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THE REV. DR. JOSEPH B. FLOTTEN' 26, newly-elected trustee chairman, is congratulated by The Rev. Dr. John F. Bauchmann '23 (left), and by George R. Tollefsen (right). Pastor Bauchmann was reelected secretary of the board at its fall meeting while Mr. Tollefsen, whose daughter Gale is a Wagner junior, was elected to succeed Pastor Flotten as vice chairman.

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### Dr. Flotten Heads Board

Dr. Sutter Retires From Trustee

Chairmanship After Forty-One Years

The Rev. Dr. Joseph B. Flotten '26 was elected chairman of the Board of Trustees for a one-year term at a meeting of the board in November. Dr. Flotten, pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Resurrection,



Dr. Flotten

St. Albans, N. Y., succeeds The Rev. Dr. Frederic Sutter '94. Pastor Sutter, who announced his intention to retire from the chairmanship last year, had served 41 consecutive one-year

terms in the vital post. He remains an active board member and will continue on its important executive and finance committee. The new chairman has been a board member since 1944 and its vice chairman for the past seven years.

Dr. Flotten, who studied at the Princeton U. Seminary, the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Philadelphia and at Columbia University, is esteemed in his community as a leader in civic and church inter-racial relations.

### 3 Others Elected

At the same meeting, three other board officers were elected. Reelected for one-year terms were Dr. Andrew G. Clauson H50, treasurer, and The Rev. Dr. John F. Bauchmann '23, secretary. Dr. Clauson, a partner in the New York accounting firm of Bayer and Clauson, is a past president of New York City's Board of Education. Dr. Bauchmann is pastor of Brooklyn's St. Jacobi Lutheran Church.

George R. Tollefsen, a partner in the Brooklyn marine contracting firm, Tollefsen Brothers, was elected vice chairman. He succeeds Pastor Flotten.

All the officers and Dr. Richard H.

Heindel, president of the college, will serve on the executive committee. Others named to the committee were Dr. Sutter, The Rev. Dr. George R. F. Tamke '18, Frederick W. Rettenmeyer, and Dr. William Jansen.

The board also welcomed three new members including two persons long known as close friends of the College, Ellsworth B. Buck H41 and Miss Ellen Horrmann, both Staten Islanders. The third new member is Robert E. Schellberg, general credit manager for the Eastman Kodak Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Miss Horrmann, also a member of Wagner's Development Council and its Coed Committee, was a member of the council that formulated plans for the establishment of the Wagner School of Nursing in 1941.

Mr. Buck, a former Congressman, gave to Wagner the Grymes Hill home which now serves as the residence of the president and his family.

Continuing as the Alumni Association's elected representatives to the board are Dr. Henry Endress '38 and Werner Johnson '41.

Other alumni who serve on the 26-member board are The Rev. Dr. Alfred L. Beck '38, The Rev. Dr. David C. Gaise '35, and The Rev. William T. Heil '29. As chairman of Wagner's Development Council, Albert C. Corbin '35 serves as an ex-officio member of the board.

Prior to its fall meeting, the board was saddened to learn of the death of John W. Hooper who had been an active member for 12 years. Mr. Hooper, president of the Lincoln Savings Bank in Brooklyn since 1950, was one of the most dynamic figures in his community. His concern with countless civic and educational bodies was evinced during his term as president of Brooklyn's Chamber of Commerce and as chairman of the borough's chapter of the American Red Cross.

To the writer assigned the task of summarizing Pastor Sutter's 41 years as head of Wagner College's Board of Trustees, the inadequacy of words has never been more apparent. Fortunately, the deeds, the progress of the College



Dr. Sutter

during these four decades, atone for the inadequacy. An outline of Wagner's forward steps during Pastor Sutter's tenure is printed below as a testimonial to his devotion, skill and

patience in nuturing what he's fond of calling "the infant left on my doorstep 41 years ago." A board member since 1916, it was largely at his urging that Wagner moved to Staten Island in 1918. It was only natural that he should be chosen to chair its board then. His record of 41 consecutive vears in that vital post is probably unmatched by any college. On three separate occasions Pastor Sutter served as acting president of the College, a full-time effort added to his already heavy duties as pastor of Staten Island's Trinity Lutheran Church. The gymnasium has been named in his honor, but in many ways the entire campus is his testimonial to the youth of his community and church. But here is the record — Pastor Sutter's record.

- 1918 Wagner moves to 38-acre Cunard property atop Grymes Hill with 16 students
- 1922 The Jacob Vanderbilt property, now the Main Building site, is acquired.
- 1923 South Hall, first building to go up on the new campus, is dedicated.
- 1926 Endowment fund campaign succeeds with more than 20,000 subscribers for \$525,000.
- 1930 Main Building is constructed.
- 1932 Evening Session is founded.
- 1933 Coeds are admitted for first time.
- 1943 Nursing School is founded.
- 1946 Rapid post-war expansion. Temporary buildings added.
- 1949 Ward property (West Campus) is acquired. Day school enrollment nears 1,000.
- 1950 Graduate School is founded.
- 1951 Guild Hall and Sutter Gymnasium constructed.
- 1957 New Men's Dormitory is completed ... Development Council is founded.
- 1958 Diamond Jubilee celebrated.
- 1959 Horrmann Library plans accepted, groundbreaking scheduled for 1960.

# **ALUMNI PLEDGES TOP \$100,000**

### NEW LOYALTY FUND AIMS AT \$25,000 AS 1959-60 GOAL

## ALUMNI PLEDGES

### 75th ANNIVERSARY FUND FINAL REPORT

C a s s	Living	No. of Pledges	Amount
93-98 00-09 10-19 20-25 1926 1927 1928 1929 1930 1931 1932 1933 1934 1935 1936 1937 1938 1939 1940 1941 1942 1943 1944 1945 1946 1947 1948 1949 1950 1951 1952 1953 1954 1955	9 16 31 23 5 8 9 8 11 18 17 13 17 22 32 31 41 53 44 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54	5 9 11 6 2 3 4 5 5 6 10 6 9 14 11 11 18 17 23 24 21 18 19 22 16 13 34 77 125 88 107 93 74 65	\$ 1,500.00 455.00 2,135.00 1,285.00 330.00 342.50 510.00 925.00 400.00 690.00 846.50 510.00 2,720.00 2,730.00 1,365.00 696.00 1,705.00 2,227.50 1,940.50 5,575.00 1,781.00 1,183.00 1,183.00 1,183.00 1,183.00 1,977.00 3,737.50 5,936.00 4,992.00 4,659.50 6,166.00 3,495.00 3,179.50
1956 1957 1958 Honoraries Formers	242 272 226 87 472	77 87 16 29 94	4,164.00 5,378.50 1,355.00 15,945.20 5,822.50

3,877 1,274 \$101,459.70

A CLOSING burst of pledges this summer pushed the alumni portion of the 75th anniversary drive over its \$100,000 goal when the drive's books were finally closed by Albert C. Corbin '35, national alumni chairman.

Final figures (see box left) revealed that 1,274 alumni pledged \$101,459.70. The alumni will underwrite the cost of furnishing the main reading room in the new Horrman Library through their efforts in the drive.

Both the total and the number of pledges set new records for alumni giving at Wagner. The \$100,000 pledge far exceeded the hopes of the drive planners who originally set an alumni goal of \$65,000. When that figure was easily topped in the drive's early stages, a revised goal of \$85,000 was established. It too fell, setting the stage for the final success.

For the historically-minded, let it be noted that a pledge made by The Rev. Richard Pankow '54, at Lake George, N. Y., during July, was the one that toppled the final goal. Howard R. Braren, director of alumni relations, was the solicitor.

