, assistant dean of the College of Education, and Dr. Wilbur L. Layton, assistant director of the Student Counseling Bureau. They were to talk to high school students in the afternoon and at an evening meeting of the Fergus Falls alumni club to which interested students and their parents were invited.

CLEVELAND MEETING

The Minnesota Alumni Club of Cleveland (Ohio) has scheduled a meeting for May 3. Alumni interested in attending should contact *John J. Craig* '16MinE, the club president, care of Arthur G. McKee & Co., 2300 Chester Av., for details.

Chicago President



George L. Faber 1916-17, Chicago manager of King Midas Flour Mills, is the 1951 president of the Minnesota Alumni Club of Chicago. He was elected Feb. 12.

St. Louis Club Grows; Elects New Officers

At a meeting April 6 the Minnesota Alumni Club of St. Louis (Mo.) moved toward an active program of support for the University and increased fellowship for alumni in St. Louis. The club elected officers and, following a talk by Ed. Haislet, University Director of Alumni Relations, named a committee to plan the club's 1951-52 activity.

Officers elected were *Norris M. Johnson* '22Ag, president; *Fred E. Ringham* '18BA, vice president; and *Mabel E. Boss* '21Ed; '25MS, secretary-treasurer. Johnson appointed to the planning committee *H. Clifford Auble* '32UC, chairman; *Dawes How Potter* '42BA; and the Rev. *Edwin T. Dahlberg* '14BA.

Among those in attendance were:

Mrs. Norris M. Johnson (Esther M. Kroog) '22; *Potter, Ruth Lind Potter* '42, *Auble, Mr. Dahlberg, Walter G. Fredell* '41, *Mrs. Fredell* (Helen Wilcox) '34; *Ringham, Dr. N. L. Mistachkin* '31, *Mrs. Mistachkin, Marion A. Murphy* '32, *Jean M. Denher* '49, *William A. Gerber* '30, '35; *Dr. B. L. Neubeuser, Joan I. Matchette* '49.

L. J. Sverdrup '21, *Mrs. Helen Sverdrup* '23, *Bruce J. Melin* '44, '48; *Marie E. Shaver* '30, *F. S. Egilsrud, Howard O. Nordquist, Roland L. Schmidt, Hugh Sosanen* 1914-18, *Mabel E. Boss* '21, '25, *Johnson, Mrs. Ann B. Stadler* '22, *Hjordes B. Johnson* '40, *Elizabeth Strange* '27, and *Robert E. Black* '48.

Los Angeles Club Hears Potter

At its April Luncheon meeting the Gopher Club of Southern California (Los Angeles) heard a talk by *Merle Potter* '16BA. Potter, who was drama critic on the former Minneapolis Journal, is now on the staff of the Valley Times of North Hollywood, and a columnist for the Minneapolis News.

Deutsch Speaks at Rochester

Dr. Harold C. Deutsch, professor of history, was the scheduled speaker at the spring meeting of the Minnesota Alumni Club of Rochester (Minn.) April 19. His topic was "The United States and the World Crisis".

Books Worth Reading

HERE are a few interesting books, chosen not necessarily because we think they are the best, but because you might enjoy reading them. Frankly, we should like to encourage and stimulate an increased interest in current books among our alumni. This page is experimental. Would you like such a feature regularly? Won't you let us know?

Errett McDiarmid

Librarian, University of Minnesota

The World So Wide by SINCLAIR LEWIS; Random House, \$3.00.

The Political Career of Floyd B. Olson by GEORGE MAYER; University of Minnesota Press, \$5.00.

The Far Side of Paradise by ARTHUR MIZEER; Houghton-Mifflin, \$4.00.

Sculpture In Wood by JOHN ROOD; University of Minnesota Press, \$5.00.

World Enough and Time by ROBERT PENN WARREN; Random House, \$3.50

About Sinclair Lewis

"It will be some years, I suspect, before the affect of Sinclair Lewis on the United States is sorted out and evaluated. Much remains to be written about him; cults of his readers will emerge, vanish, and reappear; all manner of literary analysis will be applied to his books. A good many biographers will try to take his measure.

"What the biographers will make of Lewis's final year in Europe, when he was roaming about, accompanied by only a Cook's employee who became his secretary, chauffeur, nurse, and interpreter—where the biographers will turn for the content of this period is hard to say. I have a feeling that an article by Perry Miller, in the April ATLANTIC, will stand as one of the very best sources of Lewisiana for the year 1950."

CHARLES W. MORTON writing in *The Atlantic Bulletin*, Vol. 187, Number 4, 1951.

The Political Career of Floyd B. Olson

"It tells a great human interest story and brings into focus the dynamics of politics in that turbulent period of the 1930's. The author has demonstrated a keen insight into the personality and character of Floyd B. Olson. This book is more than just a record of history. It is a thrilling story of a leading political figure in American government.

Hubert H. Humphrey, United States senator from Minnesota.

The Far Side of Paradise

"When Scott Fitzgerald died on December 21, 1940, not a single book of his was in print. . . . In the past 10 years one of the biggest literary reversals of modern times has taken place. Today all Fitzgerald's novels except *The Beautiful and Damned* are easily avail-

able (*Gatsby* has been reprinted six times), and, for those who don't read, Hollywood, radio, and television are doing their part. There has naturally been a considerable body of concomitant critical prose and an amorphous spawning of personal legend. Now Arthur Mizener's biography of Fitzgerald, *The Far Side of Paradise*, comes to establish brilliantly and fully the details of that life and personality."

CHARLES WEIR, JR. writing in *The Virginia Quarterly Review*, Spring '51.

Sculpture in Wood

For the seventh time a University of Minnesota Press book has been chosen by the American Institute of Graphic Arts as one of the "Fifty Books of the Year."

Sculpture in Wood was written by John Rood, associate professor of art at the University of Minnesota, and designed by Jane McCarthy, production manager of the University of Minnesota Press.

World Enough and Time

In three novels, including a Pulitzer Prize winner, Robert Penn Warren has become one of the soundest and most entertaining of our novelists. His latest, *World Enough and Time* is the fictional account of a romantic tragedy in Kentucky in the early 1820's. Mr. Warren is on leave this year from the English Department of the University of Minnesota.

University Press Published 24 Books in 1950

For the fourth successive year, American university presses issued more books in 1950 than in any previous year. Among all publishers issuing five or more books, there were 34 university presses and they published a total of 748. The University of Minnesota Press published 24 books in 1950.

