Comdr. Milner, 25-Year Veteran,
Is Head of Military Unit Here

Commander Edward J. Milner, USN, head of the training of Navy and Marine trainees assigned to Villanova, has a record typical of the men who have devoted their entire lives to the service of their nation. A shore post such as he holds now is a rare experience for one who has spent twenty-five years on the sea. The galaxy of service records which he wears is simple proof of myriad adventures from the Arctic to the Antarctic, from the River Plate to the Mediterranean Sea. It is indeed appropriate that such a one be entrusted with the guidance of our embryonic officers for his vast experience will enable him to determine the phases of their training which must be emphasized.

Nathan Philadelphia

A native Philadelphian, Comdr. Milner was born on May 18, 1878. He attended Southern High and in 1901 was awarded a commission as an ensign in the Navy. In 1903, he assumed the duties of second assistant to the naval staff of the Atlantic fleet and at the same time was assigned to the U.S.S. New Jersey, a battleship. He completed his naval education in 1905.

For his outstanding service in the fleet, he was assigned as a commissioned officer to the battleship Illinois, where he served as a member of the destroyer squadron. After returning from service in the fleet, he held the position of fleet commander and until 1928, when he was appointed the head of the training of the Navy and Marine trainees at Villanova, he had served in various capacities in the fleet.

College Presidents Discuss V-12 Plan

An informal conference of the presidents of the colleges participating in the V-12 program, at which was included the Villanova College Training Program, was held at the Alumni House here on Thursday, April 11. The presidents of the participating schools were present, accompanied by their staffs.

The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the progress of the V-12 program and to consider ways in which the program could be improved. The presidents agreed that the program was working well and that it was providing a valuable service to the nation. They also discussed the possibility of expanding the program to include more colleges.

V-12 Program Invited

With 600 Naval Students

V-12 Program Inaugurated

The V-12 program was inaugurated at Villanova College when approximately 600 Naval Reserve trainees and 200 Marine Reservists were placed on active duty to continue their education.

This college was one of many in the country chosen to further the education of Naval Reserve officers. It was especially requested to cooperate with the training of such officers because it is one of the few institutions that have been able to provide adequate facilities for the training of a large number of Naval Reserve officers.

V-12 Students Assigned

Headed Villanova

The first V-12 students to arrive at Villanova were assigned to the classes of 1943 and 1944. They were placed in the classes of 1941 and 1942, respectively, and were under the direction of the V-12 student officer, Lt. J. M. O'Brien, and the V-12 instructor, Lt. J. F. H. O'Brien.

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For Service Lists

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Welcome, Service Men

Recent additions of a complement of almost 400 Naval and 200 Marine Corps cadets to the student body here has come as the dawn of a new day for Villanova. Theastic bark of the cadet organization, with the matching feet as innovations to an institution for which a century has been described as the hub of an earthquake with the intellectual tools required for peaceful enterprise, but the college has rapidly assimilated them.

The change from "campus pets" to the khaki and erle of the service has been a healthy one. The cadets have responded magnificently to the call to arms, and their spirit of sacrifice is perhaps the best example of the validness of the modern American youth.

Dreams of scholarship have caused them to obliterate completely the tendency toward complacency. Diligent and close application to studies have become the order of the day. In addition, studying has supplemented that with the infirmities to feel perfectly at home here, and to consider themselves welcome in the facilities of the school. It is in this end that the Villanova takes this opportunity to welcome these new men to the campus, and to express a hope that their stay here will be a happy one.

Unity For Freedom

From unity comes strength, and the efforts of divided forces are fruitless. Years of repetition have weakened the efficacy of this statement by placing it in the category of the trite, but they have likewise strengthened its meaning by continually producing instances wherein its truth is demonstrated.

Nowhere should instances of purpose be more present than among the members of the armed forces of a nation at war. Since the United States Marine Corps is a component part of the United States Navy, it is wholly aboard for members of these two organizations to attempt in any way to be at odds with each other.

In the present war it has been demonstrated more forcibly than ever before that complete coordination of land, sea, and air forces is essential to the success of any military operation. The need for a fighting man in the service should be seen here on the campus by navy and marine alike.

The cadets are a group of different races and that their equally important skills in leadership and command will be of a like nature. Also it is logical to explain any feeling of disregard between the two groups.

It is more inescapable for either Marine or soldier to feel apart from those who have not denoted the uniform of active service. Many are already enlisted in reserve programs; all others, for whom it is physically possible, should apply. It is possible for any college student to contribute to the war effort.

All here on the campus are pursuing similar courses in a common purpose; to serve our country as best we can. Let us heed this in mind, and look on fellow-students as co-workers in a great which transcends all distinctions of service.

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"CAT CAPERS"

By BILL DAVEN

O NLY a few short weeks ago, the school was in full swing and the students were engrossed in their studies. Now, however, the campus is once again filled with the normal activities of the school year.

With the return of classes, the students are finding it difficult to adjust to the new routine. Some are still trying to get used to the early morning classes, while others are struggling with the heavy workload.

Nevertheless, the students are determined to make the most of the new school year. They are looking forward to the many activities and events that are scheduled for the coming months.

The campus is once again alive with the sound of students coming and going, and the air is thick with the smell of coffee and hot chocolate.

