




CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS



Engineering Alumni Will Mark the
Founding of First Building—
To Return October 17

Field Secretary is Visiting Alumni
Groups in Far Western and
Northern States

Cornell Had No Easy Victory Over
Fighting Niagara Team—
Score 37 to 6

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for the

Princeton-Cornell Game

Ithaca, Saturday, October 17



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Lv. Philadelphia (Reading Ter'l.)	9:10 A.M.	5:00 P.M.	12:05 A.M.
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Lv. Ithaca.....	9:54 A.M.	12:38 P.M.	*11:00 P.M.
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Ar. New York (Hudson Ter'l.)...	5:49 P.M.	8:31 P.M.	7:16 A.M.
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Engineers Will Celebrate

*Sixtieth Anniversary of Founding of First Building to be Observed October 17—
First Dynamo to Run*

This year marks the sixtieth anniversary of the completion of the first building devoted to the teaching of engineering on the Campus.

The Cornell Society of Engineers, is sponsoring an observance of this anniversary on the day of the Princeton game, October 17. Bancroft Gherardi '93, of New York, a Trustee, is general chairman of the committee in charge, and Walker Cislser '21 of Newark, N. J., is the executive chairman.

In conjunction with this celebration, Cornell will join in the world-wide observance of the 100th anniversary of Faraday's discovery of the principles of electro-magnetism which marked the birth of the dynamo. This has special significance to Cornellians because the first dynamo made and operated in the Western Hemisphere was a Cornell product. It was made in 1875 by Professors William A. Anthony and George S. Moler '75. It lighted the Cornell Campus while New York and Paris still used gas. The dynamo still works, and is one of the prized possessions of the University. This dynamo will function again, and Professor Moler, who is now an emeritus professor in Ithaca, will re-enact the historic scene of 55 years ago.

In 1870 Hiram Sibley of Rochester, founder and first president of the Western Union Telegraph Company, made the first of a series of gifts to the University which culminated in the groups of buildings which bear his name. The College of Engineering now comprises the School of Civil Engineering, the Sibley School of Mechanical Engineering, and the School of Electrical Engineering. Sibley College, the first building devoted to engineering, opened in 1871. In that year also seven degrees of Bachelor of Civil Engineering were conferred, the first engineering degrees to be granted by Cornell. Two years later three students received the first degrees given in mechanical engineering.

After the death of Hiram Sibley in 1888, his son, Hiram W. Sibley, of Rochester, succeeded to the Trusteeship vacated by his father.

Franklin Hall (1883) and Lincoln Hall (1888) were subsequently built from Uni-

versity funds. Rand Hall, built in 1912, represents the most recent gifts to the College of Engineering. It was made by Mrs. Florence Rand Lang, of Montclair, New Jersey.

The College of Engineering will be hosts to returning alumni at a breakfast to be served in the basement of Sibley College from 8 to 10 a.m. on October 17. This will be followed by an open-house period lasting until noon. Professors and students will act as guides to the guests and will conduct tours about the college buildings. At the usual pre-game luncheon in the Drill Hall special tables for the engineers will be arranged.

After the game with Princeton, the engineers will hold a banquet in the Memorial Room of Willard Straight Hall. All Cornell engineers, their families, and their friends have been invited.

About one-fourth of all the degrees conferred by Cornell in its sixty-three years have gone to graduates in engineering. They total 8,175 baccalaureate and 462 advanced degrees. These have been distributed as follows: Bachelors of Civil Engineering, 161; Bachelors of Mechanical Engineering, 57; Civil Engineers, 2,647; Mechanical Engineers 5,765; Electrical Engineers, 545; Masters of Civil Engineering, 189; Masters of Mechanical Engineering, 245; Masters of Electrical Engineering, 28.

SCHIFF GRANT PROVIDES FOR ENGINEERING LECTURESHIPS

The School of Civil Engineering, which is this year inaugurating a course in building construction, has obtained a grant from the Schiff Foundation for non-resident lecturers on this subject. The general intent of the course is to present to the student the practical features of building construction and thus supplement his theoretical work in other courses.

The first lecture of the series was given Monday by Thomas H. McKaig, B. Arch. '11, C.E. '13. For the past ten years he has conducted an extensive consulting practice as an architectural engineer in western New York and Pennsylvania.

Arrangements are being made by Professor Leonard C. Urquhart '09, who is in charge of the course, for weekly lectures by men eminent in the engineering profession. The complete list, which includes several Cornellians in addition to McKaig, will be made public shortly.

Field Secretary on Trip

Ray S. Ashbery '25 Visiting Alumni Groups in Western and Far-Western States

Ray S. Ashbery '25, alumni field Secretary, is on a trip into the far West, visiting alumni groups as far north as Vancouver, and as far south as San Diego, Phoenix, and Tucson. Ashbery left Ithaca on September 22, not to return until October 30.

Meetings have been held in Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Spokane, Seattle, Vancouver, Tacoma, Portland, and Sacramento. Still on the schedule are the following:

October 9, dinner of the Cornell Club of Northern California, in San Francisco; October 10, luncheon of the Cornell Women's Club of Northern California; October 13, dinner of the Cornell Club of Santa Barbara.

October 14, luncheon of the Cornell Club of Southern California, at Los Angeles; October 17, luncheon of the Cornell Women's Club of Southern California.

October 19, luncheon or dinner with the Cornell alumni in Phoenix; October 20, dinner of the Cornell Club of Tucson. October 24, luncheon or dinner, Cornell alumni of Colorado Springs.

October 26, luncheon of the Cornell Club of Denver; October 27, luncheon of the Cornell Club of Manhattan, Kansas; October 28, luncheon of the Cornell Club of Kansas City; October 29, luncheon of the Cornell Club of St. Louis.

Ashbery was appointed alumni field secretary a year ago this fall. During the year he spoke before 67 meetings of alumni, covering many points east of the Mississippi, and going as far south as Texas and Louisiana. At all of these meetings his talks were received with no little enthusiasm. Ashbery is not connected with the Cornellian Council, the alumni fund-raising agency of the University, but is attached to the office of the Alumni Representative.

ELEUSIS, a local fraternity founded in 1912, will become affiliated this fall with Theta Kappa Nu. It will be formally installed as the fiftieth chapter in the national body.

ATHLETICS

NIAGARA NO SET-UP

The football team found its second victory, over Niagara on Schoellkopf Field October 3, not an easy one. The running attack failed to function with its usual power and only through the air did Cornell make the final score 37-6. The team clicked only part of the time.

Line play was not up to its usual standard, and the blocking of the interfering backs in front of the ball carrier left much to be desired, but the team used the pass to score three touchdowns on forward passes. Alertness on the defense against an aerial attack, with one glaring exception, resulted in four interceptions of Niagara tosses.

As has happened so frequently in the past, Niagara scored. The forward passing combination of Clark to Clancy, which brought about both Purple touchdowns in Cornell's 61-14 victory last year, again engineered a touchdown. This was one of the few spectacular plays of a slow game.

With Cornell leading, 19-0, in the fourth period, Niagara put the ball in play on its 35-yard line after a punt. Clark was thrown for a 5-yard loss, but Seig, on a center buck, made up the distance. Clark stepped back and threw a 20-yard pass to Clancy, Niagara left end. Condon, protecting the zone, missed the receiver, and Clancy sped 45 yards for the score, eluding two other tacklers en route.

The Red and White began then to apply the pressure. A reserve line was thrown in and Cornell promptly scored three touchdowns in its only decisive show of power.

The performance of Kline, a sophomore back, was outstanding. His play on defense was particularly brilliant and made up for the lack of excellence on the part of such veterans as Viviano and Handleman. Viviano, returning to the lineup after nearly two weeks of inactivity with an injured ankle, was little used, except as a receiver of flat zone passes over center from Handleman. This play worked very effectively twice, but it was dropped from the offensive for no particular reason.

The end play was better than is usually seen at this time at Ithaca. Jose Martinez-Zorrilla at right end was particularly adept at blocking intended forward passes. The Mexican and his running mate, Kessler, were down well under punts, and Reiber, a sophomore end, played particularly well on defense.

