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MORE than blocked roads is apparently needed to keep people away from Farmers' Week. Over thirty-seven hundred registered, which is almost a record. The unusual excellence of the program is given as one reason for the large attendance, as well as the growing interest farmers and their wives are taking in this week.

THE SALE of rabbits' feet went up slightly when a few people bought them to tide them over Friday the thirteenth, but one Ithacan at least showed no such fears when he bought a lot number thirteen on that date and insisted on the papers being signed at once.

THE SWELLING of streams caused by the recent thaw after heavy snow storms broke the dam in Fall Creek at Etna last week. Tons of ice and snow collected above the dam, and a large part of it was washed up on the road leading into town, blocking traffic. The branch of the Lehigh Valley Railroad between Auburn and Locke was tied up by a washout at Moravia. The lake road to Auburn was also tied up. In Ithaca no serious damage has been reported, although a number of cellars have been flooded. The Inlet has risen five feet, and the State gauge at the Remington Salt Plant showed that Cayuga Lake had risen fourteen inches.

MAX M. GUTSTADT, manager of the Lyceum Theatre, died on February 8. Mr Gutstadt was sixty-eight years old, and had been the manager of the Lyceum since it was started about thirty-five years ago. He was one of the originators of the Ithaca Conservatory of Music.

A NEW WIRE has been installed in the *Sun* office for Associated Press dispatches. These will now be received from six until twelve o'clock each evening, and will furnish the *Sun* with about twice as much news as it has been getting over the special telephone service.

TWO STUDENTS have been convicted by the Central Honor Committee of violating the Honor System. A freshman was put on probation for two terms for handing in notes belonging to another student and a sophomore was placed on probation for one term for a similar offense.

THE SIXTEENTH annual Eastman Stage contest held in Bailey Hall February 12 was won by Cuyler E. Paine '25 of Albion. His topic was, "Must We Lose the Country Church?" Harold I. Frederick '25 of Cobleskill won second place with a speech on "The St. Lawrence Ship Canal."

TWO KERMIS plays were presented before a large audience of Farmers' Week visitors and members of the University

community in Bailey Hall February 13. Between the plays—"Such is Life" by Ruth A. Northrop '25 of Westfield, and "Old Things" by Judson W. Genung '27 of Ithaca—the Serenaders entertained with stunts and music.

THE SAGE CHAPEL Preacher for February 22 will be the Rev. Dr. Cornelius Woelfkin, minister of the Park Avenue Baptist Church, New York.

LECTURES for the week include "Gorillas and Volcanoes of Kivu," illustrated, by Carl E. Akeley, of the American Museum of Natural History, New York, on the Goldwin Smith Foundation, on February 16; "The Making of a Bronze Statue," illustrated by a two reel film showing the production of the statue of Theodore Roosevelt by A. Phimister Proctor, which is now in Portland, Oregon, and a lecture on Greek bronzes by Professor Eugene P. Andrews '95, on February 17; "Poets, Wild and Tame," by Dr. Thomas A. Daly of Philadelphia, on the Goldwin Smith Foundation, on February 18; "Greek Vases," illustrated, by Professor Andrews, on February 19; "The Application of Chemistry to Agricultural Problems in the South" by Professor George W. Carver of Tuskegee Institute, before the Cornell Section of the American Chemical Society, on February 19; and "Religious Equality in American Constitutional Law" by Professor Robert E. Cushman before the Menorah Society, on February 22.

THE ANNUAL Farmers' Week concert of the University Orchestra was given in Bailey Hall on February 10. Hundreds were unable to secure seats. Joseph F. Wilkins '24 of Selma, Alabama, and Walter Welti '25 of Salt Lake City, both members of the Glee Club, were also on the program. The program was "Overture" of Mendelssohn, "Der Fruehling" by Grieg, "Pilgrim's Chorus" by Wagner, "Ballet Egyptian" by Luigini, and March from "The Prophet" of Meyerbeer. Mr. Wilkins sang Nevin's "Mighty Lak' a Rose" and Mr. Welti's solo was Stuart's "The Banelero."

STRIPED BLAZERS will appear on the Campus again this Spring to set the seniors still farther apart from their younger brothers. The model will be the same as last year, the colors not having yet been announced by the committee.

PASSENGERS who were on the Lehigh Valley train which left here on the afternoon of the big blizzard and were marooned all night near Cazenovia are all for the officials of the road for the satisfactory way they handled the difficulty. The passengers were told they might engage rooms at a hotel near by at the Company's expense.

The following morning the passengers were served with coffee and sandwiches which the train crew secured for them.

HI-JACKING is the latest crime to be reported in Ithaca. Two young men, posing as prohibition officers, obviously planning to raid some stores and use what they found to their own advantage, were caught before they did any damage. One was presented with a ten-day jail sentence, and the other was fined \$15.

FIRE CHIEF Bernard Reilly has expressed his appreciation for the assistance the University gave him during the recent blizzard. The College of Agriculture turned over to his use a team of horses and a sleigh, and another was loaned by the Military Department.

THE SECOND CROP of aspiring journalists for the year has started. The *Widow, Sun, Graphic, Countryman, and Annuals* have all announced new competitions, both for their business and editorial staffs. The Berry Patch of the *Sun* also announced a competition, hoping to unearth an F.P.A. or Heywood Broun somewhere in the junior class.

THE ITHACA Rotary Club entertained the Boy Scouts of the city at their regular weekly luncheon on February 12, this being Scout Week. George Schuyler Tarbell, Jr., '26 of Ithaca was one of the speakers. He was the only Ithaca scout to receive a personal letter from President Wilson for his record of selling war savings stamps during the War. He sold more than any scout in the country.

FAILURE to hear the warning whistle of the Black Diamond caused Neal Doring, a farmer living at Hayts Corners, to lose his life near Sheldrake last Wednesday afternoon. He was walking along the track with his back to the engine. The engineer believed he would hear the whistle, which was repeatedly sounded until it was too late to stop the train. Neighbors believe that Doring's deafness and infirmity were responsible for the accident.

C. TRACEY STAGG '02, formerly a member of the Law School faculty and a prominent Ithaca lawyer, has been elected president of the Tompkins County Bar Association. Mr. Stagg was legal advisor to Governor Nathan L. Miller.

LAW LEADS ALL OTHER COLLEGES so far in the intercollege basketball league, having won each of the four games played. Civil Engineering is next in league standing, Agriculture third, Arts fourth, and Chemistry and Veterinary Medicine are tied for fifth place. These are followed by Mechanical Engineering, Architecture, and Electrical Engineering.

Honor Martha Van Rensselaer

Friends Take Advantage of Farmers' Week Meeting to Commemorate 25 Years of Service at Cornell

An audience of friends, associates, students and Farmers' Week guests, including representatives of practically every woman's organization in the State, packed the Baker lecture room on February 12 to do honor to Professor Martha Van Rensselaer '09, director of the School of Home Economics, on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of her coming to Cornell.

The celebration came as a complete surprise to Miss Van Rensselaer, who had arranged a general discussion on "The Family and Present-Day Social and Economic Conditions." When, however, she had introduced the visiting presidents of educational organizations and turned the meeting over to Mrs. Livingston Farrand, it became apparent that the subject of the afternoon was to be Miss Van Rensselaer herself.

In addition to a number of addresses in appreciation of her pioneer work in the field of home economics, many telegrams of congratulations were received and read. Those who wired their compliments included Herbert Hoover, who spoke particularly of Miss Van Rensselaer's work in the field of conservation, Baron de Cartier, the Belgian ambassador, who referred to her work in Belgium, Sarah Louise Arnold, dean of Simmons College, the United States Department of Agriculture, the chief of the Home Economics Bureau at Washington, G. W. Wilder, president of the Buttrick Publishing company, a number of schools of the State, and many former students.

It was also announced that Miss Van Rensselaer's friends, including former students and staff, have decided to give as a memorial of the occasion, her portrait, which will be hung in the Home Economics Building. A fund for this purpose has already been started.

The home bureau agents of the State presented a large basket of roses, and sang an impromptu song in honor of Miss Van Rensselaer.

Acting Dean Cornelius Betten of the State College of Agriculture introduced a long list of distinguished speakers, including President Farrand, Dean Emeritus Liberty Hyde Bailey, Mrs. Thomas Powell, president of the New York State Federation of Home Bureaus, Miss Myrtle V. Caudell, president of the Home Economics Association of the State, Mrs. Pearl Decker Banner, a representative of the alumnae, and Mrs. William Brown Meloney, editor of *The Delineator*.

