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## CHICAGO CORNELL DINNER.

Banquet in Western Metropolis Attended by Men from all over Middle West—Dean Crane Delivered Principal Address.

The Chicago Cornell Dinner, held at the University Club on Saturday evening, proved to be exactly what a week ago it gave every indication of being—the largest and most enthusiastic gathering of Cornellians ever held in the western metropolis. There were close to a hundred men there, representing most of the classes from Seventy-one to Nineteen-three; there were excellent speeches; and best of all, there was a generous supply of good Cornell spirit pervading the place.

The ducat-extracting committee met each visitor at the door, set the extracting machinery in motion and in return gave to each victim ten of the invaluable and far-heralded red and white trading stamps. The victims were then ushered up-stairs, one by one, and blindfolded while their class numerals were artistically painted upon their shirt-bosoms by J. K. Fraser, '98 and Spencer L. Adams, '93. Thus unmistakably branded the company sat down, by classes, to dinner, Seventy-three having almost the largest representation present. With amazing celerity the party learned to use their trading stamps. First the reds were used; then the whites to the same purpose.

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When the eatables had been cleared away John K. Cady, '76, president of the Chicago Association, introduced James Harvey Peirce, '74, toastmaster of the evening. Mr. Peirce felicitated the committee upon the brilliant function it has arranged and introduced Dean Thomas F. Crane who responded to the toast "The University of Today." Dean Crane said in part:

Last year it was my painful duty to address the Alumni of Cornell while my heart was heavy with grief for the disaster which had overwhelmed their Alma Mater and which no one could fully appreciate unless he had lived through those unhappy days in Ithaca. I tried to comfort myself and my hearers by dwelling on the prosperity of the University at the opening of the year and on the measures which the Trustees had taken to insure a continuance of that prosperity and to protect the health of the students in the University. I also dwelt upon the heroic devotion and admirable spirit of the undergraduate body and the loyal sympathy of the Alumni in all parts of the country.

It is then with unspeakable relief that I am able tonight to share your festivity without a care and to announce at the very beginning of my remarks the complete fulfillment of our hopes and prayers. There may be a note of sadness in what I shall have to say, for the history of the year of so great an institution as Cornell University cannot fail to reveal changes which

will snap many a tie which has bound your hearts closely to your Alma Mater. But aside from these vicissitudes inseparable from human life, Cornell has suffered no losses and the record of the year is one of unbroken prosperity.

Ab Jove principium Musae, and the beginning of my song shall be the memory of the man to whom we owe our presence here tonight. His good name is a part of your heritage and you should be quick to resent any aspersion on it. Unfortunately, many years ago a president of Cornell consumed, among other things, an hour at an Alumni banquet in reciting the history of the United States Land Grant, which together with Ezra Cornell's great gift, gave rise to Cornell University. So impressed were the hearers of this historical disquisition that ever since it has been tacitly agreed all over the country that whatever subject may be chosen by a speaker at an Alumni banquet the land grant shall not be one.

Now I do not intend to trench upon this forbidden topic but I wish to say that I think the exclusion unfortunate for it behoves you, loyal Alumni of Cornell, to know so thoroughly the history of the foundation of your Alma Mater that when academic envy or sectarian hatred and malice shall assail the good name of the Founder you may rise up in your righteous indignation and refute the slander.

When I recall the noble character of Mr. Cornell, whom it was my good fortune to know intimately for the last nine years of his life, when I remember how honorably he accumulated his fortune and how generously he expended it, I am amazed that thirty years after his death his memory could be attacked by a citizen of the State which owes so much to Mr. Cornell's bounty and sagacity.

Very few of those present ever saw Ezra Cornell and to the great majority of the faculty and students his name is almost as legendary as are the names of John Harvard and Elihu Yale. Like them he did not live to see the institution he had founded assume more than modest prosperity. He told his intimate friend that it might some day have a thousand students.

Optimistic though he always was, he did not dream that thirty years after his death one single department of the University would have reached within sixty of a thousand, that in 1904 over three thousand would be enrolled, and that 7148 would have received degrees from

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## PITTSBURG ALUMNI DINNER.

More than a Hundred Cornell Men were There—Harvard and Yale Represented—Professor R. C. H. Cattarall made Popular Speech.

Cornell banquets in Pittsburg have long been noted for their enthusiasm and good fellowship. We don't need a toastmaster to liven things up; his biggest job is to hold things down. There's "something doing" from Alma Mater to the Evening Song. The biggest reason for this—its a bit of experience well-worth noting—is that the Cornell men around Pittsburg are pretty well acquainted from meeting each other at our regular monthly smokers. The result of this is that when we get together at the banquet we know our neighbors and we know our songs. This year's banquet of the Cornell Club of Western Pennsylvania held Saturday night, April 23rd, fully upheld this reputation.

Over one hundred men stood up to sing Alma Mater. Among them was John Ostrom, '77, coach, captain, stroke and coxswain of the immortal crew of '76; there was "Pop" Lueder, '99, who has been building railroads in South Africa; and there was Ed Young, '94, the first of the Cornell Youngs, and chief instigator and engineer of this year's dinner.

We had something to eat, of course, but the menu was merely an excuse for getting together and nothing more need be said about it. We had plenty of singing—Alma Mater, Cornell, The Classes, The Rowing Song, and all the rest of them. R. H. Blackall, Sp. '92, sang the Alumni song very effectively and Ray Faville, ex-'or, was called on for the Stein Song, but he had escaped and to satisfy a unanimous call, Quincy Scott, '94, sang the Dutch Company which very soon degenerated into a chorus.

