The meeting of Dallas alumni and wives honoring Professor Wilber Katz, who is seated in the center at the far end of the table. On Professor Katz’s right is Edward C. Fritz, ‘40, who arranged the meeting.

Alumni Notes

John Potts Barnes, JD’24, has been appointed General Counsel of the Internal Revenue Service. During his many years of practice in Chicago, Mr. Barnes has on occasion taught at The Law School as a Lecturer in Law. At the time of his appointment, and for some years previously, he was a member of the Chicago law firm of McKinney, Carlson, Barnes and Smalley. Mr. Barnes has agreed to speak at The Law School’s annual Federal Tax Conference, to be held this year on October 26-28.

Henry Weihofen, JD’28, JSD’30, Professor of Law at the University of New Mexico, was the recipient of a double distinction this spring. He was selected to deliver the Annual Research Lecture at the University of New Mexico (nomination as lecturer may be made of any faculty member of the University in recognition of outstanding work in research). A short time later Professor Weihofen received the Isaac Ray Award from the American Psychiatric Association. The Ray Award is presented each year for outstanding work in furthering understanding between psychiatrists and lawyers on legal questions involving mental disorders. Professor Weihofen was one of the participants in the Law School’s Conference on Insanity and the Law, held during the Winter Quarter of this year.

Albert S. Long, Jr., JD’47, has been appointed General Solicitor of the Chicago, Indianapolis, and Louisville Railway Company, generally known as the Monon.

We note with regret the recent deaths of two alumni of the School. William G. Stone, JD’18, was a lifelong resident of St. Joseph, Missouri, where he practiced from the time of his graduation. He served as president of the St. Joseph Bar Association and was active in church and charitable work, the American Legion, and the Masonic order. Robert Guenther, JD’15, was an eminent member of the Bar of Akron, Ohio, for many years. He was president of the Ohio State Bar Association and of the Akron Bar Association. He served as a member of the Akron Board of Education during a period in which he took a prominent part in defeating the efforts of the Ku Klux Klan to take over the Akron school system. He was active also in local Democratic politics and in Masonic and American Legion affairs. At the time of his death he was a director of eleven corporations and a trustee of five charitable and educational institutions.

Cola G. Parker, JD’12, of Neenah, Wisconsin, has been nominated for the presidency of the National Association of Manufacturers. Mr. Parker, chairman of the Kimberly-Clark Corporation, is a national vice-president and director of the NAM. He is a former chairman of the National Industrial Conference Board, chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Chicago, and a member of the Commission on Foreign Policy.

Thomas S. Edmonds, JD’25, will soon take office as president of the Illinois State Bar Association. Mr. Edmonds is now completing his term as first vice-president and has been active in the Association for many years. He is a member of the firm of Edmonds and Linneman, Chicago.

Alumni Fund Meeting

Edward Ryerson, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the University of Chicago, was the featured speaker at a luncheon meeting held in May at the University Club for alumni who are working on the current Alumni Fund Campaign. Dwight P. Green, ‘12, General Chairman of the Campaign; Glen A. Lloyd, ‘23, Trustee of the University and former President of the Law School Alumni Association; Morris E. Feiwel, ‘15, President of the Alumni Association; and Dean Levi also spoke briefly to the more than fifty fund workers in attendance.

What ’30 Did in 25!

Jerome S. Weiss, ’30

Not only was it the largest class in the history of the Law School, but it was studded with more brilliant members than any other class, as any one of them would be the first to acknowledge.—Eli E. Fink, President, Class of ’30.

This modest statement for such a rugged group of individualists is not so self-serving as appears at first blush. Consider if you will these dialectical truths:

a) The only class with 121 members. A sharp contrast to the 47 members in each of the classes of 1910 and 1940;

b) The only class to produce 9 Coif men; reputedly due to the over-all scholastic excellence;

c) The last class to savor the brilliance, learning, and challenge of each of these great ones: Hall, Freund,
Mechem, Bigelow, Hinton, Bogert, Puttkammer, Sears, and Woodward;

d) The first class to greet the deep depression of the thirties, and surviving its ravages to the end that approximately 75 per cent of its members remain in active, successful practice;

