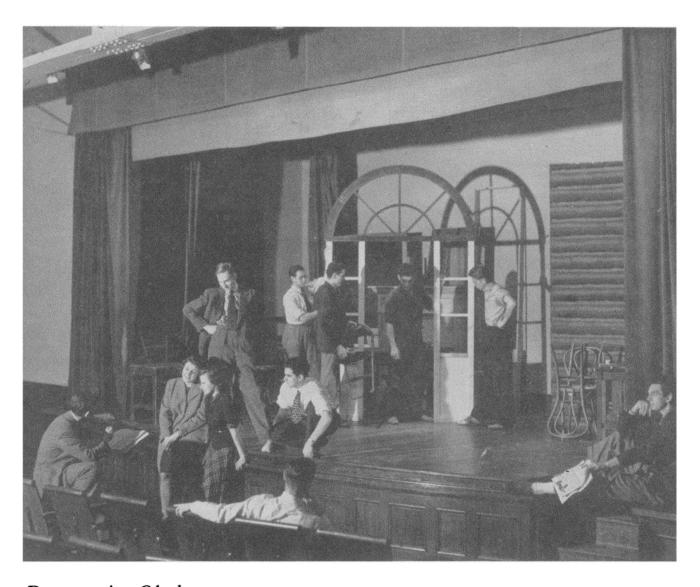
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#### MONROE '96 NEW DEAN Irish Poet Coming

Board of Trustees executive committee at its recent meeting ratified appointment of Professor Benton S. Monroe '96, English, as acting Dean of the Graduate School, from



November 8. He succeeds Dr. Floyd K. Richtmyer '04, who died November 7.

Secretary of the Graduate Faculty since 1917, Professor Monroe has been a member of the English Department since 1897. He is an authority on the development of the English language, with special reference to Old and Middle English, in which he has been largely responsible for maintaining the University's preeminence since the days of Professor James Morgan Hart. A native of adjoining Seneca County, he has been city historian of Ithaca and is a vice-president of the DeWitt Historical Society; has been for years a member of the national college entrance examination board; was an editor of the Alumni News from the enlargement of the staff in 1917 until 1920. He received the AB in 1896; the PhD in 1901; is a member of Phi Beta

Approval was also given by the Trustees to appointment of Frederick Louis MacNeice, well-known young Irish poet, as visiting lecturer in English for the second term. He will conduct a course in English poetry. Thirty-two years old, he was graduated at Merton College, Oxford University, summa cum laude, with highest honors in the final examination in classics. The last two years he has been lecturer in Greek at Bedford College; before that for six years was lecturer in classics at Birmingham. He has published several books of verse and verse drama; Modern Poetry, a volume of criticism and autobiography; and his critical study of W. B. Yeats is announced for 1940 publication by the Oxford University Press.

#### SYRACUSE OFFICERS

Cornell Club of Syracuse at its annual smoker December 6 at the University Club reelected all its officers for the current year. Richard Aronson '26 is president; Robert C. Hosmer '03, vice-president and assistant secretary; Herbert K. Seeley '10, secretary; and Stephen P. Toadvine '22 is treasurer, with William J. Thorne '11 newly elected assistant

treasurer. Members of the board of governors until 1942 are Charles H. Schaaff, 2d '27, Harold W. Halverson '28, John A. Steele '29, and Cedric R. Acheson '33.

President Aronson reviewed the activities of the Club during the last year. Coaches Mose Quinn and John H. Rowland spoke briefly, and Quinn explained motion pictures of the Ohio State football game to the eighty members present.

#### CHEMISTS FOLLOW FOOTBALL

Three Cornellians employed by American Cyanamid Company in Stamford, Conn., send the Alumni News a picture (too small for reproduction, unfortunately) of "the new wallpaper in the microscopical lab where we work when we are not reading the sports pages." It shows a section of wall nearly covered with newspaper clippings about Cornell football. The letter closes with: "Yours for a good team next year;" is signed by Robert W. Stafford '31, Richard L. Gilbert, Jr. '38, and Theodore G. Rochow '29.

#### TO SPEAK IN NEW YORK

President Day, Dr. Hu Shih '14, Chinese Ambassador to the United States, and Dr. Emily Hickman '01, professor of history at New Jersey College for Women, will speak at the annual luncheon of the Cornell Women's Club of New York, January 27, at the Waldorf Astoria. Co-chairmen of the luncheon committee are Marion Quell '26 and Isabel McCaffrey '29.

That morning at 9:30 at the New York Women's Club rooms in the Barbizon there will be an open meeting of the executive committee of the Federation of Women's Clubs, with Club presidents and delegates.

#### **BUFFALO FETES WILSON '19**

Seventy-five members of the Cornell Club of Buffalo had as their luncheon guest of honor at the Buffalo Athletic Club December 1, James B. Wilson '19, football coach at Canisius College. Neil M. Willard '18, presiding, recounted that Wilson's team had won five of its six games this season, after it had been predicted not to win once. Dr. Kerin Lyons, graduate manager of athletics at Canisius, and Cy Kritzer, assistant sports editor of the Buffalo Evening News, also paid tribute to Wilson, and to Coach Carl Snavely. Review of the Pennsylvania game and of the Cornell football season generally from Richard W. Johnston '41 of the University Department of Public Information was enthusiastically received. He is the son of Herbert R. Johnston '17, former president and now secretary-treasurer of the Buffalo Club.

# CLUBS INVITE STUDENTS At Home for Christmas

Cornell Clubs in the larger centers are arranging special parties for undergraduates of their localities during the Christmas holiday at home. Some Clubs are also inviting boys from local schools, to meet Cornellians of their home towns, both undergraduate and alumni; some are including the fathers of undergraduates; others are having both fathers and schoolboys.

Besides the Christmas recess parties here announced, undoubtedly others will be given by Cornell Clubs, but for most of these, invitations have been sent to students before they left Ithaca, through the Alumni Office.

Baltimore, Md., thirtieth anniversary meeting, with undergraduate men, December 28, Engineers Club, 8:30.

Buffalo, Cornell Club luncheon with undergraduate men, Buffalo Athletic Club, December 29.

Boston, Mass., Cornell Club luncheon with undergraduate men, Parker House, December 27.

Chicago, Ill., Cornell Club Christmas luncheon with undergraduate men, December 30. Sherman Hotel.

Cornell Club of Cleveland, Ohio, annual father-and-son luncheon, Carter Hotel, December 29.

Cornell Club of Essex County, N. J., annual "undergraduate night" for the 112 men students and their fathers, Montclair Golf Club, December 21. Ohio State football movies, talk by Joe Williams, sports editor, New York World-Telegram, Alfred F. Sulla, Jr. '29 with his banjo.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Cornell Club of Western Pennsylvania luncheon for undergraduate men, Harvard-Yale-Princeton Club, December 30, 12:30.

Cornell Club of Rochester luncheon December 27, 12:15, at the University Club, for all Cornell fathers with their sons and all Cornell sons with their fathers; speaker, Kenneth B. Spear '23, Rochester Boy Scout executive and former president of the Cornell Clubs of Delaware and Schenectady.

Syracuse, Cornell Club luncheon with undergraduate men, University Club, December 30, 12.

Cornell Club of Trenton, N. J., Christmas party for undergraduate men of the Trenton area, with games, bowling, music, football movies, and other entertainment; Community Club in Princeton, N. J., December 27, at 8.

Washington, D. C., Cornell Club party with undergraduates, the Lee House, December 28.

Cornell Women's Club of New York

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committee on fields of work for women is arranging two programs in which alumnae with interesting jobs will take part. They will be at the Club rooms at The Barbizon, 140 East Sixty-third Street, New York City, during Christmas and Easter University recesses, for the benefit of undergraduates as well as alumnae.

First will be a panel discussion December 27, on the subject, "Careening or Careering?" led by Marguerite Hicks '26, personnel relations, group department, Equitable Life Assurance Society. This will follow a reception at 5:30 and dinner at 6:30. Other speakers will be Helen R. Wansboro '10, examiner, New York State Insurance Department; Grace F. Marcus '15, assistant executive secretary, American Association of Social Workers; Mrs. John W. Arnold (Dorothy McSparran) '18, assistant dean, New York University; Pelagia B. K. Schultz '25, advertising, Norcross Publishing Co.; Mary A. North '35, dress designer and sales promotion, Wamsutta Mills; and Jean E. Hallock '36, radio free lance and originator of the program, "Here's Long Island."

Chairman of the Club's committee is Ruth F. Irish '22. Reservations for the dinner are in charge of Miss Germaine F. Miller '38, c/o Daniel Starch, 420 Lexington Avenue, New York City.

#### VIRGINIA IVY LEAGUE

Twenty of the ninety Virginians who attended the second annual "Ivy League Dinner" in the Hotel Jefferson, Richmond, December 9, were Cornellians. The others were from Brown, Columbia, Dartmouth, Harvard, Pennsylvania, Princeton, and Yale. Dr. Thomas Wheeldon, Harvard, presided, and introduced as the principal speaker Dean George H. Chase of Harvard. The company was entertained also with dances by a group led by Betty Carper of the University of Richmond, and all sang the songs of all the universities. Cornell representative on the dinner committee was W. Wallace Neal '21. Next year, the speaker will be a Cornellian.

#### ITHACANS IN SOUTH

Cornellians in Florida and Atlanta, Ga., will meet with Foster M. Coffin '12, Alumni Representative and director of Willard Straight Hall, and Edgar A. Whiting '29, assistant director of the Hall, early in the New Year. Coffin, Whiting, and Mrs. Whiting (Evelyn F. Carter) '37 will drive from Ithaca to the annual conference of the Association of College Unions at the University of Florida, Gainesville, January 4-6. They will meet with the Cornell Club of Southern Florida in Tampa, January 2; with the Cornell Club of Central Florida in Orlando, January 3; and January 7 will attend a buffet supper of the Cornell Club of Atlanta at the Atlanta Athletic Club.

