

CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS

In the News this Week

Professor Herman Diederichs '97
New Dean of Engineering . . .
Second Alumni Institute to Dis-
cuss The Arts in Our Democracy
. . . Track Team Does Well at
Pennsylvania Relays . . . Baseball
Team Splits Even With Prince-
ton . . . Sigma Xi Research
Exposition Next Week End

APRIL 30, 1936

VOLUME 38



NUMBER 26

Cornell University
Summer Session

July 6 - August 14
 1936

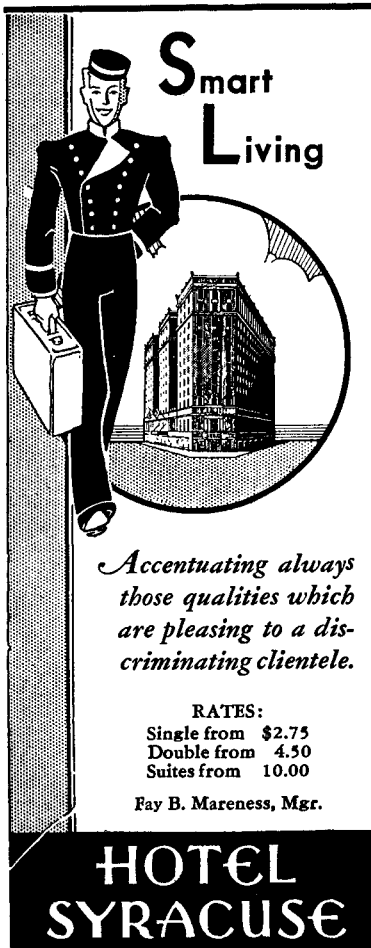
The Summer Session has been of service to teachers in public and private schools who have returned to the University to secure further training in the subjects which they teach.

The Summer Session of 1936 will offer an extensive list of courses of this kind. Most of the subjects taught in junior and senior high schools are represented in the list.

The Summer Session Announcement is now being distributed. It gives full information about all features of the Session, including details of the courses. For a copy, address

LOREN C. PETRY, Director

Office of the Summer Session
 Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.



Smart Living

Accentuating always those qualities which are pleasing to a discriminating clientele.

RATES:
 Single from \$2.75
 Double from 4.50
 Suites from 10.00

Fay B. Mareness, Mgr.

HOTEL SYRACUSE

New Air View of the Campus—Free!

Our two-page picture of the Campus and its historical description, which appeared April 16, is in great demand by Cornellians to whom it has revived happy memories of their college days.

A few extra copies of this issue have been printed, and they will be given FREE with new subscriptions.

What Better Gift?

for a Cornell friend than this memorable issue, with a year's subscription to the ALUMNI NEWS? Use the coupon below, or show your own copy to your best Cornell friend, and ask him to let you send us his name. If he isn't a subscriber, he'll welcome the opportunity to renew his knowledge of Cornell.

THE CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS:
 ITHACA, N. Y.

Please enter the following Cornellian as a regular subscriber to the Alumni News, including your Campus issue of April 16, FREE.

Send bill at \$4 a year ☐ to me; ☐ direct to subscriber.

Name..... Class.....

Street & No.

Postoffice..... State.....

Name Sent by..... Class.....

Address

**Here's
 A
 Handy
 Coupon
 !**

(Use separate sheet
 for additional names)

PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY OF CORNELL ALUMNI

METROPOLITAN DISTRICT

THE BALLOU PRESS

Printers to Lawyers
 CHAS. A. BALLOU, JR., '21
 69 Beekman St. Tel. Beekman 3-8785

HARRY D. COLE '18

Real Estate
 Management Insurance
 Member:
 Westchester County Real Estate Board
 New York State Real Estate Association
 National Real Estate Association
 PROCTOR BLDG. MT. VERNON, N. Y.
 Oakwood 1232-3

HENRY M. DEVEREUX, M.E. '33

YACHT DESIGNER

295 CITY ISLAND AVE.
 CITY ISLAND, N. Y.

Telephone ASHland 4-1251

MARTIN KORTJOHN & COMPANY

CERTIFIED PUBLIC ACCOUNTANTS

Eugene W. Kortjohn, '31 M.E. 10 East Fortieth Street
 NEW YORK

DONALD MACDONALD, INC. REAL ESTATE

LEASES MANAGEMENT BROKERAGE

D. S. MACDONALD, '26, Pres.
 J. D. MACDONALD, '24, Sec.
 640 Madison Ave. Eldorado 5-4321

BALTIMORE, MD.