LINE FAILS TO HOLD WELL

From tackle to tackle, the Cornell line failed to show accustomed power. Niagara backs, particularly Seig, plunged through for short gains consistently.

Cornell registered 19 first downs to 3 for Niagara, one of which came with a

Cornell offside penalty. Cornell completed 9 forward passes out of 17 for 107 yards, while Niagara completed only one—its scoring play—in six attempts.

Cornell started auspiciously, Murdock recovering Seig's fumble of the kickoff on Niagara's 31-yard line. Cornell threw away a chance to score when a forward pass on second down grounded in the end zone. The next Cornell advance was halted in surprising fashion. Niagara's line held for downs on its one-yard marker as Viviano and Handleman each twice failed to penetrate for a score.

Seig punted out to Ferraro on Niagara's 35-yard line, and Cornell scored on the first play, Ferraro tossing a short pass to Condon, who raced for the touchdown. Handleman's try for the extra point failed.

As the period ended, passes from Handleman to Viviano brought the ball to Niagara's 25-yard line, and on the first play of the second quarter, Ferraro went through right tackle for 15 yards. Handleman passed to Kessler, who fumbled but recovered the ball on the goal line for the touchdown. Handleman placekicked the goal.

The game resolved itself into a punting duel between Ferraro and Seig, as Cornell's passing attack bogged badly.

Neither team scored in the dull third period, enlivened only by Clark's 40-yard dash from scrimmage to Cornell's 40-yard line. Cornell fumbled a bit in this quarter, but also began to show its ability to snare enemy passes. Kline intercepted one and then received one from his teammate, Beall, to advance to the Niagara 35-yard marker.

The advance was stopped as three passes grounded, Niagara taking the ball on downs. Then Clark got through the right side of Cornell's line for a long run.

Near the close of the period, Beall intercepted a pass from Fleishman at midfield and returned it 10 yards. A forward pass, Ferraro to Kline, made a first down on the Niagara 29-yard marker, and line plays carried the ball to Niagara's 12-yard line as the period ended.

A Niagara offside penalty gave Cornell a first down on the Purple 4-yard marker and Ferraro slipped off right tackle for the touchdown. Then came the Clark-Clancy scoring play for Niagara. On both these touchdowns, the extra point was missed.

The rest of the final period provided some spectacular playing, with the tide of fortune shifting rapidly. Reiber recovered a fumble when Niagara tossed the ball away in trying to execute a trick double pass, and Cornell had first down on the Purple 12-yard mark. Three line plays gained 7 yards and on fourth down Beyer tossed to Beall for a touchdown. Kline's try for the point missed.

On the next exchange of kicks, Beyer fumbled a punt, and Lipan recovered for

the Purple at midfield. Kline intercepted Murphy's aerial and sped down the side line 50 yards for a score. No tackler touched him on the journey. Kline again missed the extra point.

Another intercepted pass, this one by Condon, paved the way for the final touchdown. Kline's kickoff went to Clark on Niagara's 10-yard line, and the Purple back was stopped after running back 10 yards. Condon was thrown on Niagara's 27-yard line. Beyer raced around his right end for 19 yards. Condon made a yard, and Beall added 6 on a center buck. Beyer failed to gain, but on fourth down, Beall slipped through his right tackle for the touchdown. Larson's try for the extra point went wide.

Captain Chris Martinez-Zorrilla and George, tackles, were out. George is ineligible this season, and the captain has an injured elbow.

The lineups:

CORNELL (37)	Pos	NIAGARA (6)
Kessler	LE	Clancy
Lundin	LT	Shortell
Tullar	LG	Mott
Penny	C	Tanner
Shaub	RG	McLaughlin
Murdock	RT	Scully
J. Martinez-Zorrilla	RE	Lipan
Condon	QB	Clark
Viviano	LHB	F. Murphy
Handleman	RHB	Fleishman
Ferraro	FB	Seig

Score by periods:

Cornell	6	7	0	24	37
Niagara	0	0	0	6	6

Touchdowns: Cornell, Condon, Kessler, Ferraro, Beall 2, Kline, Niagara, Clancy.

Points after touchdowns: Cornell, Handleman (place kick).

Substitutions: Cornell, Goldbas for Handleman, Falk for Shaub, Wallace for J. Martinez-Zorrilla, Grant for Condon, Reiber for Kessler, Kossack for Tullar, Brock for Penny, Beyer for Ferraro, Larson for Murdock, Rothstein for Lundin, Smith for Beyer, Niagara, Gibbons for Shortell, T. Murphy for Lipan, Silver for Mott, McNally for Seig, Lynch for Scully, McMahon for Fleishman, Vermette for F. Murphy, Scully for Lynch, Kelly for Scully.

Referee, Leipsic, Syracuse; umpire, Shields, Brown; lineman, Campbell, Springfield; field judge, Pasini, Springfield. Time of periods, 15 minutes.

HOW OPPONENTS FARED

Cornell's major football foes of the next two months scored easy victories October 3. Dartmouth piled up nine touchdowns in defeating Buffalo, 61-0, at Hanover, and Columbia bested Union, 54-0, at New York.

In their opening games, Pennsylvania defeated Swarthmore, 32-7, and Princeton conquered Amherst, 27-0. The Swarthmore eleven is coached by George R. Pfann '23, former quarterback and all-America star.

The University of Richmond, Cornell's opponent this week, lost to Emory-Henry, 13-7. Alfred lost to Rochester in a night game, 12-6.

POLO TEAM WINS

The R. O. T. C. polo team opened the fall season October 2 on Upper Alumni Field, defeating the Cortland Polo Club,

13-5. The Cornell lineup included Ranney, Keese, Baldwin, Stevenson, Anderson, Feick, Cusack, and Sears. Keese led in scoring with five goals.

FALL ROWING BOOMS

The largest freshman squad since he assumed direction of Cornell rowing in 1926 reported to Coach James Wray last week for fall practice on the water. The yearling oarsmen numbered 102 and were generally considered by the coach as promising material.

Both varsity and freshman eights will be boated on the Inlet and Lake Cayuga until cold weather sets in.

From last year's varsity boat that placed second to the Navy at Poughkeepsie, three oarsmen and Coxswain Burke have been lost by graduation. The oarsmen are Heidelberger, No. 4, crew representative last year, Clark, No. 6, and Austin, bow.

The varsity veterans include McManus, this year's crew representative, Roeder, Parsons, Ives, and Wilson.

Of the junior varsity, Hartman, Falk, Otto, Shallcross, LePage, and Smith will be available, along with the sophomores who made up last year's freshman eight. They are Hooper, Thompson, Blum, Schroeder, Williams, Garber, Miller, and Payne.

FALL SCHEDULES

FOOTBALL

- Sept. 26—Cornell 68, Clarkson 0
 Oct. 3—Cornell, 37, Niagara 6
 10—Richmond at Ithaca
 17—Princeton at Ithaca
 31—Columbia at Ithaca
 Nov. 7—Alfred at Ithaca
 14—Dartmouth at Hanover
 26—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia

CROSS COUNTRY

- Oct. 16—Alfred at Ithaca
 24—Yale at Ithaca
 31—Quadrangular race at New York (Pennsylvania, Columbia, Dartmouth, Cornell)
 Nov. 16—Intercollegiate at New York

SOCCER

- Oct. 10—Hamilton at Ithaca
 17—Princeton at Ithaca
 23—Penn State at Ithaca
 Nov. 7—Syracuse at Syracuse
 13—Dartmouth at Hanover
 26—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

- Oct. 10—Cortland Normal at Cortland
 16—Manlius School at Manlius
 24—Cook Academy at Montour Falls
 Nov. 7—Pennsylvania at Ithaca

MOTOR VEHICLE BUREAU

BEGINS ACTIVE OPERATION

With the opening of the new term, the Motor Vehicle Bureau, tested during the Summer Session, began operations for issuing, revoking, and regulating permits for driving automobiles. The Bureau also controls driving practices and parking.

The Bureau, operating in cooperation with the Ithaca police and Tompkins County authorities, has already been

instrumental in the revocation of the license of one student driver who was involved in an accident.

Rules for the control of student-owned cars were adopted by the Trustees a year ago. Students owning cars are required to obtain a permit, for which a \$1 fee is charged. Parking is prohibited for student cars on the Campus and other designated areas between 7 a. m. and 5 p. m., except Saturday afternoons and Sundays.