### About ATHLETICS

#### CORNELL 47—LAFAYETTE 26

The basketball team defeated Lafayette, a newcomer to the schedule, in the Drill Hall last Saturday night, 47–26. Nearly 3,000 persons saw Cornell win its second successive game and its last home contest until after the Christmas recess.

Cornell played carefully, deliberately and, after James E. Bennett, Jr. '41 of Poland, Ohio, had put the team ahead, 4-3, with two goals in the early minutes, was in command all the way.

The visitors scored first, on a long shot by Fogelson and a free throw by Burgess, but Bennett's two goals—set shots from the corner of the court—started a string of scoring that netted successive leads of 5-3, 11-4, 16-7, 23-8, 24-9, and, at the half, 24-12.

Bennett set the first-half pace with four goals and added three more in the second half as Cornell steadily increased its margin. He had able scoring support from Kenneth N. Jolly '41 of Ithaca and Captain Alan W. Vaughan '40 of Western Springs, Ill.

But the game's high scorer was a Lafayette player, Thon, whose fifteen points topped Bennett's total by one.

Cornell showed superiority in shooting and in handling the ball. Seldom did the players take chances, and there were few wild passes. When Lafayette set up a zone defense at the start of the game, Cornell scored on set shots from just beyond the defense area. When Lafayette shifted to man-to-man defense, Cornell changed its tactics to score from close under the basket. The box score:

	Cornell (	47)			
	G	F	P	FC	FTM
Bennett, f	7	0	14	2	0
Ramsey, f-c	2	3	7	2.	0
Upton, f	0	0	0	2	0
Wood, f	0	0	0	0	0
Dunbar, c	1	1	3	4	0
Dingle, c	0	0	0	1	0
Templeton, c	0	0	0	0	0
Jolly, g	2	7	11	0	3
Vaughan, g-f	3	3	9	1	0
Jack, g	r	1	3	0	1
Resnick, g	0	0	0	1	0
Webster, g	0	O	0	1	0
Bowen, g	0	0	0	0	0
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In a preliminary game, the Junior-Varsity team defeated Mansfield (Pa.) State Teachers College, 29–20. High scorer for the Junior Varsity was John R. Dingle '42 of Cleveland, Ohio, with nine points. Dingle later played in the Varsity game, as did five other Junior Varsity players.

Coach Gullion has named Captain Vaughan, Bennett, Jolly, Dingle, Wellington L. Ramsey '41 of Haverford, Pa., Howard S. Dunbar '41 of Roselle Park, N. J., Charles W. Jack, Jr. '42 of Rochester, Ralph Resnick '40 of Mongaup Valley, Charles S. Bowen '40 of Binghamton, Ivan R. Wood '40 of Mount Morris, and William H. Webster, Jr. '42 of Hinsdale, Ill., to make the holiday trip into the Middle West.

#### POLO TEAM WINS

The ROTC polo team defeated the 112th Field Artillery team of East Orange, N. J., 18-13, in the Riding Hall last Saturday night.

Herbert F. Schiffer '41 of Elberon, N. J., scored five goals in the second period to give Cornell a commanding lead.

#### FOOTBALL BANQUET

Gold footballs were awarded Varsity players at the annual football dinner in the Ithaca Hotel last Sunday night.

President Day was the speaker and Robert J. Kane '34, assistant director of physical education and athletics, the master of ceremonies.

The players presented Coach Carl Snavely a pen and pencil set and a victory banner, bearing the scores of this year's games and the signatures of the players.

To Kenneth G. Brown '40 of Millerton the squad presented a scrapbook and to M. Witmer Baker '40 of New Cumberland, Pa., an autographed football. Brown and Baker were co-captains this season.

#### COMPLETE ATHLETIC BOARD

With the appointment of Robert D. Brennan '40 of Geneva, lacrosse captain, and Peter T. Wood '40 of Summit, N. J., wrestling manager, the personnel of the Athletic Council for this year has been completed.

Brennan and Wood will represent all the minor sports. Other members are James Lynah '05, director of the Department of Physical Education and Athletics, and his assistant, Robert J. Kane '34, and representatives of five major sports as follows:

Baseball: Professor Charles E. O'Rourke '17, Structural Engineering, Faculty adviser; Captain George F. Polzer '40 of Staten Island, and Manager Sidney Davis '40 of Milton, Pa.

Basketball: Professor Hubert E. Baxter '10, Architecture; Captain Alan W. Vaughan '40 of Western Springs, Ill., and Manager Charles T. Stewart '40 of Edgewood, Pa.

Rowing: Professor Charles L. Durham '99, Latin; Commodore James A. Young, Jr. '40 of Angelica, and Manager Charles A. Hunt '40 of Jackson, Mich.

Football: Professor Alexander M. Drummond, Public Speaking; Co-captains M. Witmer Baker '40 of New Cumberland, Pa., and Kenneth G. Brown '40 of Millerton, and Manager William D. Wallace '40 of Camillus.

Track: Professor Bristow Adams, Agriculture Publications; Captain Walter W. Zittel, Jr. '40 of Buffalo, and Manager Edwin C. Murck '40 of Brooklyn.

Faculty adviser for minor sports is Professor Paul M. O'Leary, PhD '29, Economics.

#### NOVICE BOXERS

Novice boxing finals were staged in the Old Armory last Saturday, with six bouts. Finals in two other classes were postponed until after the holidays.

The summaries:

120 pounds: Ward F. Moore '43 of Kenmore and Edward S. Kowah '43 of New York City drew.

127 pounds: John W. Brown '42 of Irvington, N. J., defeated Dorsey R. Buttram '40 of Oklahoma City, Okla., technical knockout,

135 pounds: Florentino J. Castro '43 of San Jose, Costa Rica, defeated Sidney Friedfertig '41 of New York City, decision.
145 pounds: Donaldson R. Lowny, Jr. '43 of Owego and Arnold Rosenstein '43 of Al-

bany drew.

155 pounds: George M. Walker '40 of Somerville, Mass., defeated Robert H. Dinegar '43 of New York City, decision.

105 pounds: Robert M. Lowe '41 of Buffalo defeated Walter Weiss '43 of Yonkers, de-

#### ODDS AND ENDS

Five members of the Varsity ski team left this week for a week of practice at Stowe, N. H., to prepare for the competition at Lake Placid December 29-31. In the party were Coach Ernst Engel, Captain William O. Nicoll '41 of Scotia, Arnold Nye '41 of Bronxville, Jonathan B. Fisher, Jr. '41 of Rocky River, Ohio, Johannes P. Kulka '41 of New York City, and Robert T. Edmunds '42 of New Hartford.

First winter activity of the Cornell Corinthian Yacht Club will be participation in the North American Dinghy Regatta at Port Washington, L. I., December 30, 31, and January 1.

Dartmouth Rowing Club has announced appointment of Ernest F. Bowen '12 as its 'first full-time coach'; to begin his duties January 1. A native of Vermont, Bowen now lives in Milford, N. H. He rowed under the late Charles E. Courtney in the 1909 Freshman crew which established a new intercollegiate record at Poughkeepsie, was stroke of the championship Varsity crews of 1910 and 1911, and was elected Commodore of the Cornell Navy as a Senior. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta and Sphinx Head. "Greatest need of the Rowing Club," The Dartmouth quotes Bowen as

saying, "is a new boat. We plan on purchasing a varsity eight which we will be ready to launch in the Connecticut as soon as the ice goes out in the spring.' New rowing machines will also be added to the six already in the gym, The Dartmouth said, and training will start immediately after the Winter Carnival.

#### LETTERS

Subject to the usual restrictions of space and good taste, we shall print letters from subscribers on any side of any subject of interest to Cornellians. The ALUMNI NEWS often may not agree with the senting ments expressed, and disclaims any responsibility beyond that of fostering interest in the University.

#### NO SERVICE CLUB

To the Editor:

A dozen Cornellians and four Dartmouth men listened to the Cornell-Dartmouth game at Coppa's restaurant in San Francisco. The Cornellians enjoyed the game very much, and the Dartmouth men had a good time singing the Amherst and Maine songs afterward.

Aside from the victory, the feature of the meeting was a Texas cowpuncher who never went to college but knew all about football, from Maine to Texas, including the songs. He was a nice fellow and bought \$14.75 worth of drinks. I saw

#### ENTERS FOR CHAMPIONSHIP



KATHARINE L. ROGERS '43, winner of the University women's championship, will play in the girls' national indoor championship tournament at Brookline, Mass., December 26-January 1. She is the daughter of Theodore C. Rogers '16 of Westfield, N. J.; was a member of the junior Wightman Cup team last summer; has been practicing in the Drill Hall under tutelage of Coach Richard Lewis.

the figures because the waiter gave me the check by mistake. For a moment I argued with the Texan, making believe I wanted to pay it. As the Cornell and Dartmouth men left, the Texan sat down at the radio and tuned in to an account of someone beating California.

I went to the restaurant again to listen to Cornell beat Penn, but it was not on the air and no Cornellians or Pennsylvanians came in. No one was there, in fact, save the bartender. So I bought a beer and the bartender let me eat free pretzels and listen to the Yale-Harvard game. It wasn't much fun, but I stuck through the first half, hoping the Texan would come in, but he didn't.

Men in Santa Cruz have asked me why Cornell does not come to the Rose Bowl and I reply with words reminiscent of the late dear old Theodore Zinck. He once expressed his admiration for my fraternity brother, Joe Uihlein, by saying, "Joe, he's no goddam student, he's a business man." The Cornell team, I tell them, is no goddam service club but just a bunch of students who needed some extracurricular exercise.