WHITMAN, REQUARDT & SMITH

Water Supply, Sewerage, Structural,
 Valuations of Public Utilities, Reports,
 Plans, and General Consulting Practice.

EZRA B. WHITMAN, C.E. '01
 G. J. REQUARDT, C.E. '09
 B. L. SMITH, C.E. '14
 West Biddle Street at Charles

KENOSHA, WIS.

MACWHYTE COMPANY

Manufacturers of Wire and Wire Rope, Braided Wire
 Rope Slings, Aircraft Tie Rods, Strand and Cord.
 Literature furnished on request

JESSEL S. WHYTE, M.E. '13, VICE-PRESIDENT
 R. B. WHYTE, M.E. '13, GEN. SUPT.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

THEODORE K. BRYANT

LL.B. '97—LL.M. '98
 Master Patent Law, G.W.U. '08
 Patents and Trade Marks Exclusively
 309-314 Victor Building

CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS

Subscription price \$4 per year. Entered as second class matter, Ithaca, N. Y. Published weekly during the college year and monthly in July, August and September

VOL. XXXVIII, NO. 26

ITHACA, NEW YORK, APRIL 30, 1936

PRICE 15 CENTS

ENGINEERS WANTED

Engineering training is in demand, according to the University Placement Bureau's Bulletin 20, of April 23, in which exactly half of the twelve positions open require engineers. Other opportunities are listed in finance, traffic management, publicity, teaching, and general business.

Alumni interested may obtain particulars of these and other jobs on file by addressing Herbert H. Williams '25, director, University Placement Bureau, Willard Straight Hall.

MEDICAL ALUMNI DAY

President Farrand, Alumni Trustee George R. Pfann '24, and John B. Kennedy, radio news commentator, will speak at the annual Spring Day banquet of the Medical College Alumni Association, to be held at the Hotel Biltmore in New York City May 7.

Throughout the day preceding the dinner scientific meetings and demonstrations will be held at the Medical College and New York Hospital, and the attending alumni will be guests of New York Hospital for luncheon.

Dr. Walter H. McNeill, Jr. '10 is president of the Association and will preside at the meetings and banquet.

GIVES MESSENGER LECTURES

Dr. William M. Calder, professor of Greek in the University of Edinburgh, gave this year's annual series of Messenger Lectures on the Evolution of Civilization. Subject of the twelve lectures, which began April 6 and ended last week, was "Paganism and Christianity in Phrygia to 400 A.D."

Professor Calder returned recently from his fifteenth visit to the region of ancient Phrygia, which lay in the heart of Asia Minor and was the scene of the first Christian mission to the Gentiles. The lecturer described the social and religious life of the people before and after the coming of Christianity, and illustrated and interpreted the monuments which have been discovered there.

The Messenger Lectureship is endowed by a bequest from Hiram J. Messenger '80, Actuary of the Travelers Insurance Company, who died in 1913. He directed that a fund of about \$77,000, which came into the possession of the University in 1923, should "provide a course or courses of lectures on the evolution of civilization, for the special purpose of raising the moral standard of our political, business, and social life." First Messenger lecturer was the late Professor James H. Breasted, who gave twelve lectures in 1925 on "The Origins of Civilization."

TO DISCUSS ARTS TODAY At Second Alumni Institute

The second annual Cornell Alumni Institute will be held on the Campus June 15 to 18. Under the general topic, "The Arts in an Industrial Democracy," the committee will soon announce a detailed program that promises to be of even greater interest than last June.

In considering the place of the arts in America today, speakers will present and illustrate pertinent and significant comment on many phases of modern life: the contemporary stage and screen, recent literature and music, developments in architecture and engineering, the home in America. The committee will utilize the full talents of the University in these diverse fields. Members of the Faculty will address morning and afternoon sessions and the lectures will be interspersed with round-table discussions among smaller groups.