Permits are issued only to students whose cars are registered in accordance with laws prevailing in their home States. Students on parole or probation are not granted permits, unless they can show that their cars are needed because of physical condition, employment, or other sufficient reason.

Penalties for the violation of regulations include a fine of \$1 for the first offense, a fine of \$2 for the second offense, and a fine of not more than \$5 for any subsequent offense. Penalties will also be imposed on drivers violating the traffic regulations of the City of Ithaca.

BIDS FOR NEW AGRICULTURAL

BUILDING TOTAL \$531,906

A low bid of \$454,000 for general construction of the new Agricultural Economics Building on the College of Agriculture Campus has been made by the Wark Company of Philadelphia. Sixty-six proposals were received last week by the State Department of Education.

Other low bidders for special construction were: heating, the W. W. Wetmore Corporation, Buffalo, \$35,479; sanitation, the Barr and Creelman Company, Rochester, \$13,677; electric, John P. Morrissey, Inc., New York, \$28,750.

The four low bids total \$531,906.

The new building will match the Plant Science Building recently completed. Both structures will eventually form the north and south wings of a U-shaped group to be connected at the east end by a proposed library for the College of Agriculture.

DR. LADD RESUMES

EXTENSION DIRECTORSHIP

Dr. Carl E. Ladd '12 has resumed his office as director of extension study in the College of Agriculture.

He has resigned as deputy conservation commissioner of New York State. He was granted leave of absence January 4 to accept the State post.

Henry Morgenthau, Jr., '13, conservation commissioner, in announcing Dr. Ladd's resignation, said: "His service to the Department and to the State has been of inestimable value and will continue to return dividends through the improvement in organization and policies which he has been able to effect in this short time. I know of no other man in the State who could have done the job he has done."

JUST LOOKING AROUND

PERHAPS, WHEN YOUR SON has come home from college, circumstances have brought into being a little family game of poker. And perhaps you have been shocked to discover your son trying to draw two to fill a straight, or raising your pat hand on a high pair, or demanding deuces wild. And you have wondered what he is learning in college after all. What kind of education is it, you protest, that turns out a man without even a knowledge of the language of poker? "My son," you sorrow, "plays poker like a woman!"

Poker, indeed, has dimmed and faded in the young men's daily lives. But, as Bruce Barton wittily puts it, human nature does not change. The old gaming instinct shows itself, in every fraternity and lodging house, in the form of bridge. And plenty of the young men play the game with the wisdom and finesse of the masters.

It is part of a social change, undergraduate as well as graduate. Poker is a broad, coarse, sprawling, Early American game. It goes with cigars, spittoons, vests, outdoor epithets, stag parties, whisky, and river steamboats. Bridge, on the contrary, is a game for low voices and careful manners. The courteous tradition of whist, its forefather, still hangs about it. It goes with cigarettes, evening clothes, ladies in feathered derbies, cocktails, and transatlantic liners. It is a part of our repudiation of the pioneer tradition and the general enthusiasm for an English-type culture popularized through Hollywood.

Meanwhile the University Club, oblivious of social change, continues to play chess.

RUNDSCHAUER

YEAR'S MUSIC PROGRAM

The Boston Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Serge Koussevitsky will appear in Bailey Hall October 31 to inaugurate the twenty-ninth season of University concerts. Other concerts will be given by Harold Bauer, pianist, December 2; Roland Hayes, tenor, February 22, 1932; the Don Cossack Russian Male Chorus, March 15; and the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Nikolai Sokoloff, April 16.

The chamber music series in the University Theater, Willard Straight Hall, will include the Brosa String Quartet, November 18; the English Singers, December 15; the New York String Quartet, March 2, 1932; and the London String Quartet, March 30.

BOOKS

A NEW MACBETH

Macbeth. By William Shakespeare. Edited by Joseph Q. Adams, Ph.D. '06. Boston. Houghton Mifflin Company. 1931. 19.4 cm., pp. x, 298. Price, \$1.

Dr. Adams's Hamlet, which we reviewed in *The Alumni News* for June 27, 1929, taught us what we had a right to expect from his idea of a Shakespearean edition. It set a high standard, which he has finally lived up to in his second volume, devoted to Macbeth.

The text, with its few and concise explanatory notes, fills 111 pages. It is followed by a commentary or running exposition filling 149 pages. Then there is a section on omitted scenes and passages and the reprint of the passages in Holinshed from which the dramatist took his plot. The final section deals with Dr. Simon Forman's account of a performance of Macbeth at the Globe in 1610.

The editor's idea of the play seems to us thoroughly sound. Macbeth is a tragedy of character, not of fate. No one forced the thane to become anything else. The witches merely tempted him a little further than he had already been tempted; even Lady Macbeth was merely carrying out what she believed to be Macbeth's real wishes, concerning which they had talked together many times before the play opens. Physically fearless, Macbeth was a moral coward, and but for his wife's taunts would never have committed the murder; but this would not have been through lack of desire to do so.

Dr. Adams presents a strong case for an intimate connection of the play with King James. He conjectures that it was somewhat hurriedly written as a part of the entertainment for King Christian IV of Denmark, James' brother-in-law, in the summer of 1606. His reasoning is ingenious and plausible.

It need scarcely be said that this edition will take its place at once in the front rank of works of its kind. We congratulate the editor and the publishers.

BOOKS AND MAGAZINE ARTICLES

In *The Sibley Journal of Engineering* for October Lal C. Verman answers the question, "What Made Movies Talkies?" Stanley T. Curran '17 writes on "A Small Call Indicator." Edmund R. Paige presents "Definitions and Variations of the Self-Induction Coefficient of Iron-Cored Coils." Charles L. Andrews '30 writes on "Joseph Henry."

In *The New York Times Book Review* for September 27 Dr. Laland O. Howard '77, *The Insect Menace* is reviewed by Florence Finch Kelly.

In *The Saturday Review of Literature* for August 1 Professor Charles R. Stock-

ard, *The Physical Basis of Personality* is reviewed by David Marine. Robert W. G. Vail '14, *The Ulster County Gazette and Its Illegitimate Offspring*, and *The Ulster County Gazette Found at Last* are reviewed by R. In the issue for August 15 Harold Wentworth '27 has an article on "Words in Use." Dr. Robert T. Morris '80 has a note called "Claims and Truths." In the issue for September 12 Professor Carl Becker reviews *The Correspondence of Jefferson and du Pont de Nemours*.

Macmillan's fall announcement includes Marjorie Sewall '17, *Building a House in Sweden*, a book for children, a second edition of Dr. Robert T. Morris '80, *Nut Growing*, Professor Clara L. Myers '96 of Western Reserve, *Readings in Biography*, the fifth edition of the late Professor James E. Creighton, *An Introductory Logic*, revised by Professor Harold R. Smart, Ph.D. '21, and Professor William C. Bagley, Ph.D. '00 of Teachers College, *Education, Crime, and Social Progress*.

In *Die Ernaehrung der Pflanze* (Berlin) for May 1 there is a long review of Professor Homer C. Thompson, *Experimental Studies of Cultivation of Certain Vegetable Crops* (Experiment Station Memoir 107).

In *The Journal of Physical Chemistry* for October Professor Bancroft and Dr. Avery B. George '31 write on "Catalytic Action of an Aluminum Catalyst." Professor Bancroft and Dr. Burton C. Belden discuss "Aniline and Methyl Chloride." Professor Bancroft reviews John E. Teeple '99, *The Industrial Development of Searles Lake Brines*, Henry B. Bigelow, *Oceanography*, Erwin Sauter, *Heterogene Katalyse*, and W. Schottky, *Thermodynamik*.

In *The Congregationalist* for September 17 Mrs. Hazel R. Gredler, A.M. '31, has a poem entitled "Victory."

In *The Sooner Magazine of the University of Oklahoma* for April Professor Frank G. Tappan '07 of Oklahoma wrote on "A Quarter-Century of Progress."

In *The London Times Literary Supplement* for July 12 there was a review of Professor Frederick M. Smith, *Some Friends of Dr. Johnson*. The book is published by Hartley of London. We shall notice it later.