Sanford B. Hunt '04 Hunt '04 knows whereof he speaks. He was a stellar right guard on the Varsity football team for three years, the first two looking out for his side of the line with Captain William J. Warner '03 at the other guard position. Hunt was elected captain as a Senior, and that year Warner coached the team.

Formerly managing editor of the Newark (N.J.) Sunday Call, he now lives in Santa Cruz, Cal.; writes a daily column for the Santa Cruz Sentinel.—ED.

#### TO HONOR MATUSZCZAK

Cornellians of Lewis County, other citizens of Lowville, and the Cornell Club of Northern New York are sponsoring a testimonial dinner in honor of Walter J. Matuszczak '41 of Lowville, captain-elect of the Varsity football team, January 13 at the Masonic Temple in Lowville. Matuszczak was captain of the football, basketball, and baseball teams at Lowville Academy before he entered Cornell.

Speakers at the dinner will include Coaches Carl G. Snavely, football, and Mose P. Quinn, baseball; Trainer Frank Kavanagh, recently at St. Lawrence University; and Supreme Court Justice Henry J. Kimball '11, former president of the Cornell Club of Northern New York. A reception will precede the dinner, at 6 p.m. Chairman of the committee is Arthur W. Mattson '12.

CHAMPION CORNELL Ormsby Esteem, four-year-old Holstein cow bred and raised at the University, brought top price at a recent cattle show in Chicago. Her new owner, Fred Pabst of Milwaukee, paid \$1,750. Last year she produced 19,110 pounds of milk and 832 pounds of butterfat, a record surpassed only once in the United States.

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# NOW IN MY TIME! By Romeyn Berry

Here it is Christmas, and no one yet nominated for Alumnus Trustee—no one audibly mentioned! "Hush!" Cornell graduates seem to have lost the swift dart of the trout and move now, if at all, in the drugged manner of the sluggish carp. There is talk in high places of setting up a nominating committee to the end that all candidates shall be nice people; of regulating campaigns, that they may become refined.

Down at Princeton they have been hand-picking their alumni trustees for thirty-five years, and there is some evidence that the device is not universally popular. In the Princeton Alumni Weekly of November 10, Mr. John Irwin Bright (Princeton '90) has this to say: "Annually, the alumni [of Princeton] are furnished a cautiously prepared list of names from which they elect their representatives to the board of trustees. If after the four-year term, the board wishes to continue them as life members it is because they have pleased their new colleagues, not the men who elected them. . . . In no real sense do they represent anyone but themselves. There could not be devised an oligarchy so nearly perfect as this, nor is there a blunter denial of democracy. If the alumni are to be convinced that Princeton is to make democracy work, here is the place to start; where they can see it.'

What one alumnus does not like at Princeton is what Cornell seems to be drifting toward, perhaps unconsciously. We regard the trend as unfortunate. What if the former Cornell method has at times resulted in raucous and undignified campaigns, in the election of an embarrassing rebel who would not take "hush" for an answer?

Cornell University was conceived in rebellion and born in strife. A rebel minority has more than once, in the course of its virile existence, acted as a salutory prod to a complacent and comfortable majority!

Andrew D. White said of Cornell's present scheme of government as expressed in the University charter:

"The Trustees of Cornell formed a body differently composed from any organization for university government up to that time. As a rule, such boards in the United States were, in those days, self-perpetuating. A man once elected into one of them was likely to remain a trustee during his natural life; and the result had been much dry-rot and, frequently, a very sleepy condition of things in American collegiate and university administration. In drawing the Cornell charter we provided . . . a certain number of men of special fitness, who were to be elected by the board itself; and

finally, a certain proportion elected by the alumni from among their own number."

That's the background, and against it, up to very recent years, the selection of candidates and the method of their campaigning for election has been free and uncontrolled. The proposed, extralegal device of a nominating committee and attempts to regulate campaigns may serve a convenient purpose as long as the alumni are not given the impression that such nominations are exclusive, that such regulation is contemplated by University statute. In the vocabulary of Cornell, thank God, there has never been such a word as "hush!"

Any Club, or group, or individual may still nominate anyone they like (in the manner prescribed by the statute) and urge his election in any way they regard as fitting. It's the observation of your reporter that an early start is an advantageous thing. Twenty years ago, Welling Wyckoff had Brick Mecalf's election in the bag by Thanksgiving—and here it is Christmas!

Merry Christmas to the nominating committee and a Happy New Year to all middle-aged Class politicians!

#### SELL BOOKS FOR FUND

Club sale of used books to benefit the Federation Scholarship Fund was planned for Bridgeport, December 5 and 6, by the Cornell Women's Club of Western Connecticut, meeting for dinner November 15 at the home of Mrs. Albert H. Emery (Julia E. McClune) '04 in Stamford. Mrs. Stacy G. Kircher (Mildred F. Hills) '18 was chairman of the book sale committee. Twenty-eight members were present, and they contributed to a handkerchief shower for Ruth L. Davis '38, who was to be married November 25 to Robert W. H. Nagel '39.

#### FOOTBALL FILM POPULAR

"Film of the Year," the motion picture of the Cornell-Ohio State football game, was thus advertised to its members by the Cornell Club of New York for one evening showing, December 5. But so great was the demand that Ray S. Ashbery '25, Alumni Field Secretary, who took the film from Ithaca, was constrained to show it at 1:30, again at 6, and four times more after that! Average attendance at each showing was 200.

The next evening, at a dinner of the Cornell Club of Union County at Mountainside Inn near Elizabeth, N. J., Ashbery showed the pictures and spoke on the University's work with secondary schools. Sixty-eight Cornellians were present; among them the father of Howard S. Dunbar '41, of the football team. Elston V. Binns '20, president of the Union County Cornell Club, was toastmaster. He introduced Alfred D. Williams '15, president, Cornell Club of Essex County, and Herbert F. Cox, Jr. '32, president, Lackawanna Cornell Club.

# FROM FAR BELOW . . . By Robert L. Bliss '30

"Over the river, and through the woods, to grandmother's house we go" the old song runs, and at holiday time it filters back to us from grammar school memorizing. It still gives us a Currier & Ives sort of lift, and although the modern adaptation might be changed to "Under the river and through the tubes—," the feeling isn't altered a bit, even for a commuter's Christmas.

New Yorkers clear out as soon as the Christmas round of office parties is over, and hie for the hinterland. Home, open up the country place, out to the suburbs, or what you will, it's still the traditional pilgrimage, and usually with home cooking at the end of the line.

Oh, there are some differences in your home town Christmas and your cliff-and-catacomb-dwelling New York attack. Take shopping. The New Yorker buys small gifts that will all fit into a zipper valise, for convenient stowing in a berth. None of your bulging closets that hide flexible flyers, meccano sets, and Iver Johnson bikes. Too much bulk. Ever try to carry a potted poinsettia?

So be it. Here we are again at the best time of the year, and everyone has been making home-going plans for a week. Except for the cleaning women and a desk clerk, the Cornell Club of New York will be as bare as a December ball park.

We hope you have a swell time. May your pudding flame briskly, and your cup of good cheer flow over. It's a three-dayer, which means you're going to be whipped to the nub when we next address you, but have a good one! Merry Christmas!

We modestly broached the subject of some films that had something to do with the Ohio State game as an idea to show alumni hereabouts last week, and Ray Ashbery obliged with the goods. Well, we planned one showing, although we had a sneaking premonition they'd be popular. If you're interested in trends, we had six showings, including one at lunch. Attendance averaged two hundred men a session. If you've ever tried to plan entertainment and have been heckled for flops, you know how pleasant it is to hit on a "natural" for the customers.

For some time we've been collecting stopping places and driving routes for the New York-Ithaca run, a popular pastime of 15,000 of Cornell's 60,000 graduates. We're going to put out a Reunion baedeker in the spring. There's a new drive from Port Jervis to Hancock that rivals the Rockies for beauty, and beats Route 17 all hollow, if you like your nature neat. More later on the sub-

ject, but we just want to let you know that your research department is working for you.

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SHOTS OF THE WEEK: President and Mrs. Day greeting a host of Cornellians at last Thursday's Club reception. . . . New Year's Day wassail plans, reminding us that the season is on us again; and that some of the faithful like Dalton, the office watchdog, and Johnson, our faithful latchstring operator, have been with us fifteen years. . . . A goodly crowd of Cornellians at the big dinner to honor Myron Taylor's great work among refugee peoples, at the Astor. . . . The new portraits of Walter Sage, John Mc-Graw, and Henry W. Sage in the lounge. . . . The lately-acquired piece de resistance in our Campus room: Uncle Pete Smith's championship Saratoga oar of '78, with his name, the order of finish, and the boating lettered in gold. . . .

#### FBI, FOOTBALL IN CAPITOL

Seventy-five members of the Cornell Club of Washington, D. C., enjoyed a smoker December 6 at The Lee House. President Walter W. Burns '06 and Edward L. Duffies '19, chairman of the program committee, ran the meeting, introducing Mr. Kimball of the Federal Bureau of Investigation who told of its work, and Creed W. Fulton '09 who described at first hand the Cornell-Ohio State football game, as motion pictures were shown on the screen.