The campaign again emphasized the loyalty and generosity of what is essentially a young alumni group. An average pledge of \$79.62 was recorded, far surpassing the previous high of \$9.88. Perhaps even more surprising was the strength of many of the more recent classes. For the first time in six years, the big class of 1950 has been displaced as the class leader. The new leader is the class of 1953 which had 93 members pledge \$6,166. Third place went to the even younger class of '57 with pledges amounting to \$5,378.50. The names of all who pledged in the closing



NEW LOYALTY FUND CHAIRMAN is Kenneth R. Hansen '49, left. Al Corbin '35, who headed alumni phase of 75th anniversary

drive, explains drive chairman's role to Hansen. Corbin's letter of appreciation is reprinted at right.

months of the drive are printed on page six.

The close of the alumni phase in the 75th anniversary campaign was the signal for resumption of regular Alumni Loyalty Fund activity. The fund seeks payment on a one-year basis in contrast to the anniversary drive which sought pledges payable over a 36-month period.

Only those alumni who do not have pledges outstanding will be solicited during the new Loyalty Fund effort. The 1959—60 goal is \$25,000. Once again, the Horrmann Library, the College's most urgent need, is foremost among the goals. Of the total, \$16,000 is sought to meet the rising costs of building construction. The remainder of the \$25,000 will go for alumni scholarships (\$4,600) and for Link and alumni office expenses (\$4,000).

Kenneth R. Hansen '49, vice president of the Alumni Association, heads the drive. He will conduct it in two

phases, for Staten Island residents first, and then for all off-Island alumni. James Hutchison '49 is the Staten Island chairman.

As this issue of *The Link* went to press, the Island solicitors had secured 137 pledges for \$5,768, approximately 50% of the local goal. A division of workers headed by Ernest Kiefer Jr. '50 headed the list with \$1,798 from 31 pledges. Mary Anne Nelson's '51 group of workers secured the most pledges—32.

ONE BROADWAY NEW YORK 4. N. Y. Dear Alumnus: Anniversary Fund, passed our \$100,000 goal in the 75th fullest appreciation for September 1, 1959 ted so generously in money, time and effort, I express appreciation for a job well done. accomplishment, we can look back with Pride on this continued support is Sorely needed. Your alma mater continued support is sorely needed. Your alma mater of voling me. continued support is sorely needed. Your alma mater and women seeking higher education. Your alma mater and women seeking higher education. faced With another has been met and we are now that the results of our narticination in the faced with another - the 1959-60 Alumni Loyalty Fund new Loyalty Fund will again show the esteem in which we I am sure that the results of our participation in the hold Wagner College. again show the esteem in which we hold Wagner College. Sincerely yours, Albert C. Corbin '35 Chairman for Alumni 75th Anniversary Fund

# ALUMNI PLEDGES to the 75th Anniversary Fund

**SINCE MAY 29, 1959** 

### 1914

Rev. Herbert Siegner Rev. O. J. Warnath

### 1919

Rev. Frederick Teichmann

### 1922

Rev. John Strodel

1925

# Dr. George Aus

\*Rev. John Kirsch

### 1929

\*Rev. Howard Kuhnle

### 1930

Rev. Elmore Hoppe \*Donald Race Edwin Tappert

### 1932

\*Rev. Robert Heydenreich

### 1935

Rev. Sylvester Bader Rev. Martin Lehfeldt

### 1936

Rev. Edwin Gundersen Rev. Fredrik Nissen Dr. Paul Rogler

### 1938

Edith Daniels Raisch Fred Riebesell \*L1. Col. A. K. Schoenbucher \*Rev. Alfred Schroder \*Chaplain Oscar Weber

### 1939

Dr. Paul Carney \*Rev. Harold Haas Marion Jensen Tonnessen Henry Raisch

### 1940

Rev. Gerhard Dietrich \*Ruth Gorman Schneck Sydney Meachem \*Grace Ohr Anthony Scala \*Cdr. Robert Schneck

### 1941

Dorothy Behrens Carney \*Dr. Einar Henriksen

### 1942

Rev. Waldemar Hintz \*Ruth Kriby Schroeder \*Edwin Saul \*Major Martin Schroeder

### 1943

\*Dr. David Annunziato \*Louise Niclas Saul Marie Ohlson Dietrich \*Gloria Rappold Greening

### 1944

Rev. Robert Arnold Geraldine Kirsch Arnold

### 1945

Rev. William Fuhlbruck Elaine Hoebel Fuhlbruck

### 1946

Herbert Benson Marion Kraus Benson

### 1947

\*Rev. Norman Fowler Robert Meyer

### 1948

Carol Heinbockel Quillen Dr. Franklin Ward

### 1949

Mrs. Elise Hamilton Florence Hardie Artaserse \*Verona Miller Van Pelt \*William Reitze \*Rev. Trygve Skarsten

### 1950

Harold Archinal
\*Roy Bredholt
Irma Kunnmann Polhemus
Franklin Larson
Jean Lawrie Ely
Mary Patterson Hughes
\*Freddie Thomas
Warren Tompkins
Donald Tomsuden
Herman Witthaus

### 1951

Grace Behling Johansen Roger Herb R. Kenneth Johansen \*Walter Schoenfeld I. Gene Schwarz

### 1952

Jean Faist McKibbin
Emma Gustavson De Bastos
\*Rev. Frederick Hill
Jeanne Isner
Sidney Kilsheimer
\*Rev. Herbert Messner
\*Ruth Stangeland Skarsten
Robert Vetter
Siegfried Wachsmuth
\*Rev. Edward Weiskotten
Joan Weyand Schwarz
Rev. Hugh Whitaker

### 1953

Rev. Sherwood Bryant
\*Edmund Diaz
\*George Evans
Wilma Forster Szepanski
\*Wanda Prokoby Schneider
Carolyn Reisch
\*Dorothy Schmidt
\*Rev. Clarence Schneider
\*Arlene Schwartz Larsen
\*Dorothy Shaulis

### 1954

Dr. Adolph Szepanski

\*Gloria Bauman Weiskotten
\*Anthony Franza
Rev. Frederick Frick
Roy Gartrell
Barbara Helmke
Herbert Hensel
\*Rev. Richard Pankow
Patricia Woodward McElheny

### 1955

\*John Schick Jane Welter Cangemi Faye Zitzkat Frick

### 1956

Doris Dittmer Pitou Joanne Flotten Melloh \*Paul Mangodt Theodore Melloh David Pitou Dorothy Varrone

### 1957

Genevieve DeWitt Wesselmann Bertram Garbe, Jr. Harriet Hempel Weening Sister Edna Hughes Patricia Swanson \*Dorothy Wedge Charles Weening

### 1958

\*Lorraine Bond
\*Edward Gunther
\*Ruth Lopez
\*Caroline Runyon Zuber
\*Laura Russell
Eugene Smith
Meredith Young
\*Beverly Zigler

### FORMER STUDENTS

\*Alma Behling Evans
Carol Brack Feuerpfeil
Rev. Leopoldo Caban
Elsie Heldt Roemer
\*Evelyn Johnsen Haas
\*Mrs. Eleanor Messner
Dr. Orville Quillen
Martha Schaefer Boyer
\*Rev. Theodore Schrader
\*Ruth Teichmann Annunziato
\*Dr. Alfred Yon Dran
Viola Wanzer Maxfield
Rev. Gustav Weincke

### HONORARIES

Rev. Dr. Russell Gaenzle Rev. Dr. Cornelius Greenway \*Rev. Dr. George Miller \*Dr. H. Torrey Walker

### ENDURING RECOGNITION

In the entry of the Main Building of Wagner College, cast in enduring bronze, are listed the "Donors, Patrons, and Benefactors" of another era whose gifts made possible that magnificent building. Just so it is proposed to perpetuate the names of those persons who, by their gifts of *Shares* in each category, played the decisive role in making the new library become a reality. Furthermore, a Book of Appreciation will be compiled and placed in an honored place in the Library. This will list alphabetically (without amounts) the names of all who made a financial contribution, of whatever size, to the library drive.

