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REUNIONS



The way we were.

The Class of 1940 posed for this picture 50 years ago. Left to right, front row: Professor Louis L. Jaffe, Dean Mark DeWolfe Howe, John A. Connors, Frank J. Kronenberg, Benjamin Gold, Anthony E. Moscato, Professor William K. Laidlaw. Second row: Paul J. Keeler, Jack A. Gellman, William B. Spula, Dean Carlos Alden, Thomas M. O'Connor, Robert L. Fraser, Louis Safren. Third row: Epifanius Milazzo, James L. Tauriello, James T. Degnan, James T. Sandoro, John J. Flynn, Joseph A. Forma, Sherwood M. Snyder, James A. LiBrize. Fourth row: Charles W. Thompson, Laura O. Bowser, Louis Spector, Charles R. Sandler, Roger T. Cook, Elsie Fischer Surage and Guido Gian-Franceschi. Top row: Sherwin V. Willman, Edward Kuczumski, Joseph M. Casey, David D. Dinan, Sarah Hertz Sitzer, John (maintenance), David F. Lee Jr., William J. Flynn Jr., and Nathaniel A. Barrell.

1940

For their 50th Law School reunion, 10 members of the Class of 1940 and their spouses gathered together for dinner at the beautiful Niagara Falls Country Club in Lewiston, N.Y. on Saturday evening, Aug. 4. Each member of the class was given the opportunity to briefly speak about how life has treated him or her. Jack A. Gellman chaired the event.



The way we are today.

The class of 1940 posed for this picture at their recent reunion. Left to right, front row: Sara Hertz Sitzer, Elsie Fischer Surage. Middle row: Epifanius Milazzo, Benjamin Gold, Charles R. Sandler, John J. Flynn. Top row: Jack A. Gellman, James P. Degnan, Hon. William J. Flynn, Roger T. Cook.

1950

Almost 30 members of the Class of 1950 and their spouses celebrated their 40th Law School reunion with a dinner at the Westwood Country Club, in Williamsville, on Saturday, June 2.

Carl A. Green was chair. Serving on the committee were Sherwood E. Freed, Hon. Thomas P. Flaherty, Hon. Irving Fudeman, Vincent M. Gaughan Sr. and James J. Hagerty. Morris Mesch was toastmaster.

During an entertaining program, Mesch reminisced about their early years together and then noted the accomplishments of the classmates. Eight have served on the bench and two were past presidents of the bar association.

Says Mesch: "We had just been through the war. That experience brought us together as a class. We have a feeling of real warmth for each other."



Left to right: S. Andrew Sciarrino, Wells E. Knobloe, H. Jarvis Turner, Anthony C. Ilardo, Victor A. Rossetti, Sherwood E. Freed, Albert E. Hemstreet Jr., Anthony J. DeRose, Hon. Joseph J. Sedita, Hon. Charles R. Newman, Hon. Thomas P. Flaherty, Morris Mesch, Hon. Paul I. Miles, Robert P. Freedman, James J. Hagerty, James E. Kehoe, Hon. John W. Creahan, Philip Lippa, John F. Nugent, Christopher T. Ross, Irving W. Rosenberg, Hon. Irving Fudeman, Carl A. Green, Vincent M. Gaughan Sr.

1970

A large number of both local and out-of-town alumni celebrated their 20th reunion over the weekend of July 20-22. Hon. Margaret J. Quinn — the sole female of the class — served as chair.

"We went to the ballgame Friday

night, although very few people watched the game," says Judge Quinn. On Saturday, classmates and their families enjoyed an afternoon cruise on the Niagara River, then attended a dinner dance at the Hyatt. "We hired a band, but nobody listened to the music. We just

wanted to talk to each other and reminisce," she says. On Sunday, there was a tour of the Law School.

Assisting Judge Quinn were Thomas J. Casey, Hon. Michael L. D'Amico, John W. Dorn, and Joseph A. Stoeckl. ■



Left to right, front row: Joseph W. Bennett Jr., Ernest J. Norman, Paul A. Gianelli, Alan S. Wexler, Hon. Margaret J. Quinn, Hon. Julio Garcia. Second row: Jason M. Karp, Hon. Michael L. D'Amico, Joseph A. Stoeckl, Timothy J. Dwan, Peter S. Gilfillan, Dean David B. Filvaroff. Third Row: Joseph P. Muenkel, Thomas J. Casey, John W. Dorn, Irvin Sandler, Jerome M. Hesch, Jeffrey Klein, Assoc. Dean Alan S. Carrel. Fourth row: Emil J. Warchol, Ralph W. Fusco, Stuart F. Gartner, Alan R. Chase, William P. Dixon, Martin B. Farber. Fifth row: Anthony B. Tohill, Emanuel Tabachnick, Theodore S. Kantor, Edwin H. Wolf. Top row: Chester G. Krom, Hon. Grenville (Bud) Haarrop, Professor Wade J. Newhouse, Alan D. Keiler, Warren W. Bader, William H. Mattrey.