#### ROCHESTER ELECTS OFFICERS

Annual dinner of the Cornell Club of Rochester, at the University Club December 8, brought out 240 Cornellians, one of the largest gatherings ever held. Before dinner, Co-captains M. Witmer Baker '40 and Kenneth G. Brown '40 of this year's football team were interviewed at Station WHEC by Lowell MacMillan, sports commentator, and they spoke briefly after dinner, as did Coach Mose Quinn. Provost H. W. Peters '14 told something of the financial problems of the University today, and Professor Bristow Adams, Agriculture Publications, described recent happenings on the Campus. Chairman of the dinner committee was Leonard C. Tre-

Elected president of the Club for 1940 is Howard J. Ludington '17, Rochester broker, succeeding Alfred M. Darlow '06. New vice-president is Frederick W. Armbruster '18; recording secretary, George A. West '23; membership secretary, Howard E. Blair '18; treasurer, James K. Albright '33; assistant treasurer, Thomas E. Johnson '32. Governors elected for two years are Roy L. Stone '07, Max Schweid '13, Alexander M. Beebee '15, George S. Babcock '16, Harold A. Meng '17, Floyd G. Kirkham '27, Lester A. Fanning '31; for one year, Irwin G. Birchner '29, Grover C. Bradstreet, Jr. '37.

### DRAMATIC CLUB PLAYS OLD STAND

By Jane Webb '41

Return of the Dramatic Club to the stage of Goldwin Smith B for presentation of three one-act plays of rural New York, December 15 and 16, invoked memories of the early days of the Club, before Willard Straight Hall and its present Theater opened, in 1925.

"Nothing Doing," by Grace Smith Beers of Lanesboro, Mass., "Yankee Makes A Bargain," by Fannie Delemeter of Treadwell, and "Chenango Crone," by Edward L. Kamarck '40, president of the Dramatic Club, were played in the old Campus Theater as a laboratory experiment. They were written for the New York State play project which the Rockefeller Foundation sponsors through the University Theatre, to provide plays on subjects of local interest suitable for rural and small town dramatic societies, schools, and colleges. In Goldwin Smith B conditions for production are those likely to be faced in small towns, and the Dramatic Club workers made the most of them. They will continue, of course, to use the Willard Straight Theater for other productions. Lighting and stage designs by Professor Walter H. Stainton '19, acting director of the University Theatre this term, and by J. Colby Lewis '33, technical director, were simple and suggestive of those which could be used by local dramatic groups.

Many Cornellians will recall the early productions of the Dramatic Club, in Sibley Dome, Barnes Hall, and the old Lyceum, downtown. Eight years after its organization in 1909, the Club had grown enough to feel a pressing need for its own stage, and in 1917 the University gave permission to use the Goldwin Smith auditorium as a Campus Theater. With this impetus, Club membership increased at once, and the new stage was equipped largely by donations solicited and contributed by members of the Club.

Actors who appeared at the Campus Theater were confronted with many obstacles and had to be prepared to cope with the unexpected. Mrs. Robert E. Treman (Carolyn Slater) '23 tells of a big ice storm which pulled down wires cutting off the electricity just before a performance of Chekov's "The Boor." Candles and oil lamps were hastily supplied across the front of the stage and the show went on. According to Mrs. Treman, the lights which were placed at the back of the theater could not be depended upon but acted irregularly, sometimes producing weird colors. One scene required the effect of the pale light of dawn rising slowly above ramparts, but the erratic lights gave sudden flashes of light.

Members of the Club about 1922 will remember the "drape situation," the uprising in agony of the student actors against the scheme of flat scenery which Professor Alexander M. Drummond, director of the University Theater, introduced as a step toward modern stage settings. Mrs. Treman tells of buying yards of heavy grey canton flannel which was dyed and then draped upon the stage.

Mrs. Paul M. O'Leary (Harriet G. Barton) '24, who played with Franchot Tone '27 in Shaw's "Arms and the Man," remembers especially the spiral staircase from the basement dressing rooms to the wings and the difficulties encountered in trying to hurry up it to catch the cues. Action had to be suspended occasionally when heavy rain storms or sleet falling on the partially glass roof of the Theater caused such a din that words were inaudible. The trolley line which used to run behind Goldwin Smith had a switch near the building, and on warm days when the back doors of the theater were open for ventilation, the noise from the cars interrupted the actors.

In the days of 1917-1925, professors were disturbed by the sound of hammers, saws, and human voices as the Club prepared its programs. Once again, as



ROCHESTER CORNELL CLUB OFFICERS AND SPEAKERS

At the annual dinner, left to right: Alfred M. Darlow '06, retiring president; his successor, Howard J. Ludington '17; Barton Baker '22, 1939 program chairman; Professor Bristow Adams, Agriculture Publications; Edward J. Cleary, a guest; Provost H. W. Peters '14.

Photo by Robert L. Griffith '29

shown on the cover, the walls of the friendly, Greek-planned theater resounded to the efforts of student actors and stagehands as the Club prepared for its last production before the Christmas

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The University closed December 20 for the Christmas recess, to reopen January 4, 1940. In accordance with our schedule of publishing each Thursday following a Saturday when the University is in session, the next Alumni News will appear January 11.

Happy New Year to you all!

#### COLLEAGUES HONOR COFFIN

A delegation of five persons from Cornell were among the fifty who attended a district convention of the American Alumni Council at the Hotel Claridge, Atlantic City, N. J., December 7 to 9. They were Foster M. Coffin '12, Walter C. Heasley, Jr. '30, R. W. Sailor '07, M. Elizabeth Weinerth, and Olive Northup Snyder '22. Coffin, as retiring alumni secretary of Cornell and one who served longest in the United States, was guest of honor at the convention dinner. Presiding was Edward K. Hibshman, alumni secretary of Pennsylvania State College, and other speakers were Benjamin A. Ross, alumni secretary of New York University, Ellen A. Ganey, alumni secretary of Trinity College, and Charles J. Miel, alumni fund director at the University of Pennsylvania. All spoke in testimony of Coffin's twenty years as an alumni secretary and as a leader in the American Alumni Council.

#### QUARTERLY APPEARS

Cornell Quarterly, a new publication, appeared on the Campus December 15. The first number, of twenty-eight pages, six by nine inches, contains short stories by Raymond E. Goldstone '40, William Stokoe, Jr. '41, and David A. M. Mc-Connaughey '41; essays by Nixon Griffis '40 and George A. Detmold '38; poems by Sylvia Levitt '42, McConnaughey, Richard R. Ryan '42, and Bernadette M. Kane '41; with book reviews, comments from The New Yorker, "Slips in the News," and a column of "Chaff."

Quarterly staff of twelve undergraduates announces that it will constitute a board of judges for contributions from 'talented, young authors [of the University] who do not claim to be newshawks . . . are not gag-artists . . . are not political theorists destined to reform the world . . . are just good writers." The Quarterly, they say, "takes its rightful place as a literary magazine alongside a newspaper, a humor periodical, and journal of opinion."

Business manager of Cornell Quarterly, and editorial manager for the first issue, is Loughton T. Smith, Jr. '41. Subscriptions are forty cents a year.

#### TROUBLE WITH ELMER

(R.B. in "State and Tioga," Ithaca Journal) Mrs. State and Tioga went to New York last night to get her winter trading done before our road is snowed up. She'll be gone only a week, but the written list of things she left for Elmer and me to do while she was away would suggest to most folks that she was joining up with the Admiral Byrd Expedition and would be popping in again, perhaps, sometime in the spring of 1941.

Most of the things on the list Elmer and I can handle all right, but the one that really worries us is item 16: "Get Hurry-Up ready for the dog show next Sunday and show him. Get out all those burdock burrs he sat down on beforehand.'

Hurry-Up is our dog. He has a pedigree like the King of England and the masculine beauty of Clark Gable, but his manners are the simple, friendly, neighborly manners of the Swamp College School District; none of this snooty hauteur that Elmer and I have always supposed a dog must possess if he expects to attract the favorable attention of these dog judges who like snooty hauteur, perhaps because they have so much of it themselves.

Elmer and I never saw a dog show in our lives. Hurry-Up never did either. None of us knows what to wear or how to act. All three of us feel that the madame has walked out on us while we were disadvantageously placed behind the eight-ball.

But I'm less worried about Hurry-Up than about Elmer. If that judge at the dog show were to make a disparaging

remark about Hurry-Up, I wouldn't put it past Elmer to haul off and paste him

P.S.—Hurry-Up won a blue ribbon, so Elmer must have behaved.—Ed.

#### COMING EVENTS

Time and place of regular Club luncheons are printed separately as we have space. Notices of other Cornell events, both in Ithaca and abroad, appear below. Contributions to this column must be received on or before Thursday to appear the next Thursday.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 23 Cincinnati, Ohio: Polo, Cincinnati Cavalry, Cavalry Armory, 8

MONDAY, DECEMBER 25 Cleveland, Ohio: Musical Clubs show and dance, Cleveland Hotel

Tuesday, December 26 Detroit, Mich.: Musical Clubs show and dance, Players' Club Rye: Hockey, Colgate, Playland Casino

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 27 Chicago, Ill.: Musical Clubs show and dance, Stevens Hotel.