In *The Philological Quarterly* for July Professor A. LeRoy Andrews reviews *Studies in Honor of Hermann Collitz*.

In the first number of *The Huntington Library Bulletin* Herman R. Mead '99 has an article on "Medieval Incunabula."

In *The University of Chicago Magazine* for July-August Vice-President Frederic C. Woodward '94 writes on "The Future."

The Wisconsin Alumni Magazine for July includes a fine portrait of the late Stephen M. Babcock, '73-5 Grad., with an appreciation of his work by Dr. Harry L. Russell.

Dr. Mary Roberts Coolidge '80, professor emeritus of sociology at Mills College, contributes an introduction to Rosalind A. Keep, *Four-score Years*, a history of Mills College from 1852 down to the present year.

In *School and Society* for August 22 Louis C. Boochever '12 writes on "Employment of Cornell Graduates."

In *School and Society* for August 1 there are reviews of Professor Carl Becker, *Modern History* and Edward L. Thorndike, *Human Learning*, both of which we shall review later.

Mabel A. Bessey '06 is the joint author (with Abbie A. Morrill and John V. Walsh) of *Applied Office Practice*. The volume contains 376 pages, costs \$1.96, and is published by D. C. Heath and Company of Boston. It is favorably noticed in *School and Society* for August 1.

In *The American Journal for Sociology* for September Professor Charles R. Stockard, *The Physical Basis of Personality* is reviewed by J. Romyanek. Professor Elijah Jordan, A.M. '08, *Theories of Legislation: an Essay on the Dynamics of the Public Mind* is reviewed by Harold D. Laswell.

In *The American Political Science Quarterly* for August Harold J. Laski, *Liberty in the Modern State* is reviewed by Professor George E. G. Catlin, Ph.D. '24. Professor Charles A. Beard, '99-'00 Grad., reviews *The Autobiography of Lincoln Steffens*.

In *Modern Language Notes* for June Professor Hoyt H. Hudson, Ph.D. '23, of Princeton publishes "Notes on the Raleigh Canon." Professor James Hutton, Ph.D. '24 writes on "Honorificabilitudinitatibus."

In *The Germanic Quarterly* for May Professor Paul R. Pope discusses the question of "Deutsche oder lateinische Schrift."

In *The Journal of the American Oriental Society* for June Professor Franklin Edgerton '05 of Yale writes on "The Sanskrit Ghost-Word Padvinśa."

DAIRY JUDGING TEAM WINS

The dairy cattle judging team won first place at the Eastern States Exposition, Springfield, Mass., last month, defeating teams from nine other States.

Morris K. Perinchief, Jr., '33, Mount Holly, N. J., was first individual ranking among thirty competitors. Kenneth K. Story '33, Argyle, placed second, and Leonard M. Palmer '32, Greenville, placed sixth. Cornell also won first place in judging Jersey cattle.

The Cornell team will participate in the judging contests at the National Dairy Show opening October 12 at St. Oouis. Edwin S. Harrison, Ph.D. '31, instructor in animal husbandry, directs the team.

Sze Needed by China

Nationalist Government Wants Cornellian As Foreign Minister But He Seems Reluctant to Leave Europe

The Nationalist Government in China wants Alfred Sze '01 as its foreign minister, but Dr. Sze is apparently loath to leave Geneva, where he is chief delegate from China to the League of Nations. The Manchurian crisis, which has profoundly disturbed China, brought about the resignation of C. T. Wang as head of the foreign office. The Nationalist Government announced Dr. Sze's appointment as Wang's successor, but Geneva dispatches report Sze as preferring to remain in China's service abroad. He is minister to London, but has been in Geneva for some weeks.

The embroglio with Japan over the Manchurian incident may serve to effect a political union between the Nationalists and the Canton faction which has been in revolt against Nanking. In the days to come Dr. Sze may well become an even more important figure among Chinese statesmen. He has already had a distinguished career.

Sze served as minister to the United States from 1921 until 1929, when he was named to the post at London.

A change in policy, particularly as regards the Chinese foreign service, is foreseen. When the Manchurian crisis developed, the Chinese Nationalists were without representation in many of the leading capitals of the world. Sze, as foreign minister, would have to face the Japanese crisis and also revolutionary forces within China. At Canton, in South China, another party disputes the Nationalists' right to control. A reconciliation program, however, is making progress.

Sze's most recent visit to Ithaca was in March, 1929, while he was on his way to London from Washington.

It was at the time of his retirement in 1929 that The Washington Post, in an editorial, said of him that "few members of the diplomatic corps enjoyed the friendship that has been held by the rank and file of Americans, as well as by the United States government, toward Alfred Sze."

"Through the troublous times in China preceding the triumph of the Nationalist cause, Mr. Sze was in a position to render invaluable service for his country on account of the confidence reposed in him by the United States Government."

In 1926, Sze and his family spent the summer in Ithaca, residing at the Phi Delta Theta House.

During his undergraduate days, Minister Sze served on the sophomore smoker and class day committees and was a class marshall. He was a member of the board

of The Cornellian and was secretary of the Fencers' Club. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi.

He continued his studies at Cornell another year after graduation in 1901, taking his A.M. degree in 1902.

HEADS RELIGIOUS WORK

Lewis A. Tompkins, Jr., '25 has been appointed associate director of the Cornell United Religious Work, succeeding Maynard L. Cassady, now assistant professor of religion at the University of Rochester.

Tompkins completed a course in Union Theological Seminary last year after his return from Beirut, Syria, where he studied at the American University for three years. He served the Near East Relief as director of an orphanage in the Lebanon Mountains.

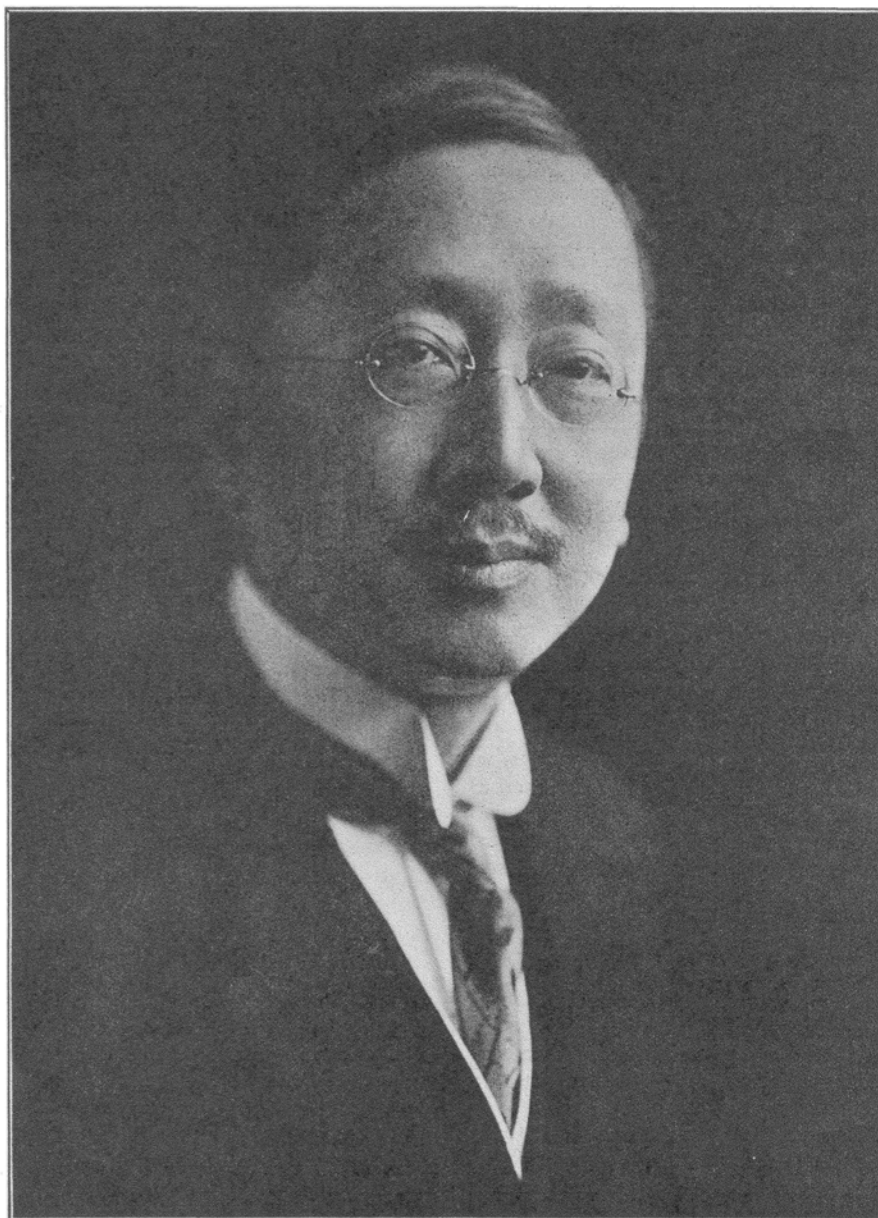
CORNELLIAN ON NEW YORK EMERGENCY RELIEF BOARD

Philip J. Wickser '08 of Buffalo has been appointed a member of New York State's commission to administer a \$20,000,000 fund for the relief of unemployment. The appointment was made by Governor Roosevelt.