W. M. McFarland was toastmaster. We were unfortunate in not having Dr. Durand with us as was expected, he being sick in Ithaca, but we did have Professor Cattarall and he gave the kind of talk we wanted; told us how proud we ought to be of being Cornellians, what Cornell spirit looked like to a new Cornellian and explained to the unfortunate old ones what "Spring Day" is. Professor Hammerchlag, Director of the Carnegie Technical Institute, made a characteristically earnest address on "What a university should do for a man"—should give him ideals, character and ideas—and the use the university man must make of

his ideals and character if he is to make the most of his life.

Harry Peck, '00, "our Yale member"—he having graduated from Yale in '97, before he came to Cornell—with the subject, "Under Two Flags," spoke of the common interests and sympathies of all college men, irrespective of Alma Mater.

Dr. J. A. Brashear and Mr. J. I. Buchanan both honorary members of the Club, were present and spoke very acceptably. Dr. Percival Eaton, Harvard, '83, and President of the Pittsburg Harvard Club was a guest of the Cornell Club and spoke for the Harvard men. William Dalzell, a Yale man and son of Congressman Dalzell, spoke very earnestly on the place the university man should take in practical politics.

The banquet broke up in the good Cornell way by singing the Evening song.

The following were present:

T. S. White, '73; John N. Ostrom, '77; Frank Thornburg, '78; C. M. Thorp, '84; George B. Dunsinberre, '86; W. S. Elliott, '87; Grant McCargo, '87; W. Z. Morrison, '87; Wm. W. Parshall, '88; H. W. Fisher, '88.

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R. W. Gulick, '03; J. M. Tee, '03; L. R. James, '03; J. J. Shirley, '03; R. S. Cooper, '03; J. A. Brinker, '04.

W. S. Dalzell, Yale, '91; A. A. Lane, Sp.; George T. Bamsley; Charles W. Armor, Times; William L. Ross, Gazette; Jos. W. Thurston; Percival J. Eaton, Harvard, '83; J. I. Buchanan, J. A. Brashear, W. M. McFarland and R. C. H. Catterall.

F. D. NEWBURY,  
Secretary.

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the President's hand. More degrees were conferred last June (566) than the average number of students in attendance during Mr. Cornell's lifetime and the instructing body (391) is now larger than the whole number of students in 1881.

This remarkable growth has been steady and normal for over twenty years and Cornell has now risen to the eighth place in the line of American universities as regards the number of students in attendance and to the third place as regards the number of the staff of instruction, and to the first place among the scientific schools of the land.

This continuous growth of the University would be gratifying at any time, but is particularly so this year as it is an evidence of a loyalty and confidence on the part of students and public that will ever be remembered with gratitude by all of us. It is owing to this loyalty and confidence that I am able to bring the assurance tonight that the misfortune of last year has not materially interrupted the prosperity of the University and that Cornell has now the largest registration ever reached in its history, and that the efforts to guard the health and wellbeing of its students have been crowned with success.

The increase, it is true, is not large but when you consider that in addition to the natural results of the apprehensions aroused by the epidemic of last year, an entire college of the University with over seventy students was suspended, I think you will agree with me that any increase is remarkable. I have not time to analyze this increase or to give you a detailed debit and credit account; suffice it to say that at the present time we have 3013 students in attendance, a faculty of 391, and that 46 states and territories are represented and 23 foreign countries.

I am happy to be able to give you other evidences of the prosperity of your Alma Mater: The beautiful benevolence of Mr. Carnegie you all know and the noble provision made by the late Frederick Guitau for the aid of needy and meritorious students. Two splendid buildings, one the gift of Mr. Rockefeller will soon be erected on the Campus

as homes for the department of Physics and for the College of Arts and Science.

The legislature of the State of New York at its last session appropriated the sum of \$250,000.00 for the creation and maintenance of a College of Agriculture on the same general lines as the State College of Veterinary Medicine and, *absit omen*, the State College of Forestry. The bill is now in the hands of the governor for approval and it is hoped he will sign it in spite of the opposition of the denominational colleges of the State,—an opposition which is but another manifestation of the spirit which endeavored forty years ago to prevent the foundation of Cornell University and which forced Ezra Cornell to pay out of his own pocket \$25,000 to a moribund institution for the privilege of being allowed to give \$500,000 to found Cornell University! Should the bill be signed by the governor the money will be used in the erection and equipment of various buildings for agricultural purposes, probably in the vicinity of the College of Veterinary Medicine.

Concluding Dean Crane spoke of the changes in the University faculty, the prosperous condition of undergraduate activities, the athletic record of the year, the new athletic field and the prospect for a new gymnasium and dormitories on the Campus.

Thus far during the evening the chimes were repeatedly heard—a set of cow-bells deftly manipulated by the entertainment committee, the versatile Fraser and Young; but when the toasts began an alarm clock was set which rang after John W. Battin had been dilating for five minutes. Fraser solemnly arose and took a formal vote as to whether the speaker should be allowed to proceed. The vote was affirmative and the speaker proceeded. The other speakers were William H. French, ex-'73, whose address rang with Cornell spirit from its opening to its close; Charles C. Rosewater, '94, who came in from Omaha; George Diehl, '95, of Cincinnati; and Western Starr, '80, and Robert Hall Wiles, '74, of Chicago. New York, Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, Missouri, Iowa, Nebraska and Minnesota were represented and regrets were wired from all over the Middle States.

It was the most spirited banquet ever held in Chicago and in attendance broke all records; and this was due primarily to the enthusiastic efforts of James K. Fraser, '98, Charles S. Young, ex-'95, and John R. Bensley, ex-'00.