Dean Bailey told how the Department of Home Economics, soon to become a College, began twenty-five years ago when Miss Van Rensselaer took charge of the "Farmers' Wives Reading Course." From that small beginning the home

economics idea has grown to its present status. He also referred to the partnership of Miss Van Rensselaer and Miss Flora Rose as "the only successful experiment of the kind I have ever known."

Tracing the history of the agricultural college idea, and particularly of its bearing on the problems of farm women, Dr. Bailey concluded with a hearty tribute to the women who had helped in the work, and particularly to Miss Van Rensselaer.

President Farrand extended the congratulations of the University and Dr. Betten brought those of the College of Agriculture. Mrs. Powell stated that it was because of the valuable work of the School of Home Economics that "thousands of rural women who have never seen the University call it their alma mater."

Miss Caudell referred to Miss Van Rensselaer as a "world-sized character," and said that she had raised home-making to the level of a vocation.

THE '14 CLASS DINNER

February 27 at seven is the time set for the first '14 Class Dinner at the Cornell Club in New York. The Committee expects a record turnout by the New York members of the Class and hopes that any '14 men from out of town who find it convenient to do so will attend. Acceptances should be sent as early as possible either to the secretary of the Cornell Club, or to Byron L. Swan, 1 Wall Street.

FACULTY NOTES

DR. HENRY A. LAPPIN, former instructor in English at Cornell, and now a professor at D'Youville College, Buffalo, has returned from spending a sabbatic leave in Europe. While in England he was made a fellow of the Royal Society of Literature, and is one of the two American resident members of the Society.

THE THIRD LECTURE in a course given under the auspices of the Pittsburgh Training School for Teachers was given on February 3 by Dr. Charles R. Stockard, of the Cornell Medical School, on "The Physical Basis of Mental Reactions."

PROFESSOR VLADIMIR KARAPETOFF attended the mid-winter convention of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers held in New York last week. While in New York, he gave a demonstration of his five-string cello before the Institute of Musical Art, and also broadcast a 'cello recital Friday night from Station WEAJ.

CORNELLIANS ARE INVITED to contribute books to the first public English library in Mexico, being established at the University of Mexico by the Friends of Mexico Committee, of which Thomas Mott Osborne is chairman. The library will be known as the Abraham Lincoln Library. Books may be sent to Miss May E. Peabody at Barnes Hall.

Fix Dates for Detroit

Alumni Corporation Directors Decide on October 23 and 24, for Next Fall's Cornell Convention

Friday and Saturday, October 23 and 24, are announced as the dates for the next annual convention of the Cornell Alumni Corporation. At the convention in New York last fall the invitation to hold the convention in Detroit was accepted. The dates were settled at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Corporation held in Ithaca on February 7.

In view of the advantages in geographical location of Detroit, it is expected that even the records of the New York convention will be surpassed, when forty-seven clubs in good standing were represented by delegates, in addition to the many individuals who attended.

The meeting of the Board of Directors was attended by Dr. Frank M. Dyer '02, of the Central New York district; Dr. Floyd S. Winslow '06, of the Western New York district; Archie C. Burnett '90, of the New England district and president of the Corporation; Andrew J. Whinery '10, of the Middle Atlantic district; Dr. Frederick V. Coville '87, of the Southern district; William H. Powell '90, of the Central district; Fred M. Randall '00, director-at-large; William W. Macon '98, treasurer; and Foster M. Coffin '12, secretary.

The list represents nearly every director east of the Mississippi except such as were traveling in other parts of the country or were unavoidably detained.

The Corporation will this year place special emphasis on its annual meeting, to be held in the main lecture room of the Baker Laboratory of Chemistry on Saturday of Reunion Week, June 13, at 10.30 a. m. The directors agreed that this meeting should follow the general form of the annual meeting of the Corporation held last June, with no formal business transacted, and with President Farrand requested to discuss the intimate affairs of the University.

A budget totaling \$1,300 was voted for the ensuing year and the per capita tax to be levied against the constituent clubs was set at the same figure as before, twenty-five cents.

A DISTINGUISHED ALUMNA

From *The Michigan Alumnus* for January 29 we reprint the following concerning Dr. Delphine Hanna '01:

In this issue of the *Alumnus* the editors take great satisfaction in adding to their "Michigan Hall of Fame" the name of Dr. Delphine Hanna, '90m, professor emeritus of physical education at Oberlin College, who retired from active work following years of service which gave her a position of peculiar importance in her chosen field.

Dr. Hanna was born December 2, 1854, at Markesaw, Wis. After early education

in the public schools she graduated from the Brockport State Normal School in 1874. She became a teacher in the public schools immediately after her graduation, but before she had followed this career for any length of time she became interested in another branch of education which was to determine the direction of her future work.

While a pupil of Dr. Dio Lewis at the Martha's Vineyard Summer Institute during the summer of 1884 she was impressed by the possibilities of work in the field of physical education and at once began preparing herself for it in the private Normal School for Physical Training conducted at Cambridge, Mass., by Dr. Douglas A. Sargeant, director of Hemenway Gymnasium, of Harvard University, which has since become known throughout the country as the "Sargeant School." She received further professional training at Harvard and the University of Michigan, graduating from the Medical School of the latter in 1890. In 1901 she received her Bachelor of Arts degree at Cornell and her Master of Arts at Oberlin in the same year.

It was at Oberlin that her work was done. She was director of physical training of the women's department from 1885 to 1903, and director of women's gymnasium and professor of physical training from 1903 to 1920, being the first woman to be a full professor of physical education and the first woman to receive the Carnegie pension.

Dr. Hanna's own special knowledge and skill in medical gymnastics combined with her deep personal interests in the individual student made it possible for her to do an amount and kind of corrective work which is perhaps unique among American colleges and universities. Her aim was to raise the standard of physical education and to make it easier for every woman teaching physical education to secure proper recognition from the faculty with which she worked. The physical examinations given under her directions to entering students were painstaking and thorough and these and later examinations furnished the basis for two instructive and much quoted anthropometric charts published by the department.

Some evidence of the work she accomplished for her students is proved by her annual report for the years 1909-10, in which she was able to list fifty college and university positions filled by her graduates, sixty-four in Young Women's Christian Associations, eleven in high schools, thirteen in private schools, fifteen in public schools, four in normal schools, three in summer schools, seventeen in schools for special classes, and fifteen in playground work.

Since her retirement from active work, which has kept her on the Oberlin campus for nearly fifty years, Dr. Hanna has lived at Coconut Grove, Florida.

THE DEAN'S REPORTS

In our issue of December 4 we summarized President Farrand's annual report. The complete document with the usual appendices has now appeared, and we proceed, following our custom, to abstract the reports of the various officials concerned.

Comptroller Charles D. Bostwick '92 reports that in the administration of the endowed colleges at Ithaca for the year there resulted a net deficit of \$274,363.88, which, added to the deficit at the beginning of the year of \$160,438.27, leaves a debit balance of the income account on June 30, 1924, of \$434,802.15. Of the deficit for the current year, \$38,505.74 was incurred in the purchase of land bordering on the Campus and desired by the University to protect or supplement the existing Campus; \$70,684.01 was expended for equipment for the new Baker Laboratory of Chemistry, and \$165,210.12 resulted from the ordinary running expenses of the University. The first two items for the purchase of additional land and for the equipment of the Baker Laboratory are in the nature of capital charges, but as the University can meet such charges only from gifts or from current income, this deficit results. Reluctantly, the Trustees have been again compelled to increase tuition rates in the colleges of Arts and Sciences, Architecture, and Engineering from \$250 to \$300 a year. The additional income from this source should prevent any deficit in current income for the coming year and it is hoped there may result a credit balance to apply upon the accumulated deficit.

In the Medical College in New York the deficit in current income was \$46,160.36, which, added to the accumulated deficit July 1, 1923, \$21,502.98, resulted in an accumulated deficit at the close of the year of \$67,663.34. This deficit results from the failure of income on the International Traction Company securities received as part of the endowment of the College.

The expenses of the State colleges at the University, in excess of certain income available from University and Federal funds, are met from appropriations by the State of New York. The expenses of the Veterinary College were \$206,304.90; of the College of Agriculture \$2,362,952.33; and of the New York State Experiment Station at Geneva, \$253,774.