The share categories:

Builder's Share	\$	150
Donor's Share		300
PATRON'S SHARE		600
Anniversary Share		750
Benefactor's Share	1	,200

The *Shares* are merely suggested units of giving, and subscriptions of any other amounts will be sincerely welcomed. No gift will be too small to be appreciated, but neither, when the future of this College is at stake, can it be too large!



THE HORRMANN LIBRARY

A final design for the new Horrmann Library was accepted by the Board at its November meeting from the architectural firm, Perkins and Wills.

President Heindel said that a tentative timetable calls for groundbreaking on or about April 1. The library would then be ready for use by the start of the 1961 school year.

The building, to cost approximately \$950,000, will be the first of 22 to go up on the campus during the 20-year development program. It will be essentially of concrete, brick and glass.

The three-story, split-level structure will have a two-story main reading room surrounded by balconies with reading alcoves and stacks. (The reading room will be furnished by the alumni as their share in the capital fund drive). The lower floor will contain lecture and conference rooms, each having glass doors opening onto garden courts.

A capacity of 110,000 volumes is called for in the plans. The library will seat 440.

Its construction will be the first step toward the concept of a central academic quadrangle envisioned in the development plan. A chapel, a hall of science, and a student and conference center will be added to the library and the existing Main Building and Sutter Gymnasium.

The design stresses complete flexibility for the interchange of bookstacks, furniture and partitions. Provisions will be made for audio-visual aids including closed-circuits TV outlets.

### CHOIR TO GO WEST

The 50-voice Wagner Choir will embark on an ambitious tour, a monthlong trek clear across the U.S., on January 22 with an appearance in Allentown, Pa. Dr. Sigvart J. Steen's

January 22 Allentown, Pennsylvania St. Paul's Lutheran Church

January 23 Zanesville, Ohio St. John's Lutheran Church

January 24 Lexington, Kentucky Faith Evangelical Lutheran Church

January 25 East St. Louis, Illinois First United Lutheran Church

January 26 Emporia, Kansas Kansas State Teachers College

January 27 Wakeeney, Kansas Bethlehem Lutheran Church

January 28 Denver, Colorado Augustana Lutheran Church

January 29 Grand Junction, Colorado American Lutheran Church

January 30 Salt Lake City, Utah Salt Lake City Auditorium

January 31 Winnemucca, Nevada Humboldt County High School

February 1 Reno, Nevada Masonic Temple Auditorium

February 2 Sacramento, California California Junior High School

February 3 San Francisco, California Grace Episcopal Cathedral

February 4 Berkeley, California St. Michael's Lutheran Church

February 5 Fresno, California Trinity Lutheran Church

February 6 Van Nuys, California St. Andrew's Lutheran Church

February 7 Los Angeles, California First English Lutheran Church renowned a capella group will sing in 18 states before returning to Wagner on February 21. This schedule supersedes the one printed in the December issue of *The Bulletin*.

February 8 San Diego, California Christ Lutheran Church

February 9 Phoenix, Arizona Faith Lutheran Church

February 10 Tuscon, Arizona Our Savior's Lutheran Church

February 11 El Paso, Texas Magoffin Auditorium Texas Western College

February 12 Ozona, Texas Ozona Methodist Church

February 13 San Antonio, Texas Public Service Assembly Building

February 14 Houston, Texas Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer

February 15 Lafayette, Louisiana Lafayette Community Building

February 16 Pensacola, Florida St. Paul's Lutheran Church

February 17 Birmingham, Alabama Christ Lutheran Church

February 18 Columbia, South Carolina Ebenezer Lutheran Church

February 19 Petersburg, Virginia Our Redeemer Lutheran Church

February 20 Wilmington, Delaware Mt. Pleasant Senior High School

February 21 Wagner College Staten Island, New York



SEAHAWK SCORE: Quarterback Don Cavalli slashes four yards to score in 42—8 rout of Moravian. (S. I. Advance photo by John Concevitch)

# VICTORY AT LAST

# Football teams wins 6 of 8; basketball prospects good

Victory, never so sweet as when it's long due, was particularly succulent for the Wagner football team this fall. The Seahawks powered their way down the stretch with four straight wins to wrap up a 6 and 2 season, the college's first winning year since 1949 when the all-time top record of 7-1-1 was realized.

The experienced Seahawks, coached for the third year by the astute businessman-coach Mickey Sullivan, began by splitting four games. A disappointing 12—20 loss to PMC was followed by a 27—8 drubbing of Haverford and a convincing 22—7 win over Hamilton. A bad fourth quarter allowed Kings Point to slip by with a 20—14 triumph but Wagner never again faltered.

Dickinson and Ursinus both wallowed in the mud while Wagner happily splashed to 28—15 and 32—8 victories. These were more or less expected. What followed against Susquehanna and Moravian, both strong teams, wasn't.

At Selinsgrove Pa., on Nov. 7, quarter-back Don Cavalli had the greatest day ever experienced by a Wagner passer. He completed 17 for an astounding 382 yards. NCAA statisticians said it was the most yards gained by a college passer in one game since 1952. Three of Cavalli's tosses were for TDs in the 28—6 victory .

### A WIN OVER MORAVIAN

Then came Moravian, the big, rough, team from Bethlehem, Pa., that had never lost to Wagner in nine previous meetings. When it happened, it happened big. The fast-improving Seahawks reached their peak in a bruising team effort. Sullivan eventually used his entire squad in an effort to hold down the score that finally reached 42—8.

A new crop of football heroes has evolved to join the giants of the past — Burton, Quintana, Sellitto, Leonard, Mangiante. Soph halfback Frank Melos broke Sellitto's one-year scoring mark of 60 by racking up 62. Melos, a brilliant all-around performer, was particularly adept as a pass receiver. He caught 23 for 481 yards.

Cavalli, a specialist in the delicate art of the long pass, hit on 53 for 1,137 yards, another one-year record. Big (6—3, 205 lbs.) Junior end Al Ferrie boomed 23 punts for a 40.2 average, and caught 16 passes for 435 yards. These three were joined by even larger (6—5, 225 lbs.) end George Kling in what the New York press termed "Wagner's Big Four."

The line, at its awesome best against Moravian, was not without its stars. Soph Rudy Fusco, who alternates between guard and tackle, earned the Robb Trophy at Wagner's MVP in the Homecoming game against Dickinson.

The Seahawks efforts resulted in a lofty second-place finish in the Middle Atlantic Conference's northern college section. Albright beat Wagner out by a scanty half game.

The immediate future couldn't be brighter. There were only three seniors on Sullivan's 38-man roster which means lettermen will be available at every position next September. The schedule has been upped to nine games in 1960. New opponents will be Upsala and Trenton State of New Jersey. Susquehanna is gone. Particularly good news was Herb Sutter's announcement that six of the games will be at home.

At a post-season meeting of the squad, guard Charlie Jopp and fullback Wally Pagan were elected next year's co-captains. Jopp, winner of the Robb Trophy in 1958, excells on defense in his middle-guard position. Pagan, sidelined for half the 1959 campaign because of appendicitis, was the team's leading ground-gainer two years ago. Both have been three-year starters at Wagner.

