ITS HERE! 1955 has arrived. It is a year to which we at Indiana Central have been looking forward. Significant events are before us as we commemorate our Golden Anniversary. The Anniversary Committee is in the midst of plans in which each alumnus will want to participate. Many will want to be present for the Convocation on February 3, at 8:00 P.M. in the college church which will be the official opening of the Anniversary commemoration. Bishop Reuben H. Mueller will be the speaker. Other events will follow centered around the Commencement in June and Founder's Day in October. We anticipate that it will be the greatest year in the history of the college. It will be a good time for each alumnus to renew acquaintance with friends of former days and with the campus and present faculty and student body. Rich experiences of fellowship are in store for all who share in these activities.

We are happy to extend to every graduate and former student of Central an very cordial and urgent invitation to attend all of these functions in commemoration of our Golden Anniversary.

I. Lynd Esch, President

Achor, '28, Voted Judge of Ind. Supreme Court

Judge Harold E. Achor of Anderson, who on December 31 completed four years on the appellate court bench of the Northern Indiana district, was elected in November as judge of the Indiana Supreme Court Fourth District and was sworn into office at the beginning of this year. After receiving an A.B. degree from Central he attended the Indiana University School of Law, receiving his LL.B. degree in 1931.

He practiced law in Anderson from 1931 until 1942. From 1942 to 1950 he served as Madison county superior judge. He is a member of the board of trustees of Anderson College and belongs to the board of governors of the Associated Colleges of Indiana. His wife is the former Helen Morrison, daughter of John A. Morrison, President of Anderson College. They have two daughters, Dianne 17 and Lana 13.

Judge Achor was awarded an LL.D. degree from Indiana University in 1954.
THE ONCOMING TIDE

The American College enrollment is increasing at an unprecedented rate. The number of college students has doubled in the last 50 years, reaching 22 million today.

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Colleges, during the last 50 years, have increased their enrollment by 1.5 million. In 1960, only 1.5 million of the young people of college age were enrolled in college. Today, that number is 5 million. More than half of the young people of college age are enrolled in college. Unfortunately, 3 million of the young people of college age are not enrolled in college.

This is an increase of 33 percent in 36 years. If we maintain our ratio of 1 teacher for every 25 pupils, our American College enrollment would be approximately 8 million teachers in the next 66 years.

Without more schools, we will not be able to meet the needs of the students.

We need more schools and classrooms. We need American standards on classrooms of 25 pupils for every 36 teachers. If we maintain this ratio, we will need another 3 million teachers in the next 66 years.

We need more schools. We need more classrooms. We need more teachers. We need more students. We need more books.

... Parker Jordan, Director of Development.

From the Desk of

our Alumni President

To whom it may concern,

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He's have a Citrus

As plans are being made for the celebration of the 52nd Anniversary of Indiana Central, it has been suggested that an alumni choir be formed to sing at the commencement exercises. There are enough alumni who have sung in the college choir, glee clubs, quartets, and trios, in addition to those who have done solo work and major work in voice to form a good alumni choir. Will you please let me know if you will be able to form a choir? I am looking forward to the possibility of having a Choir at the commencement exercises.

Pamela F. Jordan
President, Alumni Association

Virginia Graves

Director of Development
Brandenbukg Elected to Central Church Post

E. Craig Brandenburg, A. B.'30; D. D. '46, Superintendent of Indiana Conference South since 1944, was elected Executive Secretary of the General Board of Christian Education at the recent meeting of the General Conference of the EUB Church in Milwaukee. He succeeds Bishop-Elect Reuben H. Mueller, who assumed his duties as bishop on January 1 and has taken up residence in the new bishop's manse at the corner of Otterbein and Castle Avenues, University Heights. Dr. and Mrs. Brandenburg, the former Eva Traylor of the class of 1930, and their son Calvin, 15, will live in Dayton, Ohio, where his office will be.

COLUMBUS
A meeting of alumni was held in Columbus on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 21, with Paul Whiteman, '49, as temporary chairman. Noel Genth, '34, was made president of the group with Paul Whiteman as secretary.

ANDERSON
The following night a similar meeting was held in Anderson, with Gordon France, '33, as chairman. He and Everett Ebbertt, '36, are acting as co-workers in the campaign for funds.

SOUTH BEND
On Tuesday evening the same campus group traveled to South Bend, all the way through rain and snow, to meet with a good group from South Bend and Plymouth. Russell Hatfield, '31, accepted the choice of the group as president. Marcella Cornetet, '26, was made secretary. The campus group left South Bend at ten o'clock, came home for a short night of sleep and were at their desks at eight o'clock the next morning.