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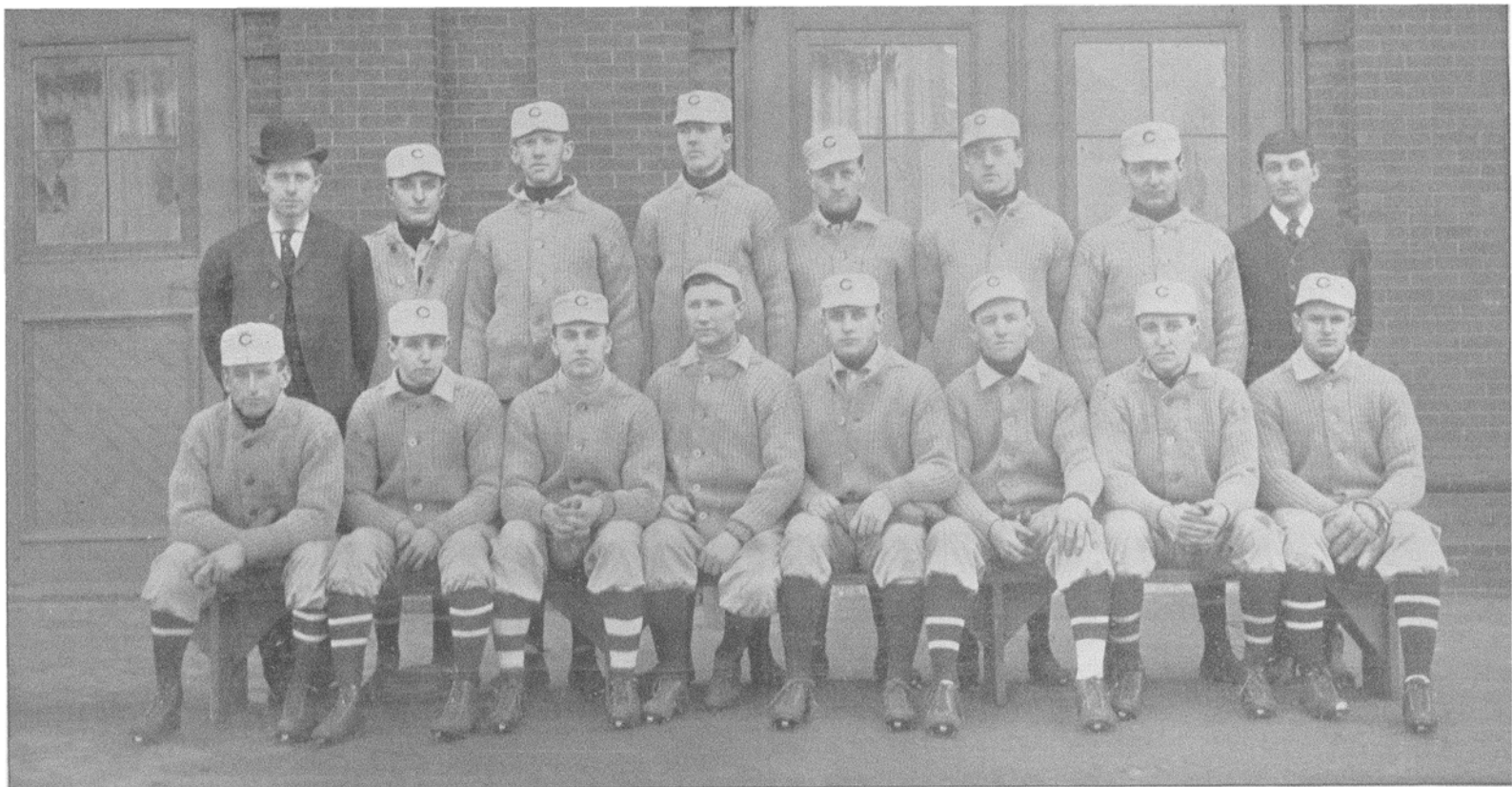
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THE CORNELL UNIVERSITY BASEBALL TEAM OF 1904.



Vincent. Brown. Braman. Welch. Lovejoy. Umstad. Wiley. Murphy,  
Ruby. Graves. Costello. Jennings. Brewster. Rice. Mantel. Lafevre,

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS.  
Cornell Nine Lost to and Won from  
Syracuse State League Team in  
First Home Games of Season—  
Estimated Strength.

In the opening games of the Percy Field season, the Nine acquitted itself very creditably losing to the Syracuse State League team on Friday by a narrow margin and defeating the same opponents on Saturday in about as nerve straining a contest as could be imagined. Friday's game went to Syracuse, 3 to 2; Saturday's to Cornell, 5 to 4.

The two games demonstrated rather conclusively that the Cornell men are not phenomenal hitters, or if they are that they did not have their batting eyes with them in their first performance on home grounds. They demonstrated that at the bat Captain Brewster and Costello rank well up with the best Intercollegiate players; that Brown, Rice and Wiley are very fair hitters; and that Preston, Replogle, Graves, Welch, and Lefevre are not above the average of the teams of the last half dozen years.

The games brought it home rather forcibly, too, that no man on the team is as effective a pitcher as was Chase of last year's team. Lefevre has an abundance of speed but has poor control; Umstad, though a more valuable man than last season, is not the equal of Chase while Lovejoy—though in a few years he will develop to it—is not yet in the class of Lefevre or Umstad.