### BACK IN THE GYM

Meanwhile, back in the gymnasium, the basketball team was in the unusual situation of attempting to match a thrill-packed football campaign.

Coach Sutter was inclined to be optimistic in pre-season workouts. He had five seniors back along with five hot-shots from last year's crack JV squad. Also on hand was lanky transfer Bob Larsen (6—7) who just might make all the difference.

The schedule (see back cover) called for ten Middle Atlantic Conference games and 13 outside the league including major fives such as Manhattan, Villanova and Fordham.

On the eve of the opener, Sutter had settled on a six-man nucleaus of the five veterans — Fierce, Blackwell, Orlando, Junta, and Wirth — and Larsen. Fierce, who graduates in mid-year, and Blackwell, were elected co-captains. Orlando needed only 125 points to become the sixth Wagner 1,000 point man.

The Seahawks appeared poised for a strong run for the conference title they won two years ago. Hofstra, the 1959 champ, again is the team to beat. Albright, with a couple of crack freshmen in its starting lineup, will also be tough.

Fierce, a coach's dream not only in ability but in temperament as well, will surely be missed. When he goes, look for 5—11 Ronny George to see more action. George, perhaps endowed with more speed than any player in Wagner history, is tabbed a sure star of the future.



BASKETBALL'S BIG SIX are (I to r) Milfred Fierce, Harry Orlando, Pete Wirth ,Fred Black-

well, Harold Junta and Bob Larsen. The first five are seniors. Larsen's a junior.

## A Damp Homecoming



Eerie scene, caused by Grymes Hill fog and rain, greeted early arrivals on October 24. Diehards stood on Fischer Field in a driving morning rain to watch Wagner soccer team lose to Rutgers. Sun eventually

burned away the fog, but not soon enough to forestall postponement of the float parade. Not postponed were the football game (Wagner 28 — Dickinson 15), post-game reception, alumni banquet, and dance.



Spouting whale of Pi Chi Omega fraternity was a highlight of the float parade which was almost washed out again on October

31. Thirteen campus organizations entered floats in the parade which was staged on a non-competitive basis for the first time.



Raingear was s.o.p. on October 24. In out of the rain for a chat with Dr. Ralph Deal (right), biology department chairman, are (1 to r) Lois Erdmann '55N, Dr. Doe Szepanski '53, and Bill Roehrich '52.



Homecoming Queen Elizabeth Rogers, a junior nursing student, bestows her effective charm upon game football at traditional Friday night coronation ceremony. Dr. Lee Y. Duvidheiser, below center, talks with former students Mario Esposito '50, left, and Dr. David Annunziato '43. Next year's Homecoming will take place on October 22.





### **Alumni News Briefs**

### 1916

The Rev. Herman F. Vesper was honored by the congregation of St. Paul's LC, Terryville, Conn., at a testimonial service on the 40th anniversary of his ordination.

### 1931

The Rev. Albert P. Schilke has been elected home mission superintendent for the United Lutheran Synod of New York and New England.

### 1927

The Rev. Dr. Ernest C. French was honored on the 25th anniversary of his ordina-tion by the congregation of Ascension LC, Snyder, N. Y. . . . The Rev. John A. Kaercher has accepted a call to Holy Trinity L.C., Elmira, N. Y. He was formerly pastor of Trinity Evangelical L.C., West Hazleton, Pa.

Dr. Michael Mazzei is now full attending surgeon at Staten Island Hospital.

### 1935

Dr. Norman Freilich has been elected chancellor-commander of Castleton Lodge, Knights of Phythias, S. I. . . . The Rev. David C. Gaise was awarded the honorary doctor of divinity degree by Hartwick College. . The Rev. Dr. William J. Villaume was named to the Committee on Religion for the White House Conference on Aging to be held in 1961.

### 1936

Dr. Charles H. Thom has been elected treasurer of Richmond County Medical Society.

### 1938

Dr. Henry Endress, Alumni Association representative to the Board of Trustees, received the honorary degree, doctor of laws, at the Gettysburg College commencement.

### 1939

The Rev. Dr. Harold Haas was one of four main speakers at a spring seminar on Christian Social Responsibility at Hartwick College. Dr. Haas is executive secretary of the ULCA Board of Social Missions.

The Rev. David C. Smith, pastor of Redeemer LC, Yonkers, N. Y., was the speaker at a dinner in honor of the 70th anniversary of Immanuel LC, Meriden, Conn.

### 1942

Dr. Harold E. Hammond, Chairman of the Education Department at the Graduate School of Education, Yeshiva University, N.Y.C., has been named Assistant Dean of the School.

### 1944

The Susquehanna, Pa., county commissioners have appointed Mrs. Grace Parker Dahlander of New Milford to the post of case-worker in the Susquehanna County Child Welfare Services. . . Dr. Bradford O. Smith attended the first World Contact Lens Congress in Chicago. Dr. Smith is a Staten Island optometrist.

### 1946

Daniel Rufolo, a Fulbright scholar in the West Indies in 1957-58, has been elected to the "400" club at the American Science Institute, Berkeley, Calif.

Arthur S. Fink, who represented Wagner at the Otterbein College presidential inauguration, is now associated with Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, O. . . Major Philip F. Laub has been assigned to duty at Susquehanna University.

### 1949

Dr. Peter L. Berger recently wrote two articles for The Christian Century on Albert Camus and Dietrich Bonhoffer. Dr. Berger is a professor at the Hartford Theological Seminary. . . William G. Gurka received the M.S. in Ed. degree at the Wagner commencement. . . Robert G. Hoffman is work-Viscose Corp., Marcus Hook, Pa.

Thomas J. Lennox Jr. is working for the American Smelting and Refining Co. Central

Research Labs in So. Plainfield, N. J.

### 1950

Dr. E. E. D'Allesandro, graduate of Italy's U. of Bologna medical school, opened his office in Somerville, N.J. . . . . William P. Ferren has been awarded a fellowship by the Institute of Food Technologists. He is presently studying his doctorate at Rutgers and teaching chemistry at Wagner. . .Dr. Edmund F. Hecklau has joined the Pediatric Group of Greenwich, Conn. . . Edward C. Kramer, Jr. was awarded his Ph.D. degree at Rutgers in June. . . John K. Newman received his master of Bus. Admin. from Wagner in June. . . Gilmour Wagle was awarded a master of arts degree from Princeton in June. He successfully completed general examinations for his Ph.D. and will complete his thesis this winter and receive his doctorate in June '60. . .

Charles E. Cortelyou is asst. sales mgr. at S.B. Penick Co., Jersey City. . . Dr. Anthony Riccardi, graduate of U. of Padova medical school, is in his first year of residency at St. John's Episcopal Hospital in Brooklyn. . . Charles W. Sokolowsky of Clifton, S. I., was appointed principal of the Morganville Elementary School, Marlboro Twp., N. J.

### 1952

Albert Anderson, Jr. M53 is teaching in the Roselle, N.J. school system. . . Fred Brockman M54 received a fellowship from Newspaper Fund Inc. for the study of journalism. . . Mary Cottone received M.S. in education from U. of Rochester. . . Dr. William H. Harvey has been discharged from the USAF and is taking up a 3 year residency at Meyer Memorial Hospital, Buffalo.

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### **Honored For Service**

The Rev. Herman E. C. Wahrmann '94 received the fifth Golden Deeds Award presented by the Allentown, Pa., Exchange Club in its 21-year history. The German-born minister, 90, was honored for his lifetime of tireless service to others. The Rev. Phares O. Reitz of Allentown, pictured here, presented the award. He told Exchange members that Pastor Wahrmann, administrative secretary of the Good Shepherd Home, is at work daily in his job at the home and also serves as supply pastor for other parishes in the area when needed. Pastor Wahrmann has held his post with Good Shepherd Home since 1920.