During the year \$236,303.59 was collected on account of the Semi-Centennial Endowment subscriptions and \$67,710.47 on account of interest, leaving \$3,111,432 of subscriptions outstanding. The net collections from the Cornellian Council increased from \$98,856.14 to \$164,642.36. Of this latter amount \$48,743.63 was unrestricted as to use. The total gifts to the University during the year aggregated \$1,102,474.85.

Dean Hammond reports that arrangements have now been made whereby members of the Faculty may ballot by mail for their representatives in the Board

of Trustees. The degree of War Alumnus was conferred on four students. The Student Honor Committee has been authorized to impose academic penalties upon delinquents increasing the requirements for graduation in the college concerned by not more than six hours. Since the discontinuance of fines for absence before and after holiday recesses, the disorder has recurred "which the fines were intended to remove and which to a considerable extent they had removed." As the date of Commencement for 1924-30 has been fixed the Monday following the close of final examinations.

Dean Keniston of the Graduate School reports that there were 529 graduate students during the year and 304 in the summer, a total of 833. There is need of studying and meeting the needs of candidates for the master's degree, who are increasing in number. There is great need of providing more adequately for the social life of the men graduate students in the form of a dormitory. Attention is called to the problem arising from the system by which the Graduate School Faculty receives its personnel from the component colleges of the University: a man may be appointed to give undergraduate instruction who has no qualifications for graduate teaching; yet he at once becomes a potential member of the Graduate School Faculty. The remedy, thinks the Dean, so long as our present system continues, is that the President must decide whether a man who becomes a teacher of undergraduates shall also be a member of the Graduate School Faculty.

Dean Ogden of the College of Arts and Sciences reports that last year 1274 men and 645 women were registered in the College. Either staff and equipment must be expanded or the number of students must be cut down, the Dean thinks to about 1,800. As it is, many departments are sadly overcrowded. The Dean thinks there are too many courses given for very small classes (fifteen per cent of the courses were given to five or fewer students); also that possibly we give too many courses anyhow. If fewer courses were scheduled there would be more rooms available and fewer instructors would have to be employed. The organization of biological work is a problem. The biological departments, being mostly outside of the College of Arts and Sciences, offer advanced courses which are rather too highly specialized for the Arts student. Last year only nine students majored in biological subjects, and we rarely train a high school teacher of biology. There must be some sort of organization or coordination of the various courses and biological interests. The Dean describes the new plan of informal study; the new interpretation of the grade E, for which a pass with recovery of hours can no longer be secured by a make-up examination; the revival of interest in classical studies; the consolidation of the Greek, Latin, and Classical

Archaeology Departments into one Department of Classics; and the large number of excellent lectures given on the Goldwin Smith Foundation.

Acting Dean Burdick of the Law School reports that there were 130 students regularly registered in the School besides 35 others electing law courses. At the January meeting of the Board of Trustees, acting on the recommendation of the Law Faculty, the School was placed upon a graduate basis, except that the combined six-year Arts-Law course is to be retained. The Summer Session in law is to be continued.

CORNELLIAN REPRESENTATIVES

Cornell has been officially represented by alumni at recent functions of two sister institutions. Dr. Madison Bentley '98, professor of psychology and director of the psychology laboratory at the University of Illinois, represented Cornell at the inauguration of Mark Embury Penny '10 as president of James Millikin University at Decatur, Illinois, on February 17. Dr. Edwin Mims '00, professor of the English language and literature at Vanderbilt University, represented Cornell at the celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the George Peabody College for Teachers at Nashville, Tennessee, on February 18.

ATHLETICS

International Meet July 11

Dates for the international track meets to be held in July have been agreed upon. The Oxford-Cambridge team will meet Harvard and Yale on July 4 and Cornell and Princeton on July 11. The place for the latter meet has not yet been selected, but the first will be held in the Harvard stadium.

Wrestlers Lose to Penn State

The wrestling team suffered a severe set back in the Drill Hall Saturday night, losing to the champion Penn State team by the score of 20 to 5. A fall by Captain Affeld in the unlimited class was the only victory for the Cornellians. The meet, however, was not as one sided as the score indicates, three of the bouts going to extra periods.

The 125-pound class bout between Chakin of Cornell and Oster of Pennsylvania went into the second extra period before Oster secured a fall. Two extra periods were required before Liggett of Penn State could defeat Geier of Cornell in the 135-pound class and that happened also in the 158-pound match between Parthemore of State and Howard of Cornell. Captain Affeld and Chakin

were the only members of last year's team to compete for Cornell.

The summary:

115-pound class: Carey, Penn State, won from Loeb by referee's decision. Time advantage 3:22.

125-pound class: Oster, Penn State, won from Chakin by fall in 14:22. Two extra periods.

135-pound class: Liggett, Penn State, won from Geier by referee's decision. Time advantage, 1:22. Two extra periods.

145-pound class: Black, Penn State, won from Jones by referee's decision. Time advantage, 3:22.

158-pound class: Parthemore, Penn State, won from Howard by referee's decision. Time advantage, 5:50. Two extra periods.

175-pound class: Rumbaugh, Penn State, won from Munns by referee's decision. Time advantage, 3:24.

Heavyweight class: Affeld, Cornell, won from Prevost by fall in 4:48.

Dartmouth Wins Basketball Game

Dartmouth, leader in the race for Intercollegiate basketball honors, defeated Cornell at Hanover Saturday night by a score of 28 to 19. The victory was the fourth straight for the Green in the league championship race. The only other undefeated team is Princeton, which at the beginning of the week had won three games.

The defeat at Hanover was the fourth straight League match lost by Cornell. Superior team play and passing by the



THE BIG SNOW ON THE CAMPUS

Skis and snowshoes made residents independent of poorly broken paths when more than two feet of snow fell on January 29-30.

Photo by Troy

Green, ability to cut in, lacking by Cornell all season, and superior condition were the factors responsible for Dartmouth's victory. Dartmouth threw nine goals from the field to six for Cornell, and made eleven goals out of fifteen tries from the foul line, while Cornell obtained seven out of eleven.

Cornell took an early lead when Captain Dake threw two foul goals, but Picken soon brought the Green up abreast of the Red and White and after five minutes of play Dartmouth was out ahead to stay. The score at half time was 13 to 7. Baskets by Molinet and Clucas and a free throw by Dake pulled Cornell up to within three points of the Green, but Dartmouth's superior passing and cutting in told again. On defense the teams were about equal, but Dartmouth was better at working the ball down, and at shooting. Molinet, Clucas, and Dake were most effective for Cornell; Picken and Goas for Dartmouth.

The line up and summary:

Dartmouth (28)		Cornell (19)
Friedman.....	L.F.....	Molinet
Picken.....	R.F.....	Moynihan
Dey.....	C.....	Dake
Sailor.....	L.G.....	Clucas
Goas.....	R.G.....	Rossomondo

Field goals: Goas 3, Picken 3, Friedman 2, Sauer, Molinet 2, Clucas 2, Winkler, Rossomondo.

Goals from fouls: Picken 3, Dey 3, Goas 2, Sailor, McDonald, Dake 3, Winkler 2, Rossomondo, Clucas.

Substitutions: Dartmouth, MacDonald for Sailor; Cornell, Winkler for Clucas, Albee for Moynihan, Moynihan for Winkler, Clucas for Moynihan, Winkler for Molinet, Melniker for Winkler, Molinet for Clucas.

Officials: referee, Brennan, Manhattan College; umpire, Kinney, Yale.

Columbia Defeats Fencing Team

Columbia defeated Cornell at fencing in the Drill Hall Saturday afternoon, by a score of 11 to 6. It was the first meet of the year for the Cornellians.

WANT ITHACA SLOGAN

A citizen of Ithaca, interested in the coming campaign for Cornell among alumni and others resident in Ithaca, has donated a prize of ten dollars for the best slogan to be used in the campaign.

The conditions of the contest for this slogan are that the slogan must relate to the appeal which the University is making for maintenance and the response which the citizens of Ithaca will give to that appeal. It may include the idea of the relationship which exists between Ithaca and the University.

The slogan must be not more than five words long, and according to the rules of the contest, other things being equal, a shorter slogan will be given preference.