Among the Faculty leaders of the discussions will be Professors F. H. Bosworth, William M. Dunbar '21, John A. Hartell '25, and Kenneth L. Washburn, Architecture; Gilmore D. Clarke '13, Planning; Walter L. Conwell '11, Highway Engineering; William C. DeVane and William Strunk, Jr., PhD '96, English; Alex M. Drummond and Walter H. Stainton '25, Public Speaking; Andrew C. Haigh, Music; S. C. Hollister, Civil Engineering; Paul T. Homan, Economics; Otto Kinkeldey, Librarian and Musicology; James F. Mason, Romance Languages and Literatures; George H. Sabine '03, Philosophy; and Ethel B. Waring and Margaret Wylie, Home Economics.

The opening session this year, as last, will be held on the evening of Commencement Day, Monday, June 15, and the full program will begin on Tuesday morning. A picnic luncheon at Taughannock on Thursday, June 18, will bring the Institute to a close. Although sessions are scheduled for the mornings, afternoons, and evenings of Tuesday and Wednesday, there will be time for recreation, including golf, tennis, and swimming. The fee for enrollment will be fifteen dollars, the one payment covering membership in the Institute, a room in the dormitories, and meals at Willard Straight Hall.

The Faculty committee on the Alumni Institute, appointed by President Farrand, has Professor DeVane as chairman, with Professors William N. Barnard '97, Bosworth, Julian P. Bretz, Flora Rose, Sabine, Dwight Sanderson '98, and Foster M. Coffin '12, Alumni Representative, secretary. Inquiries and reservations should be addressed to Coffin at Willard Straight Hall.

TEXAS CORNELL PARTY

Cornell men and women resident at College Station, Texas, most of them connected with the Texas A. & M. College, entertained Professor Clyde H. Myers, PhD '12, and Professor Frank P. Bussell, PhD '19, Plant Breeding, and Mrs. Myers on February 28. Forty-eight alumni and guests attended a dinner. In the afternoon Professors Myers and Bussell talked at a Genetics seminar. Professor Eugene P. Humbert, PhD '10, presided at the meetings.

MICHIGAN ACTIVE

The Cornell Club of Michigan, at its last Saturday luncheon of the season April 11, saw a talking picture, "Getting About," presented by Del A. Smith, director of public relations of Detroit Street Railways. On April 16 Dr. A. James DeNike, head of the DeNike Sanitarium, spoke on "Why Alcoholism Flourishes More Now Than Before and During Prohibition."

Matthew Carey '15, president of the Club, is recuperating in the South from an attack of pneumonia.

HORSE SHOW ATTRACTS

The crowd of more than four hundred spectators at the annual horse show in the Drill Hall, April 11, indicates something of the increasing Campus interest in the sport of riding. They were mostly students, with a goodly sprinkling of members of the Faculty and townspeople. Ten events, which included jumping, riding, and two novelty races, were run off smoothly and with dispatch by the show committee, of which Major Charles E. Boyle was vice-president and Captain George M. Williamson was secretary.

Competitors were for the most part undergraduates, both members of the ROTC and of the Women's Riding Club, riding Government horses, but some entries came from townspeople and out of town. The pair class, in which men and women rode together around the ring, and the ladies' "good hands" event, both judged by Mrs. Farrand, were especially enjoyed. Excitement was provided by the "leap year race," in which men and women rode the same horse the length of the hall, the gentlemen holding open umbrellas which were not relished by the horses, causing several falls of both contestants, but no injuries.

President Farrand, Mrs. Farrand, Mrs. James Lynah (Elizabeth E. Beckwith) '03, James Lynah '05, and Dr. Royden M. Vose '02, Colonel in the Medical Reserve Corps, presented ribbons and trophies to the winners in several events. Cadet Major Henry Untermeyer '36, manager of polo, presided at the loudspeaker.

NAME DIEDERICH'S DEAN To Head Engineering

Professor Herman Diederichs '97 has been elected Dean of the College of Engineering to succeed Dean Dexter S. Kimball, who retires July 1, it was announced by President Farrand following the meeting of the Board of Trustees on Saturday. It was announced also that Professor S. C. Hollister had been elected Associate Dean, effective July 1, in addition to his duties as Director of the College of Civil Engineering.