With the Colors News of ALUMNI IN THE ARMED SERVICES

Officer Candidate



S/Sgt. Clay R. Moore, '50BA, of Minneapolis, was selected at the Air Force Air University, Maxwell Base, Ala., to enter the Officer Candidate School at Lackland A. F. Base, Texas, in April. At the University he was on the swimming team. He enlisted in the Air Force last August.

'48 Graduate Promoted; Given Advanced Training

As a member of the Twenty-second Bomb Group, Lt. Russell C. Hempel 48BusA, flew 29 combat missions over Korea from July to October, 1950. Upon his return to the ZI he was selected to attend the Air Force triple rated school, consisting of 42 weeks of navigation, radar, and radar bombing training at Ellington AFB, Houston, Texas, and Mather AFB, Sacramento, Calif. On Feb. 15 he was promoted to captain. He is presently assigned to the 3606th Navigation Training Squadron, Ellington AFB.

Military News Notes

'23

Col. R. M. Douglass '23Ag, is now on leave from his position as associate professor in the University Agricultural Extension Division for active duty with the Forty-seventh Division, Artillery, stationed at Camp Rucker, Ala.

'39

Lt. Col. Jay Lichter '39AeroE, commands the Antilles Area Air Force Command. He is stationed at San Juan Puerto Rico.

'41

Recent word from Donald L. Heimes '41EE, of Minneapolis, was that he was leaving his employment as an industrial salesman for the Texas Co. to go on duty with the One Hundred Thirty-second Aircraft Warning Squadron, Minnesota National Guard. The unit was scheduled to be federalized May 1.

'41

When the Forty-seventh National Guard Division left Minnesota for Camp Rucker, Ala., Al Woodruff '41BA, courthouse reporter for the Minneapolis Star, departed with it, holding the rank of first sergeant. The Hennepin County Board of Commissioners adopted a resolution commending Al for a "very honest and sincere job". As a fellow reporter with Al on the former Minneapolis Times, the MINNESOTA editor adds: The best of luck, Al.

'45

First Lt. Richard R. Irvine 1945, is attending the Transportation school at Transportation Center, Fort Eustis, Va. He holds World War II medals for combat duty in the Asiatic-Pacific theatre.

'47

First Lt. Henry Gerald Kolsrud '47DDS, of Minnewaukan, N. D., is a dental officer with the 325th medical group at McChord Air Force Base, Washington. He is married and the father of two sons.

'47

Murray Gansberg '47DDS, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is with the U. S. Army in the Far East Command. Address: First Lt. Murray Gansberg 01916832, Hq. & Hq. Co., 519th M.P.Bn., A.P.O. 301, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

'49

Inducted into the U. S. Army last September, Lyle L. Hansen '49CivE, is now a mathematics and surveying instructor at Ft. Belvoir, Va. Previously he was a planning engineer for the Minnesota State Highway Dept. Address: (US 55034809)—Hq. Co., First School Bn., TECR, Ft. Belvoir.

Maj. Stanley E. Jacobs '49MA, is in the Adjutant General's Office in Washington, D. C.

Paul E. Jorgenson '49EE, was called to active duty in the Navy last August and was last reported located at the ET staff building, 310 Great Lakes Training Station.

'50

Sgt. James R. Rognas '50BA, (27353094) is with the Headquarters Battery of the One Hundred Seventy-fifth Field Artillery Battalion in the Forty-seventh Division, stationed at Camp Rucker, Ala.

Receiving an Air Force reserve commission through the Air ROTC when he graduated in March, 1950, Second Lt. Robert W. Beucus '50BA, was called to active duty four months later, going to the Philippines in July and to Japan in September. He is now adjutant of the Headquarters Squadron at the Far East Air Forces headquarters in Tokyo. He wrote the MAA office he enjoys receiving MINNESOTA, Voice of the Alumni, with its news of the University and alumni activities. Address: APO 925, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.

David B. Ballou '50MechE, of Minneapolis, was called to duty as a first lieutenant pilot in the 109th Fighter Squadron, USAF, at Holman Field, St. Paul.

Edward T. LaRoe '50MS, was reported at U. S. Naval Postgraduate School, Mahwah, N. J.

Archie T. Balbotten '50BusA, of Waseca, Minn., is a first lieutenant in the Eighty-ninth Engineer Port Construction Co., at Fort Warden, Wash.

Charles W. Hulburt '50EE, is with the Tank Co., Twenty-third Infantry Regiment. APO 248, c/o P. M., San Francisco.

Alf K. Stratte '50Phm, is a medical sergeant with the 135th Infantry Regiment, Forty-seventh Division, at Camp Rucker, Ala.

MINNESOTA



"It's all very simple," says Cadet Master Sgt. Bill Pearce of the University Air ROTC, left, as he uses a mockup to explain the operation of an aircraft radial engine to Cadet Technical Sgt. Tom Mulcahy. Tom's expression indicates he doubts the simplicity part. The engine is of the type used in T-6 trainer planes. Pearce is from Faribault, Minn. Mulcahy lives in Minneapolis.



An airplane's far-sighted eye, its radar, is shown by Maj. Walter H. Grierson, U. S. Air Force, to Cadet Capt. Edward H. Johnson of Eau Claire, Wis. Mounted in the nose of the plane, the spool cylinder on the shaft is the receiving antenna. Outgoing impulses come through the dot-like spot on the front of the receiving antenna.

Major Grierson heads the Air ROTC faculty at Minnesota.

Air ROTC Has Stiff Training Program

EVEN in the first two years of the four-year training program of the University Air ROTC the cadets study such solid subjects as geopolitics, military psychology, military management, history of military organization, aerodynamics, aircraft engines, weather, air navigation, and application of the airplane as a weapon.

In the second two years, the cadets train for a definite specialty, as communications, logistics, or administration.

A bill introduced in Congress would provide needed funds by which training could be given at Minnesota in flight operations, supplemental pilot training and pilot training. Major W. H. Grierson, U.

S. Air Force, professor of air science and tactics at the University, reported.

He also expressed the hope technical background training may be given to prepare students for specialized Air Force service in the fields for which their general University courses are preparing them.