All entries for the contest must be submitted by noon on Monday, March 4, to J. E. Van Natta, president of the Ithaca Advertising Club, at 222 East State Street. The slogans will be judged by a committee selected from the Ithaca Advertising Club.

SPORT STUFF

Dean Keniston of the Graduate School is going to the University of Chicago. There he will have "exceptional opportunity for research, teaching only graduate students." In the administration of the Heckscher Fund \$1,000 is granted Professor Blank "to provide relief from undergraduate teaching for 1923-24." Five other items are for similar purposes. It seems to be the dream of all sincere scholars that some day they won't have to teach and can accomplish something worth while.

What seems to be holding this university back is the presence of these damned students. R. B.

A GIFT TO THE COFFEE HOUSE

On a recent visit to Cornell, Colonel P. V. G. Mitchell of Antwerp, Belgium,

chanced to visit the Coffee House. He was greatly amused by the student decorations on the walls, was especially enthusiastic over the whole Coffee House idea, and promised to send over a few Belgian lithographs and some Belgian clay pipes to help complete the decorations, and add to the genial atmosphere.

Sure enough, five weeks later there arrived a box of two hundred and fifty clay pipes with reed stems, the bowls being in the form of a turbaned Turk with a long beard. These pipes are now available to the regular patrons of the Coffee House, to be initialed and hung up on the walls in pipe racks which have been provided for the purpose.

A few weeks later eight stunning colored prints arrived, of Belgian market scenes, docks, country lanes and canals. These have been hung in the East Room of the Coffee House, and in the hallways, adding greatly to the appearance and attractiveness of the Coffee House floor.



THE DRIFTS ON CASCADILLA BRIDGE

Photo by Troy

For nearly a week after the big storm long lines of automobiles and trucks waited on this hill for the one in the lead to dig out of the snow, and foot travel was difficult at best.



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THE HOT STOVE LEAGUE

AS the intercollegiate hokum season approaches its zenith with banquets and smokers it becomes obvious that Cornellians whose interests are wholly athletic will find hard going. The record of the past in nearly every branch of sport may serve to bridge over the gap until we can realize on the increasingly pleasing prospects for the near future. The present however, must largely be charged off to profit and loss.

A Yale writer has said, with some showing of research, that the period when Yale produced the fewest poets and authors was coincident with the period of Yale's long succession of winning football teams. As a consequence, a decline in the arts of writing was expected at New Haven with apprehension. We have not heard whether or not this forecast literary slump has yet come to pass, nor have we yet observed a heavy overproduction of manuscript at Cornell. We can easily conceive of the alumnal and undergraduate thoughts turning from sports to some other perennial, and perhaps more reliable, manifestation of educational activity.

Competitive boasting is, of course, a popular winter pastime for college men with intercollegiate friendships. It is not to be taken too seriously. It serves a purpose akin to that of the Hot Stove League. Not unnaturally we find it centering on athletics because here alone, with the possible exception of enrollment, the subject is susceptible of quantitative treatment. An argument over the merits of two musical organizations, for example, is interminable. It can be umpired only

rarely. A judgment would require the hearing of both clubs by the two parties to the argument, accompanied by a third neutral. This is altogether too much business. Athletics serves the same purpose much more easily.

It is curious that the league rarely debates intercollegiate rivalry in authors, poets, enrollment in *Who's Who*, student and alumni publications, scenery, achievements of the Faculty, comparative success in busting and putting on probation, and dozens of other evidences of activity that might profitably be compared as a substitute for intercollegiate athletics.

We shall be gratified if the association takes up with any of these suggestions. Until our present rather brighter prospects have had a chance to materialize in the spring and fall schedules, it may prove a hard winter unless something radical is done about it. The business of being alumni cannot be halted to await a crop of poets and story writers. Besides, the present special opportunity may be too short-lived.

HECKSCHER RESEARCH GRANTS

Below we complete the list of Heckscher grants begun last week:

68. \$1,050 to Harry S. Vandiver to pay the salary of a substitute during the second term of 1923-4 in order that he may carry on investigations into the theory of algebraic numbers.

69. \$100 to Professor J. William Hebel '13 to obtain transcripts of dedications to and letters of Lucy, Countess of Bedford.

70. \$1,300 to Professor Earle H. Kennard '13 to make an extensive study of fluorescent exciting powers.

71. \$500 to Professor Robert Matheson '06 for the purpose of securing drawings of the hypopygia of Culicidae.

72. \$3,500 to Professor Vladimir Karapetoff for an investigation on dielectrics in cooperation with the Committee on Electric Insulation of the National Research Council.

73. \$1,825 to Professor Herman Diederichs '07 to engage an assistant to work on mattensite, flame propagation, and heat transfer problems.

74. \$650 to Professor Wallace Notestein for the transcription of Parliamentary diaries.

75. \$875 to Dr. Aaron Bodansky to pay the salary of an assistant during the second term of 1923-4, to enable him to pursue investigations in the use of insulin.

76. \$3,000 to Professors Francis R. Sharpe and Virgil Snyder to engage the services of an instructor for 1924-5, to relieve them from a portion of their teaching, in order that they may prepare a comprehensive report on algebraic geometry, in cooperation with the National Research Council.

77. \$140 to Dr. Dean F. Smiley '16 for the study of the statistics in the Medical Adviser's Office of two hundred short-course students and two hundred freshmen.

78. \$1,000 to Professor Arthur J. Eames for the prosecution of research in the anatomy of angiosperm flowers.

79. \$1,500 to Professors Harry M. Fitzpatrick '09, Oscar A. Johannsen '02, James G. Needham '98, Karl M. Wiegand '94 and Albert H. Wright '04 for the completion of a cooperative scientific survey of the bogs within and adjacent to the Wild Life Preserve near McLean, N. Y.

80. \$500 to Professor Lane Cooper for the production of a descriptive catalogue of the writings on the "Poetics" of Aristotle.

81. \$425 to Professor Simon H. Gage '77 for the salary of a half-time assistant for 1924-5, for the determination of some unknown bodies, for the formation of fibrin, and for a study of the leucocytes of the lymph and the blood.

82. To Professor George L. Hamilton and Ralph H. Keniston, a sum not to exceed \$1,000 to defray the expenses of an edition of "De Miraculis Sanctae Dei Genetricis Mariae," with introduction and notes by Professor T. Frederick Crane.

83. \$600 to Professor Samuel A. Goldberg '14, for the continuation of researches on the diseases pertaining to pregnancy of domestic animals.

84. \$400 to Dr. Jacob Rapish for investigations on Spectrum analysis.

85. \$300 to Professor Emile M. Chamot '91 for the purpose of an investigation of the character of the waters of the Wild Life Preserve at McLean, N. Y.

86. \$650 to Professor Ernest Merritt '86 for an investigation of electrical effects produced by light in sensitive materials like selenium and the fluorescent dyes.

87. \$200 to Professor Walter L. Williams for researches regarding the genital diseases of animals.

88. \$125 to Professor Claude E. Case for the purchase of x-ray films and developer, for the study of the effect of athletic training on the size of the heart.

89. \$2,000 to Professors Louis M. Dennis and William R. Orndorff for a systematic study of the organic compounds of germanium.

90. \$1,200 to Professor Karl M. Wiegand '94 to be used toward the completion of a survey of Newfoundland for the publication of a flora of that island.

91. \$300 to Dr. Howard B. Adelman for the investigation of the development of experimentally produced cyclopia.

92. \$1,500 to Professor James G. Needham '98 *et al.* to complete a distribution and habitat list of the insects of New York State.

93. \$1,000 to Professor George L. Hamilton for the expenses of printing a volume entitled "Studies on the Old French Epic."

94. \$1,000 to Professor Arthur Ranum '93-6 Grad., for the employment of a substitute during the first term of 1925-6, in order that he may devote his time to research in differential geometry.

95. \$50 to Dr. Dean Smiley '16 for the purpose of gathering the statistics in the

Classes of 1922, 1923, and 1924 in regard to albuminuria, glycosuria, and high blood pressure.

96. \$800 to Professors Walter L. Williams and Samuel A. Goldberg for the study of genital diseases in animals.

97. \$600 to Professor J. F. Mountford, for the purchase of facsimiles of manuscripts of Ptolemy's "Harmonics."

98. \$550 to Professor Wallace Notestein for the editing of several Parliamentary diaries for 1624 and 1626.