Professor Diederichs has been Director of the Sibley School of Mechanical Engineering for the last five years, and is the first holder of the John Edson Sweet Professorship of Engineering, established in 1927 in memory of the first director of Sibley College by his former students and friends, to be awarded "for distinguished service." Diederichs is an authority in experimental engineering, especially in materials. He is the author of many technical articles and publications, including the standard text on experimental engineering in collaboration with the late Professor Rolla C. Carpenter '88, published in 1910, and a monumental work with Professor William C. Andrae '15, of which the first volume, on engineering instruments, was published in 1931 and the second, on testing power plant apparatus, is in preparation. In 1930, "in recognition of a thesis of exceptional merit," Professor Diederichs and William D. Pomeroy '96 received jointly the Melville Medal of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Since he arrived in the United States at the age of fourteen, a German immigrant boy unable to speak English, Professor Diederichs has largely made his own way. He was born August 12, 1874, at Muenchen-Gladbach, near Cologne in the German Rhineland, the eldest of seven children. Coming to America in 1888, his family settled in Dolgeville, where his father was a machinist.

Young Diederichs graduated from the Dolgeville high school in 1892 and walked the fifteen miles to Herkimer to take examinations for a State scholarship at the University, which he won. Entering Cornell the next fall, he waited table and rustled student customers for Mrs. Patch's boarding house on Aurora Street to help out on his expenses. From that day, unmarried, Professor Diederichs has lived with the Patches, now in a new home on Cayuga Heights Road.

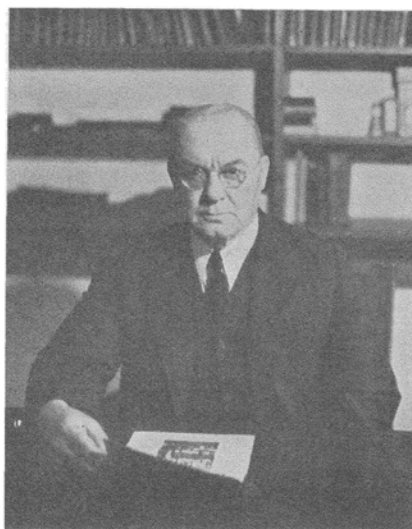
As an undergraduate Diederichs was elected to Sigma Xi, won the Sibley Prize as a Senior for "the greatest merit in college work," and was awarded the Sibley Fellowship for graduate study. He has taught Engineering ever since, becoming assistant professor in 1902 and professor in 1907.

From the days when he was the foremost shot-putter on the then "athletic

team," Diederichs has maintained keen interest in and close relationship with student affairs, especially athletics. In 1907 he was elected track adviser on the Athletic Council, became president of the Athletic Association in 1913, and served until 1925. He was again elected president of the Athletic Association in 1932; as chairman of the temporary University committee on athletic control took an active part in the reorganization of athletic affairs, and is now chairman of the Athletic Policy Board. Last year's Cornellian was dedicated: "To Herman Diederichs, who for forty-two years has served his Alma Mater as student, teacher, and administrator, and who, through his intense interest and untiring efforts, has succeeded in inaugurating a new era in Cornell athletics. For his active participation in Campus affairs he will long be remembered, and as a stern teacher and a sympathetic, honest friend, the Class of 1935 will revere him—Cornell's Man of the Year."

An avid amateur gardener (Professor Diederichs' dahlias are the wonder and envy of his friends), he is also an omnivorous reader—of fiction, biography, and of course the engineering journals, both English and German. He is a member of many professional societies, being chairman of the board of honors and awards and of the nominating committee for 1936 of the ASME; vice-president for the second district of the National Collegiate Athletic Association; and a member of Quill and Dagger, Tau Beta Pi, Phi Kappa Phi, and Phi Sigma Kappa.

Professor Diederichs will become the second dean of the present College of Engineering, formed in 1920 by the administrative consolidation of Sibley College and the College of Civil Engineering. Following Professor Sweet, succeeding directors and deans of Sibley College have been Professors John L. Morris, Robert H. Thurston, Albert W. Smith '78, and Diederichs.



HERMAN DIEDERICH'S '97

SIGMA XI EXPOSITION Elect Officers and Members

Exhibiting with movies, lights, apparatus, and living specimens some of the research now being carried on by forty-seven of the younger members of the University staff and graduate students, the Cornell chapter of Sigma Xi will hold its first research exposition in Willard Straight Hall May 8 and 9.