The University Air ROTC has 600 students on the Twin Cities campuses and 250 on the Duluth campus. Fifty cadets are in their fourth year on the Twin Cities campuses, with 15 of them scheduled to receive Air Force reserve commissions at the June commencement. Two students with superior records, Charles L. Hunt, SLA senior of St. Paul, and James

P. Lindberg, Jr., IT senior of Santa Maria, Calif., have been selected to receive commissions in the regular Air Force.

Students who sign for the Air ROTC advanced course (second two years) are obligated to accept commissions in the Air Force Reserve and serve two years of active duty if needed. Cadet uniforms are supplied the first two years of training, and officers' uniforms and subsistence allowances the second two years.

Air military training was begun at Minnesota in 1947 as a part of the Army ROTC program. In 1949 the Air ROTC was established as a part of the U. S. Air Force.

They Planned Greek Week — —



These lively looking young people are the Minnesota students who planned the 1951 Greek Week to take place the week of May 7.

Left to right: front row, Rex Nelson, Delta Kappa Epsilon, of Rochester; Peggy Paterson, Pi Beta Phi, Minneapolis; Bill Patty, Phi Gamma Delta, Minneapolis, and Kit Thiele, Alpha Omicron Pi, Madison, co-chairmen; Edwin O. Siggelkow, Student Activities Bureau fraternity adviser; and Bob Wentworth, Kappa Sigma, Rochester.

Back row: Mike Bolen, Chi Psi, Minneapolis; Don Rogers, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Hopkins; Frances DeLaurier, Zeta Tau Alpha, Canby; Bill Solverson, Delta Upsilon, Minneapolis; Jeanne Behonek, Alpha Omicron Pi, Minneapolis; Marshall Oreck, Phi Epsilon Pi, Duluth; Rachel Hill, Alpha Phi, Minneapolis; Burt Cohen, Sigma Alpha Mu, Minneapolis; Elizabeth Hall, Sigma Kappa, Hopkins; Bill Peel, Phi Gamma Delta, Dassel; Barbara King, Kappa Kappa Gamma, Minneapolis; Chuck Lewis, Delta Tau Delta, White Bear Lake; Adele Bryan, Gamma Phi Beta, Menominee, Wis.; Maurice Nelson, Phi Delta Theta, Brainerd; Zuane Napier, Pi Beta Phi, St. Paul; Tom Lowe, Chi Psi, St. Paul; and Julie Bosshardt, Delta Delta Delta, St. Paul.

Events will include a banquet with Harold E. Stassen '27BA;'29LLB, University of Pennsylvania president, as speaker; panel discussions, dinners, a songfest, picnic, and interfraternity ball.

Seniors Will Be in Spotlight May 21-26

There's a jam packed program in store for this year's seniors during Senior Week, May 21-26—the solemnity and jubilation of Cap and Gown Day, the thrill of recognition ceremonies, the fun of the senior class play, high social flavor of the Senior Prom.

The class play, *Romney and Juliet*, to be presented in Scott Hall three evenings, was written by SLA senior Phil Gelb of St. Paul, and is a musical comedy.

The week's events are:

Monday, May 21, fraternity, sorority, and dormitory recognition programs. May 22, All-University Congress Recognition Day ban-

quet; Senior picnic; class play. May 23, Ag Recognition Day; School of Business Administration Recognition Day; class play. May 24, Cap and Gown Day, parade and convocation; AWS luncheon; Mortar Board luncheon; class play. May 25, Alumni-student-faculty coffee hour. May 26, Senior prom at Hotel Radisson.

Kappa Sigma Chapter Marks Golden Anniversary Year

The Beta Mu chapter of Kappa Sigma fraternity at the U. of M. celebrated its fiftieth anniversary April 6 with luncheon and initiation ceremonies at the chapter house, followed by a conducted tour of the campus and a half-century dinner in the evening.

New Daily Editor



Robert Brunsell, SLA junior majoring in journalism, was chosen 1951-52 editor of the *Minnesota Daily* from a field of seven by the University board of publications. Brunsell is a member of Phi Delta Theta, academic fraternity; and Phoenix, junior men's honorary society.

She Will Model at Student Style Show



Blythe Tarrion of St. Paul, senior in home economics education, as she will be seen at the Home Economics Day style show May 5 at the St. Paul Campus. Besides the showing of garments made by students, there will be a luncheon, exhibits, and a tea at 4 p.m. The event is sponsored by the Students Home Economics Association. Luncheon reservations are to be made with Marjorie Chambers, Colvia House, 1512 Raymond Av., St. Paul.

MAY-JUNE, 1951

Minneapolis Campus

U History Department Honors F. M. Anderson

The University, through its History Department, paid tribute April 20 to *Frank Maloy Anderson* '94BA; '96MA, for his professional accomplishments and service to his alma mater. At a dinner and reception in the Campus Club, the History Department presented him with a scroll recounting his contributions in the field of history.

Professor Anderson was a member of the Minnesota history faculty from 1893 to 1915 and was on the Dartmouth College faculty in succeeding years. He is the author of a book, "The Authorship of the Diary of a Public Man", a study of the authorship of a diary of Civil War days. *Mrs. Anderson* (Mary Maude Case) '95BL, accompanied her husband from their home in Washington, D. C., for the presentation.

Ford Gives Library

Dr. Guy Stanton Ford, sixth president of the University and now secretary of the American Historical Society, has presented to the University Library his private library of approximately 1,200 volumes, mainly in the field of history but including items in political science and economics. The collection, considered by E. W. McDiarmid, University librarian, to be a "significant contribution to the library resources of the University", will be placed in the History Department in Ford Hall, new social sciences building named in honor of Dr. Ford.

Library Training Sought

The U. of M. library—in cooperation with the Bureau of Institutional Research and the All-University Congress—has circulated a questionnaire, designed to help de-

termine the library needs of undergraduates.

Eighty-one per cent of the respondents to the questionnaire indicated a desire to get more instructions on how to use the library. Most of the 2,300 students agreed that library service was good in supplying reserved books for assigned reading.

The reason most frequently cited for inadequate service was "insufficient number of copies of assigned materials."

Religious Suit Refused

The U. S. Department of Justice, through C. U. Landrum its district attorney in St. Paul, has declined the request of *Frank C. Hughes* '03MechE, to bring criminal action against the University to drive religious organizations off the campus. Hughes asked an injunction to prevent use of University facilities by religious groups. Still contending he believes the University is acting unconstitutionally in permitting religious groups to hold services or meet on University campuses, Hughes indicated a civil action would be started. Landrum said the authority of the Department of Justice did not extend to bringing a criminal action on the grounds proposed by Hughes.

UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR CONTINUATION STUDY

MAY

3-5—Industrial Nursing.

7-11—Oral Surgery.

Electrocardiography, for general physicians.

14—Minnesota Multiphasic Personality Inventory, for general physicians.

14-17—Funeral Directors and Apprentices.

17-19—Surgery, for general physicians.

18—Junior Red Cross as a Teaching Resource.

21-23—Role of the Extra-Curriculum in General Education.

24-26—Cardiovascular Diseases, for general physicians.

28-30—Counselors of State Nurses' Associations.

JUNE

4-5—Insurance.

4-8—Cooperative Management.

4-15—Mental Hygiene, for school of nursing directors.

Duluth Campus

Feline Thespian



George, the Thespian, and coach

Meet George, feline of distinction on the University Duluth campus, shown studying, with the help of Sybil Wainstock, his role in the forthcoming UMD Theater production of the play, *I Remember Mama*, which requires a cat.

Since he took up residence in the UMD Main building a year ago, George has become a fixture there. In fact, when he assumes his post in the main corridor, he moves neither for student traffic, fondling children, or even stray dogs.

Since he has no front teeth, George usually sticks his tongue out, emphasizing his devil-may-care attitude.

Art at Duluth

Max Weber, called the "dean of American moderns," will be a featured exhibitor and instructor at the University Duluth branch, this year. Dr. John E. King, UMD provost, has announced an exhibit of 77 paintings by the Great Neck, L. I., N. Y., painter from May 2 to May 25 in the Tweed Gallery. Weber will conduct a workshop in art during the second term of the

UMD summer session, July 30 to August 31.

Civil Defense Training

Dr. Howard G. Hanson, assistant professor and head of the physics department, University of Minnesota, Duluth Branch, is volunteer instructor of a 36-member class being conducted under the Duluth civil defense program. Dr. James A. Richards, Jr., assistant professor of science, aids the presentation. Dr. Hanson's class is comprised of six six-man teams whose assigned task under a possible atomic bomb attack would be to search out dangerously radioactive areas left by the atomic explosion.

St. Paul Campus

Home Ec Grads Surveyed

Only one of three of the University's home economics education graduates of six years ago are still teaching, according to a survey by the School of Home Economics among 181 of that class. One third of those teaching had married. Almost half the alumnae are full-time homemakers.

Library Funds Sought

At a meeting of the St. Paul campus Library Building Committee it was agreed that every effort will be made to obtain additional funds sufficient to assure construction of the proposed library building on that campus. The decision followed the opening of bids which were found to be substantially higher than estimated. The bids were so high they did not permit the letting of the contract for the funds available.

SHORT COURSES

May 4-5—Political Science Group
 May 9-11—Beekeepers Short Course
 May 14-16—Vocational Agriculture Short Course and Minnesota Future Farmers State Convention
 June 1—Dairy Day

Faculty Notes

Prof. Walter H. Heller and Assoc. Prof. E. A. Nightingale '33BusA; '36MA; '44PhD, members of the School of Business Administration faculty served during the winter quarter as part-time federal consultants, Professor Heller with the Treasury Department, Professor Nightingale with the Transportation Division of the Department of Defense.

Dr. Roger F. Anderson '38BS; '41MS; '45PhD, of Athens, Ga., former entomology instructor at the University of Minnesota, has been appointed associate professor of forest entomology at Duke University. Dr. Anderson will teach graduate classes and counsel students in preparing their theses for graduate degrees in forestry. He is an authority on insect control.

At its annual convention in the Curtis hotel, Minneapolis, the Minnesota Farm Managers association elected *George A. Pond* '18BS; '21MS, president. A professor of agricultural economics at the University, Pond has been secretary-treasurer of the farm group for 20 years.

When the Minnesota State Dental association held its annual convention in Minneapolis, *Charles E. Rudolph* '11DDS, former University faculty member, was given the honorary title of Minnesota Dentist of the Year.

The Superintendent of the University School of Agriculture, *Prof. John O. Christianson* '28BA, has been re-elected president of the board of trustees of the American Swedish Institute.

Two psychiatrists have been named to part-time posts in the expansion of medical services for Minnesota's mental health program. They are *Dr. Gordon R. Kamman* '20BS; '23MD, appointed deputy commissioner of mental health, and *Dr. Lawrence R. Gowan* '23MD; '25MS, supervisor of consultative services.

University Faculty in 1890



When this photo of the University faculty was taken in 1890, students and faculty made up a small family circle in comparison with the present-day student enrollment and staff. But the 1890 faculty did include men and women who were famous over a long period of Minnesota history. The picture will be in the University's Centennial history, *The University of Minnesota, 1851-1951*, by James Gray, to be published June 6.

Shown, left to right, are: Front row—Matilda J. C.

Wilkin, William Watts Folwell, the University's first president, 1869-84, and professor of political science and librarian until 1907; W. S. Hough, John G. Moore, Cyrus Northrop, the University's second president, 1884-1911, Christopher W. Hall, Henry P. Judson, John F. Downey, and George E. MacLean; second row—Henry T. Ardley, Maria Sanford, Charles F. Sidener, Frederick S. Jones, John H. Barr, William R. Hoag, O. J. Breda, John S. Clark, Henry F. Nachtrieb, and James A. Dodge; back row—William A. Pike, Albert I. Jones, and Charles W. Benton.

SLA Buildings Dedicated

Two new major structures on the Minneapolis campus—Ford Hall, social sciences building, and Johnston Hall, classroom building—have been formally added to the University facilities. They were dedicated as a part of two Centennial educational conferences April 19-21, sponsored by the College of Science, Literature, and the Arts. One conference was on the social studies, the other considered the individual and liberal education.

The scheduled speakers for the joint conferences and dedications included Dr. Guy Stanton Ford, former dean of the graduate school and former president of the University, for whom Ford Hall was named. Johnston Hall was named for the late John B. Johnston, former SLA dean.

ROTC to Mark Centennial

Army, navy, and air ROTC units on the Twin Cities campuses will mark the University Centennial with various events the week of May 13, which includes national Armed Forces day, May 19.

Probably the most spectacular activity will be a parade and review by the combined units, numbering more than 2,000 cadets, May 17 in Memorial Stadium. The annual inspection of the Army ROTC unit will be conducted then. On that day, also, Maj. Gen. R. C. Lindsey, USAF, deputy director of the joint staff for strategic plans, Office of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, will speak at a military convocation in Northrop Auditorium.

