A CHALLENGE TO ALL ALUMNI

As Indiana Central begins another year let us make this a memorable year not only on the campus but wherever Alumni are located. If there are many or few in your area why not get together and plan something special for your group to do in helping to support our Alma Mater?

Christian education has been the backbone of our country and those of us who realize its importance must not fail to do our part in making it possible for such schools as Indiana Central to prosper. To do this Indiana Central must have standards that will challenge youth and prepare them for the future. Since the spirit of the law is just as important as the letter of the law, the Christian spirit prevailing at Central is as important as the knowledge that is presented.

If you are not a life member now is a good time to pay that life membership fee.

Don't forget to get your friends and go to the Alumni luncheon on Friday, October 24, during teacher's convention.

Let's talk Indiana Central and give the college a boost. Very best wishes to you for a successful year.

Blanche Penrod
Alumni President

ALUMNI LUNCHEON

The annual fall luncheon of the Indiana Central College Alumni Association will be held as usual in the Gold Room of the Washington Hotel at 12 noon, October 24. The cost of the tickets, including tips, will be $1.65. Because of prohibitive cost, as stated in the Dec. 1, 1951 issue of the NEWS, no post card notice will be sent out. It is important, however, that reservations be made. Please send your reservation not later than Oct. 22 to Virginia Cravens, Indiana Central College. No money need be sent. This is a good place to eat and meet your friends. The program will be brief so that you may get to the afternoon session of the Association on time.

FORMER FACULTY MEMBERS

Wolfgang G. A. Edelman, chairman of the music department, 1946-1949, has been appointed director of the Sterling Township High School band, Sterling, Illinois. Dr. Richard A. Wallach, a native of Vienna, Austria, who came to Indiana Central in 1941 as professor of German and French and went from here to Storer College, Harper's Ferry, Va., has returned with his wife to Austria.
THE PRESIDENT SPEAKS

Another school year is off to a good start. New students came to campus 189 strong and it was necessary for us to make provision for a number of additional sections in the freshman courses. We added two in English Composition, one in history, one in art appreciation, and one in music appreciation. We also had to open Burton Hall, which we were planning to keep closed this year. But Men's Hall will not hold them all so more than thirty of the upper-class men are located in Burton. These are the kind of adjustments which it is a pleasure to make.

We are looking forward to a good year. The increased enrollment (400), this fall and the financial support which we received last year make the future look very encouraging. We appreciate the fine way in which many of the members of the Alumni are cooperating in our college program. This has been very helpful in securing students and in many other ways. This fine cooperative spirit does much to strengthen our entire institution.

Each year we attempt to make some improvement. This year we made a major improvement in Wilmore Hall. The new drapes, spreads, curtains, light fixtures and rugs have made the rooms really attractive. The complete re-building of the bathrooms has also added convenience and beauty to the building for the girls. We also insulated under the roofs at Wilmore, Men's Hall, and the Administration Building. All of this will add to the comfort of our students.

We will be looking for you on campus on October 11, when we are planning a big day for Homecoming and High School Day. It will be a good time to greet old friends and to make new acquaintances among our ever-growing Central family.

I. Lynd Esch, President
The Reverend Robert L. Liggett, '37; M.A. '38, I. U.; D.Ed.,'49, I. U.; pastor of the Macedon Church of Clayton was found dead in his home about seven o'clock on the evening of July 16 by his wife, who had been attending a Youth Camp at Cambria. It is thought that he died the previous evening. He had gone on that day with his wife to the Camp and returned home for duties there. Seemingly he had lain down to rest late in the evening after starting a letter. Before the closing of Canterbury College Robert had served as head of the department of education there, where he was as popular with the students as he was with his fellow students and faculty here at Central. Last year he did some weeks of unusual and highly satisfactory substitute teaching in the Ben Davis Grade School.

Lambert Oliver, x-49, brother of Lawrence Oliver, '43, and Olive Truesdale, x-43, died in California where he had undergone a heart operation which proved fatal. His body was returned to Alexandria, the home of the Oliver's, for burial. A wife and two children survive.

FACULTY STUDY AND TRAVEL

Immediately after commencement Dr. and Mrs. Kellogg started for a trip through the Far West, the chief objective being a fortnight's visit with Dr. Kellogg's mother in California.

Dr. Anna Dale Aek and Miss Mary Huey drove to the New England states for a week of sight-seeing and relaxation before Dr. Aek began six weeks of intensive study of German at Colby College, Waterville, Maine. Miss Huey returned to Indiana by bus, stopping for a few days in New York City. At the end of summer school here Dr. Aek joined his wife in Maine, where they spent two delightful weeks of vacation. While there they visited with James and Mildred Hockersmith Miller, '42 and '43, and young daughter. James is teaching at Bates College, Lewiston.