It is a busy time of year, but the students are determined to make the most of it. They are looking forward to the many things that lie ahead, and they are determined to make the most of it.
Faculty Dinner Held on July 6

New Members of Faculty and Naval Staff Introduced at Formal Affair Here

In honor of new members of the teaching faculty of Villanova and the naval staff of the Philadelphia Naval Training Center, a dinner was held at the college on the evening of July 6.

Very Rev. Edward V. Stafford, O. S. A., president of Villanova, and Capt. Lawrence J. Boyle, USN, commanding officer of the Training Center, were the host and honor guest, respectively.

The dinner was held in the dining room of the college and was attended by many guests.

New Members

The new members of the faculty and the naval staff are as follows:

- New Members of Faculty:

- New Members of Naval Staff:
  - Capt. Lawrence J. Boyle, USN, commanding officer of the Training Center.
  - Capt. John J. Whelan, USN, agricultural officer of the Training Center.
  - Capt. John J. Ryan, USN, engineer officer of the Training Center.
  - Capt. John J. Ryan, USN, assistant executive officer of the Training Center.
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The dinner was a formal affair, and the guests were seated at tables arranged in a formal manner.

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Tragedy demanded on a group of seminarians in the diocese of Philadelphia, who are members of the Church of Christ, when one of them died as a result of a rescue attempt.

The seminarian, a member of the Church of Christ, was on a mission trip to the southern United States, when he fell into a stormy river.

His companions attempted to rescue him, but he was swept away by the strong current.

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Technical courses have been taen to high school graduates by students at Villanova University.

These courses are designed for students who wish to pursue careers in technical fields such as engineering and mathematics.

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University officials have released the following statistics regarding the registration of new students:

- Total number of new students: 1,200
- Percentage of new students: 25%
- Average age of new students: 18 years

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The new residence halls opened to accommodate the new students.

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VILLANOVA UNIVERSITY"
Tennis Tournament Added To Intramural Program
Many Entrants Expected To Participate In Annual Court Tournament; Gavin Picked In Consolation

Wednesday, Jul 24th

Complementing an already successful intramural program is the recent addition of tennis. In an effort to promote intramural activity and increase faculty interest, Robert McEvoy has now proposed a weekly tennis program. For the second year in a row, faculty members will play against students in doubles games but already have a general notion of their opponents this year. The tennis is unlike the softball where the results are in the first few games and will be a serious competition where the winner is decided.

Cross-country interest is on the rise with students expressing more and more interest in cross-country. The interest has arisen from the fact that all the students are being encouraged by their coach, and they are not only enjoying themselves.

Regarding difficulties in Obin's English class, the students are being encouraged by Professor Smith, who believes that if they continue to work hard, they will be able to achieve their goals.

Civilian Physical Training Led By Jacobs, Severance

Ensign Samuel Maniaci
Naval Athletic Director
Former Columbia Football Star, Participant In 1934 Rose Bowl Contest Of Stanford, Heads Program

Physical Fitness

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Train At Paris Island Base

Ex-Villanovans Learning How To Fight

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Three Villanova Graduates Receive Decorations For Bravery In Battle

There were three graduates of Villanova University who were decorated for bravery in battle. The graduates were George A. Hickey, John J. O'Shea, and John J. Flaherty. Hickey was awarded the Silver Star and the Bronze Star, while O'Shea and Flaherty were awarded the Bronze Star.

Chaplain Lists Church Services

Father Girotto announced that on Sunday, May 15, at 8:30 p.m., there will be a Mass of Remembrance for the priests who lost their lives in World War II. The Mass will be held in the chapel of the college.

Villanova's Summer School Shifts To Rosemont Campus For Duration

Villanova's Summer School has been relocated to Rosemont Campus. The move was necessary due to the ongoing war and the need for more space for classes.

Trainees Receive New Regulations For Liberty

Villanova's Liberty Plan has been expanded to allow for more time off for trainees.

Belle Air Plans Naval Section; Delays Printing Modern Navy Text Staf Members To Fill Delayed Ranks

The Belle Air Naval Section has been delayed due to the shortage of printing paper. The delay will affect the printing of the Modern Navy text.

Three Villanova Alumni Are Serving In The Navy

Three Villanova alumni are serving in the Navy: John Hickey, Robert O'Shea, and John Flaherty. They are all serving in the same unit.

Reed's New Have Them...Your Navy

The new Scout Gray Uniforms are now available for Navy officers. The uniforms come in sizes 36-46 and are priced at $15.38.

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Gilead to Officers in All Branches of the U.S. Service for More Than a Century

Villanova College, Villanova, PA

ASME Membership Open To Freshmen

The ASME Membership is now open to freshmen at Villanova University. The membership is available to all freshmen.

Engineering Frat Opens Drive For New Members

The Engineering Frat has opened a drive for new members. The drive is being held to increase the membership of the fraternity.

High Ranking Officers Visit Campus

Several high ranking officers visited the campus of Villanova University. They were there to meet with the students and staff.

Austrian Movie Features Choir

A Vivre clothes line featured a choir singing in an Austrian movie. The movie was produced by the Austrian government and is being shown in the United States.

Engineer's Assistant

The Engineer's Assistant is a new publication that will be published bi-weekly. The publication will focus on engineering and related topics.