The various units plan to have open houses and exhibits during the week, and their annual cadet dances May 19.

Student Tour Entertained

Forty-three students of the University who visited Washington, D. C., and New York city March 24-April 1, had, on their return to the University, high praise for the hospitality of the University alumni clubs in those cities. The seminar tour was sponsored by the University YMCA as a University Centennial project to give the students a first-hand view of the federal government and the United Nations.

About 50 members of the Washington club were hosts to the student group March 27 for a social evening in the Washington YWCA. The New York city club entertained the group with a supper dance March 30 at the Longchamps Forty-second St. restaurant. About 40 alumni were present.



A half-century span of University of Minnesota athletics was represented in the group which welcomed Wes Fesler, new Gopher grid coach, in his visit to Virginia, Minn., in March.

Shown, left to right, are: Dr. M. L. Strathern of Gilbert, Minn., football star for four years starting in 1901; Judge Edward Freeman, Virginia, winner of a baseball 'M' in 1899; John A. Hill, Jr., Virginia, captain of the 1950-51 swimming team; Jack Zupetz, Mountain Iron, Minn., football player in 1947-48-49; Coach Fesler, and John Schuknecht, Eveleth, Minn.; gridiron backfield ace in 1905-06-07.

Fesler addressed a dinner given in his honor by the Minnesota Alumni Club of Virginia. Other speakers were Chet Roan, assistant to Ike Armstrong, University Director of Athletics; and Ed Haislet, Director of Alumni Relations.

Gophers Break Even on Spring Tour

AFTER being rained out of the first two games with the U of Texas, Minnesota's diamond team wound up its spring training tour with a .500 per cent average. The Gophers split even with Texas A & M losing the first game 0-2 and winning the second 1-0. They then lost both tilts to Baylor University by the scores 3-7 and 1-13 and in the final game of the tour defeated the Oklahoma Sooners 20- and 6-5.



McGonagle

"The team is a little better than expected" were the words of Coach Dick Siebert as he arrived back in the Twin Cities from his long trip. "These kids are easy to handle and have more spirit than any club I have ever coached."

Spectators were most impressed by the performance of pitcher Ken McGonagle who hurled a 1-0 shut-out against Texas A & M and an eight-inning 5-5 tie against Oklahoma. The Gophers finally won this game after 10 innings. Siebert has been concerned for some time over the lack of a pitching staff as only Lloyd Lundeen of last year's mound crew returned for this year's squad.

Chet Bosacker suffered two broken bones in the Baylor encounter and was to be sidelined for a few weeks.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Wins All-U Tourney

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity copped the All-University winter basketball tournament with an impressive 54-33 win over the Amigo student co-op club. This victory was the first basketball championship for the fraternity in many years.

SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

BASEBALL

- MAY**
 4-5 Northwestern (away)
 7 Carleton (home)
 8 St. Thomas (home)
 11-12 Iowa (home)
 14 Augsburg (Nicollet Park, night)
 18-19 Illinois (away)
 23 Carleton (away)
 25-26 Michigan State (home)

TENNIS

- MAY**
 5 Carleton (home)
 12 Iowa (away)
 18 Wisconsin (away)
 19 Northwestern (away)
 24-25-26 Big Ten Conference Meet (at Northwestern)

TRACK

- MAY**
 5 Dakota Relays (at Aberdeen, S. D.)
 12 Iowa (home)
 19 Northwestern (away)
 25-26 Big Ten Conference meet (at Northwestern)

JUNE

- 2 Northwest Open Meet (home)
 9 Central Collegiate (at Milwaukee)
 15-16 NCAA Meet (Seattle)
 23 Pacific Coast Dual Meet (place not set)

GOLF

- MAY**
 7 Iowa (home)
 8 Carleton (away)
 10 St. Thomas (home)
 14 Notre Dame (home)
 19 Wisconsin (home)
 24 Northwestern (away)
 25-26 Big Ten Conference Meet (at Northwestern)

Gopher Pucksters to Meet Yale Team in Two Games

Coach Doc Romnes returned from the Boston coaches' meeting with an announcement that the Minnesota Gophers will play Yale in a two game hockey match in Minneapolis next Christmas time as a part of next year's hockey schedule.



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Summer Session Will Offer 1,000 Courses

THE two terms of the University's 1951 Summer Session will offer more than 1,000 different subjects for study in the 12 colleges and major educational units on the Minneapolis, St. Paul, and Duluth campuses.

The first term will be from June 18 to July 28, inclusive, the second from July 30 to Sept. 1. Because the University is on a four-quarter system, the Summer session is not just a fill-in period, but is a quarter in which students have all the advantages offered the regular academic year, Thomas A. H. Teeter, Summer Session dean, pointed out.

Students may register for either term separately or complete a full quarter's work by attending both terms. Features of particular interest this summer, as listed by Dean Teeter, will be:

- A Workshop in High School Dramatics in the first term of the Summer Session.
 - Two workshops in home economics education, each of three weeks in length. The first emphasizes home planning and furnishing and the second, child development and human relations.
 - The Economic Education Workshop offered this year for the third time with scholarships covering board and room and tuition.
 - A continuation of the outstanding American Studies offering developed over recent years.
 - Foreign language residence houses for students in French, Spanish and German.
 - Driver education, to meet the State Department requirements in this field.
 - Workshops in nursing education and public health.
 - Workshop in the creative dramatics with children.
 - The Minnesota-Wisconsin cooperative program in the Scandinavian Area Studies held last year at the University of Wisconsin and scheduled for Minnesota during the 1951 Summer Session.
 - A symposium in the fine arts.
- Bulletins should be requested from the Dean of the Summer Session, 601 Administration Building, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis 14, Minnesota.

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Alumnus

Limited finances are no true obstacle to education.

To pay his school expenses, *Don L. Neer* '41Ed; '47MEd, member of the University's first graduating class in recreation leadership, worked as a playground director, boys' work assistant, sports writer, head waiter, hotel night clerk, and as a dance supervisor in Coffman Union. The study and job experience led to four years' service as a World War II Navy recreation officer, settlement house post, and, in 1947, the superintendency of recreation for the City of St. Cloud, Minn., the post he still holds. Among nearly a dozen state and national recreation and civic leadership posts Don has held, he now is national Junior Chamber of Commerce sports and recreation chairman. St. Cloud gave him its Distinguished Service Award in 1948. He's done a fine job as a 1951 MAA district scholarship chairman, and in other alumni activity.