# WAGNER NEWS

An increase in the tuition and College fee and in the charge for room and board was approved by the Board of Trustees at its fall meeting. The new rates will be in effect starting September 1, 1960. The new charges are as follows, with the old charges listed in parentheses: tuition and college fee per semester, \$465 (\$415); room and board charge per semester, \$390 (\$372.50); graduate fees per credit hour, \$30 (\$24).

Dr. Heindel announced the adjustment to parents and students in a letter detailing the reasons for the increase. He pointed out that the room and board adjustment was necessitated by a general rise in the cost of living.

The tuition and College fee change was prompted by an increase in cost to the College of many items included in the fees. Among these, he noted, were registration, library and athletics fees, health services, subscriptions to college publications, and testing and counseling services. He pointed out that, "much desired and extensive student services have been added to this, which has resulted in the enlargement of the offices and activities of the Personnel Deans for academic and personal counseling, testing and placement services."

Alumni are urged to recruit members for the newly-formed Wagner College Associates, an organization for persons not graduates of Wagner. Its purpose: to gain a wider range of friends for the College. Joseph P. Monge '34 suggested the formation of the club at a recent meeting of the Development Council. Members will receive invitations to Wagner-sponsored events, an annual subscription to the *Bulletin*, and will be invited to attend an annual dinner-meeting.

A minimum of \$10 has been set as a membership fee. Alumni who wish to nominate friends for membership should write to: Chairman, Wagner College Associates; c/o Development Office, Wagner College.

Wagner's enlarged placement office, now directed by Dr. Roswell S. Coles, invites alumni to submit resumes for listing. The service is offered without charge. Dr. Coles reports an increase in the number of requests from major firms seeking qualified personnel. A sample: a west coast firm seeks an Eastern Sales Manager, age 30 to 45, degree in physics, electrical or mechanical engineering, salary \$12,000 to \$15,000.

Dr. Coles also invites alumni to participate in the annual Vocational Guidance Day, set next year for March 9. Experts from many fields will come to the College to discuss pros and cons of their careers with Wagner students.

fee increase approved for next year

Wagner Associates seek alumni recruiters

placement office provides free service

### business club meets on January 7

The Wagner College Club, for alumni working in Manhattan, has held three successful meetings this year. Speakers have been Thomas R. Sullivan, Staten Island's Assistant District Attorney, Dr. Charles W. Kegley, professor of philosophy at Wagner, and William P. Kelgard, associate editor to the *Downtown Athletic Club Journal*. The next meeting will be on January 7 at 5:30 p.m. in the Railroad-Machinery Club, 30 Church Street.

### results of 1959 class questionnaire

The alumni office questionnaire mailed to the 221 graduates of the class of 1959 has been returned by 132 members of Wagner's youngest class. Fifty-nine members of the class, or 45% of those replying, indicate they are now attending graduate schools. Seventeen have received grants, fellowships, or scholarships. Science majors rank high in the graduate school category with 48% of those replying now working toward advanced degrees. Class members who have not as yet returned the questionnaire are urged to do so. The data compiled from it is vital in presenting Wagner's case to foundations and other philanthropic groups.

### nursing chapter meets on February 2

The next meeting of the Nursing Chapter of the Alumni Association will take place on February 2 at Tysen Hall. Speakers at the chapter's two fall meetings were Howard Braren, director of alumni relations on Sept. 29, and Dr. Gaspard L. Pinette, chairman of the department of foreign languages on Dec. 1.

New Nursing Chapter officers are Eleanor Mehrtens Kruse '55, president; Dorothy Harris Lapnow '55, vice president; Mary Anne Nelson '51, recording secretary; and Carolyn Dangerfield Lanahan '55, treasurer.

### basketball team off to brisk start

The basketball team lived up to its pre-season promise by winning five of seven to start the season. In the process, the Seahawks jumped out to an early lead in the northern college division of the Middle Atlantic Conference. A conference showdown game against Hofstra, last year's champion, is set for January 6.

The early victims were Upsala in the opener, and then Susquehanna, Wilkes, and PMC in league tests. Highly-ranked Manhattan spoiled the otherwise perfect Wagner slate by winning 76—56 before a full house here on December 5.

Top scorer and rebounder through the first five games was 6'6" Harold Junta who picked up right where he left off last March. The big senior hit for 23 points against Wilkes, 20 against PMC. The other Seahawk vets (see page 8) were performing as expected. Bob Larsen, the lone newcomer in the starting five, has added a big punch to the attack. Seahawk fans were also elated by the spark shown by the sophomore reserves who were largely responsible for running up 100 points against Wilkes. At one point soph Ronny George scored 31 points in two games while playing only 30 minutes.

Other late sports news: Elation over the 1959 football season was tempered by the death of assistant coach Paul Verban. Paul, a New York City fireman, had handled the Wagner line for two seasons . . . End Al Ferrie was voted to the Williamson Little All American team, the first Wagner player so honored since fullback Jay Quintana '50 made the same team in 1949 . . . Cross country squad, coached by John Barbes, had successful 4 and 3 year . . . Jack Hynes' soccer team went 8-3-3.

### News Briefs continued

... William Hobokan has been promoted to assistant to the president at Carnegies Fine Chemicals, Kearny, N. J. .. Rev. William F. Juhr, Jr. is vicar of St. Andrews Episcopal Church, Providence, R. I. .. Dr. Anthony Nastasi has been awarded the degree of doctor of medicine by the U. of Bologna, Italy. He is serving an internship at Kings County Hospital. . William H. Newton has been promoted to manager of the Winchester, Mass. FW Woolworth Costore. . Donald Sweatman is instructing at the S. I. YMCA in skindiving and the use of the aqua lung. . Donald D. Wilson M57 is teaching the sixth grade Chula Vista school system in Calif. . .

### 1953

### 1954

Dr. Ronald J. Gibbons was awarded his doctorate in microbiology from the U. of Maryland where he was a recipient of a research fellowship to Harvard U. . . Rev. Stephen Hluchy was ordained into the ministry the Slovak Zion Synod of the United Lutheran Church in Riverside, Ill. . .Dr. Anthony M. Miceli received his doctor of medicine in June from George Washington U. and is presently interning at the S. I. Hospital. . .The Rev. Herbert P. Piehler has assumed the pastorate of Advent LC in Palisade, N. J. . . Edda Marder Schweid is a graduate student at San Francisco State College working for a masters in clinical psychology. . Malvin H. Tjorhom is the recipient of the master of arts degree in history from the U. of Rochester. . .

### 1955

Dr. Lucille Zigler Ankenman and her husband have both received M.D. degrees from the U. of Cincinnati in June. They plan to do missionary work in central Africa. . William T. Heil, Jr. has entered Union Theological Seminary this fall to study historical and systematic theology on a Lutheran Brotherhood life insurance scholarship. . .The Rev. Fred Holst's congregation in Orangeburg, N. Y. was officially organized on May 10th as Redeemer Lutheran Church. .Dr. Eugene Long has been awarded doctor of medicine at the George Washington Medical College. He is interning at the Meadowbrook Hospital, Hempstead, L.I. During his last years at medical school he received a research training grant from the

U. S. Public Health Service in psychiatry. . . Dr. Harry C. Morse received his doctor of medicine from Temple U. in June. He will intern at West Jersey Hospital in Camden. . . The Rev. Harry Reis, Jr. began service as curate at St. John's Episcopal Church Larchmont, N. Y. . Edward Rutmayer is stationed in Germany with the Air Force as a German linguist in the Security Service. . Elike B. Takyi is the dean of boys at the Lutheran Mission School in Monrovia, Liberia. . . The Rev. Carl Werner graduated from Mt. Airy Seminary and is now Pastor of Emanuel L. C., Phila., Pa. . . David Williams is entering his third year at the N.Y. Medical College at Flower Fifth in NYC. . .