The infield, composed of Preston, Rice, Wiley and Brown, is stronger and more reliable than last season though Wiley is a poor substitute for Phil Lewis. The difference be-

tween this year's infield and that of last year is that this year's quartette is well-balanced in all four positions, with no one man standing out conspicuously as did Lewis last season. Captain Brewster and Costello are reliable fielders, as well as strong hitters, and will compare very favorably with any fielders they will meet this season.

Friday's Game.

Friday's game was a faster exhibition of ball than that given on Saturday. In nine innings 31 Syracusians and 33 Cornell men went to bat. In six innings the visitors were retired in one-two-three order; in five innings the Cornell men was accorded similar treatment. Umstad made the only error on the Cornell side while three were recorded against the visitors. The game was clean and fast but the stick work was light.

Cornell's two runs came in the eighth inning. Lovejoy got to first base on four balls and Brewster scored him on a three-bagger to deep center; Costello's single sent Brewster to the plate. All of Syracuse's runs came in the third inning. Boland was given four balls; Hailey was hit by a pitched ball; and Helmond and J. Schulte singled, sending Boland, Hailey and Helmond around the sacks.

Score :

SYRACUSE.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
F. Schulte, lf.....	0	1	3	0	0
Helmond, cf.....	1	1	2	0	0
J. Schulte, ss.....	0	3	4	1	0
Harrington, 1b.....	0	0	9	0	0
Hollander, 3b.....	0	0	2	1	0
Dunn, 2b.....	0	0	0	4	0
Boland, rf.....	1	0	0	0	0
Payne c.....	0	2	6	0	0
Hailey, p.....	1	0	0	1	0
Haslin, p.....	0	0	1	0	0

Chappel, p.....	0	0	0	1	0
Totals.....	3	7	27	8	0
CORNELL.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Brewster, lf.....	1	1	0	0	0
Costello, cf.....	0	2	0	0	0
Brown, 3b.....	0	0	3	0	0
Wiley, s s.....	0	0	3	2	0
Rice, 2b.....	0	1	2	5	0
Preston, 1b.....	0	1	10	0	0
Replogle, rf.....	0	0	0	0	0
Welch, c.....	0	0	8	0	0
Umstad, p.....	0	0	0	2	1
Lovejoy, p.....	1	0	0	1	0
Totals.....	2	5	*26	10	1

\*F. Schulte hit by batted ball.

Score by innings :

Syracuse.....	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	—	3
Cornell.....	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—	2

Summaries: Left on bases, Syracuse 1, Cornell 5; two-base hit, Rice; three-base hits, Brewster, Payne; sacrifice hits, Brewster, Costello; stolen bases, Costello, Brewster, Helmond; struck out, by Umstad 5 (Helmond, Hollander, Dunn and Haslin), by Lovejoy, 2, (J. Schulte and Haslin), by Haslin 2 (Wiley, Umstad), by Chappel 1 (Replogle); first base on balls, off Umstad 2, off Hailey 2, off Haslin 2; double play, J. Schulte to Harrington; hit by pitched ball, Wiley, Lovejoy, Haslin; passed ball, Payne; time of game, 1:30; attendance, 500; umpire, Hoagland.

Saturday's Game.

On Saturday Lefevre had the spectators on the anxious seat from the opening inning until the ninth when, with three men on bases, the last of the Syracuse men was called out on a third strike. Lefevre pitched a spectacular game striking out ten men and in five innings retiring his opponents when three men were on bases. In the seventh inning there were men on all the bags and but one out when the Cornell man pulled himself together beautifully and struck out the next two batsmen.

In the ninth the score was 5 to 3 in Cornell's favor when Syracuse went to bat. Dunn singled; Boland struck out; Payne and Drew were given bases on balls and the bases were full with but one out. F. Schulte struck out and the spectators breathed a bit easier. But the next man up, Helmond, drew a base on balls and forced in a run, making the score 5-4 with three men on bases. J. Schulte the last Syracuse man to bat missed two fine high fast ones and was hit on the third strike.

The Cornell men hit no better than on Friday and from a Cornell standpoint that was the most disappointing feature of the game. The fielding of the team was unusually sharp, particularly the work of Preston and Lefevre.

One of Cornell's runs came in the third inning, three in the fifth and one in the seventh. In the third, Graves drew four balls, went to second on a passed ball, stole third and scored on an error. In the fifth, with two men out, three runs came in. Lefevre got to first on J. Schulte's error; Brewster was given four balls; and in a fine batting rally, Costello, Brown and Wiley rapped out clean singles that scored three men. In the seventh, Costello singled, was moved to second and to third on errors and scored on Rice's hit.

Score :

CORNELL.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Brewster, lf.....	1	0	1	1	0
Costello, cf.....	2	3	1	0	0
Brown, 3b.....	0	1	2	0	0
Wiley, s.s.....	0	1	2	1	1
Rice, 2b.....	0	1	1	3	1
Preston, 3b.....	0	0	9	0	0
Replogle, rf.....	0	0	0	0	0

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ITHACA, N. Y., APRIL 27, 1904.

Under its contract with the Board of Trustees of the University whereby the Trustees granted, from the University plot, the tract of land upon which the new athletic field is to be built, the Alumni Committee having in hand the matter of raising funds for the building of the field will be indebted to the Trustees on September 15th in the sum of \$15,000. Of this sum about \$4,000 is now in the hands of the committee and \$11,000 must be collected in less than five months. Pledges due on or before September 15th and today uncollected amount to \$7,000, leaving \$4,000 in new cash subscriptions to be secured before that date.