Don L. Neer

Faculty Member

While Dean Athelstan Spilhaus of the Institute of Technology, is in Washington, D. C., doing secret work for the Navy, he has a good right hand on the campus to keep IT administration running smoothly. His temporary assistant is Richard T. Arnold, professor of organic chemistry. "My job," said Professor Arnold, "is to clear routine so Dean Spilhaus can concentrate on major decisions in his monthly flying visits to his campus office." That's a bit of a job since IT has 2,100 students. Professor Arnold isn't teaching in the interim, but continues his research in the mechanism of organic reaction. He received a Guggenheim fellowship for 1948-49 and the American Chemical Society 1949 award in pure chemistry. He is ACS representative on the National Research Council.



Professor Arnold

Student

A student active in inter-fraternity life at Minnesota and in other campus fields is Willard J. Patty, Jr., SLA senior from Minneapolis. He's on the Interfraternity Council's executive committee and is co-chairman of the 1951 Greek Week, May 1-7. Bill is editing a Greek Week brochure which will go to all fraternity and sorority members at the University and to inter-fraternity and pan-hellenic organizations at other schools. The brochure, which states the objectives and activities of Greek letter societies, is the 1951 civic project of the united Greek letter groups. Bill is also a member of the senior class cabinet, Scabbard and Blade, honorary student military society; and Phi Gamma Delta, academic fraternity. He will enter the University Law School next fall.



Bill Patty

Activities of

Technology Alumni

HERE'S a round-up of the current doings and recent accomplishments of some of the University's engineering alumni. The information was furnished by the Alumni Association of the Institute of Technology, which is seeking to maintain a close contact with all of IT's big family.

'94

C. H. Chalmers '94BE; '03EE reported to the IT Alumni Association that "I'm 81 and feel fine." "I'm still opposed to this retirement stuff," he said.

'99

Fifty-two years with the same firm, the Montana Power Co. and its predecessors is the record reported by *Arthur C. Pratt* '99EE, who lives at 817 Diamond St., Butte, Mont.

'05

E. H. Le Tourneau '05EE, who is employed by the Overseas Tankship Corp., must be a man with a good bit on his mind these days. He's presently supervising the construction of 15 oil tankers in Europe. Address: 15 West Forty-fourth St., New York 18, N. Y.

'06

Nathan A. Conn '06EE, lives at 2238 Cathedral Av., Washington, D. C.

'09

The Permutit Sales & Service Co., which handles water conditioning equipment, has as its Minneapolis district manager, *Harold G. Taylor*, School of Mines graduate in 1909.

'15

P. J. Robertson who retired last year from the IT mechanical engineering faculty now is an engineering consultant for the aero division of the Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Co.

'17

H. L. Peterson, who received his B.S. in 1916 and a civil engineering degree in 1917, lives in Jenkintown, Pa. Address: 717 Greenwood Av.

'18

Among the IT graduates in the railroad field is *Harold R. Peterson* 1919-20, who is assistant chief engineer of the Northern Pacific Railroad. Res.: 2435 Fifth Av. S., Minneapolis.

'20

Knox A. Powell '20BS; '33ME; '34MS is a research engineer for the Minneapolis-Moline Co. Address: 1635 East River Terrace, Minneapolis 14.

'23

Continuing as gas superintendent in St. Paul for the Northern States Power Co. is *Harold E. Peckham* '23MechE.

'24

Clarence O. Lee '24EM, is located in New Orleans, La., his address being 1804 American Bank Bldg.

'26

With the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. 18 years, *Donald E. Letson* '26MechE, for the past four years has been a technical man in the company's Minneapolis office. He has two sons now at Minnesota, one in his third year in mechanical engineering, the other in his third year in medicine.

'27

One of the engineers who got into the paper industry is *William H. Schlatje* '26ChemE; '27MS. He is production manager of the Minnesota and Ontario Paper Co. and lives at International Falls, Minn.

'28

Roy N. Thorshov '28B.Arch, is practicing architecture under the firm name of Thorshov & Cerny, Inc., in Minneapolis.

'29

Proud of his new insurance office at 710 Washington Av. S. E., Minneapolis, *Louis M. Schaller* '29ChemE, said the latchstring is always out for IT alumni.

'30

A. J. Schwantes '25Agr; '39AgrE, is chief of the University's Division of Agricultural Engineering.

'36

Since last June *Don Heng* 1931-36, has been operating his own business in Minneapolis, the Don Heng Co., manufacturers' agents for equipment for the petroleum industry. *Mrs. Heng* is the former Catharine Strom.

'43

Keys H. McConaghy '43BMEChE, reported he is still with the Allison Division of General Motors at Speedway, Ind., which is supplying the U. S. army and navy with jet and turbo-prop engines.

Employed by Yost and Gardner, Phoenix, Ariz., engineering firm, since the war, *John E. Schaefer, Jr.*, '43ChemE, spent the past year as resident engineer on a \$1,250,000 waterworks improvement project in Tucson, Ariz. Presently he's doing airfield design work for the Air Force.

Band Alumni Body Will Have Meeting, Banquet

The weekend of May 19 and 20 will be a banner occasion for the Band Alumni Association. At 3:30 p.m. on Saturday, the 19th, the annual combined meeting of the executive council and advisory board will take place in Coffman Union. Officers will make reports and policies for the ensuing year will be discussed. At 6 p.m. an open supper meeting for the entire membership, wives, and families will be held in the Union. Following the supper the monthly alumni rehearsal will be held in Room 4 Northrop Memorial Auditorium. A new policy of inviting any University academic or civil service employee who has played a band instrument to the rehearsals will be inaugurated on this date.

All band alumni, their wives, and families are cordially invited to attend the annual spring concert of the University Concert Band the next day, Sunday, May 20, at 3 p.m. in Northrop Memorial Auditorium.

School of Agriculture Alumni Body Re-elects Its Officers

Alumni of the University School of Agriculture on the St. Paul campus, who braved some of the winter's stormiest weather to attend the school's annual alumni reunion, March 18-19, re-elected the three officers of their Alumni Association. The officers are *John Larson* '23, St. Paul, president; *Dr. Fred W. Gehrman* '30, Wayzata, Minn., vice president; and *Victor Dose* '37, St. Paul, secretary-treasurer. *W. H. Dankers* '25, extension specialist for the Agricultural Extension Service on the St. Paul campus, was re-elected to the association board of directors.