In thirty-one booths, ranged around the sides of Memorial Hall, visitors will be afforded previews of such of the scientific investigations being conducted by University experimenters as lend themselves to popular demonstration. Some of these, no doubt, are destined to be of far-reaching importance. On Friday evening, May 8, the exposition will be open only to members of Sigma Xi and their invited guests; the next afternoon and evening the demonstrations will be repeated for members of the Faculty, students, alumni, and other visitors.

Dean William A. Hagan, '17 MS, Veterinary, is general chairman, with Professor Pascal P. Pirone '29 chairman of the exposition committee of eight members. Professor Herbert H. Whetzel, Plant Pathology, has been a moving spirit in the project.

At its annual meeting April 22, the Cornell chapter of Sigma Xi elected Professor Benjamin F. Kingsbury, PhD '95, Histology and Embryology, president for the ensuing year. Professor Karl M. Weigand '94, Botany, was elected vice-president, and Dr. Lowell F. Randolph, PhD '21, Cytology, and Professor Arthur J. Heinicke, PhD '16, Pomology, were re-elected secretary and treasurer, respectively.

The chapter elected two alumni members, seven from the Faculty, fifty-four from among the resident Doctors and graduate students, and nine associate members from among the graduate students and the Class of '36. The new alumni members are Charles J. Ling '90 and Lucy P. Sutton '19. From the Faculty: Professors, Pol. N. Coryllos and Jacob Furth, Medical College in New York; Edwin S. Harrison, PhD '31, Animal Husbandry; True McLean '22, Electrical Engineering; and J. Nelson Spaeth '19, Forestry; and Drs. Daniel C. Lewis, Jr., Mathematics, and Edward W. Saunders, Medical College in New York.

Alumni elected to membership from among the resident Doctors and graduate students include Dr. Alpheus W. Blizard, AM '16, Michel Afanasiev '33, Sylvia M. Allen, MS '35, Fred C. Baker '30, Cornelius Betten, Jr. '31, Damon Boynton '31, Helen Brandriff, MS '35, Frank W. Brumley, PhD '36, Gordon H. Ellis '32, Margaret B. Erb, AM '32, Alice J. Ferguson '31, Rousseau H. Flower '34, Harold V. Hawkins, MCE '35, Gabriel A. Lebedeff, MS '31, Floyd E. Lovelace '28, James E. Magoffin '32,

John I. Miller, MS '34, Leon L. Miller '34, Wilford R. Mills '31, Carlton A. Moose, MS '31, Ralph Duane Myers '34, Jermain D. Porter '32, John R. Raeburn, MS '34, Richard C. Ringrose '32, George B. Sabine '31, Halsey B. Stevenson '33, and Jean Warren '29.

COMBINED CONCERT PLEASES

Choruses, orchestra, and soloists comprising more than two hundred student performers rendered with finish and eclat from the Bailey Hall stage a varied program at the spring concert of the Men's and Women's Glee Clubs and the Instrumental Club, April 22. The Hall was nearly filled, and the audience responded enthusiastically, from the opening combined number, "Song for Cornell," by Dana Burnett '11, to the closing chorus, excerpts from "Aida." In addition to the several vocal solos, the costume specialty, "Little Dutch Plate," was especially enjoyed. Margaret Schramm '35 and William G. Roundey '37, stepped out of a giant blue plate designed and constructed by George L. Coleman '95, versatile director of the Instrumental Club, to tap dance to the vocal accompaniment of Elman M. Staubeach '36, leader of the Men's Glee Club.

Eric Dudley, director of the Men's Glee Club, shared with Mrs. Dudley, who directs the Women's Club, in leading the choruses, both separately and together; and Samuel L. Shanaman, Jr. '36 led the orchestra in its two individual numbers.

CLUB GIVES THREE

Three brief "comedies of courtship," presented by the Dramatic Club, appropriately celebrated Spring on the Campus and delightfully entertained the season's largest audiences in the Willard Straight Theatre April 10, 11, and 18.

In George Bernard Shaw's "Village Wooing," Charles Brunelle '36 of New York City was the author's able mouthpiece, and Marie A. Prole '36 of Batavia gave a capital performance as the outspoken young woman who finally gets her man.