The men in the Pittsburg area, having subscribed an average of more than \$50 per man and having established the best record in the country, seem to have reached their limit. In the Chicago area old subscribers are daily wiping out their indebtedness and new subscribers are being secured. But in the rest of the country the field project appears to be at a standstill.

It's a good time for everyone to "ginger up," as the football coaches would say. Let every debtor remit to his committee. Don't force a committeeman to send four or five letters telling you what you already know—he can spend his time to far better advantage on the trail of the men who must subscribe \$4,000 in cash before September 15th. If you owe, remit; if you don't owe and have had an exceedingly prosperous year, remit anyway. Now is the time for

every Cornell man to do something. The contract for building the playground and track field will be let within a week and work will be begun at once. The work of building the field must go on uninterruptedly and to insure this, \$15,000 must be in the hands of your committee on September 15th. Not a day of grace should be asked for \$15,000 more will be due on September 15th, 1905.

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CORNELL ALUMNI NOTES.

'76, A.B., '77, A.M.—Theodore Stanton writes to Professor Comstock that it will be impossible for him to attend the reunion of his original class, '74, though he will sail for America in the autumn and visit the University, probably in October. Mr. Stanton contributes to the April Lippincott's an article on Emilio Castelar and to a recent number of The Independent, an article on the late Miss Frances Power Cobbe. Mr. Stanton is now engaged on an article concerning the Saint Simonian archives recently thrown open to the public in the Paris Arsenal Library.

'89, B.L.—Mrs. R. H. Gesner, (Ida V. Brett) resides at Trinity Rectory, Lime Rock, Conn.

'89, LL.B.—Charles W. Smith is practicing law at 902 Broome street, Wilmington, Delaware.

'89, A.M., '92, Ph.D.—Andrew Estrem is professor of English in Wartburg College, Clinton, Iowa.

'89, C.E.—Clarence S. Mallery is chief engineer of the Owego Bridge company. His address is 44 Fox street, Owego, N. Y.

'89, Ph.B.—Henry C. Stancliff is professor of history and politics in Cornell College, Mount Vernon, Iowa. His permanent address is Spencer, New York.

'89, M.E.—Henry E. Baskerville is a member of the firm of Noland and Baskerville, architects and engineers, 87 Chamber of Commerce Building, Richmond, Va.

'89, M.E.—Walter H. Baldwin is sales manager for Chicago of the Lidgerwood manufacturing company of New York. His address is 1510 Old Colony street, Chicago.

'89, M.E.—John W. Kirkland is managing director of the South African General Electric company. His address is P. O. Box 1905, Johannesburg, Transvaal. He married Miss Elena Hellman of London in November, 1903.

'89, B.S. Agr.—Burtis R. Wakeman is practicing medicine at 69 Main street, Hornellsville, N. Y., and is surgeon for the Erie railroad in that city. He married Sophie S. Reynolds in June, 1903, and spent the summer traveling in England, Scotland and Ireland.

'89, LL.B.—William A. Hamilton is practicing law, principally in the United States courts. He has been a frequent contributor to magazines on the subjects of Roman law, comparative jurisprudence and international law. His address is care of L. F. Hamilton, Mill Valley, California.

'90, M.E.—George C. Hicks, Jr., is engineer for the P. H. and F. M. Root company, Connorsville, Ind.

'91, M.E.—Charles Locke Etheridge is engineer and salesman for the Stanley Electric Manufacturing company, 44 East 50th street, Chicago, Ill.

'91, M.E.—Edwin Fitts is mana-

ger of the Pittsburg office of the Murphy Iron Works, manufacturers of the Murphy Stoker. His present address is 1322 Park building, Pittsburg, Pa.

'92, M.E.—Winder F. Goldsborough is chief of the department of electricity of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

'92, M.E.—Carl B. Auel is assistant to the general manager of works, British Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company, Ltd. His address is Trafford Park, Manchester, Eng.

'93, M.E.—Charles Dunn is with Robert W. Hunt and Company, engineers, 66 Broadway, New York City.

'94, M.M.E.—J. D. Duncan is an engineer with Sanderson and Porter, 52 William street, New York City.

'94, M.E.—John W. Dix is in charge of sales of structural material of the Carnegie Steel company, Pittsburg, Pa. His address is 230 Thorne street, Sewickly, Pa.

Ex-'94.—Charles L. Brown is a member of the Brown Electrical Construction company which has moved its offices to 505-507 Ellsworth Building, 355 Dearborn street, Chicago, Ill.

'95, M.E.—Milton De Lano, Jr., is manager of the De Lano-Osborn Engineering company, Limited, Manning Chambers, Toronto, Ont.

'95, B.S.—George P. Dyer is pay officer on the battleship Missouri, his term of shore duty in Washington having recently expired. His address is care of Bureau Supplies and Accounts, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.

'96, M.E.—William W. Ricker is with the Niles Tool Works company, Hamilton, Ohio.

'96, M.E.—Henry P. Curtiss is manager of the Pittsburg office of the American Blower company. His address is 318 Frick Building, Pittsburg, Pa.

'96, M.E.—Richard G. Dukes is assistant professor of applied mechanics, Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, O. His address is 726 Republic street, Cleveland.

'97, M.E.—Herbert L. Daniels is erecting foreman with the Indiana Bridge company. His permanent address is 50 Mechanic street, Fitchburg, Mass.

'98, M.E.—Herbert I. Gannett is manager of the Omaha factory and office of the Monarch Acetylene Gas company and resides at "Hazel Hedge," Florence, Neb.

'98, A.B.—Daniel C. Knowlton who is now traveling in Europe on the President White Fellowship, has been appointed instructor in European history in the Montclair, N. J., high school.