Prof. Schirmer spent another summer studying at the Julliard School of Music in New York.

Prof. Underwood continued his study in Wisconsin Univ. toward a doctorate in modern languages.

George Shirley, assistant professor of music and teacher of piano spent the first six weeks of summer studying at the University of Texas. Then he joined his wife in Kansas, where they spent the rest of the summer at the homes of their parents.

Professors Pielemeyer and Ricks commuted to Bloomington where they were enrolled for summer study in I. U.

A POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY

Each year more and more of Central's young alumni are being placed in positions of serious responsibility. One of these is Dave Shaw, just out of college. Last year he was the mainstay of the football team as one of the players. This year he finds himself in the position of coach and builder of a team, largely of new material. He finds himself in this position because of the respect in which he has been held during his undergraduate days both by his teammates and recruits, and of the faculty. With the additional loyalty and support of every alumnum this year Dave will prove a worthy successor to Coaches George, Good, Nicolson, and Burklewicz.
WILMORE HALL DRESSED UP

Nothing will give former residents of Wilmore Hall, former New Hall, more satisfaction than to know that the rooms are redecorated (see President's column) and that the bathrooms have been rebuilt with tile floors, tile walls, new fixtures in the showers, new mirrors and new ceilings. Letters went out from this office last year asking for contributions from alumnae to cover the cost of the redecorating of the rooms. Many generous checks came in, but not enough. Several alumnae have written in to say they have not been able to contribute thus far, but are planning to do so early this year. The executive committee has underwritten the project on the expectation that sufficient contributions will come in.

Your contribution will be gladly received. Please make your check to the college, stating what it is for, and send it to the alumni office.

The following excerpt from one letter is such as warms the hearts of those who are left on the campus to carry on the work of the college: "Thanks a lot, Miss Cravens, for giving me an opportunity to help out on Wilmore Hall. I hope all the girls who go to college will have as many pleasant memories to keep as I have." The writer, who is the mother of four children, enclosed a check for fifty dollars.

Another note with a fifty-dollar check and written by an alumna whose wife was too busy with the children to write says: "We are both happy we can do something for the college."

The present residents are also very happy about this improvement.

HOMECOMING AND HIGH SCHOOL DAY

Saturday, October 11. Come to the campus for the parade of floats, and to Delevan-Smith Field for the ball game. We want to see you!

A CENTRALITE GATHERING

Mildred Myers Flanary writes most interestingly of an informal gathering at Goff Field Park, Sunday June 21, of some who were freshmen in Dailey Hall in the fall of '37.

Harold and Neva Funk Mikesell (farmer, teacher); Otis and Ethel Pfeiffer Baker (teacher, housewife, 1 son); Emmanuel and Virginia Gates Pennimore (salesman, teacher, 2 daughters); Corwin and Frances Whiteuman Towe (salesman, housewife, 2 d's, 1 s); Lloyd and Betty Smith Hannan (Lilly's, housewife, 3 s, 1 d); Ben and Lila Snyder Miller (engineer, housewife, 2 d, 1 s); Allan and Wilma Smith Woody (Allison's, housewife); Harvey and Henrietta Rider Showalter, (internal revenue, housewife, 2 d, 1 s); James and Harriet Hancock Piepenbrock (Simpson-Miller, housewife, 2 d, 1 s); Lawrence and Anita Mitchell Oliver, (auto salesman, housewife, 2 d, 1 s); George and Myra Anderson (machinist, housewife, 1 d, 1 s); Robert and Mildred Myers Flanary (Allison inspector, housewife and teacher, 1 s).

Mildred says of herself: "We are quite happy in our average, normal life. We are active in church affairs. I am pianist and junior superintendent and Robert is a lifetime elder.

x-47. Marjorie Bennett Euler is now in Japan, where her husband, Frank Euler, is preaching and ministering to two churches.
x-54. John Tompkins has transferred to the Indiana School of Dentistry.
The following is a summary of a letter written last spring by Shubert Frye, class of 1927:

"I left Indiana in '28 to attend Auburn Theological Seminary, received a B.Th. in '31, ordained to the Presbyterian ministry, married Eva Watson, who was graduated the same year in religious education, took her to Edinburgh, Scotland where we enjoyed a year on the basis of my Maxwell Fellowship from Auburn.

I hold two pastorates in Youngstown and King's Ferry, N.Y.; for ten years have been Associate Executive of the Synod of N.Y. with primary interest in town and country churches. I have served as editor of the Presbyterian Rural Fellowship Bulletin and member of the National Council of Churches Commission on Worship and Fine Arts. Eva is chairman of the Children's Work Committee of the State Council of Churches. We both do some writing for our denominational board of Christian Education. But our chief joy is our family of two adopted children, Peter, 8 and Sarah, 5."