e) The only class large enough to give you these significant statistics: of the 75 per cent remaining in the law practice, approximately 36 per cent are with firms, 20 per cent practice alone, 13 per cent are in government law positions, 4 per cent are in business-law positions, and 2 per cent in law teaching, lecturing, or writing;

f) The only twenty-five-year class whose continuing youthful vigor is the only possible explanation for its absence of representation on the judiciary;

g) The only class that can successfully boast of a foreign news editor, three “sound” bankers, an investment banker, a chairman of the board of two national banks, a representative of a large insurance company in the Million Dollar Club, the general counsel of TVA, the chief counsel of Chicago’s Aldermanic Crime Committee, two husband-and-wife law partnerships and another that might have been, two professors of law, four local bar association presidents, a director of industrial relations of one of the largest corporations in America, a Ph.D., an embryonic Ph.D., two LL.D.’s, and at least one named in Who’s Who in America;

h) The only twenty-five-year class whose military record indicates that, for each 20 members in military service, 16 were officers; whose activities in their respective communities are led by 41 out of every 85 of its members; and whose activities in judicial, quasi-judicial, bar association, or similar professional pastures are nurtured by 30 out of each 85 of its members.

We could go on with various other firsts and lasts, but by now you must be convinced of your meritorious Class of 30. It is not due to impoverishment of classical knowledge that we fail to quote appropriate learned statements from the classics of Aristotle, Socrates, Plato, or even Machiavelli to further indicate the culture of the class. We thought, however, you would be more interested in the philosophical gems uttered by certain of our classmates which, after twenty-five years, may aptly describe your own state of mind:

“Living a full life—a large family, a busy practice, and participation in a multitude of activities of the organized bar, civic and charitable organizations.”—WILLIAM H. ALEXANDER.

“A lot of people depend on me for advice on a vast array of subjects. They think it is good, and probably most of it is.”—MERRITT BARTON.

“All of my experience has pointed toward the work I am now doing, which is to help family and businessmen do a better job of planning their estates. It is very fascinating and rewarding work.”—LESTER F. BECK.

“I have been a busy man, I have enjoyed my law practice as well as my business activities and community and church work. My ties with my family have been very close and a source of increasing pleasure and satisfaction to me...”—R. GUY CARTER.

“I consider myself fortunate in having been extremely busy during the past twenty-five years and having engaged in matters of great variety and interest... All in all, the law has been kind to me, and I have been very happy in my chosen profession. Not among the least of the values derived from the practice have been the close friendships which have been developed through the years with so many fellow-attorneys and clients and the continuance of the warmth of affection for each other displayed on so many occasions during the last twenty-five years by the members of the Law School Class of 1930.”—ELI E. FINK.

“Have always looked backward with joy at the happy hours at the University of Chicago, and at the Law School. Am very proud at the high standing of our Law School.”—MILTON L. DURSCHLAG.

“We were to enumerate my blessings, prominently listed among them would be the friendship and consideration of my fellow-attorneys and the lasting regard and respect, not only of my clients, but of my adversaries.”—FRANCIS G. JOLY.

“Dear me! Twenty-five years. It seems only yesterday that I was worrying about whether Putty would flunk me, and Doc Freund was asking, ‘Is that very obscure?’”—GORDON MOFFETT.

“From the questionnaire, you have convinced me how utterly dull and unimportant my life has been.”—STANLEY J. MORRIS.

“If I had to do it all over again, I don’t know what I would change.”—RAYMOND PERLMAN.

“In tense and tempestuous times, your alumnus carried the flag high and straight down the narrow path of virtue. Though he looked to left and right, ducked when required, and halted when necessary, his march has continued, somehow slowly to be sure, but forward and forward and forward, he knows not where.”—IRVING PETER PEIURAM.

“Just an old country lawyer, with all the trials and tribulations, ups and downs that go with twenty-five years of such practice.”—STANTON H. PRENTISS.

“Nothing happened as I originally planned. ... It’s been a crammed-full quarter century; glad I was here to see and participate in it...”—ROBERT G. REED.

“I am just a hardworking, conscientious attorney at law.”—EDWIN T. SCHNEIBERGER.

“... I might say that the general foundation I received in Law School has greatly increased the pleasure I have in my work-a-day practice of the law.”—DONALD L. VETTER.

As in every picture, there are the bright and dark spots.