99. \$800 to Dean George G. Bogert '06 for the employment of clerical assistance in preparing a comprehensive treatise on the law of trusts and trustees.

CLUB ACTIVITIES

Buffalo

The Cornell Club of Buffalo will hold its annual banquet on February 21 at the Hotel Statler. President Farrand and Dr. Charles A. (Pop) Lueder '02 will be the speakers.

The Cornell women of Buffalo will also hold their annual luncheon on February 21 at the Graduates' Club, 125 North Street. Dr. Farrand will be the guest of honor.

Cleveland

Councilman Peter Witt of Cleveland spoke on Wednesday, February 11, before the regular weekly luncheon of the Cornell Club at the Hollenden Hotel. Sixty-five members were present.

Mr. Witt, a protege of former mayor Tom L. Johnson, was discussed as a possible running mate for La Follette last November. His subject on Wednesday was "Traffic and Rapid Transit."

On February 4 the guest of honor was Lester P. Barlow, engineer and official spokesman for Gutson Borglum, sculptor, who is doing the Stone Mountain Memorial near Atlanta, Ga. His talk was most interesting and thoroughly appreciated by the sixty members present.

Dutchess County, New York

The Cornell University Club of Dutchess County held its annual banquet on December 30. Thirty-eight Cornellians and guests from Poughkeepsie and vicinity enjoyed an excellent dinner, followed by brief speeches by the president of the local Pennsylvania Club and by Robert Patterson, '25, president of the Student Council. Senator John G. Webb '15 was toastmaster.

The feature of the evening was an address by Dean Dexter S. Kimball, who presented an intensely interesting picture of conditions and tendencies on the Campus and left with each one a new realization of Cornell's problems and the part of each one in their solution.

At the annual meeting held in connection with the banquet, Louis E. Knauss '16 was elected president for the ensuing year, with William E. Seeley '17 vice-president, Ford H. McBerty '19 secretary, Fred Fuchs '18

treasurer, and Paul A. H. Weiss '16 trustee for three years.

Alumni Club Luncheons

Baltimore—Mondays, Engineers' Club, Light and Redwood Streets, 12.30 p. m.

Binghamton—First and third Mondays, Hans-Jones Restaurant, 12.15 p. m.

Boston—Mondays, Hotel Essex, 12.30 p. m.

Buffalo—Fridays, Hotel Statler, Iroquois Room, 12.15 p. m.

Buffalo Women—First Saturdays College Club, luncheon.

Chicago—Thursdays, University Club, 12.30 p. m.

Chicago Women—First Saturdays, Chicago College Club, 151 North Michigan Avenue.

Cleveland—Thursdays, Hollenden Hotel, 12 o'clock.

Detroit—Thursdays, King Wah Lo's Restaurant, 118 Michigan Avenue, 12.15 p. m.

Hartford, Conn.—Second Wednesdays, University Club, 30 Lewis Street, 12.15.

Indianapolis—First Mondays, Lincoln Hotel, 12.15 p. m.

Ithaca Women—Wednesdays, Coffee House, 12.30 p. m.

Los Angeles—Wednesdays, University Club, 614 South Hope Street, 12.15 p. m.

Milwaukee—Fridays, University Club, 12.15 p. m.

Newark, N. J.—Third Fridays, Downtown Club, Kinney Building, 12.30 p. m.

New York—Wednesdays, Machinery Club, 50 Church Street, 12.30.

Omaha—Third Thursdays, University Club, luncheon.

Philadelphia—Daily, Cornell Club, 310 South Fifteenth Street.

Pittsburgh—Fridays, William Penn Hotel, 12.15 p. m.

Pittsburgh Women—First Saturdays, Congress of Women's Clubs, 408 Pennsylvania Avenue, 1 p. m.

Poughkeepsie—Second Mondays, Colonel Hotel, 6.30 p. m.

Richerster—Wednesdays, Powers Hotel, 12.15 p. m.

Rochester Women—First Saturday afternoons, at the homes of members. Announced in the daily papers.

Springfield, Mass.—Mondays, Pickwick Room, Hotel Kimball, 12 o'clock.

Trenton—Mondays, Alberti's Restaurant (upstairs), East Front Street, 12 o'clock.

Washington, D. C.—First Thursdays, City Club, 12.30 p. m.

Waterbury, Conn.—First Thursdays, University Club, 6 p. m.

Worcester—First and third Tuesdays, University Club, 12.30 p. m.

Raleigh, North Carolina

Dr. Joseph Q. Adams of the English Department was a guest at the regular

meeting of the Cornell Club of Raleigh, North Carolina, on February 6. He told the thirty members present about recent developments at the University.

Professor Adams was in Raleigh to deliver at Meredith College a series of lectures on English literature. The next meeting of the Club will be held in April.

Hawaii

The Cornell Club of Hawaii, at its annual Founder's Day dinner held at the University Club of Honolulu on January 15, elected as president John M. Young '02; Robert A. Anderson '16, vice-president; and Goodale Moir '19, secretary-treasurer.

Thirty-five attended the dinner. The guests of honor were Dr. John H. Comstock '74, Mrs. Anna B. Comstock '75, Professor Simon H. Gage '77, Miss Mary F. Slater '99, Miss Mary I. Sherman '74, and Dr. Mary Gage-Day. William L. Morgan '17, past president of the Club, was toastmaster, and a musical stunt was given by Robert A. Anderson '16 and Alfred L. Marks '15.

OBITUARY

Norman Hutchinson '97

Norman Hutchinson, a member of the American diplomatic service for several years, died in Paris, France on December 21.

He was born in San Francisco, Calif., on August 10, 1875, the son of Henry L. and Josephine Rees Hutchinson. After attending the Belmont, Calif., High School, he went to "Bellerive" in Vevey, Switzerland, then came to Cornell in 1893 as a student of law and graduated in 1897 with the degree of LL. B.

While in the University he was unusually active in undergraduate affairs. He became a member of Phi Kappa Psi, Phi Delta Phi, and Theta Nu Epsilon. He was a member of the Cadet Corps, in which he rose to the rank of captain; a member of the Masque; a charter member of the Fencers' Club; was on the staff of the *Magazine*, and also belonged to the Conkling Club, Mermaid, La Fruija, Undine, and Bench and Board.

After leaving the University he went to the École Libre des Sciences Politiques in Paris, then to Merton College, Oxford. On August 27, 1902 he married Miss Juanita Davies in Santiago, Chile, and the same year he was appointed secretary of the American Legation in that city. In 1904 he was transferred to Caracas, in 1906 to Stockholm, and in 1907 he was appointed secretary of the legation and consul-general to Roumania and Servia and secretary of the diplomatic agency in Bulgaria. In 1909 he retired from the diplomatic service and took up his residence in Paris.

He was a member of the Sons of the American Revolution, the Travellers',

Automobile, Racing, and Tennis Clubs of Paris.

Wallace M. Brown '01

Wallace McDonald Brown died at his home in Brooklyn, N. Y., on February 2.

He was born in Brooklyn on May 4, 1876, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown. After getting his early education in Brooklyn he came to Ithaca and attended Cascadilla School, from which he entered Cornell in 1897 as a student of mechanical engineering. While in the University he became a member of Alpha Delta Phi, Theta Nu Epsilon, Mermaid, and Bench and Board. He was also a member of the Junior Prom and Senior Banquet Committees and a captain in the Cadet Corps.

After leaving the University, he became associated with the firm of Charles Brown and Company in New York, and was a member of the firm at the time of his death. In addition to his mother, he is survived by a sister, Mrs. Allyn L. Brown of Norwich, Conn., and three brothers, Douglas K. Brown '02, Charles M. Brown '04, and Melville G. Brown '09.

Carlman F. Ribsam '11

Carlman Ferdinand Ribsam died early in January at his home in Trenton, N. J., following an illness of typhoid pneumonia.

He was born in Trenton on September 9, 1888, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin C. Ribsam, and after graduating from the Trenton High School, entered Cornell in 1907 as a student of agriculture. He became a member of Alpha Zeta and Hebs-Sa. He was a member of the *Countryman* staff for three years and in his senior year served as business manager. In his junior year he was vice-president of the Agricultural Association and in his senior year was chairman of the Agricultural Honor System. He graduated in 1911 with the degree of B.S.A.

After leaving the University he became associated with the firm of Martin C. Ribsam Son's Company and was manager of the concern at the time of his death.