FORT WAYNE
The last meeting of this sort for 1954 was held at Fort Wayne in the late afternoon of Dec. 5 under the capable leadership of Joan Baldwin, '53. Rev. Alva Ward, '33, was made president of the group, with Arville and Lena Swan, '33, as assistants.

Ralph Smith, '39, heads church
The Rev. Ralph W. Smith, who has served the First Presbyterian Church of Danville, Illinois, as its associate pastor the past two years, has been made pastor of that church. Among the clergymen serving on the installation committee was the father of Rev. Smith, the Rev. A. D. Smith, '15, pastor of the Otterbein EUB Church of Terre Haute and former professor at Indiana Central. A brother, the Rev. L. Wayne Smith, '37, is associated with the Henderson Memorial Methodist Church of Detroit, Mich. Rev. Smith's church is the only "down town church" left in Danville and has a membership of 1500. It is this year celebrating its 125th anniversary. Mrs. Smith is the former Lillian Hart, x-42. They have three children.

Alumni Club News

SHELBYVILLE
On the very rainy and foggy night of Nov. 18 a carload of persons went from the campus to Shelbyville, where a meeting was held with Catherine Stine Hinshaw, '30, in charge. Plans were made for holding another meeting later in the year. Giles Phelps, '50, is in charge of solicitation of subscriptions for funds for the New Academic Hall.
Lois Gillan Lance, B. S. '44, was awarded a master of arts degree at commencement exercises held at the University of Minnesota August 19, 1954.

Robert R. Rowland, x-46, is serving as pastor of the Morton Memorial Methodist Church of Clarksville, Indiana.

Rev. John M. Kirkpatrick, '39, pastor of the Methodist Church of Fowler, Indiana, since 1951, is now pastor of the First Methodist Church of Washington, Ind. Mrs. Kirkpatrick is the former Alice Mitchell, x-40. They have four children.

Frances Van Buskirk Gilman, '45, with her husband Frank and children has moved from their home in Ft. Wayne to 14312 E. Alacante Rd., La Mirada, Calif. This move was made for the benefit of the health of her son, Emerson Barker, Jr., whose father lost his life in World War II.

Loren Hoch, '50, is teaching his second year at Hammond Tech. He finished his work for his master's degree at Ball State last August.

Carl Nellans, N34, after ten years as owner of an appliance store at Plymouth, Indiana, is now employed by the Associates Investment Company of Valparaiso.

BAMBERG, GERMANY--PFC Arnold Spilly recently was graduated with honors from the Army's 26th Infantry Regiment Signal School in Bamberg, Germany.

Private First Class Spilly has since returned to his duties as a radio operator with Headquarters Company of the 1st Infantry Division's 26th Regiment. A 1953 graduate of Indiana Central and member of Alpha Psi Omega fraternity, he entered the army in August, 1953 and arrived overseas last May from Fort Belvoir, Va.

Kathryn Langford, '53 became the bride of Glen M. Cullom of Mt. Olive, Illinois, in a ceremony performed in the E. U. B. Church of Paris, Ill., on Dec. 26. Attendants of the bride were her three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Langford Jewell of Muncie, Ind., Mrs. Fern Langford Linderman, x-44, of New Albany, Ind., and Mrs. Marjorie Langford Ginther, '46, of Clarksville, Ind. Assisting at the reception were Dorothy Schober, '53, and Kathryn Neeley Van Earleywine, x-53. The groom is a brother of Maudethel Cullom, secretary in the office of the registrar and dean of Indiana Central. He had prepared a home for his bride in Mt. Olive, where the couple will live.

Clara Files, '43, was married to Christ Niermann on November 25 in a simple ceremony performed in the E. U. E. Church of Flora, Ill., the bride's home. Since her graduation from Indiana Central, she has been teaching in the Perry township schools. The groom is a gardener of Perry township. The couple are living at 4030 Bluff Road, Indianapolis, Ind.