### 1956

Thomas J. Coffey began teaching English at Port Richmond, HS in S.I. . . The Rev. Paul Garrity is pastor of St. Paul's LC in Greenfield, Mass. . . Marion Andersen Greene is teaching 3rd grade at P.S. 14, SI. . Barbara Hubbard is teaching in the Jr. HS system of Roselle Park, N.J. . . Rev. Harry O. Lysgaard is the new pastor of the Holy Trinity Evangelical LC in Caldwell, N.J.... Paul Mangodt is a customer contact man for the Federation Bank and Trust Co. at its office in Brooklyn. . . Norma Rosa Maratea is teaching at New Dorp HS while attending NYU. . . Norman Milligan is with the American Agric. Chemical Co., Carteret, N.J. . . Ed Peterson is in the public relations training program of the General Electric Co. in Cincinnati, Ohio. . . Bob Piela is in the Sales Service Dept. at Okonite Co. . . The Rev. Roy Roderick was installed as pastor of St. Johns' LC of Brooklyn, NY. . . Louis J. Romolo teaches HS while attending the U. of Indiana. . . Dorothy Varrone is teaching Jr. HS art in Niantic, Conn. . . Bill Weiszmiller is now a Lt. in the Air Force flying as navigator on a Strategic Air Command C-124 and living in Bossier City, La.

Peter Bornemann has been awarded a Samuel Trexler Fellowship from the NY and NE Synod to study theology at Heidelberg and Tuebingen Universities in Germany. . . Irene Lueders Cunningham now resides in San Mateo, Calif. . . Frank J. Demary, Jr. is sales trainee for Economics Laboratory Inc. NYC. . . Lt. (JG) Richard Eversen is in the US Coast Guard stationed in N.Y.C. as a recruitment officer. . . Lois Keene Feldman is teaching 5th grade in the Allentown school system in NJ. . . Kathryne Tracy Forsbrey, wife of Ewald S. Forsbrey '57, is with Donahue and Co. Inc. as traffic manager for radio and TV. . . John Fodor is an executive trainee with the J. Henry Schroder Banking Corp in NY. Olivia Frederica Garand received her master of arts degree from Wagner in June. . . Jean Anne Gross is a kindergarten teacher at PS 10 in SI. . . Michael H. Mahmet is a chemical analyst at the Esso Research & Eng. Co., Linden, NJ. . . Dorothea Murray teaches business education at Curtis HS in SI. . . Nicholas J. Navarino received his master of sci. in Education from Wagner in June. . . George E. Peterson has completed his first year at Seton Hall Medical School in NJ. . . Pvt. Alfred F. Rohls has completed advanced individual training with the 2nd Armoured Div. at Fort Hood, Tex. . . Margaret Ross MS'57 is teaching first grade in St. Petersburg, Fla. . . Martin T. Taylor has been appointed buyer in the purchasing dept. at the Mohansic Research Lab. of the IBM Research organization in Yorktown, NY. . . Joseph Trachta was appointed Editor-in-Chief of the NYU Grad. School of Bus. Admin. yearbook. . . Fred Wedemeyer served as asst. pastor of St. John's LC, Bronx, N. Y. this summer and is now back for his senior year at Mt. Airy Seminary.

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### A 60th Anniversary



The congregation of Bethlehem Lutheran Church, Rochester, N.Y., honored The Rev. Carl F. Betz '94 this summer on the 60th anniversary of both his ordination and installation as pastor of the church. Pastor Betz, who taught Greek and History at Wagner in Rochester from 1910-18, is the co-author of two books: "A Homiletical Handbook for Pastors" and "For the Lutheran Youth." During his long tenure at the church, Pastor Betz recalls only two occasions on which services had to be interrupted. One was a smallpox epidemic at the turn of the century, the other an influenza epidemic in 1918.

### News Briefs continued

Harry Agoratus is currently working on his master's degree at Seton Hall U. . . Gilberto Falcon is starting his second year at Mt. Airy Seminary, Phila. Pa. . . Walter G. Hartung has been promoted to publicity manager for the Fort Bliss, Tex., Education Office. . . Patricia A. Hill has been promoted to Lt. (j.g.) in the Nursing Corps, USNR and is stationed at U.S. Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif. . . Richard U. Maren is employed with the States Marine Shipping Co., Manhattan and is music director of Grace Church, Port Richmond. . William M. Massee graduated from Pratt Institute with the degree of Master of Library Science. . . . Rosemarie Pappalardo is teaching in East Orange and Millburn schools. . . Barbara L. Pietracatella received M.S. in Ed. degree from Wagner. . . Walter T. Schoen, Ir. was awarded his Master's degree in Guidance and Student Personnel Administration at Southern Illinois U. in June. He is assistant to the Dean of Men at Syracuse U... Lonny West spent the summer playing bas-ketball in Venezuela, Mexico, and Puerto Rico as a member of an international team. . Paul Zindel was awarded a scholarship to attend the N.Y.C. Writers Conference held at Wagner. . . Caroline R. Zuber is a 5th grade teacher at Wall Central School, Wall Township, N.J.

Alfred Bacci is a lab assistant teacher at Curtis HS in SI. . . Walter J. Barnes, Jr. is a credit reporter with Dun & Bradstreet while also doing graduate work in economics at Wagner. . . . Lola Bartram is a medical technician at Public Service Hospital, in SI. . .Walter H. Baumhoff was awarded a counselorship by Indiana U. and is studying for his masters in guidance. . . Dorothy Becker is nursing at Memorial Center for Cancer and Allied Diseases, NYC. . . Benjamin C. Biro is teaching in Metuchen NJ. . . Ronald

H. Bohr received a NY State Fellowship and is attending U. of Buffalo working for MA in Psychology. . Andrew L. Bryant Jr. is a med. tech. at Public Service Hos., SI. . . Barbara A. Caliendo is a pediatric nurse at SI Hos. . Alice J. Campbell is teaching 3rd grade at PS 3 in SI. . Eleanor Carey is a teacher at Stockton Sch., East Orange, NJ... Janet A. Castellano is teaching at PS 42 in SI while going for her MA at The New School. . . Joan H. Corell is a kindergarten teacher in Valley Stream LI school system. . . Marietta J. Corso is a math teacher at New Dorp HS in SI. . . Dewey L. Coscia is asst. engineer at NY Telephone Co. . . Lorraine Di Martino is an operating room tech, at SI Hos. . . David A. Drake is in US Marine Corps Officer training program at Pensacola, Fla. . . Fred C. Dunn was awarded a United Lutheran Synod scholarship to Mt. Airy Seminary. . . Ronald G. Ericksen is a tech. at Hyatt Bearings in Harrison, NJ. . . Stanley M. Ericsson is AOC in US Navy in Pensacola, Fla. . William W. Falvey is an electrical designer at the Parco Co. while

an electrical designer at the Parco Co. while going for a masters at NYU...

Marilyn R. Faust is working for her MA at Keene St. Teachers Coll. while serving as a nurse with the Vermont State Dept. of Health... Stephen W. Fedor is a jr.eng. with Burroughs Corp in Radnor, Pa. . Victor F. Figurelli is a chemist at Colgate-Palmolive Co. Jersey City NI. Sunny Finesth is at Co., Jersey City, NJ. . . Sunny Finseth is at Columbia U. studying for MA in French.