**Dark Spots**

We mourn the death of the following of our classmates: Neil Ausmus, Richard R. Isaacs, Arthur W. Janklow, Henry M. Kline, Harry M. Newburger, and Jerome H. Solomon.
We regret that, owing to lack of any record, we have been unable to contact the following of our classmates: Robert E. Chaffee, Pao Heng Chang, Arthur A. Raimond, and Harry Sonenthal.

Our attention has been directed to the fact that our good friend, Bob Raleigh, has been seriously ill and hospitalized and therefore unable to return his questionnaire. We wish him Godspeed and an early recovery.

By reason of their failure to return a questionnaire, we are unable to inform you of the acts and doings of classmates:

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**Bright Spots**

The following is information summarized from questionnaires received from your busy classmates. Except in necessary self-interest, your orator did not unduly indulge in any poetic license to expand or contract information submitted. If either "too little" or "too much" is noted, just remember you said it—so we printed it!


**ALLEN, ALBERT H.**—Member, firm of Albert H. Allen and Michael J. Fasman. Member, Los Angeles, State of California, and Beverly Hills bar associations. Former member of Board of Trustees, Beverly Hills Bar Association. Past president of Guardians, Jewish Home for Aged; president, American Friends of Hebrew University, and member, Board of Directors, Brandeis Camp Institute. Has traveled extensively over the last ten years through all the Central American countries, Europe, and round-the-world trip by plane. Interested in Asian affairs. Has number of hobbies, including deep-sea fishing, photographic work, piano, golf, and travel. Headed capital funds drive for Hebrew University in 1933. Married and has two sons and a daughter, ages three and a half to eleven. Home address: 618 N. Elm, Beverly Hills, Calif. Office: 9441 Wilshire Blvd., Beverly Hills, Calif.

**BARRITT, EDWARD J.**—Printing and publications officer, Cataloging Division, Office of Assistant Secretary of Defense. Practiced law for only six years and then joined staff of Director, Department of Registration and Education, in Springfield as attorney and chief clerk under Governors Horner and Green. Began federal government service in 1941 with Provost Marshal General's Office; appointed to Supreme Commander for Allied Powers Headquarters (SCAP) in the Pacific and flew from Washington, D.C., to Tokyo, assisting members of legal staff, Japanese Ministry of Communications, to draft legislation for regulation of their civil communications, including radio, telephone, and telegraph. Also served in Office of Chief Financing Officer as assistant chief, Securities Section. Appointed to Munitions Board. Unmarried. Home address: 7923 Dogwood Pl., Belvedere, Falls Church, Va. Office: Department of Defense, Assistant Secretary of Defense, Washington 25, D.C.

**BARTON, MERRITT.**—Field solicitor, Santa Fe, New Mexico, in Office of Solicitor, Department of Interior. Member, Federal Bar Association and Association of Interstate Commerce Practitioners. U.S. Navy, World War I; lieutenant commander and commander, World War II. Practiced law in Canal Zone, 1932-34. Married. No children. Home address: 1830 Kiva Rd., Santa Fe, N.M. Office: Box 1728, Santa Fe, N.M.

**BECK, LEWIS F.**—Agent, Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. Served as trust officer in Chicago banks, 1930-35; assistant counsel of National Board of Fire Underwriters, New York, and counsel, National Automobile Underwriters Association, 1935-41; served as chief, Insurance Section, Army Ordnance, 1941-42; chief, Central Insurance Division, Navy Department, 1942-44; secretary, Travelers Insurance Co., 1944-46. Married and has two children, ages six and nine. Home address: 65 Blue Ridge Lane, West Hartford 7, Conn. Office: 64 Pearl St., Hartford 4, Conn.


**BERNARD, FRANK C.**—Partner, firm of Sonnenschein, Berkson, Lautmann, Levinson & Morse. Chairman, Real Property Law Committee, Chicago Bar Association; member of Committee on Landlord and Tenant, Illinois State Bar Association; member of Committee on Conveyancing and Recording Practices, American Bar Association; former member, Committee on Defense of Prisoners and Younger Members Committee, Chicago Bar Association. Has written article for Chicago Bar Record on sale and leaseback transactions and is now preparing one for Illinois Law Forum. Married and has a daughter and son, ages nine and twelve. Home address: 6815 Brandon Ave., Chicago 49. Office: 77 W. Washington St., Chicago 2.