Dixie Key, '54, and Fred Clemenz, junior at I.C.C., were married in an evening ceremony in the University Heights Church December 18. The bride is a daughter of Amza Key, '29, and Alice Faye Waits Key, x-34. The groom is a student from Dyer, Indiana. The couple are living at 1637 Lawrence Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Lloyd L.C. Barden, x-53, and Beverly Ann Coverdale, both of Espanola, New Mexico, were married in Fort Wayne in the South Wayne E. U. B. Church on Dec. 4. Mrs. Barden is a graduate of Fort Wayne South Side High School and Indiana University. She received her R.N. degree from Northwestern University. She is a staff nurse at Espanola Hospital. Mr. Barden is maintenance superintendent at Espanola Hospital.
**INDIANA CENTRAL COLLEGE**  
**ALUMNI QUESTIONNAIRE**

Name while at Indiana Central | Name if changed
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--- Is husband or wife a graduate of ICC? ---

Name of husband or wife

Correct mailing address | Telephone
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Names and birth dates of children

Did you serve in the armed forces during WWII? [ ] Korean War? [ ]

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To all Alumni:

The Alumni Office is in need of information about its alumni in this Golden Anniversary year. Will each of you who have had at least ten hours of credit from Central, fill out the questionnaire on the opposite page. Be sure to give the dates of birth of your children, not just their ages. Don't be too modest in giving information about yourself. Cut out the sheet. Either fold it and affix a stamp or put it into an envelope. Mail it soon to Virginia Cravens.

Indiana Central College
Executive Secretary Alumni Association
Miss Virginia Cravens

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Place
Steven James was born on December 19, 1954, to Calvin and Hetty Beasley, '54, who live on a farm near Olden, Indiana.

Susan Jane Richardson was born September 28, 1954. Her parents are James and Dorothy Swindell Richardson, '42, of 3825 N. Delaware, Indianapolis.

David Eugene Bowman was born December 3 at Muncie. His parents are Rev. Ralph and Delores Cloud Bowman, '45, and x-48 of the Coshocton Church of Muncie, Ind.

Lila Ann Hubbard was born November 11 into the home of C. G. and LaVerne Harrod, '44; Hubbard of 4516 Brookville Road, Indianapolis.

Deborah Ann Barton arrived December 20 at the home of Linder and Delores Stickney, '49, Barton, 9613 7th Ave., Inglewood, Calif.

Cynthia Suzanne arrived via the Naval Hospital, San Diego, Calif., on August 28. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hart. Cindy was baptized at the First E.U.B. Church, San Diego, on December 9, 1954, in the Navy, stationed at San Diego.

Jeffrey Craig Hoch arrived October 23. His parents are Loren, '59, and Elma Lou Craig, x-52, Hoch of Hammond.

Wendy Joyce, born May 13, 1954, is the second daughter of Howard and Jean Rice, '50.

Timothy Joseph is the name of the new son of Charlene and Louis Nicholas Jennings, '56, and '48, born November 15.

In Memoriam

Miss Nina Sargison Hambman, x-23, of Brook, Ind., died November 20, an asthma attack, in Herron Hospital, Lafayette, after collapsing of a heart attack; when visiting her husband, a hospital patient.

Miss Violet Genrielle Nettles Smith, '27, died of a heart attack on December 3, 1954, in Chicago. Funeral services were held in Fenn, Indiana, where her aged mother still lives. Burial was at Franklin, their family home. Miss Smith leaves her husband, Henry; and two sons, one in the service, and the other a student in Moody Bible Institute, with which the father is associated.

Missie Speakes at Hartford City

At the recognition dinner given by the Brotherhood organization of the Hartford City High School football and basketball squads on November 3, 1954, Coach Augus Nicocon was principal speaker. He was accompanied to Hartford City by Dick Nyberg, the outstanding collegiate scorer in football last season; and Bob Jewell, winner of the All-L. T. Trayer Award '53 and center on Central's basketball team this season.
Greyhounds Earn Three New Trophies

It seems that the trophy case which the class of '49 donated is now much too small to house all of the Greyhound souveniers. Three more trophies have been placed in the showcase this year while Dick Nyers has one to cherish all to himself.

Nyers received his trophy for leading the nation in the N.A.I.A. with 109 points in nine games. The N.A.I.A. is the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics and consists of almost all the little colleges and universities of the nation. Dick also made the Little All-American football squad, and for the third straight year, the Hoosier Conference team.

The other three trophies are the Naperville Jaycees trophy, conference championship in football, and conference championship in tennis. At Naperville, Ill., the netmen played their best ball of the season in downing Wartburg from Waverly, Iowa, 88 to 70, and stubborn North Central, 91-80. This was the first tournament of its kind and Central has already been invited back again for next year, when more than four teams may compete. The other school in the New Year's Day Tourney was Manchester of the Hoosier Conference.

Central received a huge trophy for winning the conference in football and another one for tennis. It was the second straight year in which the gridiron boys went undefeated in conference play. Their record now stands at 12 wins and no defeats. It seemed that these teams were the only ones which could be beaten for all three non-conference games were lost. The tennis team also was awarded a fine trophy for tying for the first place spot with Taylor and Hanover. All three schools ended up with a five and one record.