"It’s Shocking How Old He Looks"

The Classes of 1915, 1940 and 1955 held reunions near the end of the past academic year.

For the Class of 1915, the enormously successful 50th Reunion built on the precedent of 40th and 35th reunions held in years past. The Reunion opened with dinner at a downtown club, and continued through Alumni Day, June 12, with a tour of the Law School, followed by a luncheon addressed by Dean Neal. This reunion, like its predecessors, was organized by Morris E. Feiwell, member of the Board and past president of the Law Alumni Association, and Henry F. Tenney, Honorary Trustee of the University and past Chairman of the Law School Visiting Committee.

The 25th Reunion of the Class of 1940 was arranged by E. Houston Harsha, Mrs. Thelma Brook Simon and Seymour Tabin. A gratifyingly large group had dinner in the Green Lounge, heard an informal talk from Dean Neal, and adjourned to another South Side location until an hour late enough to attest to the success of the whole undertaking.

Also during Reunion Week, the Class of 1955 met at the Center for Continuing Education. The Reunion Committee was made up of Donald Ephraim, A. Daniel Feldman and Ira Kipnis. Thomas L. Nicholson presided. Professor Harry Kalven, Jr., was the featured speaker; Joseph DuCanto presented a report on the class which is largely indescribable.

At the Reunion Dinner of the Class of 1955, Assistant Dean James M. Ratcliffe, JD’50, makes a complex and subtle point, blissfully unaware that Thomas L. Nicholson, JD’55, of Chicago, Alan S. Ward, JD’55, of Washington, Robert Kutak, JD’55, of Omaha, and Professor and Mrs. Jo Desha Lucas are paying no attention to him.

John Grimes, JD’55, seems less amused than Professor Bernard Meltzer, at the comparison between his class’s graduation picture and the living reality ten years later.

A portion of the Reunion Dinner of the Class of 1940