Wickser, an attorney, has been since 1921 secretary of the State Board of Law Examiners. He is a former member of the executive committee of the New York State Bar Association and a past president of the Erie County Bar Association.

During his undergraduate days, he took part in debating and rowed on his class crew as a sophomore. He is a member of Kappa Sigma.

IN The American Naturalist for September-October Dr. William T. M. Forbes, '08-9 Gr., writes on "The Oldest Moth."



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AN EXPERIMENT IN PATERNALISM

IN THE JULY ISSUE we described the new Motor Vehicle Bureau. The Summer Session functioned as its dress rehearsal. Now the regular academic year finds it with considerable experience and ready for more.

The Sun snickers that, having a complicated problem, the University has chosen an equally complicated solution. It rather denounces the whole business as Prussianism. The chief irritation seems to be from the adding of more perforated blanks to the registration strip-ticket, with a strong implication also that there ought to be other ways of solving the problem that would be less annoying to the student driver.

This bureau seems, in principle, to be epoch-making. Cornell has imposed penalties galore on organized student activities, often, we have thought, unnecessarily and with little understanding of the problem. A recent house-cleaning has eliminated practically every objectionable feature, except the general principle that the only students that shall be denied the right to complete

freedom of action are athletes, editors, and students convicted of serious offences in a police court or better. There are a few exceptions to this principle, for the penalties under the honor systems and the women's self-government organization are self-imposed, and not a matter of "Prussianism" at all.

The motor vehicle regulations, therefore, mark a new departure, in which the University will attempt to regulate the personal actions of students who are not necessarily engaged in student activities. It seems like a good thing, wrong in principle, but justifiable.

There were two main objectives. The University would make Ithaca safer for pedestrians, and prevent academic calamity by limiting the diversions of those whose records were endangered. No open-minded person could fail to recognize the seriousness of both dangers.

There were also two possible solutions to the problem. The University could prevent altogether the use of automobiles by students, a process no less complex and no fairer than the present solution. The undergraduates, on the other hand, could have solved the problem by organized self-control, by serious efforts to better traffic conditions among themselves through a process of education, by organization of automobile clubs, by strong-arm tactics in the fraternities and other social groups. That this solution was not accepted, although the problem has been clearly understood for several years, is to the discredit of the leaders of student thought for the past few years. Crusades in other directions have been plentiful, but this particular direction did not seem very attractive. Perhaps there was a disbelief that the University would ever interfere with the student's personal liberty.

So we have "Prussianism." We have no doubt the method will shortly be likened to that of the Eighteenth Amendment. On the other hand, as long as we have drivers who use the left lane of a winding road, drive at high speed, sometimes with alcoholic stimulation, either we must find a solution in the student body itself or restraint must be imposed from above. The obvious solution is self-control, which was awaited patiently but in vain.

NAME MESSENGER LECTURER

Dr. Frank Jewett Mather, Jr., Marquand Professor of Art and Archaeology and director of the University Art Museum at Princeton, will deliver the Messenger Lectures for 1931-2. His subject is provisionally announced as "Titian and His Great Painter Contemporaries at Venice."

MORE STUDENTS ENROLLED

5,724 Registered, Gain of 364 Over 1930—
1,848 Are Freshmen

An increased enrollment, despite the second year of the business depression, has been recorded this year. Figures completed at the close of registration September 30 show 5,725 undergraduates, of whom 1,848 are freshmen. The increase over last year is 364.

This total does not include graduate students.

Figures for the past five years, including graduate students, show a steady increase except for 1928. In 1927, the final figures for the first term were 5,431; in 1928, 5,576, and in 1930, 5,778.

The registration last year set a new record, but present indications are that this mark will be surpassed this year when final figures are announced.

The increases in enrollment are considered remarkable in view of the fact that the heaviest registrations have come in the two years since the stock market crash of 1929 and the subsequent business depression throughout the world.

Figures of the registration in the various colleges of the University are not yet available.

Classes began October 1 in all colleges except the Law School, which opened its term, under a new calendar, nine days earlier.

Addressing the freshman class, President Farrand asserted that honesty of thinking is the most important objective of a college education. "Cornell wants to encourage independent thinking," the president told men students at a meeting in Bailey Hall. "You can slide along," he added, "in the pleasantest way, but you will never in that way learn self-discipline, which the world needs today."

At a similar meeting for women students in Barnes Hall, Dean R. Louise Fitch explained the technique of a successful college life.

The meetings were opened by student leaders, Lewis F. Hartman '32, Mansfield, Ohio, president of the Student Council, and Edythe King '32, president of the Women's Self-Government Association.

INSTRUCTOR FINALLY GETS IN

Charles A. Annis, newly appointed instructor in economics, found it difficult to cross the U.S.-Canada border on his way to Ithaca. After much red tape, Annis was finally granted permission to enter the United States by the United States Department of Labor.

He was refused a visa on the ground that, being an instructor and not a professor, he came under the contract labor provisions of the immigration law. A decision that university instructors are exempt, as are professors and students, was finally made.

THE WEEK ON THE CAMPUS

THE ENROLLMENT to date shows 5725 students, an increase of 364 over last year's record registration. 5725 hungry sheep, in Milton's words, pathetically looking up and asking for the food of wisdom. The ardor for knowing still torments young minds. Lincoln learned law by the firelight; Ronsard and Baif studied all night in shifts, to make use of the single candle. In the University of Toulouse in the sixteenth century, lectures were continuous from five to ten a. m. and from one to five p. m.; all the rest of the day was spent in study. The craving for understanding never dies. "Light! More light!" cried Goethe on his deathbed. "More parking-space!" is, however, the cry that is now chiefly audible on the part of the hungry sheep.

A MOTOR VEHICLE BUREAU, you know, has been established to regulate all motor traffic on the Campus. Assistant professors and better may park about as they please; instructors who show cause may also park; students who live within a mile and who are not crippled may not park. You wouldn't believe the bitterness that has resulted. The students are desperate; they are as helpless as dismounted cowboys. It appears that from the fraternities out on the Heights, for instance, no one ever walks to the Campus. I think that some of the younger members are really afraid to venture about the streets on foot.

YOU WHO DATE back to pre-War pedestrian civilization are apt to pish-tush at this point. You walked half a dozen miles a day without complaint, and you think that the current undergraduates should do the same. Indeed, this concept seems to be in the mind of the Motor Vehicle Bureau.

THE DIFFICULTY, of course, is one of enforcement. If a student prefers not to sign up with the Motor Vehicle Bureau, he is committing no misdemeanor that the State or the City recognizes. He is subject to no punishment unless he happens to get caught by the Campus Traffic Police. He has a good chance of never getting caught. The Motor Vehicle Bureau will have to employ some very hard-boiled and incredulous policemen. And that is a nasty kind of way to treat our students.

SOME DAY I hope they will stop calling introductory meetings for freshmen, these initiatory gatherings, "Get-Wise Meetings." The phrase "Get Wise" may have had some sparkle in 1910; now its suggestion is only of the factitious heartiness, the heavy-handed professional good-fellowship, of the middle-aged

Boys' Worker wearing shorts and talking adolescent slang, and talking it wrong. Get-Wise Meeting, twenty-three skiddoo for you.