'98, M.E.—Jose M. Cuervo Noriega is professor of practical electricity in the University of Havana, and director of the government plants of electricity and ice. His

address is Suarer 31 (altos) Havana, Cuba.

'99, M.E.—Lawrence Scott's address is 206 Sansome street, San Francisco, Cal.

'99, M.E.—Francis E. Blake has changed his address to care of New York State Barge Canal Office, De Graaf Building, Albany, N. Y.

'99, M.E.—John W. O'Leary is secretary and treasurer of the Arthur J. O'Leary & Son company, manufacturer of iron and steel articles, 124-140 W. Lake street, Chicago, Ill.

'00, C.E.—Carlton T. Chapman is the father of a son born at Owego, N. Y., on April 14th.

Ex-'00.—Guy F. Cleghorn is a member of the class of 1904 at the Albany Medical College.

'00, M.E.—Harold F. Ely is an assistant to the superintendent of engine and turbine construction, 60 Talbot Road, Old Trafford, Manchester, England.

'01, A.B.—John H. Blair who has spent the past two years in Europe will sail from Liverpool on April 29th.

'01, M.E.—Salvador A. Guillen is master mechanic of the the Ferrocarril Nacional de Nicaragua, Central America.

'01, M.E.—Clifton B. English is chief engineer and director of the Belleville Portland Cement company, Belleville, Ont. Canada.

'01, B.S.F.—Clifford R. Pettis, State Forester, has changed his address from care of Forest, Fish and Game commission, Albany, N. Y., to Saranac Inn, N. Y.

'01, M.E.—James Hamilton is a practicing patent attorney and expert in patent cases with offices in the Law and Trust Building, Ninth and F streets, Washington, D. C.

'01, A.B.—Miss Winifred Brill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hascal R. Brill, and James Cornish Otis, '01, were married at Saint Paul, Minnesota, on Thursday, April 21st. Mr. and Mrs. Otis will be at home in October at 33 Hamline avenue, Saint Paul.

'02, LL.B.—Walter G. Lichtenstein is practicing law with offices at 180 Broadway, New York City.

'02, M.E.—C. L. Glasgow is engineer with Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Company, 10 Bridge street, New York City.

'02, M.E.—Fred D. Brown is with the Twin City Rapid Transit company, and resides at 3421 Irving avenue, South, Minneapolis.

'02, M.E.—Eugene F. Enslen, Jr., is employed in the Nashville, Tenn., office of Ford, Bacon & Davis, engineers, 24 Broad street, New York City.

'02, A.B.—Albert T. Olmstead has been appointed Fellow of the American School of Oriental Studies in Jerusalem. He will sail from New York early in May and will spend the summer months studying the topography of northern Syria.

'03, C.E.—Arthur S. Whitbeck has changed his address to Vails Gate, N. Y.

Ex-'04.—Harry D. Johnson has changed his address from South Bend, Indiana, to 20 S. Church street, Schenectady, where he is in the employ of the General Electric company.

CORNELL OBITUARIES.

Simeon Smith, '73.

Simeon Smith, '73, died at his home in Ithaca on Sunday morning, April 24th. Apoplexy was the cause of death.

Mr. Smith was born in Hector, Schuyler County, N. Y., on August 2, 1850. He was prepared for college at Starkey Seminary and entered the University in the Fall of '69. He was graduated with the class of '73 and in '75 received the degree of LL. B. from Union College. In that year he was appointed district attorney of Tompkins County by Governor Tilden. In '93 he was city attorney of Ithaca. Since '75 Mr. Smith has been one of the ablest lawyers in this part of the State.

Mr. Smith is survived by his widow, by two daughters, Miss Alice G. Smith, a sophomore in the University, and Miss Lucille Smith; and by one son, Arthur K. Smith, who lives in Denver.

John Metcalfe Polk, '99.

John Metcalfe Polk died of pneumonia at the home of his parents, 7 East 36th street, on Tuesday, March 29th. He was the son of Dr. William M. Polk, Dean of the Cornell University Medical College in New York City, and grandson of Bishop Leonidas Polk of Tennessee, Lieutenant General in the Confederate Army. He was born May 6th, 1875, and was graduated from the Sheffield Scientific School of Yale University, receiving the degree of Ph.B. in 1896. He was one of the prominent men in his class and a member of the Delta Psi fraternity. In the following year he began the study of medicine and was graduated from Cornell University Medical College in 1899, second in his class. From January 1st, 1900, until January 1902, he served as interne on the Second Medical Division of Bellevue Hospital, and during the following year he took a post-graduate course abroad chiefly in Vienna. On returning to New York in December, 1903, he was immediately appointed one of the instructors in the Medical College from which he had received his M.D. degree, and at the time of his death was instructor in medicine and in physical diagnosis. Last Fall his industry, his thorough training and his remarkable clinical abilities won him the position of Adjunct Assistant Physician to Bellevue Hospital. Dr. Polk was a man of attractive personality, unusual force

of character and of great promise. During the past winter he had been conducting some experimental work upon the haemolytic action of the blood in infectious disease which his co-laborers in the laboratory considered of remarkable value. This was practically completed when he was taken ill and it is hoped that the results interrupted by his death may be collected and published. The loss of so fine a man will be greatly felt by the profession at large, and particularly by the Faculty and students of the Medical College. And the large circle of those who know and so highly esteem his father will feel the keenest sympathy with his parents in their great sorrow.