Toledo, Ohio: Basketball, Toledo Rochester: Annual Christmas father and son Cornell Club luncheon, University Club,

12:15
New York City: Cornell Women's Club reception, dinner, and discussion, "Careening or Careering?" Hotel Barbizon, 5:30
Princeton, N. J.: Cornell Club of Trenton Christmas party for undergraduates, Community Club Newland Road 8

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Rye: Hockey, Boston College, Playland Casino

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 28 Dayton, Ohio: Musical Clubs show and dance, Runnymede Playhouse Peoria, Ill.: Basketball, Bradley Tech Baltimore, Md.: Cornell Club party for undergraduates, Engineers Club, 8

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 29
Pittsburgh, Pa.: Musical Clubs show, Carnegie Music Hall, and dance, University Club Cleveland, Ohio: Cornell Club father-and-son banquet, Carter Hotel, 12

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 30 Buffalo: Musical Clubs show and dance, Hotel

Columbus, Ohio: Basketball, Michigan Syracuse: Cornell Club luncheon for undergraduates, University Club, 12 Pittsburgh, Pa.: Cornell Club luncheon for

undergraduates, Harvard-Yale-Princeton Club, 12:30 Chicago, Ill.: Cornell Club luncheon with

undergraduate men, Sherman Hotel

SUNDAY, DECEMBER 31
Ithaca: University Theatre broadcast, "The Great Tunnel Escape," WESG, 1:30

Monday, January 1, 1940 Columbus, Ohio: Basketball, Ohio State

Tuesday, January 2 Buffalo: Basketball, Canisius

Thursday, January 4 Ithaca: Classes resumed

Saturday, January 6 Ithaca: J-V basketball, Scranton-Keystone Philadelphia, Pa.: Basketball, Pennsylvania

Tuesday, January 9 Hamilton: Basketball, Varsity and Freshman, Colgate

Wednesday, January 10 Ithaca: J-V basketball, Cook Academy Hamilton: Hockey, Colgate

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11 Ithaca: Founder's Day concert, Marian Anderson, contralto, Bailey Hall, 8:15

### ON THE CAMPUS AND DOWN THE HILL

ORDERLY AUDIENCE of about 350 persons heard Robert Minor speak for an hour and answer questions for another hour in Willard Straight Memorial Room December 15. Only disturbance was a barking dog, which was quickly silenced by Proctor Charles D. Manning. Minor was sent by the Communist Party headquarters after the Sun had invited Clarence Hathaway, editor of the Daily Worker, who was "unable to come." The speaker was introduced by Robert W. Storandt '40, editor of the Sun, and he told Storandt on the way to his train, "I will always remember Cornell for its courteous reception, even though most of my audience was already convinced the other way." At least one student characterized his talk as "just another lecture."

"LEND-SPEND BILLS" occupied the attention of the Student Council at its regular session last week, the Sun reported. Appropriations were made to the Military Department to cover a guarantee on last spring's Navy Day Ball; to the Junior Week committee, as a loan for expenses; and to share with Willard Straight Hall the expense of a Founder's Day reception next January 11. Request from the Chess Club to pay its current debts was refused.

TREMAN, KING & CO. has been closing out its retail hardware stock after ninety-five years in the same location at State and Cayuga Streets; has announced that its building will be leased to "one of the largest merchandizing organizations in America." The retail hardware firm of Treman Brothers was founded by Leonard and Abner Treman in 1844, and it was carried on by the late Robert H. Treman '78 and Charles E. Treman '89, both University Trustees. Robert E. Treman '09, likewise a Trustee, is now secretary of the company, which will retain its wholesale, contracting, and sheet metal departments.

GEORGE HOUGHTON, for fourteen years in charge of fountain pens and cameras for Treman, King, has taken over that department and will move it to a new Pen and Camera Shop at the corner of Seneca and Tioga Streets. From 1900 to 1925, Houghton was in charge of paper and engraving at the old Corner Book Store, downtown.

STUDENT LOAN FUND, to be named for the late Dean Herman Diederichs '97, was started with a contribution of \$100 by the Southern Tier Chapter of the American Society for Metals, ninety of whose members met here November 20. This gift and others to be made later will constitute a revolving fund to assist students who are especially interested in

CHRISTMAS SPIRIT took many and varied forms around the Campus during the week. Fraternities, sororities, and women in the dormitories gave their usual Christmas parties; traditional Christmas carols of many countries were sung by the Sage Chapel Choir Sunday afternoon; the Law School had a "gridiron" smoker in honor of its Faculty; Willard Straight folk-dancing group held its Santa Lucia festival; "St. Nick's open house" took a gala crowd to Willard Straight Hall. Faculty neighbors to some fraternity houses were wakened from their sleep by the exuberance of Freshman-Sophomore battles over who should bring in the Christmas tree and trim it. This form of convivial rivalry is a relatively new development.

metallurgy. At the meeting here, Professor Frederick G. Switzer '13, Engineering, gave a lecture and demonstration of testing materials in the photoelasticity laboratories.

DRILL HALL last Sunday housed the successful first annual dog show of the Finger Lakes Kennel Club. More than 400 canine blue-bloods were there, from nine states and Canada, including a number of champions. Judges were wellknown experts. President Edmund E. Day awarded a trophy for the best dog in the show, and Colonel Waldo C. Potter gave another for the best American bred dog. More than 2,500 persons attended, the proceeds going to the Young Women's Hospital Aid of Ithaca. Dr. Lyman R. Fisher '28 is president of the Finger Lakes Kennel Club, which was organized last summer.

OUR COLUMNIST, Robert L. Bliss '30, spent last week in Pittsburgh, Pa., eighteen hours a day, "covering" the thirteenth annual national contract bridge championships for three news services and the New York Sun.

RETURN ENGAGEMENT of Noel Coward's sprightly farce, "Hay Fever," was played in the Willard Straight Theater December 12 by a company in which the masculine parts were taken by members of the Dramatic Club and the feminine parts by those of Kastalia, of Wells College. They had played it first at Aurora, and most of the rehearsals were there.

FLOYD DARLING, for many years superintendent of grounds for the Athletic Association until the University Department of Buildings and Grounds took over two years ago, has now resumed responsibility for the independent maintenance of the athletic fields.

SURPRISE PARTY for President Day Sunday night, to celebrate his birthday, turned out to be a surprise on fifteen members of the Student Council. They stole silently to the back door of the President's House as they had been directed to do in typewritten invitations received a few days before, presumably from Mrs. Day. Mrs. Day and her secretary, Miss Hill, dining alone during the President's absence at the football dinner, were even more surprised, because they knew nothing of the invitations, and the President's birthday had been ten days earlier, December 7. But the guests were invited in anyway, and they had a party without the President. A leather traveling case which the students had brought for him was left either as a belated birthday present or an early Christmas gift. Nobody knows who perpetrated the hoax, but it was enjoyed by all concerned, including the President when he heard about it.

DINING CAR MENUS of the Lackawanna Railroad have on their back covers a picture of the Clock Tower with Cayuga Lake in the background, and a brief description of Ithaca and the University.

RED KEY, Junior honor society, has elected Jack C. Antrim of Worthington, Ohio, president; Calvin O. English of Elizabeth, N. J., recording secretary; Norman T. Nelson of Baltimore, Md., corresponding secretary; H. Jerome Noel of Indianapolis, Ind., treasurer.

WAR IN EUROPE has led the Associated Country Women of the World to accept an invitation of the State Extension Service to transfer its headquarters and records from London to the College of Home Economics. Activities will be conducted from here, at least for the duration of the war.

"CO-ED LIGHT," the Sun remarked in a recent editorial, is now operated by a key switch recently installed by the Department of Buildings and Grounds. Perhaps you will remember that the Co-ed Light was supposed to be the one on the front of Lincoln Hall; that according to legend (?) the Cornell woman who should first turn it on each evening would be sure to marry a Cornell man. Our diligent inquiries have failed to discover any alumnus who ever heard of this "tradition" before the Sun mentioned it a year ago.

FOOTBALL ATTENDANCE at home games this season totaled 54,051. These are official counts from the Athletic Office: Syracuse 19,320; Penn State 8,390; Columbia 12,625; Colgate 13,716. Count is not yet available for out-of-town games.

#### NECROLOGY

Dr. John Rogers, November 20, 1939, at his home, 164 East Seventy-second Street, New York City, after an illness of several months. He received the AB from Yale University in 1887, the PhB in 1888, and the MD from the College of Physicians and Surgeons at Columbia University in 1891. In 1898 he was appointed instructor in Clinical Surgery at the Medical College in New York, was made professor in 1909. At the time of his death he was professor emeritus and conducted private practice. Delta Kappa Epsilon.

'77, '78 BCE, '79 CE—Frank Adams Maxwell, November 29, 1939, at Denver, Colo. He had been in failing health since amputation five years ago of a leg injured in a mine accident. Specializing in mining engineering, he settled in Georgetown, Colo. in 1882; was engineer in charge of construction on the famous Georgetown Loop; was a surveyor in Clear Creek County, and deputy county treasurer for six years. Entered Cornell in 1873 from Clymer district school. Sister, Emma E. Maxwell '83; son, Donald P. Maxwell '07.

'85, 'OI AB-LUCY MARIANA WASH-BURN, September 26, 1939, in Porterville, Calif. at the age of ninety-two. The niece of the late Henry B. Lord, former University Trustee, Miss Washburn began teaching in New York State shortly after the Civil War; the late Booker T. Washington was one of her first students. From 1873 to 1900 and from 1914 until her retirement in 1920 she taught at San Jose State College, Calif., the old State normal school. From 1900 to 1914 with her brother she ran a private preparatory school. Miss Washburn knew personally Ezra Cornell and Andrew D. White and was an intimate friend of the late Professor George L. Burr '81, Medieval History, Emeritus. Entered Arts in 1881.

'89 PhB—Mrs. Irwin John Macomber (Mary Elouisa Wright), December, 1939, in Baltimore, Md., where she lived at 709 Newington Avenue. She was the wife of Irwin J. Macomber '88, instructor in the Engineering College from 1892 to 1898. In June of this year she came back to Cornell for the fiftieth reunion of her Class, with her husband and son, Hugh I. Macomber '15. Entered the Philosophy course in 1885. Alpha Phi; CUCA; Methodist Alliance.

'95 LLB—WILLIAM LIVINGSTON GEL-LERT, August 21, 1939, in Poughkeepsie where he had practiced law for many years. He was associated with Lloyd L. Rosenthal '32, vice-president of the Cornell Club of Dutchess County, at 3 Cannon Street. After graduation he had practiced in New York City for a time. Entered Law in 1893 from Poughkeepsie High School. Delta Chi.