TEN of the fifty-three Russian students sent to this country by the Soviet Republic for technical training are in Cornell. They have had the equivalent of two or three years of college work in electricity, engineering, or related fields, and all have had practical experience in Russian factories. Their expenses are being paid by the industries they represent. The University is honored by this testimony to its international reputation for technical training.

THE ART GALLERY is showing an exhibition of the best work done in the College of Architecture during the past year. The show also includes drawings by Michael Rapuano '27, winner of the Prix de Rome in Landscape Architecture in 1927. Even the non-architect would be interested in Rapuano's plan for the restoration of the Villa d'Este in Tivoli. The drawings of Neil H. Park '28, also a Prix de Rome winner, are likewise on display.

FRANCHOT TONE '24 is starring in "The House of Connelly," by Paul Green, '22-3 Grad. The play and the acting were received with real enthusiasm by the critics. Percy Hammond said of Tone, in The New York Herald Tribune: "I suspect that in Mr. Tone the Theater Guild has discovered, shall I say, another Alfred Lunt? 'Not that?' as Don Skene might exclaim; but perhaps a plastic, magnetic, intuitive and intelligent mine to whom few of the Drama's deep assignments will be difficult." Well, it is a pleasure for this Department to recall seeing the Dramatic Club's production of "Arms and the Man" in 1921, and being astonished at a freshman, Franchot Tone, who, amazingly, imposed the reality of Captain Bluntschli on his audience, from the narrow and ridiculous stage of Goldwin Smith B.

CHIEF OF POLICE William Marshall has just been in Chattanooga to get a wanted man. While there he gave an interview to The Chattanooga News which gives a heartening picture of the Rectitude Wave which is sweeping our Campus: "One of their favorite stunts (in the old days) was to pull the trolley wire off street cars as they proceeded up a particularly steep hill. Some near-tragedies were narrowly averted when this was done. On nights when a student celebration was due we used to have officers regularly riding this car.

"I don't believe the students have lost their desire to behave as their predecessors did, but we and the Faculty of the schools have succeeded in weeding out of the institutions the ringleaders who were at the bottom of the mischief. Then, too, student regulatory committees have aided us in keeping down trouble.

"The professors of the schools have cooperated with us. I do think, though, that as a rule the professor is too one-sided. He thinks too much of his particular subject. Naturally, I come into contact with many of them.

"Drinking among the students is slight, I am sure. In fact, there is very little drinking in our city. We are in one of the strongholds of the W. C. T. U. If the students drink at all they do so in their fraternity houses and stay there after drinking. I want to see some of your corn whiskey. None of it is made up our way. We never raid a still because, so far as we know, they do not exist in our section."

THE CLUBS

SYRACUSE

Those alumni of Cornell! and Pennsylvania who live in Syracuse had a field day on September 24. In the afternoon the Cornell eleven—all golfers—defeated the Pennsylvania contingent at Drumlins Golf Club. Cornell's winning lineup included: James G. Tracy '97, Frank S. Tracy '00, Edward L. Robertson '01, who had the low gross with an 81, Arthur A. Costello '04, William J. Thorne '11, Hugh J. MacWilliams '12, Elwyn L. Smith '17, Wilson S. Dodge '22, Kenneth F. Barton '24, John D. Brockway '23, and John B. Tracy '26.

By the victory the Cornell group won temporary possession of a cup, which will rest in the University Club until won three times, when it will become the permanent property of the successful club.

About seventy men, including a substantial contingent of Pennsylvanians, met for dinner after the matches. The guests were Colonel Beacham, Jr. '97 and Romeyn Berry '04 from Ithaca, who talked, and Stewart Raleigh, a Princeton man, who performed on the piano. Dr. Thomas F. Laurie '07 opened the meeting as president of the Cornell Club, and then turned it over to MacWilliams.

OBITUARIES

MYRON WILBUR VAN AUKEN '73, for over forty years counsel for the Commercial Travelers Mutual Accident Association of America, in Utica, N. Y., died there on August 11, after a year's illness. He was seventy-nine. He received the degree of A.B.

NELSON SEYMOUR CROUCH '90, a retired manufacturer of flour and feed in Erie, Pa., died on September 4. He received the degree of C.E.

FRED LAFAYETTE BRYANT '99, a consulting engineer in Greenville, S. C., died last year. He was born in Pocalet, S. C., on March 24, 1877, the son of Winfield and Atlanta Wood Bryant. He was at Cornell for two years, receiving the degree of M.E., and was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

JOSEPH WITHAM YOUNG '99, a physician specializing in internal medicine, in Toledo, Ohio, died on July 14 at his home there. He was born in Brooklyn on March 26, 1877, the son of Ami V. and Josephine Capers Young. He received the degree of B.S. at Cornell and was a member of Phi Delta Theta. He took his medical degree at Columbia. His wife, Mrs. Lulu B. Young, survives him.

HAROLD FRANKLIN ELY '00, an engineer in Philadelphia, died on June 9, 1927. He was born in Brooklyn on January 4, 1879. He received the degree of B.S. in 1899 at Purdue, and of M.E. at Cornell a year later.

LEROY KINGSLEY BALDWIN '03 died in 1926. He took a year of civil engineering. His home was in West Alexander, Pa.

LEOTA ADA WADSWORTH (MRS. CLARENCE PAUL) DAVEY '19 died in May, 1929. She was born on January 31, 1898, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Wadsworth. She received the degree of B.S. and was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Her home was in Gary, Ind.

CLARENCE JACOB HOCHULI '26 died suddenly on March 31. He was born in Schenectady, N. Y., on November 28, 1904. He was at Cornell from 1922 to 1929, taking two years of agriculture, followed by work in architecture.

ZU MING VOONG '26 died in China on August 1, of tuberculosis. He was born in Chekiang, China, on December 19, 1898. He received the degree of M.E., and was a member of Rho Psi.

HIRAM WARD MCGRAW, '28-30 Grad., for six years head of the English Department of the Cortland State Normal School, died in June at Clifton Springs Sanitarium, after an operation which revealed the presence of cancer. He was born at Hamilton, N. Y., March 7, 1891.

After graduating from Colgate in 1912 he taught in the Sturgis School, Ithaca, and then studied in the Syracuse Law School. He served in the War as a lieutenant in the 7th Regiment. He had the degree of A.M. from Colgate and had studied in our Graduate School for several summers. He was a member of Gamma Eta Gamma and Phi Beta Kappa. He is survived by his mother, his wife, and two children.

CHARLES BINGHAM PENROSE HODGE '31 died on January 27, 1930, of an infection following a cut received while working in a laboratory at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He was born in Germantown, Pa., on April 7, 1910, the son of H. L. and Lydia P. B. Hodge. He took a year of engineering.

GOULD RECHAB MOREHOUSE '32, a senior in the College of Civil Engineering, died at the Infirmary on September 29, of poliomyelitis, with which he was ill on his arrival in Ithaca some days before. He was born in Ontario on October 27, 1908, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Morehouse. He was a member of Kappa Delta Rho. His parents, a sister, and two brothers survive him.

THE ALUMNI

'89 PhB—Judge Leonard C. Crouch received the degree of LL.D. from Syracuse in June.

'03 MD—Dr. James K. Quigley is practicing medicine at 26 South Goodman Street in Rochester, N. Y. He is a member of the State Board of Medical Examiners, chief of the obstetrical department of the General Hospital, and consultant to the Strong Memorial Hospital, the Highland Hospital, and the Thompson Memorial Hospital in Canandaigua.

'07 ME—Frederick S. Tuerk is now sales manager of the Hamilton Beach Manufacturing Company in Racine, Wisc. His address is 1242 Main Street.

'09 AB—Louis F. Schwartz, Jr., is a member of the firm of Davies, Auerbach and Cornell at 1 Wall Street, New York. He lives at 59 Locust Avenue, New Rochelle, N. Y.

'10 ME—Russell B. Hurlburt's address is now 25 Victoria Street, London, S. W. 1, England. He is European manager of the Niles Bement Pond Company and the Pratt and Whitney Company.