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Graves, c.....	1	1	10	1	0
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F. Schulte, lf.....	2	3	0	0	0
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J. Schulte, s.s.....	0	2	1	3	2
Harrington, lb.....	0	0	10	1	0
Hollander, 3b.....	0	0	3	3	1
Dunn, 2b.....	1	3	3	1	0
Boland, lf.....	0	0	0	0	0
Payne, c.....	0	1	5	0	0
McSorley, p.....	0	0	0	0	1
Drew, p.....	0	0	0	2	2
Totals.....	4	10	24	11	8

\*J. Schulte hit on third strike.

Summaries: Left on bases, Syracuse, 16; Cornell, 7. Two-base hit, F. Schulte. Sacrifice hits, Lefevre, Helmond. Stolen bases, Payne (2), Rice, Wiley, Lefevre, McSorley, Drew. Struck out—By Lefevre, F. Schulte, J. Schulte, Harrington, Hollander (2), Boland, Payne, McSorley, Drew (2); by McSorley, Replogle; by Drew, Reglogle, Graves (2). First base on balls, off Lefevre, 8, off McSorley, 2; off Drew, 2. Double play, Hollander to Dunn. Hit by pitched ball, Boland (2). Passed ball, Graves. Time of game, 1:45. Attendance, 1,000, Umpire, Hoagland.

Squabble in Crew Circles Adjusted.

Wednesday night the members of the Varsity crew eating at the training table provided for them at the Campus Tavern refused longer to eat at that place. The Tavern is the establishment at which the football team had its training table last Fall and at which the baseball, lacrosse and track teams are now eating.

Thursday night the Athletic Council met and unanimously adopted the following resolution:

"Whereas, Mr. Courtney is not satisfied with the present training table, and whereas other branches of athletics have made no objection to present arrangements, and whereas, the Council are satisfied that Mr. Zimmer is ready and willing to do everything reasonable to satisfy such different branches.

"Therefore, be it resolved, in the interests of harmony that the matter of training table for the crew be left entirely to Mr. Courtney, to make such arrangements and with

such persons as he may desire, provided that the expense of same shall not exceed the price paid per man during the season of 1903."

Those present and voting were Professor Frank Irvine, Graduate Treasurer C. H. Blood, Mr. D. F. Hoy, advisory member for baseball; Mr. B. S. Cushman, advisory member for football; baseball captain Brewster; crew captain Coffin; track captain Ketchum; football captain Lynah; baseball manager Vincent; crew manager Aldrich; track manager Dravo and E. W. Jameson, president of the Interscholastic League. Those absent were President W. F. Durand, Professor Nichols and football manager B. O. Williams.

Monday the crews were eating at a table provided by Mrs. A. M. Atkins and another of the periodic eruptions in crew circles had passed away.

Congress Debaters Defeated Alfred.

The debate team of the Cornell Congress won from Alfred College at Ithaca on Thursday evening. The question debated was, Resolved, That the United States should quell any serious and protracted disturbances of the peace in Central America, Ecuador, Venezuela and Columbia."

The Cornell team, which upheld the affirmative of the question, was composed of Robert J. Halpin of Odessa, N. Y.; Abraham A. Freeland of Buffalo, N. Y.; and Willis W. Roe of Wolcott, N. Y.

GLOOMY TRACK PROSPECTS.

Captain Ketchum Concedes Every Place in Dashes to Opponents in Princeton and Pennsylvania Meets—Weak Everywhere Except in Distance Runs and Hurdles.

Cornell's brilliant record of three successive track victories over Princeton and of two over the University of Pennsylvania seems this year to be in imminent danger of being broken. At least that is the pessimistic view of the situation now taken by Trainer John Moakley.

There are indeed quite good prospects of a defeat at the hands of either Princeton or Pennsylvania for in some of the events of the meet the Cornell team is desperately weak. In the dashes there is not a man who can be counted on to win even a third place from either of the teams against which Cornell will compete in dual meets. That is Captain Ketchum's opinion of the situation and if it be well founded it would seem, with 27 points conceded to their opponents, the Cornell men would experience some difficulty in scoring the necessary 50½ per cent. of the total. Wallis and Baldwin are Cornell's dashmen and neither is of Varsity caliber; Sears has not begun training and the general impression among track men is that no

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amount of training could now get him in shape for the Pennsylvania meet, May 14th, or for the Princeton meet, May 21st. In the quarter-mile event Cornell has no one at all.

But if the team were weak in the dashes and in no other events the situation would not be nearly so alarming. The trouble is that in the shot-put, the hammer throw, the broad jump and the pole vault Cornell has no stars. Moxley, hammer-thrower, has given up training because of work on the hill; Serviss, high jumper and broad jumper, is ineligible to the team; Fredericks, pole vaulter, has been graduated and F. J. Porter will be on the injured list for the next month. Wilder, a freshman, is doing good work for a man who never before has thrown a hammer but that is hardly good enough to win points against Intercollegiate stars; Rogers is doing good work in the shot-put but is not up to his record of last season, while neither Mosher, Molatch and Vonnegut is covering the distance in the broad jump which was required of Serviss to win in the Princeton and Pennsylvania meets.

The bulk of Cornell's points in all her meets must be scored in the half-mile, the mile, two-mile and the hurdles. In the distance events the team will be exceptionally strong with Schutt, Munson, Foster, Magoffin, Camp and Smith. Trott, who holds the Cornell record for the half-mile, is training for the team but he is still suffering from the effects of a strained knee sustained while skating on Beebe Lake during the winter. In the high hurdles Captain Ketchum and Ashburner will be the point-winners while Cairns will be alone to score in the low hurdles. Cairns and H. J. Porter will be the mainstays in the high jump.