# Concerning THE FACULTY

MYRON C. TAYLOR '94, University Trustee, is honorary national chairman of the million-dollar building fund sought by Wells College, of which he is also a trustee. Professors Lyman P. Wilson, Law, and Henry N. Ogden '89, Sanitary Engineering, Emeritus, on the board of trustees of Wells College, are serving on the national sponsoring committee now being formed to back the building fund.

CLARISSA FAIRCHILD CUSHMAN, wife of Professor Robert E. Cushman, Government, is the winner of \$1,000 in the Mary Roberts Rinehart Mystery Novel Prize Contest for her manuscript, I Wanted to Murder. Said Mary Roberts Rinehart of the mystery: "It had everything: interesting and real people, humor, suspense, and a criminal unsuspected until the end." Mrs. Cushman is also the author of But for Her Garden, The New Poor, The Bright Hill, This Side of Regret, and The Other Brother.

PROFESSOR PHILIP E. Mosely, Modern European History, has been elected to a three-year term on the advisory board of editors of the Journal of Modern History, published by University of Chicago, with the American Historical Association.

CORNELL CHAPTER Of Sigma Delta Chi, national professional journalism fraternity, at a dinner December 13 honored Professor Bristow Adams, who observed his twenty-fifth anniversary as editor of publications for the College of Agriculture December 10. The Cornell Daily Sun for December 13 had an editorial on Professor Adams and the esteem which he has earned during his years of service here.

COACH CARL G. SNAVELY spoke at a community banquet in Reading, Pa., December 7, to honor the Reading High School football team. Several tables in the Abraham Lincoln Hotel dining room were occupied by Reading Cornellians and they were introduced by the toastmaster. J. Bennett Nolan 'oo writes the Alumni News: "The local alumni congratulated themselves that Cornell has a coach who is not only skilled in football but has the background and culture of a true gentleman."

Professor Howard S. Liddell, PhD '23, Psychobiology, lectured on "Production of Neuroses in Animals" under the auspices of the graduate council at Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio, December 7.

# FACULTY TO TRAVEL During Holidays

Christmas recess meetings of the professional societies will again take many Cornellians to various parts of the country during the last week of the year and the first few days of 1940. These gatherings always bring together old Cornell friends, former students and teachers, from many institutions, and furnish opportunity for resident alumni to look up their special friends who may be in town.

Faculty travel plans gathered by the Department of Public Information indicate that, as usual, the largest number will attend sessions of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and affiliated societies, this year at Columbus, Ohio, December 27-30. These will include Dean Cornelius Betten, PhD '06, Director of Resident Instruction, Agriculture and Home Economics; Richard Bradfield and Robert F. Chandler, Jr., Agronomy; Robert T. Clausen '33, Otis F. Curtis, PhD '16, Arthur J. Eames, Loren C. Petry, and Karl M. Weigand '94, Botany; T. Roy Hansberry, Robert Matheson '06, Charles M. Mottley, and E. Franklin Phillips, Entomology; Kenneth Post, Floriculture; Ellis F. Wallihan, PhD '38, Forestry; Ralph P. Agnew, PhD '30, Walter B. Carver, and John A. F. Randolph, PhD '34, Mathematics; Robert F. Bacher, Carleton C. Murdock, and Lloyd P. Smith, PhD '30, Physics; Arthur B. Burrell, PhD '31, A. Watson Dimock, Vernon L. Frampton, Carl E. F. Guterman, PhD '30, Allen G. Newhall, PhD '29, and Leon J. Tyler, Plant Pathology; Damon Boynton '31 and Arthur J. Heinicke, PhD '16, Pomology; Jacob H. Bruckner, PhD '35, Frederick B. Hutt, and Welford F. Lamoreux, PhD '38, Poultry; Karl M. Dallenbach, PhD '13, Psychology; Earle V. Hardenburg '12 and James E. Knott, PhD '26, Vegetable Crops; and William J. Hamilton, Jr. '26, Albert H. Wright '04, and Benjamin P. Young, PhD '19, Zoology.

In Philadelphia, Pa., December 27-30, for meetings of the American Economic Association, American Farm Economic Association, and American Sociological Society, will be Mrs. Alida S. Hotchkiss '29, Home Economics; Paul T. Homan, Paul M. O'Leary, PhD '29, and Frank A. Southard, Jr., Economics; Martin P. Catherwood, PhD '30, William M. Curtiss, PhD '36, Floyd A. Harper, PhD '32, Edward G. Misner '13, William I. Myers '14, Frank A. Pearson '12, Whiton Powell '24, Myers P. Rasmussen '19, Gad P. Scoville '10, Leland Spencer '18, Stanley W. Warren '27, and Paul S. Williamson, PhD '34, Agricultural Economics; Leonard S. Cottrell, Jr., Sociology; and Walfred A. Anderson, PhD '29, and Dwight Sanderson '98, Rural Sociology.

To Washington, D. C., December 28-

30, will go for meetings of the American Historical Association Carl L. Becker, Knight Biggerstaff, Paul W. Gates, Max L. W. Laistner, and Philip E. Mosely, History; Howard R. Anderson, Education; and George H. Sabine '03, Philosophy. Robert E. Cushman, Government, will attend simultaneous meetings of the American Political Science Association.

In Chicago, Ill., December 27, Association of American Law Schools meeting will be attended by Dean Robert S. Stevens, Herbert D. Laube, John W. MacDonald '25, and George T. Washington. William E. Stanley, Civil Engineering, will preside December 22, at a meeting in Chicago of the ASCE committee on sewage treatment costs of which he is chairman. December 27-29, Herbert A. Wichelns '16 and Russell H. Wagner, PhD '28, Public Speaking, will attend sessions of the National Association of Teachers of Speech; and December 28-30, Oscar D. von Engeln '08, Geology, will meet with the Association of American Geographers.

New York City meetings December 27-29 of the American Philosophical Association will be attended by Harold R. Smart, PhD '23, Philosophy; and December 28 and 29 Drs. Muriel Cuykendall, C. Douglas Darling, Jennette Evans, Dean F. Smiley '16, and Ruth S. Stelle of the Medical Office will attend sessions of the American Student Health Association.

At Syracuse December 27 and 28, meetings of the Associated Academic Principals will be attended by Howard R. Anderson and Melvin L. Hulse, PhD '34, Education, and Julian E. Butterworth and Emery N. Ferriss, Rural Education. December 27-29, State Science Teachers Association meetings will take Philip G. Johnson, PhD '33, Rural Education, and Harley E. Howe, Physics.

In Ann Arbor, Mich., December 27-29, Charles L. Durham '99, Latin, will attend sessions of the American Philological Association, and Frederick O. Waagé, Archæology, those of the Archæological Institute of America.

To New Orleans, La., for meetings of the Modern Language Association of America December 28-30, go Robert C. Bald, English, and Victor Lange, German.

Dean William A. Hagan, MS '17, Veterinary, will meet with the Society of American Bacteriologists at New Haven, Conn., December 28-30; Alfred L. Anderson, Geology, Geological Society of America in Minneapolis, Minn., December 28-30; John R. Johnson, Chemistry, a national chemistry symposium in St. Louis, Mo., December 28-30; Myers P. Rasmussen '19, Agricultural Economics, in Champaign, Ill., January 2 and 3 at the Illinois Horticultural Society; and Arthur B. Burrell, PhD '31,

Plant Pathology, at American Pomological Society in Worcester, Mass., January 3 and 4.

# Concerning THE ALUMNI

Personal items and newspaper clippings about all Cornellians are earnestly solicited.

'77—William F. E. Gurley, life president of the Class of '77, is president of the Illinois Society, Sons of the Revolution. His address is 6151 University, Chicago, Ill.

'80 BS; '12; '10, '11 ME—Mrs. Frank Irvine, wife of the late Judge Frank Irvine '80, has recovered from a serious illness and is now making her home with her daughter Mrs. Clarence J. Pope (Lida Irvine) '12, and son-in-law, Clarence J. Pope '10, at 399 Tremont Place, Orange, N. J.

'90 AB, '91 ME(EE)—Frank C. Caldwell, professor emeritus of electrical engineering at Ohio State University, where he has been since 1893, was honored by a testimonial dinner in Columbus, Ohio, December 7. A specialist in illumination, Caldwell has been a director of the Illumination Engineering Society and has had a part in editing two standard handbooks in this field.

'92 CE—Major Henry C. Nelson, USA, retired, and Mrs. Nelson were in Ithaca for the Columbia football game. They are spending the winter in Washington, D. C.



RAN FAIR TELEPHONE EXHIBIT

These four alumni, employes of the New York Telephone Company, were on duty at the New York World's Fair, supervising the public long distance calls of visitors and guiding the conversation of Pedro the Voder, mechanical talking man. Left to right: seated, Clarence J. MacDaniels '26 and Frederick H. C. Dochtermann '26; standing, George R. Bradley, Jr. '31, Donald B. Saunders '30.

'96, '97 ME—Benjamin K. Hough is a mechanical engineer with offices at 201 Devonshire Street, Boston, Mass. He lives at 10 Monmouth Court, Brookline, Mass.

'97 ME—Robert McClenathen lives in Lakemore, Ohio.

'00 LLB—Charles S. Estabrook has a son, Henry C. Estabrook, who is in his last year in the Law School.

'00 AB—Philena R. Sheldon has retired from the New York Public Library. She lives at 353 West Fifty-seventh Street, New York City.

'03 FE—Roland D. Craig is chief of the division of forest economics, with the Dominion Forest Service, Ottawa, Can. Last summer he attended the Pacific Science Congress at Berkeley, Calif., and saw several Cornellians there.