'11—Max Schweid is president and treasurer of the Schweid-Page Construction Company, Ind., now engaged in building the Freeman Clarke School in Rochester, N. Y. His address is 1176 Park Avenue.

'14 PhD—At the recent commencement Ohio Wesleyan University conferred the

honorary degree of LL.D. upon President George F. Zook of the University of Akron.

'17 BS—Lloyd B. Seaver is manager of the West Park Throwing Company, silk throwsters. His address is Highland Avenue, Carls Summit, Pa.

'18 CE—Nicholas A. Walbran is assistant engineer of the Bossert Corporation in Utica, N. Y. He lives in Oriskany.

'18, '26 WA—George B. Post, who is vice-president and sales manager of the Edo Aircraft Corporation in College Point, N. Y., personally sold to Colonel Lindbergh the pontoons with which his plane was equipped for the journey to the Far East.

'19 MD; '26 MD—Howard R. Craig and Robert L. Craig '26 have moved their offices to 175 East Seventh-ninth Street, New York.

'20 ME—Walter A. Baer is a mechanical engineer. His address is 400 East Thirtieth Street, Paterson, N. J.

'20 AB, '31 PhD—Ernest C. Van Keuren is professor of English in Evansville College, Indiana.

'21 AB—A son, Roger, was born on July 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Harold R. Young of Great Neck, Long Island, N. Y. Mrs. Young was Louise Dann, the daughter of Dr. Hollis Dann, former musical director of Cornell. Young is in the real estate business at 35 Middle Neck Road, Great Neck, and has a New York office at 250 Park Avenue.

'22, '23 BS—Frank C. Baldwin has left Blair Academy and is now teaching mathematics in the Pingry School in Elizabeth, N. J. He lives at 30 Decker Avenue.

'23 BS; '31—Sydney S. Brooke '23 has a poultry farm at Lakewood, N. J. His brother, Stanley I. Brooke '31, is his partner, and has a poultry farm at Farmingdale, N. J.

'25 BS—Fannie B. Miller is a helping teacher in Salem County, N. J. Her address is 413 North Main Street, Elmer, N. J. She attended the past session of the Columbia Summer School.

'25 EE—Glenn R. Taft is in the engineering department of the General Electric Company in Philadelphia, specializing in high-speed automatic passenger elevator equipment. He lives at 214 Long Lane Court, Upper Darby, Pa.

'25, '26 BS; '31 BS—Arthur J. Pratt '25 and Terrace D. Morgan '31 were married at Sage Chapel on September 7. They are living at 284 Delaware Avenue, Ithaca. Pratt is an assistant and graduate student in agriculture. He expects to get his Ph.D. in February, when he will become an instructor in extension.

'25-9 Gr; '31 AB—Fisk W. S. Scudder '29 and Vida G. Walker '31 were married at Ithaca on June 15. He is assistant professor in the biology department at Susquehanna University.

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'26 BS—Elmer H. Mereness is associate professor of agricultural economics, in charge of research, at the Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn, Alabama.

'26—Hilbert K. Browning is a division manager for the A. H. Byers Company in San Francisco. His address is 3631 Jackson Street. A son was born on January 4.

'26 AB, '29 PhD; '28 AM; '30 AB—A son, Robert Whitney, Jr., was born on May 7 to R. Whitney Tucker '26 and Mrs. Tucker (Kathleen M. Soffley '28). Their address is Box 137, Selinsgrove, Pa. Tucker is professor of Latin at Susquehanna University. His brother, Philip N. Tucker '30, is teaching at Robert College in Constantinople.

'26—Cyril H. Simmons is teaching at the Beacon School, Wellesley Hills, Mass.

'27 AB—M. Louise Griswold was married on July 20 to Dr. George Adgate Dean at Sewickley, Pa. Dr. and Mrs. Dean are at home at Fairport, N. Y.

'27 BS—A daughter, Marlene Dell, was born on August 30 to Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Zentgraf. Their address is 126 Grymes Hill Road, Staten Island, N. Y.

'27 EE; '30 AB—Walter Muir '27 and Dorothy E. Saunders '30 were married on June 25 in Saratoga Springs, N. Y. They are living in Albany, N. Y., at 30 Lancaster Street. Muir is with the engineering division of the Niagara Hudson Power Corporation.

'27 AB, '29 LLB—Sidney J. Berger is practicing law as an associate in the office of Ehrich, Royall, Wheeler and Walter, at 20 Exchange Place, N. Y.

'27 AB, '28 MS; '27-9 Gr—Rheua V. Medden '27 and Austin Rand '29 were married on August 15 in Seneca Falls, N. Y. Rand recently returned from an expedition to Madagascar in the interests of the American Museum of Natural History. He is instructing at Cornell this year. They are living in Ithaca. Mrs. Medden is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma and was director of Ithaca girl scouts in 1928-30.

'27 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Lichtman have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ethel, to Arthur B. Roth on September 1, in New York.

'28—Dr. and Mrs. Walter E. Vogt of Jamaica, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Lillian M. Vogt '28, to Palmer A. Crowell, Wesleyan '26. She is in the new business department of the Irving Trust Company Wall Street Branch, New York. Her home is at 48 Mayfield Road, Hillcrest Park, Jamaica.

'27, '28 AB—A son, Paul, Jr., was born on August 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cleveland. Mrs. Cleveland was Mary E. Chestnut '27. They live in Cambridge, Mass.

'28 ME—Henry C. Boschen is a construction superintendent with the Raymond Concrete Pile Company. His address is 12 Wendt Avenue, Larchmont, N. Y.

'28 BS; '28 BS—A son, Carl David, Jr., was born on August 14 to Carl D. Crane '28 and Mrs. Crane (Lelah A. Rouch '28). Their address is Rowan Arms Apartments, White Plains, N. Y.

'28, '29 EE; '28—A daughter was born on September 26 to Paul S. Werner '28 and Mrs. Werner (Jane C. George '28). They live in Forest Hills, N. Y.

'28 AB; '29 AB—Roger W. Jones is working for his Ph.D. in English and American literature at Columbia. He received his A.M. last June. Mrs. Jones, who was Dorothy Heyl '29, is assistant librarian of the School of Library Service at Columbia. She received her B.S. in library science from Columbia in June. They live at 434 West 120th Street, New York.

'28-31 Gr; '32—Earl J. Hoagland, Grad., and Margaret G. McDonagh '32 were married in August. They are living in Ithaca. Hoagland is an assistant and graduate student in chemistry.

'29 ME—Thane R. Halstead has changed his office address to 1549 Otis Building, 10 South La Salle Street, Chicago.

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'29 BS; '30; '24 BS; '28 PhD—A. Gordon Bedell is a poultryman on the Dewy Meadow Poultry Farm, Inc., in Vineland, N. J. Mrs. Bedell was Anna C. Asmus '30. They live at 110 North West Avenue. Bedell writes that John C. Huttar '24 is manager of the farm.

'29, '30 QB—William A. Little is in the investment banking business with Lee, Higginson and Company in Chicago. His address is 137 West Jackson Boulevard.

'29 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briggs of East Genoa, N. Y., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Emily W. Briggs '29, to Richard G. Gould, on September 3.

'29 AB—Louis Schor is attending the Yale Law School. His address is 2633 Sterling Law Building, New Haven.

'29—Kenneth D. Perkins will this year be a senior at the Berkeley Divinity School in New Haven.

'30 BS; '31 PhD—Eugene W. Scott '31 and Mrs. Scott (Dorothy M. Lewis '30) are living at Apartment 114, Hale Apartments, Hale Avenue, Cincinnati. Scott is a research chemist with the William S. Merrill Drug Company.

'30 AB—Morris Alpert is in his second year at the Albany Medical College. His address is 27 New Scotland Avenue, Albany, N. Y.

'30 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence R. Corbett of Binghamton have announced the marriage of their daughter, Frances Waldron, to Donald Earle Callahan '30. Mr. and Mrs. Callahan are living at 13½ Chestnut Street, Binghamton. Callahan is teaching political and general science in the Port Dickinson, N. Y., High School.