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Around and About with the Alumni

'19

Mrs. Clarence Finger, 1809 Portland Av., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Erna Wolston '19BA, teacher in the Detroit Lakes, Minn., schools, has written to the office for names of other alumni living in Detroit Lakes and makes us envious with mention of a trip she plans to take east this summer.

'21

David Bronson, 1300 First National-Soo Line Bldg., Minneapolis, correspondent.

A visitor in the MAA office and on the Minneapolis campus March 29 was Carl S. Johnson '21CivE, who served two years as president of the Minneapolis Alumni Club of Cleveland. He is a structural designer with Arthur G. McKee & Co., Cleveland engineering and contracting firm. Johnson's trip to Minnesota was occasioned by the death of his brother Anton, of Chisholm. While in that area, Carl saw the cindering plant at Virginia which he helped design and which prepares nodule cinders for eastern blast furnaces. Carl was the principal designer for the Cleveland post office building.

S. H. Harvey '21MS, is on the agricultural faculty at the University of Maryland, and president of the Harvey Dairy, Inc., at Hyattsville.

Congratulations to Mrs. Edwin (Dorothea) Kopplin '21BA, whose book "Something to Live By" has run into 100,000 copies. The author holds another distinction of being selected Minnesota's mother of the year 1949-50.

'26

Mrs. R. Ramsey Parker, 1401 June Ave., Tyrol Hills, Minneapolis, correspondent.

On April 3 Roy C. Frank '26BA&LLB, became solicitor of the U. S. Post Office Department. Frank, who was assistant attorney general of Minnesota 1933-38, has been in the federal service since 1939, as an attorney with the Wage Hour Division of the Department of Labor, special assistant to the attorney general, assistant to the Post Office solicitor, and associate solicitor.

'27

Donald C. Rogers, 2408 Clinton Ave., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Harold C. Pederson '27Ag, former University faculty member and Hennepin county agricultural agent since 1942, has taken over new duties as extension economist in marketing at the University. Pederson has been an assistant



When Theodore C. Blegen '12BA;'25PhD, right, dean of the Graduate School, visited the Hawaiian Islands this spring he received a warm welcome from his University classmate, Gregg Sinclair, '12BA, president of the University of Hawaii. Dean Blegen and Mrs. Blegen, (Clara Woodward) '07BA, went to Honolulu for the wedding of their daughter, Margaret Jane '41BA, to Philip Crum. Dean Blegen visited with many Minnesota alumni and, upon the invitation of President Sinclair, addressed the deans and officers of the University of Hawaii and its Graduate Council.

professor on the university staff since 1946, and has done considerable graduate work in agricultural economics.

Lloyd V. Berkner '27EE, became president recently of Associated Universities, Inc., a non-profit corporation formed by nine Eastern universities to administer Brookhaven National Laboratory under contract with the U.S. Atomic Energy commission.

Ronald F. Lee '27BA, has been named assistant director to Conrad L. Wirth, associate director of the National Parks Service.

'29

Louis M. Schaller, 710 Washington Ave. S. S., Minneapolis, correspondent.

The scientific director of the army's climatic research laboratory in Lawrence, Mass., is Dr. Austin F. Henschel '29Ed;'32MA;'38PhD, former associate professor in the physiological hygiene laboratory at University of Minnesota. Dr. Henschel is co-author of the book, "The Biology of Human Starvation," and has written several articles in the field of physiology.

'30

Mrs. Kenneth T. Setre, 1924 Irving Ave., S., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Promotion of Winston L. Molander '30BA, from assistant secretary to assistant vice president has been announced by Joseph F. Ringland, president of Northwestern National bank, Minneapolis. While at the University Molander was president of his senior class and assistant business manager of the 1930 Gopher.

'33

Herman Rosenblatt, 5104 Luverne Ave., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Edward W. Aiton '33Agr, is on leave of absence from the extension division of the U.S. Department of Agriculture, to fulfill his new duties as executive director of the National 4-H Club Foundation of America, Inc., with headquarters in Washington.

'34

Truman Nodland, 2230 Carter Ave., St. Paul.

Vice president in charge of all trading operations for the Glidden Co., Cleveland, Ohio, is Ford M. Ferguson '34BA, who joined the company in 1948. Fer-



Gilruth

One of aviation's highest honors, the Sylvanus Albert Reed Award for 1950 has been presented to **Robert R. Gilruth** '35AeroE, '36MS, chief of the Pilotless Aircraft Research Division of Langley Aeronautical Laboratory, National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. He formerly lived in Duluth.

The citation was given to Gilruth for his research on pilotless aircraft at Langley Air Force Base, Va. Gilruth and his crew turned out rocket powered models for aerodynamic research at very high speeds. Data collected on flights of these research models has proven valuable in designing high-speed airplanes and missiles.

guson lives in Chicago with his wife and two children. He's a member of the Chicago Board of Trade and of the Memphis Merchants Exchange and operates a large livestock farm west of Chicago.

"The Egg Tree," a children's book by Katherine Milhous which won the 1950 Caldecott award for outstanding illustration, is on display at the U. of M. library, as one of an extensive book collection presented to the University by **Dr. Irvin Kerlan**, '31BS, '34MD. In 1949 Dr. Kerlan gave a great number of children's books to the University, including all Newbery medal-winning books since 1922 and all of the Caldecott medal-winning books since 1938.

Richard G. Stewart '34AssocA, has become vice president of the Skellet Van and Storage company in Minneapolis, after working 14 years for Northwest Airlines, where most of his time was spent as district sales manager for the St. Paul area.

'35

John J. McGlone, 816 Second Ave. S., Minneapolis, correspondent.

The Class of 1935 correspondent received a pleasant visit in March from **Rahlund Zinn** '35AeroE. Rahlund has an important job in aviation, that of aircraft service superintendent for Pan-American Airways. During World War II he had quite a bit to do with construction of air bases in South America before the U.S. government entered that field. Rahlund and his wife, the former Charlotte Brindmore of Minneapolis, and their daughter live at Coconut Grove, Miami, Fla. They would welcome a visit with any of their friends who go to Miami.

Norman C. Van Guilder '35BA, assistant professor of journalism at West Virginia University, has been elected to Kappa Tau Alpha, national journalism scholarship society.

Amid ancient pomp and colorful ceremony, bringing together all Benedictine abbots in North America and most of the Catholic church hierarchy of the midwest, the 44-year-old **Right Rev. Baldwin Dworskchak** 1933-35, was installed March 29 as sixth abbot of St. John's abbey at Collegeville, Minn. Abbot Dworskchak also will be president of St. John's College, located there.