In addition to his wife and two small children, he is survived by his parents, two younger brothers, Philip and Martin C. Ribsam, Jr., besides two sisters, Mrs. Henry Haring of Newark, N. J., and Miss Margaret Ribsam. He was member of Trenton Lodge, B. P. O. Elks, and also of the Knights of Columbus.

ITHACANS over four hundred in number met as a testimonial to Robert H. Treman '78 at the ninth annual dinner of the Board of Commerce on February 16. The meeting was arranged as an appreciation for Mr. Treman's activities for the city. Speakers included President Farrand and Dean Albert W. Smith '78, as well as representatives of local business men and churches.

WILSON H. COATES, who has been a graduate student and instructor in the Department of English History for two years, has gone to University of Rochester.

LITERARY REVIEW

A Story of Gettysburg

A Boy at Gettysburg. By Elsie Singmaster '02. Boston. Houghton Mifflin Co. 1924. 19 cm., pp. 202. Price, \$1.75.

"A Boy at Gettysburg" is intended primarily for younger readers, but it has a charm and wholesomeness that appeal to the older reader as well; a quality akin to that which has caused such stories as "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" to be numbered among the classics. It is a highly realistic account of a boy's experience in the days just before and during the first years of the Civil War. The reader feels the thrill of the intense partisan feeling between North and South, rising to white heat over the election of Abraham Lincoln; shares the hero's active participation in the operating of an underground railroad; and finally watches the fateful ebb and flow of the Battle of Gettysburg.

Interwoven with the historical narrative is the story of a bright, lovable, energetic lad, whose joys and sorrows and hair-breadth escapes will hold the interest of the most exacting.

A Sentimental Journey

Old Scenes in Autumn Colors. By Spencer L. Adams '93. Chicago. Privately printed. 1924. 20.4 cm., pp. 75. 27 Illustrations.

It cannot be denied that for pure esthetic enjoyment of Nature there is no time of the year equal to the month of October. In this volume we have a description of a delightful two weeks' vacation spent in traveling through the eastern part of this country on such a quest of the beautiful.

Leaving Chicago the writer first visits his boyhood home on Skaneateles Lake, New York. A bit of Indian lore and local history adds much to the interest of the narrative of the journey through New York State.

The Finger Lakes region, with Watkins and Enfield Glens, the Campus at Ithaca, Genesee Falls, and many other famous scenes of natural beauty holds the traveler longest. Crossing the Pennsylvania mountains, he reaches Washington. After a brief stay in and about the Capitol City, he goes on to Asheville, North Carolina. A trip by boat brings him to New York. Then he fares up the glorious Hudson and into Connecticut; wanders through the Berkshires; and finally returns by train to Chicago.

Everywhere the traveler takes his camera with him, and a large part of the charm of this little volume consists in the beautiful and well selected illustrations from his own photographs.

Books and Magazine Articles

In *The Sibley Journal of Engineering* for February Professor Frank O. Ellenwood and Clarence F. Hirshfeld '05 have an article on "High Pressure, Reheating, and Regenerating for Steam Power Plants"; it

consists of extracts from a paper presented before the American Society of Mechanical Engineers at its meeting in December, 1923. Professor Fred H. Rhodes, Ph. D. '14, writes on "The Motor Fuel Problem."

In *The Oberlin Alumni Magazine* for February "The Problem of Immortality" by Professor Radoslav A. Tsanoff, Oberlin '06, Cornell '10, is reviewed by S. F. MacLennan.

In *Industrial and Engineering Chemistry* for January Professor Fred H. Rhodes '14 and H. J. Haon, Jr., discuss "Reclamation of Lubricating Oil from Used Crank-Case Oil."

In *Commerce and Finance* for January 7, Professor James E. Boyle has an article entitled "Congress, Coolidge and the Farmer." In *The Nation's Business* Professor Boyle is printing a serial on State regulation of prices. The instalment for December dealt with England; that for January dealt with France.

In *The American Journal of Sociology* for January Professor Charles A. Ellwood '06, of the University of Missouri, reviews Charles H. Sylvester's edition of "The Writings of Mankind" in twenty volumes. "Political Parties and Electoral Problems" by Professor Robert C. Brooks, Ph. D. '03 of Swarthmore, is reviewed by Harold D. Lasswell.

The *Proceedings* of the Academy of Political Science for January is devoted to "The Future of Prices at Home and Abroad." Judge William L. Ransom '05 discusses "Human Factors in Farm Prices." Charles H. Tuck '06 writes on "Cooperative Marketing and Agricultural Prices." William Wallace Gail '05 discusses "The Farmer's View of Agricultural Prices; Regulation by Statute or by Economic Laws." Professor George F. Warren, Jr., '03 discusses "The Agricultural Depression and the Price Level." Dr. John Bauer, formerly of Cornell, discusses "Wages and Index Numbers of Prices."

In *The Sigma Xi Quarterly* for December are printed the remarks made by Professor Floyd K. Richtmyer '04, national president of Sigma Xi, at the New York Sigma Xi alumni dinner on November 17. Speaking on the same occasion on "The New Battlefield of Civilization" as one who saw much of war conditions in Belgium, Dr. Vernon Kellogg said that the advance of civilization, even its maintenance, always implies a battle-front. "Tradition, inertia, mental laziness, ultra-conservatism, near-sighted self-interest, and a host of other enemies constantly oppose societal advance. They have to be fought. This fighting can even occasionally be of the character of actual murderous war among nationally segregated peoples, but more often it is an intellectual struggle among mentally diverse kinds of people. The outstanding struggle of the moment is that of science against ignorance and prejudice; of facts against opinions; of truth against falsehood. The Great War

afforded at once a revelation of the value of science and a stimulus to its further extension. And it revealed also the great utility of a new method of extending scientific knowledge with unusual rapidity. This method is that of the concentration of effort by numerous cooperating organizations and individuals on a basis of coordinated plan. Organization is a notable part of the American genius for achievement; scientific research can profit by organization as well as can business."

The Cornell Law Quarterly for February includes the following articles: "The Art of Judicial Reporting" by Alden I. Rosbrook of the Albany bar; "Anticipatory Repudiation of Contracts" by Herbert R. Limburg of the New York bar; "The Title Man's Idea of Real Property Law Reform" by Charles C. White of the Cleveland bar; and "A Few Fundamentals" by Silas H. Strawn of the Chicago bar, an address delivered before the Cornell Law Association on November 1. Notes and Comment on current cases fill fifty-one pages. Professor Horace E. Whiteside '22 reviews the second edition of Francis B. Tiffany's "Handbook of the Law of Principal and Agent" and "Forms of Wills" by Herbert C. Brooks. Professor Lyman P. Wilson reviews the fourth edition of "Brief Making and the Use of Law Books and Illustrated Reference Books." Professor Charles K. Burdick reviews "Prize Cases Decided in the United States Supreme Court, 1789-1918," in three volumes.

Earle Dudley Ross, Ph. D. '15, associate professor of history in Iowa State College, is joint author, with Professor Louis B. Schmidt, of "Readings in the Economic History of American Agriculture", which the Macmillans have just published. It is an octavo of 603 pages and sells for \$3.50.

The Journal of Forestry for February includes a review of "Wood Distillation" by Lee F. Hawley '03, the review being the work of Professor Emanuel Fritze.

In *Bird-Lore* for February Professor Arthur A. Allen '08 writes on "The Function of the College in the Field of Ornithology." Professor Allen's "Birds and Bird-Lore," a section reprinted from the *Grolier Society's* "Book of Popular Science," is reviewed by Frank M. Chapman.

In *The Historical Outlook* for February Dr. Daniel C. Knowlton '98 writes on "The Teaching of History in the Junior High School: the Tools and Workroom."

In *The Journal of Land and Public Utility Economics* for January Raphael Zon '01 discusses "Forestry and Land Development in the Lake States."

In the *Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science* for January, devoted to the subject of "The Agricultural Situation in the United States," Albert B. Genung '13 writes on "The Purchasing Power of the Farmers' Dollar from 1913 to Date."

ALUMNI NOTES

'87 PhB; '87 ME—Francis L. Chrisman and his wife are in California, where he is convalescing from a recent operation for mastoiditis. Chrisman recently lunched with Prof. Harris J. Ryan '87, who is head of the Department of Electrical Engineering, Stanford University.