On paper it looks rather gloomy for the team but one can never tell what Moakley will do. He came to Cornell in the fall of '99 up to which year a Cornell track team had never won a big meet. In the Spring of that year his team, though losing to Princeton, made the finest showing Cornell had ever made against the Orange and Black. In the three succeeding years Princeton was decisively defeated and for the past two years Cornell has triumphed over the Quakers. Moakley makes winners out of the most unlikely of men and if any one can turn a winning team out of the material at hand he is the man who can do it.

#### 1906 Cornellian Board.

The sophomore class held its Cornellian election on Friday and chose the following editors for the annual to be published by the 1906 class: Charles H. Tuck of Ogdensburg, N. Y.; Irvin W. Day of Utica, N. Y.; Harry H. Bates of Joliet,

Ill; George W. Neilson of Philadelphia, Pa.; Rodolfo Roth of Buenos Ayres, Argentina; and Miss Barbour of Indianapolis, Ind.

#### Cornell in Pennsylvania Athletic Carnival.

Three Cornell men were entered in the Pennsylvania Athletic Carnival at Philadelphia on Saturday. They were Cairns, Ashburner and Porter. Cairns secured third place in the high jump and Ashburner third in the high hurdles.

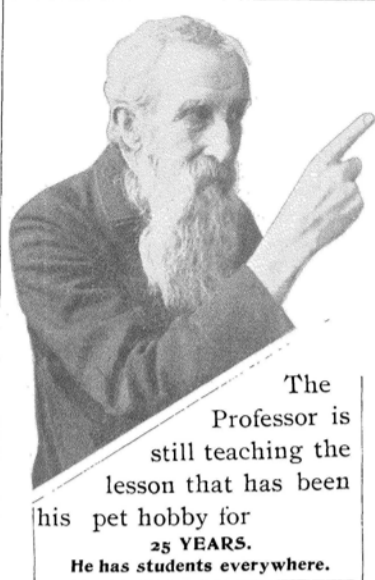
#### Another Lacrosse Defeat.

The Cornell Lacrosse team lost to Johns Hopkins at Baltimore on Saturday by a score of 9 to 3.

#### The Mosley Commission on Sibley College.

Mr. Alfred Mosley's Education Commission, which visited this country last autumn, is about to issue its reports in volume form. A recent number of the London Times reviewed the work from advance sheets. We make the following extract from the second article of the series:

"Technical education is fully and elaborately dealt with by Mr. R. Blair. We cannot here attempt to summarize his report and need only remark that, together with those of Professors Ayrton, Maclean and Ripper, it forms an excellent guide to what is being done in America, and what may be done here, to bring education into direct relation with industrial efficiency. Mr. Blair's own conclusions are (1) that technical education is not a side issue, but an integral part of the problem of education; (2) that it must, like education in general, be attacked from the psychological as well as from the industrial and commercial point of view; (3) the necessity of a close connection between institutions for technical education and industrial and commercial organizations. Perhaps the most suggestive part of his report is the general comparison between England, on the one hand, and Germany and America, on the other. Our evening schools, on which we rely for technical instruction, are, he considers, "without parallel anywhere." But they are mainly training schools for operatives, for the "hands" rather than for the "heads;" and we have nothing at present equal to the German "Charlottenburgs" or American "institutes of technology" for the industrial training of the "heads," the future captains of industry. In America such institutions as Sibley College (Cornell University) and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology are already known throughout the United States and in Europe as institutions of the first rank for the training of "heads" of industry. The age and number of their students (well grounded in general training), their



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### Winner of Victorian Scholarship at Cornell.

Karl Bremer, now attending the University as a member of the senior class, has been elected to the Victorian Scholarship from the University of the Cape of Good Hope. The scholarship has a value of \$2250 and is for three years' study in England and America. He has registered in the University of London and will spend six months at Cornell.

### Christian Association Report.

The annual report, containing an account of the work of the Cornell Christian Association during the past year, has just been completed and printed in pamphlet form. It shows clearly that the Association has within the last year departed from some of the old principles which in former years prevented a certain class of students from taking any interest in its work. This is shown in the pronounced increase in membership. The total registration last year was 580; this year the association enrolls over 700 members.

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association work is a new feature in the work of the Cornell Association. The plan inaugurated this Fall provided for a series of visits to be made to the leading preparatory schools. It has proved successful and the following schools have been visited: Mercersburg, Adelphi, Brooklyn Polytechnic Preparatory, Brooklyn Boys' high school, Colgate academy and Pratt high school. Lawrenceville, St. Paul and some of the nearby New York schools will be visited this Spring.

In the mission study work there have been seven classes with a registration of 104 against 72 last year.

The Bible study classes reached the highest point in the history of the Association. The registration in 15 classes was 247, divided as follows: 51 seniors, 38 juniors, 52 sophomores, 86 freshmen and 20 short course students. The normal course was omitted this year.

### Sage Chapel Preachers.

President Schurman announced the following list of Sage Chapel preachers for the remainder of the term: May 1, the Rev. Henry E. Cobb, D. D., West End Collegiate Church, New York City, Presbyterian; May 8, the Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, D. D., South Bethlehem, Pa., Episcopalian; May 15-22, the Rev. Robert Collyer, New York City, Unitarian; May 29, the Rev. Newman Smyth, D. D., New Haven, Conn., Congregational; June 5, the Rev. T. Edwin Brown, D. D., New Britain, Conn., Baptist; June 23, the Rev. L. Mason Clark, D. D., Brooklyn Heights, Presbyterian; June 19, Baccalaureate, Dr. David H. Geer, Bishop Coadjutor of New York City.

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