'37

Donald Braman, 4701 E. Lake Harriet Blvd., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Recently named as professor of research in social work at Washington University, St. Louis, was **William E. Gordon** '37BA, '41PhD, who, since 1948,

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Soo Line Chief Surgeon

Effective May 1, **Harvey Nelson** '22BS, '25MD, president of the



Nelson

MAA, becomes chief surgeon for the Soo Line railroad. He will supervise the medical activity in the seven states in which the road operates. He has appointed as his assistant chief surgeon, **Rolin M. Hansen** '45BS, '48MD. Dr. Nelson succeeds **Frank R. Hirshfield** '19BS, '21MD, and Dr. Hansen succeeds **Leo C. Culligan** '20BS, '23MD. Dr. Nelson and Dr. Hansen will continue their private practice in Minneapolis.

had been professor of research at the Nashville School of Social Work. He previously had been research director of the Minnesota state Division of Social welfare and a research consultant to the Minneapolis Bureau of Public Assistance.

Mrs. Dorothy T. Dyer '37MA, assistant professor of general studies for the University of Minnesota, has been elected to the board of directors of the National Council on Family Life.

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Rogers

Eugene B. Rogers '31BA; '33-LLB, on May 1 becomes vice president in charge of sales for the Mutual Service Insurance Companies of St. Paul, which handle life, fire, and casualty insurance. Rogers, who was business manager of the Gopher and chairman of the junior ball in his undergraduate days, has been since 1947 with The Aetna Insurance Co., as assistant general agent and sales manager for Minneapolis and northern Minnesota.

'39

Mrs. Arthur Naftalin, 19 Barton Ave. S. E., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Clinton F. Hegg '39IT, assistant to the general manager of distributor sales of the Libby-Owens-Ford Glass Co. of Toledo, Ohio, has been transferred to the company's fiber glass division as sales manager. A native of Minneapolis, Hegg formerly was Libby-Owens-Ford district sales manager at Dallas, Texas. He was a general staff officer with the Fourteenth AA Command in World War II. *Mrs. Hegg* is the former Vivian E. Jacobson 1935-38.



John W. Severeid '39BA, assistant professor of military science and tactics at University of Cincinnati, has been promoted from the rank of captain to major.

He holds the Bronze Star medal, Bronze Arrowhead for the Normandy invasion, and five campaign stars for his European services during the last war.

'42

Calvin L. Smith, 2930 Knox Ave. N., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Among the many Minnesota alumni who are helping to provide the best of planes for the military is *Hurolf W. Zimmerman* '42AeroE, who has been with Boeing Aircraft Co. since his graduation. He was in the flight test department seven years and since then has been in project work where he now is doing design work in the B-47C power-plant group. He's married and has two small daughters. Address: 5521 Thirty-eighth N. E., Seattle 5, Wash.

'46

Harriet Schaffer, Peck & Peck, 581 Fifth Ave., N. Y., N. Y., correspondent.

Lucile Kane '46MA, curator of manuscripts for the Minnesota Historical society since 1946, has translated and edited a book entitled "Military Life in Dakota". It was translated from the journal of a French general who had recorded encounters with the Sioux and the boredom of military life at a frontier outpost.

Geri Hoffner '46BA, a Tribune staff writer since 1945, has received a special citation from Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalism fraternity, for her newspaper series on mental hospitals in Minnesota. She is the first woman to be so honored.

'48

Edward Graves, 204 Eighth Ave. N., Lewistown, Mont., correspondent.

Carl T. Rowan '48MA, was praised in the press section of a recent Time magazine for his articles on Negro life in the south that were serialized in the Minneapolis Tribune. Rowan toured 6,000 miles over a five-week period to gather material on changes which have taken place in Negro life since his boyhood south of the Mason-Dixon line.

Jerry Blizin '48BA, St. Petersburg Times reporter, was awarded \$500 by the TV program "Big Story" for a crime reporting job well done. The reporter gave police a clue which led to apprehension of a murderer, and the story was reconstructed on the documentary television show.

'49

Hy Hoffman, 716 Tenth Ave., S.E., Minneapolis 14, correspondent.

Marvin S. Priske 1947-49, Malmomen, Minn., has enrolled in the June class of the American Institute for Foreign Trade at Thunderbird Field, Phoenix, Ariz., where he will specialize in Spanish.

E. E. Engelbert Elected St. Paul Rotary President

One Minnesota alumnus will succeed another July 1 when *Elmer E. Engelbert* '20BusA, replaces *Arthur O. Lampland* '30BusA; '34LLB, as president of the St. Paul Rotary Club. Elmer, a trustee of the Greater University Fund since it was started, is vice president and general manager of the St. Paul Book and Stationery Co. Art, a former president and a present director of the MAA, is president of the Lampland Lumber Co.

'50

George Thiss, 5313 Minnehaha Blvd., Minneapolis, correspondent.

Charles W. Homer '50EE, is working in the engineering department of Consolidated Vultee Aircraft Corporation, San Diego, Calif.

Wedding Bells

'47

Joyce Doris Ringbloom '40DH; '47BA, of Mpls. to *Dale E. Butz* '50PhD, East Lansing, Mich., at Mount Olivet Lutheran church in Minneapolis. They are living in East Lansing.

Janet Westerman '47BA; '49MS, of Rockford, Ill., to *William A. Paulson* April 21 at Rockford, where they will live at 128 Warren Av.

Rosemarie Henley '47BA, and *Donald Huston Turner*, IT senior at the University of Minnesota, March 24 at home of the bride's mother in Minneapolis. Their address: 5352 Hampshire Drive, Minneapolis.

Deaths

'10

William S. Ervin '10LLB, former attorney general of Minnesota, April 2 while walking on Nicollet Av. Mr. Ervin's career as attorney general was at its peak during the depression ridden 1930's, when much reform and social legislation was adopted by the state legislature.

'11

Henry C. James, Jr. '11EE, on a train enroute to St. Paul from Seattle, Wash., April 1, at age 62. Mr. James had construction companies in both cities.

'21

Mrs. Leora Sherman Britzius 1920-21, at St. Barnabas Hospital at age 50. She was a member for 10 years and officer of the Minnesota Artists Association, winning prizes for her oils and pastels exhibited in the Twin Cities.

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