'92—Bert Houghton is operating superintendent of the Brooklyn Edison Company. His address is 673 East Twenty-first Street, Brooklyn.

'93 LLB, '95 LLM—James P. Harrold now heads the legal firm of Harrold, Quilici and Devitt, which has replaced in Chicago, Ill., the firm of Lyle, Harrold, Hoover and Devitt, dissolved when Mr. Lyle became a municipal court justice. The offices of the new firm are at 108 South La Salle Street.

'94—Joseph C. Besosa is a general contractor in Santurce, Porto Rico, specializing in reinforced concrete buildings, bridges, and aqueducts. He writes that he and his wife, who was an Ithaca girl, expect to visit Cornell sometime before long. They live at 191 Loiza Road, Santurce.

'05—Andrew W. Newberry recently returned from a trip around the world, studying mining in South Africa and Australia. He spent three months hunting in British East Africa with Norman B. Livermore '95. They shot a number of lions and several species of a rare antelope, and had a narrow escape from a rhinoceros which they killed with one shot at the end of a fifty-foot charge. Newberry is now located at 2 Rector Street, New York.

'06—John R. Cautley is now with the Bendix Corporation at 1959 Illinois Merchants Bank Building, Chicago, following a re-organization of the company preparatory to production work.

'08 AB, '11 PhD—Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Gage write in to say that William Whitney Gage set up shop in the Corning, N. Y. Hospital on February 8. Gage is chief of the optical division of the Corning Glass Works.

'08 AB—L. Raymond Smith is an instructor in industrial physics in the William L. Dickinson High School at Jersey City, N. J. On February 22, 1924 he was married to Miss Mollie I. Carter of Greene, N. Y., and they are living at 111 Summit Avenue, Jersey City. Smith is the author of two books, one being on heat and the other on mechanics.

'09 ME—Howard L. Seaman was recently elected a director of the National Bank of Delaware in Wilmington. He is secretary of the Lobdell Car Wheel Company in that city and also has many civic interests. He is a member of the Wilmington Rotary Club, the vestry of St. Andrew's Church, the executive committee of the Wilmington Council of Boy Scouts, and

the Regional Executive Committee of Region 3 of the national organization; and a director of the Wilmington Morris Plan Bank, the Service Citizens of Delaware, the Prisoners' Aid Society, and the boys' division of the Y. M. C. A. He is also a member of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers and the American Society for Testing Materials.

'10 ME—Mr. and Mrs. G. Ervin Kent of 731 Homewood Avenue, Dayton, Ohio, have a daughter, Betty Eloise, born on January 30.

'10 AB—Mary Feder has been admitted to the bar in Pennsylvania and is now a practicing attorney in Philadelphia as a member of the firm of Ladner & Ladner at 1501 Walnut Street.

'11 AB—Jesse A. Kingsbury is in charge of the laboratory of the Oliver Chilled Plow Company in South Bend, Ind. He has recently been reorganizing the laboratory. His address is 314 Angela Avenue, E., Harter Heights, South Bend.

'12 LLB—Mr. and Mrs. Francis P. Cuccia have announced the arrival of their fourth son, Richard Heagen, on December 1, 1924. They are living at 8724 Ninety-seventh Street, Brooklyn Manor, Long Island, N. Y.

'13 ME—Brayton A. Porter is with Judd & Company, an investment concern, and is living at 40 Robin Road, West Hartford, Connecticut.

'13 AB, '23 PhD—Lucy S. Crawford is professor of philosophy at Sweet Briar College, Sweet Briar, Va.

'13 BS—E. Victor Underwood, with his wife and son have been spending the winter in Los Angeles, Calif., where he has been temporarily associated with his father in the real estate business. About April 1 they expect to return to Ithaca and Underwood will resume his work as secretary of the New York State Farm Bureau Federation.

'14 AB—On February 1, Hays Matson moved to Seattle, Wash., to represent Blair & Company, Inc., a New York bond house, in the States of Washington and Oregon. His address is the College Club, Sixth and Spring Streets, Seattle.

'14 BS—William H. Upson believes in changing his business every little while. Since graduation he has been a farmer for three years, a private in the Artillery Corps for two years, a mechanic for a tractor company for three years and a helper in the New York City Street Cleaning Department for one winter. At the present time he is writing short stories which he admits he is trying to sell to magazines. His address is R. F. D. 43, Norwalk, Connecticut.

'15 BS—For the past three years Charles B. Heartfield has been in the insurance and bond contracting business in New York City with offices at 135 Broadway. He lives at 96 Wadsworth Terrace.

'15—Karl E. Battey is connected with the Pierce-Arrow Agency in Pasadena, Calif., and lives at 82 East Palm Street, Altadena.

'16 BS—Franklin H. Thomas is still with the W. A. Harriman Company, Inc., Philadelphia, but his business address is now the Franklin Trust Building. He lives at 115 Kenmore Road, Upper Darby, Pennsylvania.

'16 BS—Albert Hoefler is country club agent in Rensselaer County, N. Y., and lives at Lake and Warren Avenues, Troy. He is also secretary of the Troy Kiwanis Club and chairman of the New York District Committee on Agriculture for the Kiwanis organization.

'15, '17 LLB—John H. Machan was recently named deputy attorney general in New York State. His headquarters are in Albany.

'16 AB—Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Boyd have announced the marriage of their daughter, Edna M. Boyd to Carl A. Neves (M. D., Emory University '10) on December 24, 1924 in New York. They are residing at the National Sanatorium, Tenn., where Dr. Neves is in charge of the treatment hospital. Mrs. Neves was formerly senior bacteriologist in the laboratory department of the institution.

'16 ME—Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mendinhall of 2293 Van Buren Place, Wilmington, Del., have announced the birth of their second child, Dorothy Mildred, on September 19, 1924.

'17 BS—Laurence G. Wygant is engaged in general and dairy farming at Cream Ridge, N. J. He and his wife have a daughter, Mary Louise, born on November 28, 1924.

'17 BS—Harold Macy, who is an assistant professor in the University of Minnesota, was married on September 20, 1924, to Miss Rachel C. Nelson at Minneapolis. They are living at 2276 Scudder Street, St. Paul, Minn.

'17 AB—Robert U. Carr is treasurer of the United States Home Company in Buffalo, N. Y. His address is 37 Windsor Avenue.

'18 AB, '21 MD—Dr. Harriet Hosmer is engaged in the general practice of medicine in Buffalo, N. Y., at 84 Ashland Avenue.

'18 AB—Katharina M. Tressler sailed from New York on January 31 on the Laconia, for a ten weeks' tour of the Mediterranean. She will visit Egypt, Palestine, Greece, Italy, Portugal, Spain and France.

'19 AB, '20 BChem; '20—Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. White (Amy L. L. Flint '20) have a son, Robert Flint, born on January 22. They are living on Sagamore Drive, Charlotte Station, Rochester, N. Y.

'19—James T. Pitts was recently named principal of the Eugene Field School in Rochester, N. Y.

'19—Charles T. Morrison was married at Oshkosh, Wis., on February 14, to Miss

Helen West of that city, a graduate of the University of Illinois. His parents, William H. Morrison '90 and Mrs. Morrison (Jennie L. Nourse '92) attended the ceremony.

'19 AB—Dean C. Wiggins is with The Felters Company, Inc., of Jackson, Mich., and travels for it in Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois as a salesman. His permanent address is 3496 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

'19 AB—James M. Campbell returned last September from the Orient; he had spent four years for the International Banking Corporation in China and Japan. He has now been transferred to the National City Company, for which he expects to return to the Orient in a few months. His address is 656 Prospect Place, Brooklyn.

'19 ME—Robert D. Spear is a sales engineer for the Wheeler Condenser and Engineering Company of 149 Broadway, New York. He lives at 636 Monroe Avenue, Elizabeth, N. J.

'19, '18 AB, '20 ME—George Stone returned last October from an eight months' trip around the world. While in Yokohama he met Thomas D. Finn, Jr. '20 and Eric S. Erickson '21 and at the Olympic Games he met Edward S. Kirby '24. He is now an engineer with the Edgemoor Iron Works at Edgemoor, Del. Mail should be addressed to him at 2501 Willard Street, Wilmington, Del.