"Wild Oats" were convincingly sown and safely reaped in the piece of that title by Noel Coward. The two young moderns whose inherent shyness is put to the test in an after-midnight affair of the heart were capably played by John A. Clausen '36 of Passaic, N. J. and Jean Bradley '37 of Interlaken.

The hilarious comedy of rural America, "Sparkin'," by E. P. Conkle, brought down the house, with its excellent characterizations, of the Grandmother by Carolynne H. Cline '37 of Dayton, Ohio; of Lessie, her granddaughter, by Elizabeth L. Ferguson '37 of LeRoy; and of Orry Sparks, the neighbors' hired man, by James Marshall '39 of Boulder, Colo. Marshall entered the University in February and is said never to have seen a play, outside the movies, until Professor Drummond's "Traffic Signals."

About ATHLETICS

INTRAMURALS POPULAR

Spring intramural sports are starting with record enrollment. Registration in volleyball, horseshoes, and golf is still open, but schedules have already been arranged in six other sports by Howard B. Ortnier '18, and play is starting, to count toward the '97 Trophy awarded for the most points in all sports.

Nearly sixty men from twelve houses are going through the first wrestling eliminations. Ten teams are entered for baseball and forty-two for softball. Handball is already underway. Sixteen four-oared crews will shortly start practice at the intercollegiate boathouse on the Inlet, and tennis has twenty entrants.

TRACK TEAM STARTS WELL

Against some of the country's best competition, Varsity relay teams just missed two first places in the Pennsylvania Relay Games on Franklin Field Saturday, and a Freshmen team another.

Walter D. Wood, Jr. '36 registered a double victory, winning the shot-put easily with 48 feet 11½ inches and defeating last year's discus victor, Kishon of Bates, with a heave of 150 feet 11½ inches.

John L. Messersmith '36, running the high hurdles for the first time, finished the last leg only four-tenths of a second behind Green of Harvard, who came in in 1:01.6, so that both teams broke the meet record of 1:02.4 established by Cornell in 1934. Grandin A. Godley '36 started this event, followed by Charles Y. Neff '37 and William G. Rossiter '37.

In the four-mile relay, John A. Meaden, Jr. '37 ran the anchor mile in 4:26 from a start eight yards behind, and met a terrific sprint by his Michigan opponent to finish half a second behind him. In an earlier leg, Howard W. Welch '38, Coach Moakley's find from the McGinn novice races, ran a 4:35 mile to put the Varsity in second place. The other two milers were Herbert H. Cornell '38 and Edmund V. Mezzitt '37.

Still another second place was garnered by the Freshman mile relay team, with James B. Pender leading off, followed by Max J. Breitenbach, George H. Goldborough, and John H. Nevius, who ran a 0:50.5 quarter and barely missed catching his Georgetown opponent.

The Varsity quarter-mile relay team ran a fast trial heat Friday afternoon, but near the end of the third leg Captain Robert E. Linders '36 pulled a muscle and limped twenty yards to pass the baton to Robert A. Scallan '36, who finished third behind Texas, the final winner, and Temple. Although the injury was not serious, Coach Moakley thought

it best to keep the team out of the finals. Walter T. Tatum '38 led off, followed by Wilbur H. Peter, Jr. '37.

Donald T. Houpt '36 took fourth in the javelin finals with a throw of 180 feet 8½ inches, behind Pittsburgh's winning throw of 196 feet 4½ inches. Joseph L. Leone '36 took fifth in the hammer throw with 145 feet 5¾ inches, Bates winning with 164 feet 1¾ inches. Robert B. McNab '36 and Robert D. Price '36 were eliminated at 12 feet in the pole vault, and Henry S. Godshall, Jr. '36 failed to place in the broad jump, won by Jesse Owens of Ohio State; as did both Hugh M. Atwood '38 and John G. Tausig '38 in the 3,000-meter steeplechase.

SPLIT PRINCETON GAMES

Two seven-inning baseball games with Princeton Saturday afternoon before a crowd of 1,300 on Hoy Field left both teams where they started, at the bottom of the Eastern Intercollegiate League. The Varsity won the first game, 6-2, and lost the second, 1-3.