Margaret Glueck is a Registered Nurse at Brattleboro Retreat in Vermont. . . Kenneth E. Goehl was recently commissioned an ensign in the Navy. . . Roger W. Goetz is an account trainee with Universal Atlas Cement in Pittsburgh. . . Mary Ann Guebert is a staff nurse at Deaconess Hospital in St. Louis, Mo. . . Charlene C. Guest is a kindergarten teacher at the Summerfield Sch. in Neptune, NJ. . . Mrs. Mary M. Hackenbrock M'59 is a general science teacher at Port Richmond HS in SI. . . Marilyn A. Harper is the head of an art dept. in the Avon Conn., school system. . . Paul J. Hartung is doing grad work at the U. of Conn. . . Ruth

Bergemann Heil is teaching 2nd grade in the Stockton Sch. at East Orange, NJ. Mary Lou Heissenbuttel is studying social work at The New School in NYC. . . Catherine Hendrickson is a teacher in the Jefferson School, Plainfield, NJ. . . Penelope Norton Himonas is on the faculty of PS 41, in SI. . . Albert R. Huber is asst. art buyer at J.C. Penny, NYC. . . . Karla Huebing is studying for MS in microbiology at the U. of Maryland. . . Vera Lee Jones was awarded a teaching assistantship by Purdue U. and is studying for her Ph.D. in chemistry. . . Lawrence Karp is working toward his MS in retailing at NYU. . . Eileen Kelley is a delivery toward. delivery room nurse at SI Hospital. . . Katherine M. Kirincich is on the nursing staff of SI Hospital. . . Erika Knierim Knight is working toward a Ph.D. in chemistry at Columbia U. .

John Koloski is IBM supervisor with Wilbur Driver Co., Newark, NJ. . . Robert Kotterman is a pension approver at the Equitable Life Ins., NYC. . . Kenneth A. Kruser is a production clerk with US Gypsum, SI. . . Claire Kvande is teaching at PS 18 in SI. . . Claire L. Lallier was awarded a fellowship in radiological physics by the Atomic Energy Comm. She is working towards her MS at the U. of Rochester. . . David Lamb was commissioned at the Officer Candidate School, US Navy, Newport RI. . E. James Ledford is a jr. administrative asst. for the Port of NY Authority. . . Phyllis K. Lewis is a teacher at Central HS, Garden City, NY. . . Bruno B. L'Insalata is a lab engineer at Federal Pacific Electric Co., Newark, NJ. . . Virginia E. Lipinsky has been awarded an assistantship by the U. of Arkansas and is studying for MA in English. . Robert MacCraw is a bookkeeper at the State Agency of Brooklyn, NYC. . . Hope H. Machina is a music consultant and teacher in the Fear a music consultant and teacher in the Fern Place School in Plainview, NY. . . William V. Magee is a chemist with Best Foods in Bayonne, NJ. . . David R. Magnus is working toward his MS in biochemistry at Columbia. . . Daniel A. Mahala is an engineer at Western Electric, Newark, NJ, and is studying for his MS in math at Fairleigh Dickinson U. . . Carol Marschhaus has been awarded a teaching fellowship by Smith College and is studying for her MS in zoology. . . Joanne F. McAnn is a staff nurse at North-side Hospital, Rochester NY. . . . Hattie M. Meier is Dir. of Religious Education at L.C. of Good Shepherd, Bklyn. . . Viola G. Merlino received a grant to continue Ed. studies and is working part time at Rutgers for her Ph.D. Presently she is teaching at PS 21 in SI. .

Frank L. Merlo is special agent for the Prudential Life Inc. office on SI. . . David P. Miller has joined the staff of Peekskill Military Academy in Peekskill NY. . . . Cornelius J. Monahan is a mathematician with American Electrical Power Service Corp., NYC, while doing grad work at NYU. . . Cecelia A. Monat is a nurse at Brattleboro, Vt. . . Jerome J. Nedelka entered US Army for six months and is stationed at Camp Gordon, Ga. . . Mildred C. Nelson is a staff nurse at the US Public Health Service Hos SI. . . Donald C. Neu is a biochem technician at Charles Pfizer, Inc., Brooklyn. . . Richard W. Charles Phzer, Inc., Brooklyn. . . Richard W. Nielsen has been appointed to teach music in North Arlington, NJ. . . Richard F. O'-Connor Jr. is asst. librarian at the Supreme Court Library, Richmond County. . . Albert T. O'Donnell is a methods supervisor at Western Electric, NYC and is working toward an MA at Yeshiva U. . . Enio A.

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### N. J. Plant Manager



Charles K. Hellriegel '38 has been named plant manager of the Mack Trucks Co. Plainfield, N. J., division. He had formerly been manager of operation at the firm's Sidney, Ohio, assembly plant. Mr. Hellriegel has had extensive manufacturing experience in the aircraft and automotive tool industry. He is a member of American Ordinance Association, and the Society for Advancement of Management.

### News Briefs continued

Olivier is a production coordinator with Century Envelope Co., NYC. . . Doris V. Olson is a teacher in the Valley Stream, I.I, School System. . . Vincent J. Paras is a senior chemist at Wallerstein Co, SI. . . Janice Deich Parker is on the news staff of the SI Advance. . . Judith H. Pederson is now a nursery school teacher at the American School for the Deaf, West Hartford, Conn. . . Richard N. Petersen is with Phila. Bronze and Brass Corp., and was given an award to study towards his MBA at the Wharton Sch. of Bus, U. of Penn. . Frederick E. Preuss is now in his second yr. at Mt. Airy Sem. . . Peter A. Psota is attending US Coast Guard Officer Candidate School in Yorktown, Va.

Marguerite Frenssen Rehberger is a premium poster at Mutual of NY, NYC. Kathryn Wahlers Reisch is a math teacher in the Francis Maloney HS, Meriden, Conn. . . George G. Rhatigan is a methods analyst at Banker's Trust Co., NYC and is studying at Pace Coll. . . Patricia K. Rue is a 4th grade teacher in Brooklyn. . . Richard Rugen is head accountant at United Crescent Dry Cleaning Corp., Brooklyn. . . Robert P. Scarr is an accountant with Esso Stand. Oil Co, NYC. . . Rosemarie K. Schmidt is a public health nurse in the Visiting Nurse Service NYC. . . S. David Serena is doing grad work in anatomy at NYU. . . R. Carin Reinhold Shiga is a kindergarten teacher at PS 11, Berry Annex, SI. . . Charlie F. Simpson is in OCS in the Marine Corps at Quantico, Va. . . David E. Sneden is asst. engineer at Raytheon Co., Waltham, Mass. . . . . . . . . . . . . W. Steeve is studying criminal law at St. John's U. . . Edward C. Sullivan is attending NYU working towards a MA in math. . . Patricia J. Sweeney has joined the staff of the Manhasset Visiting Nurse Service, NY. . . Joel H. Swift has a tuition scholarship awarded by the U. of Penn to study law. . . Judith I. Takach is teaching 4th grade at PS 18, SI. . . Charles F. Taverna is a chemist at Merck, Sharpe, and Dohne, Rahway, NJ. . . Ruth Von Rusten Thumann is a 3rd grade teacher in the Pearl River school system while she is studying for her master's at Fairleigh Dickinson U. . . William T. Tighe is in advertising research at Dancer, Fitzgerald & Sample, Inc., NYC. . . Paul C. Walley is at Gettysburg Theological Seminary preparing for the Luth. ministry. . . Marvin Weissglass M59 is an executive secretary at Gold Seal Products Corp., Elizabeth, NJ. . . Theodore J. Wilkening is an eng. with the NY Telephone Co. and is studying for his PhD in applied math at the Brooklyn Polytechnic Institute. . . Mrs. Andrea Stutz Zarou M59, is an elementary school teacher at the Coolidge School in Baldwin, LI. . .