'30 AB—Janet H. Dalton is doing secretarial work in the circulation department of the New York Public Library. She lives at Apartment 4-B, 275 Henry Street, Brooklyn.

'30 AB; '30 AB—Arnold Paine and Mrs. Paine (Anne Hamilton) have returned from abroad and are living at 207 Kelvin Place, Ithaca.

'30 AB, '31 AM—Reine G. Bobrow is teaching English and taking care of the school library in Bridgehampton, Long Island, N. Y. Her address is Box 35, Bridgehampton.

'30 AB; '31 AB—Barbara C. Crosby '31, daughter of Harley N. Crosby '97, was married to Leonard A. Marcussen '30 at Sage Chapel on September 12. Marion Milligan '31 was maid of honor. Francis Drake '31 was best man and Michael Catalano '30 was an usher. Marcussen is attending the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration.

'30 AB—Nicolas J. Galucci is working for his master's degree in English at Cornell. He lives at 201 Dryden Road.

'30 BS—Agnes Talbot is now a demonstrator with the Brooklyn Edison Company. She lives at 214 Columbia Heights. She was for a year a county home demonstration agent in New York.

'30 BS; '31—Everett E. Burdge is on the front office staff of the Hotel New Yorker in New York. He lives at the Middletown Apartments at 148 East Forty-eighth Street, with Richard B. Shanley '31, who is night manager of the Hotel Lexington.

'30 AB—Richard P. Matthews is associated with his father in the insurance business in Watertown, N. Y. His address is 235 Paddock Street.

'30 BChem—Willard T. Haskins is a graduate student and assistant in chemistry at the University of Maryland. He had been research chemist for the Armstrong Cork Company.

'30 ME—J. Peyton Tattersfield '30 was married on June 16 to Viola W. Fidler of Ardmore, Pa. He was a guard on the varsity football team and is now assistant football coach.

'30 BArch—Malcolm J. Freeborn is financial secretary at the George Junior Republic in Freeville.

'30 BS—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Decatur Martindale of Ithaca have announced the marriage of their daughter, Catherine C., to Wayne E. Willis '30, on August 22. He is instructor in industrial arts in the Odessa, N. Y., High School.

'30-31 Gr—Manuel Sales has changed his name to Manuel Sales-Acosta. His address is Vigan, Ilocos Sur, P. I.

'31 ME—John A. Whittle, Jr., '31 was married at Ithaca on September 6 to Lulu Mabel Williams.

'31 Gr.—Ralph H. Allen has gone abroad for rural service with the Near East Foundation in Syria and Turkey.

'31—Rhoda E. Middaugh '31 was married on August 29 to Dr. P. Brooks Kelly, a graduate of Harvard. She graduated from Simmons College this June. They are living in Boston.

'31; '31—John S. Ridley '31 and Frances M. Broder '31 were married at Sage Chapel on September 16. They are living in Ithaca. Ridley is with the Universal Window Company.

'31 PhD; '32—Professor Elmer S. Savage, M.S. '08, Ph.D. '11, and Mrs. Savage have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ruth C. Savage '32, to Edwin S. Harrison '31 on September 24, at Ithaca. Harrison received his baccalaureate degree at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and is instructing in animal husbandry at Cornell. They are living at 315 Dryden Road.

'31 DVM—Raymond C. Klussendorf is a veterinarian associated with Drs. Downing and Lothe in Waukesha, Wisc. His address is 920 Barstow Street.

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At 11 a.m. the last privileged student hurried into the amphitheatre. Experimentee Abbott, fidgeting on the operating-table, looked anxiously at the clock. Casual talk ceased, sudden silence prevailed as the minute-hand crawled past the hour, and Dr. Morton did not appear. "He and his anesthetic! Humbugs both, no doubt!" mumbled a doctor. It became five minutes past eleven, ten, then a quarter after. The patient stirred uneasily, Dr. Warren selected an instrument, advanced to the table—useless to delay proceedings any longer. As his knife poised for the incision, Dr. Morton, breathless, apologetic, rushed in. He held in one hand a curious globe-and-tube apparatus.

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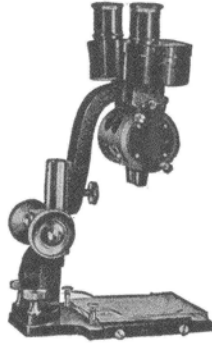
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'31 AB—Lillian M. Cohn '31 was married on June 28 to Samuel B. Charry.

'31 AB—Sylvia Harman lives at 1539 Carroll Street, Brooklyn. She is private secretary in a law office.

'31 BS—Joseph Shacter is instructing in physical education. He lives at 2792 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn.

'31 ME—David Harmon is a junior engineer with the Brooklyn Edison Company. He was married on June 28 to Mary E. Howe of Buffalo. They live at 7101 Shore Road, Brooklyn.

'31 BS—Martha L. Taber is a social worker with the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children in Rochester, N. Y. Her address is 141 Plymouth Avenue, North.

'31 AB—Mary A. Sloan is with the New York Edison Company. She lives at 3106 Kingsbridge Avenue, New York.

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'31 BS—Louis C. Maisenhelder is an assistant and graduate student in forestry at Cornell. His address is R.D. 2, Ithaca.

'31 AB—Thelma A. Johnson is teaching in the Dryden District School Number 5. Her home is at 605 West Buffalo Street, Ithaca.

'31 AB—Beatrice E. Howser '31 was married on August 12 to Harold A. Smith of Ithaca. Her address is R.D. 1, Ithaca. She is teaching in the Moravia High School.

'31 DVM—Elmer A. Woelffer is manager of certified farms with H. P. Hood and Sons, Inc., at 500 Rutherford Avenue, Boston. He lives at 70 Mount Vernon Street, Melrose, Mass.

'32—Herman W. Paulus '32 was married on September 24 to Grace France of Ithaca. They are living in Ithaca at 125 Maple Avenue.

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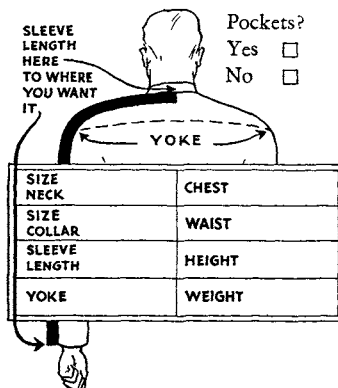
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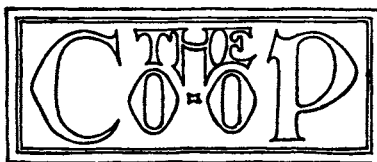
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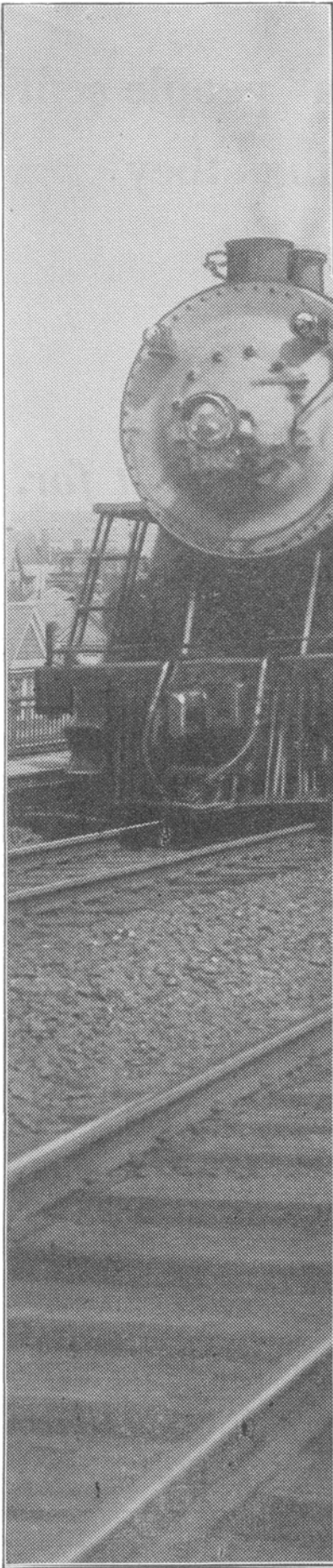
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