Except in the first inning of the first game, when Morris of Princeton allowed six runs, both teams played tight ball. Jack W. Lozier '38, Varsity left-handed pitcher in the second game, whose home run in the Harvard game was the third over the fence at Hoy Field in intercollegiate competition, struck out three Princeton batters on twelve pitched balls. First ball to go over the Hoy Field fence was hit by Lou Gehrig, famous Yankee first baseman, when he played here with Columbia in 1924. The next was hit the same season by Murray of Syracuse. Glenn Myatt of the Cleveland Indians, who played an exhibition game here in 1934, and Jack Rothrock of the St. Louis Cardinals last spring, are the only others until Lozier.

Two regulars were out of Saturday's game: Rudolph A. Doering '37, catcher, who broke a finger in Wednesday's game with Syracuse, and Edward C. Schaeffer '38, shortstop, suffering a cold. Saturday's box scores:

FIRST GAME:

	CORNELL (6)					
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rosenheck, 2b	3	1	1	1	2	0
Buckhout, rf	3	1	3	3	0	0
Batten, p	3	1	1	0	3	0
Downer, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Kreimer, 3b	3	1	0	0	3	0
Florence, 1b	3	1	1	9	0	1
McNamara, ss	3	0	0	2	0	0
Dugan, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Smith, c	3	0	1	2	1	0
Totals	27	6	8	21	9	1

Rosenheck safe on first, first inning, interference by Johnston.

Princeton.....0 0 1 0 0 0 1-2
Cornell.....6 0 0 0 0 0 *-6

Runs batted in: Buckhout, Downer 2, Morris 2. Two-base hits: Rosenheck, Paine. Three-base hits: Downer, Lynn. Stolen bases: Rosenheck, Florence. Left on bases: Princeton 5, Cornell 3. Bases on balls: off Batten 1. Struck out: by Morris 1, by Batten 2. Umpires: Ames and Barber. Time, 1:14.

PRINCETON (2)						
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sandbach, 2b	4	0	0	3	4	0
Nevitt, cf	3	0	0	2	1	0
Brown, lf	3	0	1	1	2	0
French, 3b	2	0	0	2	3	0
Rice, 1b-rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Paine, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
a-Chubet	0	0	0	0	0	0
Spencer, 1b	1	1	1	2	0	0
Johnston, c	3	0	1	3	0	2
Lynn, ss	3	1	2	2	2	2
Morris, p.	3	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	27	2	3	18	12	4

a-Ran for Paine in fifth.

SECOND GAME:

CORNELL (1)						
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Rosenheck, 2b	2	0	0	1	2	0
Buckhout, rf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Batten, lf	2	0	0	2	0	0
Downer, cf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Kreimer, 3b	3	0	1	0	0	0
Florence, 1b	3	0	0	5	1	0
McNamara, ss	2	0	0	2	1	0
a-Dugan	1	0	1	0	0	0
b-Rich	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lozier, p	2	0	0	1	0	1
Smith, c	2	0	0	4	2	0
c-Gally	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	1	3	18	6	1

a-Batted for McNamara in 7th.

b-Ran for Dugan in 7th.

c-Batted for Smith in 7th.

PRINCETON (3)						
	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Sandbach, 2b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Brown, lf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Nevitt, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
French, 3b	2	1	0	0	1	0
Rice, rf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Johnston, c	2	1	0	3	1	1
Lynn, ss	2	0	1	3	2	1
Spencer, 1b	2	0	0	6	2	0
Reichel, p	2	0	0	2	3	0
Totals	33	3	4	21	10	2

Cornell.....0 1 0 0 0 0-1
Princeton.....3 0 0 0 0 *-3

Runs batted in: Florence, Lynn 2, Reichel. Stolen bases: Downer, Sandbach. Left on bases: Cornell 5. Double play: McNamara, Rosenheck, and Florence. Bases on balls: off Lozier 1, off Reichel 2. Struck out: by Lozier 3, by Reichel 3. Hit by pitcher: Reichel 2. Struck out: by Lozier 3, by Reichel 3. Umpires: Ames and Barber. Time, 1:26.