### **OBITUARIES**

John J. F. O'Donnell '55 died August 4 after a 4-month illness. He was commander of SI's Beauvais-Hudson Post, American Legion. Surviving are his wife, Helen, a daughter, Mrs. Sheila Weckerle, and a son, James L. '57.

Lonnie W. Knight '59 died December 2 after being hospitalized for several months. Lonnie graduated Magna Cum Laude in June and was awarded a Cooperative Graduate Fellowship by the National Science Foundation. He was studying at N.Y.U. for his Ph.D. in Chemistry. He is survived by his wife, the former Erika Knierim '59, and his parents, Chaplain and Mrs. L. W. Knight.



A daughter, Karyl, to Mr. and Mrs. William Hobokan '52, February 23, 1958. A son, Scott, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Groom (Shirley Josephson Groom M'59),

August 15, 1958.

A daughter, Roberta Ann, to Rev. Frederick W. '54 and Mrs. Faye Zitzkat '55 Frick, October 31, 1958.

A daughter, Kathleen, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert T. O'Donnell '59, November 2, 1958.

A son, James, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruno B. L'Insalata '59, November 29, 1958.

A daughter, Melissa Ann, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Lanahan (Carolyn Dangerfield 55N), December 18, 1958.

A son, Scott David, to S. David '59 and Georgene Palmer 57N Serena, January 4,

A daughter, Jennifer, to Rev. and Mrs. Henry Cornish '43, January 14. A son, David Mark, to Rev. Paul, Jr. '54

and Mrs. Anne Skaritka A56 Baranek, January 18.

A son, Lawrence Hans, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Swift '53, January 23.

A daughter, Sandra Joyce, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Merlo '59, January 27.

A daughter, Carolyn Jan, to Dr. Norman '49 and Mrs. Janith Olsen '48 M'58 Schaefer, February 8.

A son, Richard Leigh, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Targan (Anita Dinnerstein '51), February 20.

A son, John Victor, to Louis '58 and Carol

Bean A58 Imhof, February 24. A daughter Patricia Lynn, to Mr. and Mrs.

Adolph Moller '53, April 29. A daughter, Patricia Ann, to Mr. and

Mrs. William J. Skeen '59, May 21. A son, Robert Joseph, to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Natale (Annette Cirillo 58N), May

A son, Craig Andrew, to Rev. and Mrs. Norman C. Klein '54, May 26.

A daughter, Patricia Lynn, to B. H. Jr. '53 and Ernestine Petsch 55N Jones, June 2. A daughter, Lynette Eve, to Dr. and Mrs.

Eugene B. Herman '51, June 9. A daughter, Debora Ann, to Mr. and Mrs.

Charles F. Taverna '59, June 10.
A daughter, Susan Pamela, to Mr. and

Mrs. Burgis Coates '51, June 11. A daughter, Charlotte Elizabeth, to Mr.

and Mrs. A. William Heidler, Jr. (F), June

A daughter, Lynetta Mary, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Domke '56, June 16. A son, Dean Philip, to Mr. and Mrs.

Louis F. Neuburger (Dorothy Krauss '44), June 18.

A son, Mark Howard, to Howard W. '51

A daughter, Kim to, Richard (F) and Karin Peck (F) Van Name, June 24.
A son, Gerhard Paul, to Rev. Gerhard G.
'40 and Mrs. Marie Ohlson '43 Dietrich,

July 5.

A daughter, Beth Louise, to Rev. and Mrs. George E. Kenyon, Jr. '53, July 29. A daughter, Kathleen Valerie, to Mr. and

Mrs. Fred Holmes '55, August 22.



Jacques Badin and Doris A. Johnson '49, January 18, 1958.

Daniel A. Mahala '59 and Jill Miller, May 31, 1958,

John Nelson and Barbara Bellmann 57N, May 31, 1958.

George G. Rhatigan '59 and Elizabeth Joan Gough, June 14, 1958.

Charles E. Walker, Jr. '57 and Ann E. Harbecke '59, July 4, 1958.

Robert H. Moore, Jr. and Barbara Bou-gades '59, August 2, 1958. Donald C. Neu '59 and Carol-Ann Wolff,

September 6, 1958.

Philip A. Rehberger '60 and Marguerite Marie Frenssen '59, September 6, 1958. Richard Rugen '59 and Elizabeth Mary

Zoder, October 18, 1958.

Robert Sander '50 and Myra A. Weiger, October 26, 1958.

Henry Feldman and Lois Keene '57, November 1, 1958.

Robert D. Powell and Jean Nelson '57, December 27, 1958.

Joseph Romano, Jr. '50 and Hildegard E.

Kretschmer, February 7, 1959.

James Bayley and Carole White '56 March 6.

Robert G. Wilson (F) and Eileen Marie Moore, April 4.

William Bruce Parker and Janice Deich '59, May 14.

Richard U. Maren '58 and Eleanor B. Anderson, May 30.

Kenneth A. Kruser '59 and Barbara Hansen, June 6.

Rev. Stanley H. Knull '50 and Delores Petto, June 6.

Robert B. MacCraw '59 and Diane Mc-

Donough (F), June 6. John H. Cunningham, Jr. and Irene

Dorothea Lueders '57, June 6. Leland B. Piper '56 and Nora Marie Johnson, June 6.

Dr. Harry C. Morse '55 and Elizabeth G. Haughton, June 13.

Anthony Davio '60 and Jacqueline D'-Antonio '59, June 13.

Rev. Rolf William Eschke and June Marilyn Schoch, June 13.

Rev. Herbert P. Piehler '54 and Shirley Ann Fuchs, June 13.

Charles E. Cortelyou '51 and Ruth E. Rieger, June 20.

Albert Anderson, Jr. '52, M'53, and

Phyllis Rockwell, June 20. Ronald Dircks and Ellen J. Derr '59, June

David E. Williams '55 and Barbara Ann

Krumm, June 20.

Ira Pisetzner '58 and Barbara Ronna Kleinman, June 21.

Harold G. Thompson '54 and Carole Lynn Wolff (F), June 21.

Robert J. Mahala '57 and Maureen P. Hagan, June 27.
Robert T. Morhard '58 and Ursula M.

Moss (F), June 27.

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### **COMING COLLEGE EVENTS**

### **BASKETBALL SCHEDULE**

### January 6 Hofstra ..... .. Away 9 Scranton ... Home 11 Adelphi ..... ... Away 13 Kings Point ...... Away 16 Albright ..... ... Home 30 St. Peter's .... .. Home **February** 3 Fordham .... ... Away 6 Moravian .... ..... Home 10 Iona ..... ... Home 12 Gettysburg ..... 13 Juniata ..... ..... Away 16 Stevens Away 20 Drexel ..... 23 Brooklyn College ..... ... Home 25 Muhlenberg .....

27 Fairleigh Dickinson ...... Home

### CAMPUS CALENDAR

### January

4 Classes resume

14 Convocation, 10 a.m. Speaker: Henry W. Balgooyen

20 Parent Guild meets

27-29 Winter Carnival at Concord, N.Y.

### **February**

7 Wagner Forum, 8:30 p.m. Speaker: Dr. Lester Lewis

12 S. I. Guild meets

12-13 Campus Community Chest Carnival

20 Arista Day

21 Homecoming choir concert

26 Freshman show

### March

3— 5 Varsity Players production

9 Vocational Guidance Day

13-18 Faith and Life Week

21-25 CCC solicitations