'04 ME—Mayo E. Roe is an engineer with Curtiss-Wright and lives at 332 Bird Avenue, Buffalo.

'05 AB—Mrs. Edwin W. Kramer (Olive R. Edwards), formerly president of the Cornell Women's Club of Northern California, lives at 3740 Twenty-fifth Street, Apartment 505, San Francisco, Calif.

'07 LLB—Supreme Court Justice Benjamin Kenyon has been reelected as first vice-president of the Finger Lakes Association. He lives in Auburn.

'09 ME—Frederic P. Ebeling and Mrs. Ebeling have announced the marriage of their daughter, Alice M. Ebeling, to William G. McFadzean, November 25, in Evanston, Ill.

'06, '07 AB—Jean Roig, daughter of Harold J. Roig '06, sponsored the Grace Line's new C-2 freighter, Santa Teresa, which was launched December 15 at Newport News. The Santa Teresa is the second of two standardized freighters launched for the Grace Line's service between New York and the Panama Canal and ports in South America. Roig is director of the Grace Line, a vice-president of W. R. Grace & Co., and president of Panagra (Pan American-Grace Airways).

'09, '10 LLB—J. Russel Sprague is manager of Thomas E. Dewey's campaign for the Republican Presidential nomination. In the Republican State organization he holds the posts of leader of Nassau County, member of the Republican State Committee, and member of the Republican State Executive Committee; he was head of the New York State delegation to the Republican national convention which nominated Alfred M. Landon for President in 1936.

'10 ME—George W. Griffiths, with Southwark Manufacturing Co. of Camden, N. J., is on the New Jersey Unemployment Commission; lives on Loucroft Avenue, Haddonfield, N. J.

'11 ME—William K. Sowdon, manufacturers' sales representative at 342

Madison Avenue, New York City, lives at 465 Broadway, Hastings-on-Hudson.

- '11 AB, '14 MD—John H. Nugent, a physician and surgeon in Southampton, lives at 77 Hampton Street. He has three children; the eldest, Betty, graduated from Wells College in 1938.
- '12 AB, '28 AM, '34 PhD—Ethel M. Williams, assistant professor of romance languages in Flora Stone Mather College of Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, presides at the Spanish table in the dining room of the College.
- '12—Carroll C. Kendrick is living at 1303 Scott Avenue, Hubbard Woods, Ill.
- '13 ME—Howard Tilson, engineer with Rath & Strong, consulting engineers, writes that he is "now engaged in installing time study methods in plant of Scott & Williams, manufacturers of knitting machinery." His address is The Tavern, Laconia, N. H.
- '13, '16 ME—Harold W. Thorne is with the North Star Woolen Mills, 200 Madison Avenue, New York City; lives at Marshall Ridge, New Canaan, Conn.
- '14 BS—Charles H. Ballou, professor of entomology at Escuela Superior de Agricultura and chief of the department of entomology at the Agricultural Experiment Station, El Valle, D. F., writes that there are several Cornellians working there. They are Menalco Solis '29, Gustav E. Molinet '29, and Pablo Anduze '41. Ballou's address is Calle Las Flores # 17, Paraiso de Sabana Grande, Caracas, Venezuela, South America.

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'15—R. King Stone, sales representative with Hill & Tibbitts, Ford dealers, Washington, D. C., writes that he is remodeling his present home in Old Georgetown, Washington, D. C. The address is 3628 S Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.



'16—In The New York Times for December 3 appeared the following: "In London, it was reported, medical supplies and serums were being flown from England to the Finnish battlefields in a plane piloted by Laurin Zilliacus ['16] forty-four years old, who had sought to enlist in the British Army but was rejected because of his age."

'16 BS—Meyer Willett, senior partner of the firm of Bristol & Willett, is responsible for a booklet entitled "Concerning the Over-the-Counter Market and Bristol & Willett." In its nineteen pages are described the over-the-counter business and the business, policy, organization, and personnel of the firm.

Page sixteen carries a picture and brief article on Willett.

- '17 '19 BS—Walter B. Balch owns the Balch Greenhouses of Kankakee, Ill. He is married and has a son, Alfred H. Balch, eleven; lives at 666 South Rosewood, Kankakee.
- '17 BS—Alfred H. Brooks, inspector in the Federal Housing Administration, Minneapolis, Minn., for some time, recently returned to his home in Monroe.
- '18—J. Paul Timmerman is with the Peerless Coal Co. of Lima, Ohio.
- '18—John W. Steacy, a chartered life underwriter, is supervisor for the Aetna Life Insurance Co. in York, Pa. His address is 256 East Market Street, York.
- '19 Grad—Lewis G. Weeks of the Standard Oil Co. has bought a nine-room English house at 78 Hampton Road, Scarsdale
- '19, '21 BS; '89 BS in Arch; '87 PhB—Albert Haywood, Jr., son of the late Albert Haywood '89, and Mrs. Haywood (Kate E. Selmser) '87, is a floor contractor in New York City; lives at 46-26 157th Street, Flushing.
- '20 BS, '27 MS—Frances Van Arsdale is in the division of health education of the State Department of Education, at Binghamton.
- '20—Raymond D. Velsey was married in the summer to Anne McCracken of New York City, a graduate of Elmira College. They are living in Demarest, N. I.
- '20 BS—Walter I. L. Duncan is national sales manager of radio station WNEW, 501 Madison Avenue, New York City.
- '21 AB, '29 PhD; '24 MS—Marcel H. Kessel writes that he has recently purchased a 110-acre farm at Storrs, Conn., adjoining the University of Connecticut, where he teaches. Mrs. Kessel is the former Quinta Cattell MS '24.
- '22, '24 AB—Caesar A. Graselli II is European manager for E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co; address Russetts, Latchmoor Avenue, Gerrards Cross, Bucks, England.
- '22 BArch—July 22, Dean DeF. Crandell married Mrs. Katherine I. Nelson. Mrs. Crandell attended Vassar, has a sixyear-old daughter. Crandell is director of research for the National Gypsum Co. 190 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo. They live at 322 Starin Avenue, Buffalo.
- '23, '24 ME—Donald M. Tobey married Isabel Marvin, daughter of Mrs. Harry F. Marvin, August 7, in Walton. Address: care of Wilcox-Johnson Co., Victor.
- '23 AB—George L. Lee, president and treasurer of Landon D. Smith, Inc., hardware manufacturers, and treasurer of Lee-Stockman, Inc., advertising, writes of a recent arrival, a fourth son, Robert Todd Lee. The address is 2 Tower Drive, Maplewood, N. J.

- '24—John K. Converse has moved from Boston, Mass. to 35 Dix Street, Winchester, Mass.
- '24, '25 BS-Dr. Alfred L. Olsen has announced the opening of a dental office in association with Dr. Frank M. Mone, his father-in-law, at 109-111 North Aurora Street, Ithaca. After graduation Dr. Olsen was an instructor in Hotel Accounting at the University for six years and then accepted a position with the government in Washington, D. C. as a deputy administrator of the NRA. He began the study of dentistry in 1936, and received a degree in dental surgery from the University of Buffalo in June, 1939. He was graduated with honors and elected to Omicron Kappa Upsilon, national honorary dental fraternity. This summer Dr. Olsen took advanced work in dental surgery and anaesthesia.
- '25, '26 BS—Norman E. Hunt is Yates County supervisor for an AAA conservation program. Address: Penn Yan, R.D. 1.
- '25 AB—Vincent J. Schwingel is an accountant for the Foster Wheeler Corp. of Carteret, N. J.; lives in Fanwood, N. J. He is married and has two children, Mary Ellen 6, and Margaret Ann 2.
- '26 AB, '29 MD—Mrs. Harry G. Kinkele (Adelaide Romaine) is secretary of the Women's Medical Association of New York City. Address: 35 West Ninth Street, New York City.
- '26 LLB—Max M. Savitt, Hartford attorney, has recently been appointed prosecutor of the Hartford Police Court. His address is 75 Pearl Street, Hartford, Conn.
- '27, '29 CE—Albert S. Quinn is vicepresident of the Stebbins Engineering Corp., pulp and paper mill engineers. He supervises mills in Washington, Oregon, California, and British Columbia and has his headquarters at 1201 Textile Tower, Seattle, Wash. He has four children and lives at 933 Twentyfirst Avenue, North Seattle, Wash.
- '27, '28 AB—Henry H. Bubier is associated with the Bankers Trust Co. at 16 Wall Street, New York City. He is married, has a son, Alan Dickson Bubier, 9½, and lives at 651 Lincoln Avenue, Orange, N. J.
- '28 BS; '26 BS—Brandon Watson, president of the Cornell Club of Northern California, and Mrs. Watson (Hilda R. Longyear) '26 live at 420 Coventry Road, Berkeley, Calif.
- '28 AB; '28—Announcement has been made of the formation of the firm of Wainwright, Ramsey & Lancaster, to act as consultants on municipal finance. Townsend Wainwright '28, formerly associated with Norman S. Taber & Co., is a partner. The offices are in the Equitable Building, 120 Broadway, New York City. Mrs. Wainwright is the former Elizabeth L. Treman '28.
  - '29 AM-Shelton L. Beatty, dean of

men at Grinnell College, Grinnell, Ia., was program director in charge of a State conference of Iowa State Deans of Men Association held recently.

'29 BS—Mrs. Ferris R. Farrington (Luella G. Urban) has moved to 798 Post Street, San Francisco, Calif.

'29—Arthur L. Wiesenberger lives at 135 South Seventeenth Street, Allentown, Pa.