The Reverend George Jacobs was soloist at the wedding of Rachel Johnson in Peoria, August 24.

Ralph Swisher is pastor of the Emmanuel Church of Rock Hill, S.C.

Gerald Brown since early in the spring has been serving as the pastor of the First Congregational Church of Bellevue, Ohio. Previous to his going to Bellevue he was assistant pastor of the Brookside EUB Church of Indianapolis.

Jean Miller is employed this year as voice teacher and librarian in the Argos Schools.

Ray Pierce is teaching in Louisville, Indiana.

Virginia Trohearne Stanley is now living in Florida.

FUTURE CENTRALITIES

Stephen Chaillie Clendenning came to the parsonage in Fairport, N.Y., on May 25 to the delight of his two older sisters. The mother is the former Virginia Chaillie, '44.

Melanie Sue is the name given by Jack, '43, and Kay, x-42, Wells to the girl who arrived on June 11 to join two older brothers and a sister.

Glen and Mary Alice Catlin, '45, and '43, announced the birth of Mark Alan on July 19 at Sheffield, Illinois.

Susan Marie Miller was born on July 3 to John C. and Ida Mae Good Miller, '39.

Bonnie Sue was born to Kenneth and Hallie Davis Sidebottom, '42 and '43 on July 10.

Marilyn Kay Gorbett arrived at the home of Don and Dorval Youngblood Gorbett, '43, on August 26. The Gorbetts, who have been ministering to the Georgetown church, were transferred by the Conference to the St. James Church of Evansville.

Lloyd and Betty Smith, '39, Han- nan, announced the arrival of Carol Elizabeth on July 20.

Wallace A. Decker, for five years a music instructor in the Greenwood High School, has resigned that position to become instrumental instructor in the Indianapolis Public Schools.

Be like the bird,
Which halting in his flight
On limb too slight
Feels it give way beneath him,
Yet sings
Knowing he has wings.

Victor Hugo
PERSONALS

'26. Robert Parsons and Hope Taylor Parsons, '28, who have been since 1946 with the Hartford Seminary Foundation of Hartford, Connecticut, are now spending their sabbatical leave in Africa, where they served as missionaries in the thirties. They will remain in Africa until January of 1953.

'28. Clyde Reese, a veteran of World War II and formerly a teacher in Darlington, Ind., High School, is now living with his family south of Indianapolis and is principal of the University Heights Grade School. Mrs. Reese, Olive Reese, (Olive Line, '30) is teaching at Bluff Road.

Mrs. Clara Lendenhall Shoemaker of Media, Ill., after being out of the school room for 15 years, is now returning to the teaching profession.

'29. Leila Dunbar Pate of Odon, Indiana, is the wife of a rural mail carrier and the mother of a foster son of six years. Since 1942 she has been teaching English in the Odon and neighboring schools.

The Newcastle-Courier of July 14 announced the resignation of Earl Loarne, who for the past three years has been principal of the Newcastle Senior High School.

'32. Mary Morgan Martz, after many years in the South and West, is happy to be back in Indiana, living in Columbus. Her husband is stationed at Camp Atterbury as Adjutant General of the Sixth Corps. They have two sons, one six, born in Tokyo, the other three, born in Texas.

'34. Henry Busche accompanied his father the past summer on a visit to Germany, his father's birthplace. Henry has returned to his teaching of music in McCurdy Col-

lege. Dorothy Davis Busche, '35, is teaching in the Jacksonville elementary schools.

'35. Ralph Newby of Noblesville has purchased an interest in the Carey-McCray automobile firm of Noblesville.

'37. Clark Hoot, principal of the elementary schools of Rock Falls, Ill., received a master of arts degree from the University of Ill. this summer. Mrs. Hoot is the former Genevieve Cantrell. There are two children, Karen, 11, and Linda, 9.

'39. Bruce Wright has been made Executive Vice-President of the Brazil Trust Company, where he has been assistant cashier since 1940.

'49. Philip McCracken, who received his A.B. degree from the Univ. of New Mexico is moving with his wife, Nancy Winebrenner, '49, and two children to Lafayette. He is beginning study toward a doctorate in Purdue University.

'50. Don Ray, a major in business administration, who has been employed since his graduation by L. J. Ayres, was this past summer made buyer in the men's wear department, the youngest person to have been given such a position.

Moses Mahoi is enrolled in the College of Medicine of Columbia University and will live at Bard Hall, 50 Haven Ave., New York 32.

Louise Dragoon, who has been a teacher in the Edgewood Schools for the past two years and an airline hostess during the summer and on week ends, has this past summer been with the Plymouth Players, Plymouth, Mass., where she has had two leads in three plays.

