

CLASS AGENT'S REPORT

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	<u>6/30/90</u>	<u>6/30/89</u>
Class Roll	282	301
Donors	198	217
% Giving	70.2%	72%
Amount	\$60,359	\$63,233
Other Gifts	\$44,999	\$34,991
Totals	\$105,358	\$98,229

This second year of my Class Agency has been a rewarding one for me, perhaps more so than for Princeton. Participation isn't quite as good as last year but, thanks to memorial gifts, the total dollars are up. The job is a pleasure when you receive over 40 notes from classmates—newsy, supportive, concerned, explanatory—all friendly, none who consider my blandishments a nuisance. A pleasure for me and good for Princeton, too.

A word to our class widows—sad to say a growing group now numbering 189. To all of you a sincere thanks for your interest in the Class and in Princeton, and an apology to the more than 50 who made memorial gifts amounting to over \$35,000, each of which I intended to acknowledge individually, but—well—I didn't. Let me thank you now for this great support, \$10,000 more than last year, and especially for reminding us of departed friends, Princeton's finest.

To classmates with grandchildren—one of the pleasures of living this long is enjoying your grandchildren. A number of you have attributed a reduced giving level to the need to help educate grandchildren. Though Princeton didn't give you this added responsibility, it did, thank God, have a hand in giving you the tools to solve it. VIVE LES PETITS-ENFANTS et LES GRAND-PERES! I can't help but hope that some of the few GRAND-PERES who have told me they deplored the admission of women to Princeton have PETITE-FILLES who have been admitted.

To you LYBUNTS (Gave Last Year BUt Not This) and you **OBENOLYs** (gave Often BEfore, NOt Last Year please become **PLIXTERs** (PLan to glve neXT yEaR)

This year is the 50th anniversary of Annual Giving. It's time to make an **Award** to all you stalwarts who haven't missed a year through wars, recessions, losing football and women's lib. This was the 50th year for **Bill Babcock, Herb Cragin, Hal Edwards, Burt Etherington, Harry Garrett and Jack MacDonald**; 49th year for **Armour, Arms, Beerits, Crow, Gaffney, Leopold, Snowden and Upson**; 48th year for **Brooks, Firestone, Mellinger, Paul and Young**; 47th year for **Agnew, Ailes, Billings, Cannon, Ray Carter, Chapman, Hewson, Jackson, Lane Taylor and Perera**; 46th year for **Cahn and Moulton**; 45th year for **Brady, Brush, Art Campbell, Horne, Martin and Tiensch**. Forty years or more for 169 classmates—quite a record.

The Award? I can't give you anything but **love, babies!**