'29 EE; '29 AB—ROBERT F. SCHUETZ (above), has been appointed manager of the National Broadcasting Company's transcription office in Radio City, Sunset and Vine, Hollywood, Cal. He handles all NBC transcription service for eleven Western States, including the recording of special programs, simultaneous recordings for rebroadcasts of shows, syndicated shows, and sales and service of the NBC Thesaurus Library. For the last ten years Schuetz has been an engineer in the NBC New York City office. Mrs. Schuetz is the former Carol H. Henrich '29.

'30 AB—Marian J. Talbot is now Mrs. Joseph W. Ryan; lives at 60-03 Laurence Street, Flushing.

'30, '31 CE—Charles D. Oliver, sales supervisor for the Liberty Mutual Insurance Co. in Louisville, Ky., has a son Charles Dickson Oliver, Jr., born last spring. He lives at 2113 Speed Avenue, Louisville.

'30, '31 ME—Herman F. Seep, sales engineer with the Mine & Smelter Supply Co., Denver, Colo. and president of the Cornell Club of Colorado, has a new house at 70 Eudora Street, Denver.

'31 AB—Daniel R. Terry teaches in the Copiaque school and lives at 3 Beach Street, Copiaque.

'31 BS—Robert L. Timmerman is newly appointed office manager for the Netherlands Plaza, Cincinnati, Ohio.

'32—Mrs. Kenneth R: Edwards (Elizabeth M. Love), daughter of Professor Harry H. Love, PhD '09, Plant Breeding, played the solo in the introduction and allegro for harp and orchestra by Maurice Ravel in the Grand Rapids Federal Symphony Orchestra, November 29, in

Grand Rapids, Mich. The Grand Rapids Press gave enthusiastic praise.

'32 AB, '37 PhD; '37 AB; '13—Jermain D. Porter and Mrs. Porter (Ellen E. Leader) '37, daughter of Roy F. Leader '13, have a daughter, Anne Charlotte Porter, born last April. Porter is on the faculty of Union College; they live at 801 Locust Avenue, Schenectady.

'32 EE; '33 AB; '99 CE—Frederick J. Finkenauer and Mrs. Finkenauer (Margaret E. Button) '33, daughter of Ernest D. Button '99, have a son, Frederick Ernest Finkenauer, born September 26. Finkenauer is in the research laboratory of Chrysler Corp., Detroit, Mich. They live at 190 Colorado Avenue, Highland Park, Detroit.

'32 BArch; '04—LeRoy G. Garnsey married Emma C. Rice, daughter of Edward A. Rice '04, September 9 in Poughkeepsie. They live on Lake Road, Seneca Falls.

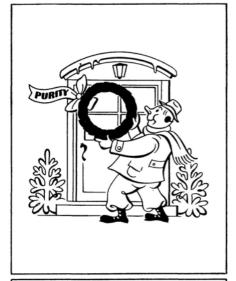
'33 AM—Mabel H. Robinson is at the University of Tennessee nursery school, White Avenue, Knoxville, Tenn.

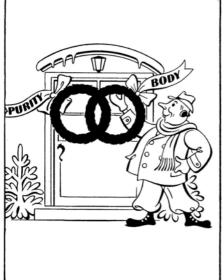
'33 AM, '37 PhD—Mark Rich is with the American Baptist Home Mission Society, 23 East Twenty-sixth Street, New York City. His residence address is 22 Carlisle Street, Bergenfield, N. J.

'33, '34 CE—The Chicago Sunday Tribune for November 19 carried an article and picture of Lieutenant James W. Allen, pilot for the United Airlines on the Chicago to Cheyenne semi-weekly run. October 14 and 15, Allen advertised in the classified section of the Tribune for four or five people to fly to South America with him, sharing expenses. Forty answered the ad, and from them he has formed his party. They start January 1, 1940, fly down over Mexico, Central America, the west coast of South America, across the Andes to Argentina and then up to Brazil, taking about two weeks. In Rio de Janiero the party will break up; Allen plans to sell his plane and stay for five weeks, making short trips. His Chicago address is 5314 Blackstone Avenue.

'34 BS; '09 MS, '11 PhD—Clara K. Savage, daughter of Professor Elmer S. Savage, PhD '11, Animal Husbandry, was married November 23, in Ithaca to Francis T. O'Connell. Mary Savage '39 was maid of honor and Mrs. Edwin S. Harrison (Ruth C. Savage) '32 was one of the bridesmaids. O'Connell was graduated from Cortland Normal School and received the BS from Ithaca College; teaches now at the Boynton Junior High School in Ithaca as does Mrs. O'Connell. They live at 116 West Seneca Street, Ithaca.

'34 AB—E. Harrison Trowbridge, president of the Brownie Beauty Supply Co., Inc., Boston, Mass., has a second son born September 6. His address is 1 Dean Road, Wellesley Hills, Mass.









'34, '35 AB—Michael R. Renzi has a son, Cosimo Michael 2d, born July 16. Renzi is associated with the law firm of Cullen, Norris, Reynolds & Tripp, Watertown. His address is 220 Winslow Street, Watertown.

'35 AB—Samuel J. Tilden, formerly of the Rectory School in Pomfret, Conn., now teaches at the Bloomfield Hills School in Michigan. He is married, has a daughter, Carolyn, born last May, and lives at 3503 Watkins Lake Road, Pontiac, Mich., RFD 2.

'35 BS, '36 MS—Dolores E. Weimer is at 2245 Park Drive, Los Angeles, Calif. for the academic year.

'36 AB; '05 ME; '05, '06 AB—Mrs. Harry E. Lotz (B. Allegra Law), daughter of Lito W. Law '05 and Mrs. Law (Blanche E. Seelye) '05, has a son, Russell Seelye Lotz, born September 28. They live at 240 East Troy Street, Ferndale, Mich.

'36 AB; '35, '36 BArch—Dorothy Converse was married November 28 in New York City · to James C. Schnur '35. Marion Putnam '39, daughter of Henry S. Putnam '07 and the late Mrs. Putnam (Frances E. Thomas) '10, and William J. Williams, Jr. '35 were attendants. The Schnurs live in Evanston, Ill.

'36 AB—Adelbert P. Mills, formerly of the Sun board and assistant to Louis C.

Boochever '12, Director of Public Information, is associate editor of Advertising Age and manager of their New York office, 330 West Forty-second Street.

'36—Bruce A. Campbell is service engineer for the Foster Wheeler Corp. of Carteret, N. J. His residence address is 1124 Belmont Avenue, Wyomissing, Pa.

'37 BS; '35 BS—C. Hubert Vail and Mrs. Vail (Charlotte M. Dredger) '35 have a son, Peter Covert Vail, born May 6. Vail is farm superintendent for Vail's Grove, Inc.; lives at Peach Lake, Brewster.

'37 BS in AE—Joseph B. Simpson, industrial engineer with Robert Gair Co., Inc., New York City, writes: "Have been stationed in Cleveland since March and expect to be here until after the first of the year." His address is 1504 Elbur Avenue, Lakewood, Ohio.

'37 BS—Charles H. Shuff, sales representative with Pan American Airways, writes: "Recently changed from the hotel business to the air transportation industry. Am finding it radically different from my former connections but like the change very much. Have recently joined the Cornell Club of New York and find it a grand place to renew old Campus friends and acquaintances." His address is 3988 Forty-ninth Street, Long Island City.

'38 CE—Harmer A. Weeden is an instructor in the civil engineering department of Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pa. He attended the summer session at the University of Michigan at Ann Arbor, Mich

'38 EE; '41—July 22, Frederick J. Skinner married Eleanor G. Ramsay '41 in Pelham Manor. Skinner is associated with the Bell Telephone Laboratories in New York City. They live at 3171 Richambeau Avenue, New York City.

'38; '38 AB; '13 ME, '14 MME—Frank S. Gray (Grzywaczewski) and Mrs. Gray (Grace V. Switzer) '38, daughter of Professor Frederick G. Switzer '13, Mechanics and Hydraulic Engineering, have a son, Francis Ignacy Gray, born September 14 in Ithaca. Gray is studying for the MD degree at the University of Chicago. They live at 6245 Greenwood Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

'39 BArch—E. Stanley Van Brunt, Jr. is an architectural draftsman in the construction division, Office of the Quartermaster General, War Department. His address is 3626 Davis Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

'39—Marie A. Valck is a student in the special college course at Katharine Gibbs School in New York City. Her address is 2817 Foster Avenue, Brooklyn.

'39 BS—Philip H. Fitzhugh is an accountant in the Boy Scout headquarters in Rochester.

'39 AB--John R. Furman is a salesman with Corn Products, Inc.; lives at 100 Normandy Avenue, Rochester.

'39 AB—Daniel W. Kops is a reporter on the Houston (Tex.) Press, a Scripps-Howard newspaper. He writes: "I'd be glad to have you put a notice in the News saying that I'd like to hear from Classmates and from any Cornellians in this area."

'39 BS—Arthur N. Wladis is assistant manager of the Oriole Cafeteria, Baltimore, Md. His address is 813 North Charles Street, Baltimore.

'39 AB—Isabel A. Whiton is an interne in the nursery department of Massachusetts State Reformatory for Women. Her address is Box 99, Framingham, Mass.

'39 BS—Bernard K. Schuman married Dale Hood of Elmira July 22. He works for Sheffield Dairy Co., 70 West 102d Street, New York City.

'39 ME; '10 AB—Jansen Noyes, Jr., son of Jansen Noyes '10, is working at Hemphill, Noyes, & Co. of which his father is senior partner.

'39 BS—Lee O. Jung teaches home economics at Maine Central School, Maine.

'39 PhD; '39 AB—Dr. Joseph E. Bourque, Jr. is instructor in the department of biology at Loyola University, New Orleans, La. Mrs. Bourque is the former Helen J. Cooney '39. They live at 11 Marlborough Gate, New Orleans.



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