James D. Kindred has charge of the music in the McCurdy School, Santa Cruz, New Mexico.

Ruth Crosby Campbell is now living in Butternut, Wis., where her husband, Eldon Campbell, is pastor of the EUB Church.
Wm. E. Schaefer, '35, was recently awarded the Catholic Action plaque of the fourth degree, Knights of Columbus. The plaque is awarded each year for outstanding accomplishment in the field of Catholic action. Mr. Schaefer lives in University Heights and is a member of Sacred Heart Parish of Indianapolis, where he has been active in parish affairs. He is remembered in college as a star basketball player. His wife is the former Frances Hite-Jones. They have four children. Since graduating from Central he has been employed by the U.S. Rubber Co. and is now manager of the bicycle tire department.

LOOKING AHEAD

The Class of '28 have already begun to make plans for their 28th reunion next Alumni Day. Have you, Classes of '13, '15, '23, '33, '38, '43, '48? It is your reunion day, you know.

LIFE MEMBERSHIPS

Again you are being reminded of life memberships and will continue to be until everyone is paid, because at present that is the only means the Alumni Association has of paying its bills. These bills are of necessity getting larger and larger every year because of the increasing number of ALUMNI NEWS being mailed out and because of salary of the executive secretary. Of course, if you have not already done so, you want to pay for your copy of the NEWS. It is hoped that many checks will come in early this fall. Especially it is hoped that all members of the reuniting class of next Alumni Day will be paid-up members of the association before that day. In the next issue of the NEWS there will be published a continuation of the list in the June 15 issue.

ANNUAL 1942 REUNION

The class of '42 held their fourth annual summer picnic and reunion at Broad Ripple Park on Saturday evening, August 2. It was a delightful evening with good conversation and good food. The following members of the class were present with their families: Angus Nicolson, Carroll Eichhorst Rose, Adolph Walker, Lee Perry, Mary Alice Sidebottom Turner, James Piepenbrock, Kenneth Sidebottom, and Evelyn Greek Phillips. Miss Weaver, Miss Cravens, Mrs. I. J. Good, and President Eshch were guests. President Eshch brought the greetings and latest news of the college. Ida Mae Good Miller with her husband and young baby called after the supper hour. Bonnie Sue Sidebottom, just three weeks old, was the youngest present.

PROFESSOR RETURNS

Indiana Central is happy to have Dr. Strickler with his family return to us after ten years' absence. He will resume his position as teacher of physics, which, because of his daughter's health, he gave up to go to Sterling College, Sterling, Kansas.

ALL MEMBERS AND FORMER STUDENTS OF THE CLASS OF 1950: The class will hold a picnic on the campus following the Homecoming Game October 11. Contact Alvera Baldwin Shaw, Indiana Central College, ID 3157, or Joyce Everett Owen, 1316 Kiel, Indianapolis, CY 0910.
The football team, coached by Dave Shaw, registered victory number one against no defeats when they lashed Taylor 32-0 on September 20. On the same date the Conference Champ Cross Country Team defeated Taylor 21-40.

The Greyhounds were finally declared Hoosier Conference Champs for 1951-52 in all sports at the last meeting of the conference committee. The cross country and baseball teams finished first, the basketball and football teams finished second, the track team and golf team third, and the tennis team tied for sixth in the conference.

(Personals, Continued)

'51. Donald Dow is working with the Holy Trinity Lutheran Church of Fort Wayne, Indiana, as director of youth activities and assistant in the department of religious education.

Harold McPherson is this year teaching social science in the McCurdy School, New Mexico, and acting as counselor in the boys' dormitory. Gertrude Beasley is teaching home economics in the McCurdy School.

'52. Anthony (Tony) S. Priola is employed as personnel director of 400 employees of Mitchell and Scott, Inc., the leading job shop in the Middle West. There are two plants in Indianapolis. Tony is the first personnel director of the company and was given the position upon his graduation from Central, majoring in business administration.

Richard Warren is entering the Graduate School of the University of Michigan in the area of Latin American Studies to work for the M. A. degree.

Leon Patterson of Hillsdale will teach at Hillsboro this year.

Rosemary Arndt is teaching mathematics in the Edgewood School.

Everett Beasley is teaching in the Indianapolis Schools.

Donald Bulthaup is now in the Air Corps.

Betty Lunsford is teaching in the Noblesville, Ind., Schools.

Elwood McBride is teaching and coaching at Reelsville, Indiana.

Gordon Cole, Robert Miller, Dale Robinson, and Donald Robinson are in the armed service.

Charles Morris is serving three churches near Reynolds Station, Ky.

Judith Morgan is teaching science and health in the Edgewood Schools.

Wesley Pellett is teaching in Piqua, Ohio.