'20 LLB—Henry Freund has announced the marriage of his daughter, Regene R. Freund '20, to Louis S. Cohane on December 9, 1924, at Detroit, Mich. She is continuing the practice of law in Detroit under the name of Regene R. Freund and is associated with her husband. Their offices are in Suite 1004 Penobscot Building.

'20 CE—Joseph H. Christian was married at Sayre, Pa., on September 20, 1924, to Miss Marie Harris, niece of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harris of Lyndonville, N. Y. George H. Smith '18 acted as best man at the ceremony. They are living at 512 South Forty-second Street, Philadelphia. Christian is in the engineering department of the Kalman Steel Company.

'20 ME—McNeir Smith is in the central station commercial department of the General Electric Company at Schenectady, N. Y.

'20 WA, '21 AB—John S. Pflueger is associated with the Enterprise Manufacturing Company and the Siebert-Berry Agency Company in Akron, Ohio. His engagement to Miss Ruth Robinson of Akron was announced on January 30. Pflueger is now a captain in Troop E, 107th Cavalry, Ohio National Guard, and living at 446 West Market Street.

'21 BChem—Warren H. Jones is assistant superintendent with the Pharis Tire and Rubber Company of Newark, Ohio. He was married on October 15, 1924 to Miss Faye Swank of that city and they are living at 73 North Sixth Street.

'21 BS—Ralph P. Thompson is growing

and selling citrus fruits at Winter Haven, Fla. He has an eighty-acre grove property which he is planning to subdivide and will enter the real estate business.

'21, '22 ME—George S. Dunham is mechanical superintendent for the Lion Oil Refining Company at El Dorado, Ark. His address is 310 South West Avenue.

'21 BChem—William H. Rometsch, Jr., is one Cornellian that is lucky. He recently won a hundred-dollar limerick prize offered by the Philadelphia *Public Ledger*. Before winning it, Rometsch had agreed to give half of his winnings to his wife when she criticized him for spending his time on limericks, and when he won, he had to "divvy up." Rometsch and his wife and their baby, Dorothy Ann, live at 5722 Chew Street, Germantown, Philadelphia.

'22 BS—Elizabeth Pratt was recently coaching plays and teaching dramatics at Christodora House in New York and studying at the Neighborhood Playhouse, but since January 1 has been at her home, 28 Pine Street, Wellesley Hills, Mass. She expects to go to Detroit, Mich., soon, to engage in dramatic work.

'22 BS—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Hopkins (Elsie M. Sweet '22) have a daughter, Carolyn Marie, born on August 13, 1924. They live at 30 Defiance Street, Ticonderoga, N. Y.

'22 AB—Because of ill health, Lucy E. Kuehnert has been obliged to give up teaching and is now resting at her home, 226 Third Street, McDonald, Fla.

'22 AB—Edward V. Cushman is teaching science and mathematics in the high school at Hudson, N. Y. His address is 449 Prospect Street.

'23 BS—Raymond W. Donahue was married in New York on January 28 to Miss Ann I. Quirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Quirk of Brooklyn.

'23—Horace F. Colby II was recently awarded a prize of one hundred dollars by the Founders' Society of the Detroit Institute of Arts for a bronze bust of a negro child which he made while in Ithaca last spring and which he exhibited at the annual exhibition of Michigan artists. He is now studying at the American Academy in Rome and expects soon to do some traveling in Egypt and Greece. He will probably return home in the summer.

'23 BS—William L. Davidson is teaching vocational agriculture and science and also supervising a large commercial flock of hens at the Watkinson School for Boys at Hartford, Conn.

'23 ME—Earl K. Stevens is in the advertising service department of the McGraw-Hill Company of New York. He lives at 42 Brookside Drive, Greenwich, Connecticut.

'23 AB—Barbara C. Fretz is still teaching modern European history to sophomores in the High School at Easton, Pa. She lives at 330 Ferry Street.

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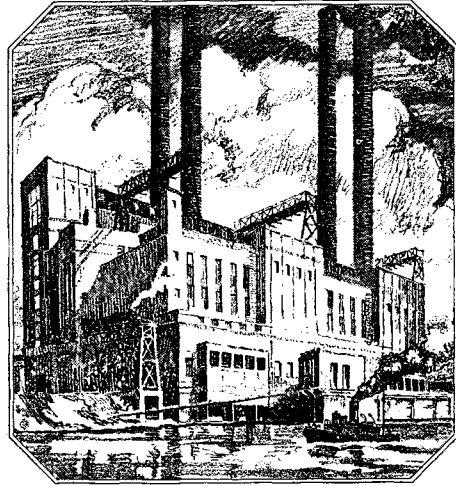
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'23 BLArch, '24 ML A—Roland Schultheis is a landscape architect in the bureau of construction and maintenance of the Department of Education, New York. He is doing landscape work on high and public schools in New York and has his headquarters at Concord Street and Flatbush Avenue Extension in Brooklyn. He lives at 318 Nineteenth Street, College Point, N. Y.

'23 BS—Elizabeth Fenn is teaching in the Senior High School at Schenectady, N. Y., and living at 605 Crane Street.

'23 BS—Edgar M. Veghte is putting in the winter logging off a tract of timber in the southern part of the Adirondack Mountains. Mail will reach him at R.F.D. 3, Johnstown, N. Y.

'23—Walter L. Rollo is a development engineer with the Foamite-Childs Corporation of Utica, N. Y., and lives at 118 Proctor Boulevard.

'23 ME—The engagement of William C. Taylor to Miss Constance Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Long of Oak Place, Ill., was recently announced. Taylor is a cost reduction engineer with the Western Electric Company in its Hawthorne plant and lives at 48 Cedar Street, Chicago.

'23 BS—O. Lindsay Clarkson is manager of the Beverly Nurseries at Edgewater Park, N. J. The concern deals especially in evergreens and ornamental deciduous trees.

'23 AB; '24 DVM—The note in our issue of February 5, that Alice C. Dassance was teaching in the High School at Odessa, was incorrect. Miss Dassance was married on September 3, 1924, to Maurice

D. Canary '24 of Amsterdam, New York.

'24—Carrol W. Ford was recently named as teacher of mathematics in the High School at Newark, N. Y.

'24 CE—William D. Bailey is a senior inspector in the Pennsylvania Department of Highways. His address is 516 Fifth Street, Beaver, Pa.

'24 BS—Bruno L. Wallendorf is teaching biology in one of the high schools in Brooklyn, N. Y., and is also assistant coach of athletics. His address is 1271 Hancock Street.

'24 ME—Carlman M. Rinck is with the John A. Roebling & Sons Company of Trenton, N. J., and lives at 2 South Clinton Avenue, Trenton. He writes that last summer while walking past the Y. M. C. A. he found "Ed" Betts '24 sitting on the steps and looking like "little orphan Annie." Betts is now with the Public Service Gas Company in Trenton and says that he has inhaled and swallowed enough gas to change a submarine into a Shenandoah.

'24 BS—Margaret E. Kelly is dietitian in charge of the diabetic department at the Clifton Springs, N. Y., Sanitarium.

'24 BChem—John D. Macdonald is a power plant engineer and salesman for the firm of Julian S. Simjohn of Philadelphia. He lives at 334 Cooper Street, Woodbury, N. J.

'24 CE—William B. Dallas is laying sidewalks and sewers in Hudson Heights, N. J., and is credited with knowing the score of every important football game played in the East last fall.

'24 AB—John D. Ware is studying for a Ph. D. degree in chemistry at the University and is living at The Knoll.

'24 LLB—Joseph Handelman has opened an office for the general practice of law at 426 Hibernia Bank Building, New Orleans, La.

'24 ME—Sidney Quimby is a student engineer in the factory training course of the General Electric Company at Schenectady. He lives at 632 Brandywine Avenue.

'24 BS—Clinton S. Maldoon is teaching at Perry, N. Y. After July 1 he expects to become manager of Windswept Farms at Henderson, N. Y.

'24 ME—Nat Kliot is a cable inspector for the New York Rapid Transit Company, which operates the Brooklyn subway system. He is living at 63 Stuyvesant Avenue, Brooklyn.

'24 BS—John T. Wolf is doing graduate work for a master's degree in organic and physiological chemistry at Fordham University. He is also acting as an instructor in chemistry. His address is 2711 Humphries Street, East Elmhurst, N. Y.

'24 BS; '24 BS—Harry Arnold is operating his father's farm at Rushville, N. Y. On November 27, 1924, he was married to G. Lillian Bay '24.

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