Playing in a cold, raw wind April 22, the Varsity lost to Syracuse, 3-8. John M. Batten '37 started on the mound and worked for two innings, allowing one pass and one hit; then was replaced by Daniel Lindheimer '36, who allowed three in four innings; leaving Lozier to work the last three innings. In the seventh and eighth, with the Syracuse starting pitcher tiring, Cornell tallied three runs to come within one of their opponents, but Syracuse rallied in the ninth to score four more.

Three on All-Eastern

Of last year's Varsity team, three were named last week to the all-Eastern Intercollegiate Baseball League team. Selected as a result of official 1935 league averages in hitting and fielding, were Buckhout at left field, Kreimer at second base, and Alwin J. Froehlich '35 at first. Downer and Walter D. Switzer '35 won places on the second League team.

Freshmen Lose Two

The Freshman nine lost its first official game, to Syracuse at Syracuse Saturday afternoon, 5-7, after a practice game with Ithaca High School Friday afternoon. April 29 they were scheduled to play Cook Academy at Montour Falls;

May 1, Ithaca High School; 2, Manlius at Manlius; 5, Colgate Freshmen at Ithaca; 8, Ithaca College Freshmen at Hoy Field; 9, Manlius at Ithaca; 11, Syracuse Freshmen at Ithaca; 13, Ithaca College Freshmen at Hoy Field; 16, Colgate Freshmen at Hamilton; 20, Cook Academy at Ithaca; and 22, Ithaca High at Hoy Field.

LACROSSE TEAMS LOSE

Princeton's lacrosse team swamped the Varsity on lower Alumni Field Saturday afternoon, 19-1; Captain Gordon F. Stofer '36 making the only Cornell score, in the second period. The summary:

PRINCETON (19)	Pos.	CORNELL (1)
Britten	G	Keeler
Bedell	CP	Nunn
Coburn	P	Moniah
Robinson	FD	Wilson
Dering	SD	VanFleet
McLean	C	Stofer
Mayer	SA	Chewning
Woodward	FA	Holochwost
Ormond	OH	Dounce
Schwenk	IH	Sorrell
Princeton.....	6	4 5 4-19
Cornell.....	0	1 0 0-1

Goals: Princeton: Ormond 4, McLean 3, Brady 3, Mayer 2, Dering 2, Classer 2, Schwenk 2, Woodward. Cornell: Stofer.

Substitutes: Princeton: Brady, Classer, Lassorn, Rogers, Foster, Stonework. Cornell: Gunsch, Reyelt, Plass, Meyrowitz, Facer, Hustis, Agnew, Chappie.

Referee, Coy; judge of play, Fiore.

While the Varsity was playing below, the Freshman lacrosse team lost to Onondaga Valley Academy of Syracuse, 1-13, on upper Alumni Field Saturday afternoon. On April 22 they were defeated by Syracuse Central High, 2-18, with the Varsity looking on.

SNARELY MAKES A HIT

Spring football practice under Head Coach Carl G. Snavelly has started with a record registration of ninety-three candidates, who are already scrimmaging daily on lower Alumni Field. Almost daily they are watched by a large gallery of undergraduates and local alumni, who are amazed at the rapid and businesslike progress that is being made. Snavelly's first meeting with the squad was at an informal smoker the evening of April 6. The next day, in a driving rain and delayed by droves of reporters and photographers who nevertheless were treated considerably by the new coach, the candidates were put through blocking practice in the baseball cage. Daily ever since, they have been trained in kicking, passing, running, and contact work, outdoors whenever possible, or in the cage when the weather made outdoor work impossible. Each day more aspirants come out for the team, using every last piece of equipment in the Schoellkopf storeroom, and making necessary a rule that three successive days of absence will result in turning over the absentee's locker and equipment to some other candidate who has none.

Prominent among the squad, of course,



TIME OUT FROM SPRING FOOTBALL PRACTICE

Photo by Fenner

Caught by the photographer just outside the door of Schoellkopf Field House, here are, from left to right: James M. Tatum, North Carolina '35, assistant football coach and coach of Freshman baseball; Max Reed, Bucknell '24, who has been Snavelly's first assistant since 1927; Frank Sheehan, veteran trainer for forty years in the service of Cornell athletics; and Carl G. Snavelly, Lebanon Valley '15, head coach.

are many of last year's Freshmen, and they are giving the holdover Varsity men real competition. Captain John M. Batten '37, because he is needed as pitcher on the baseball team, is dividing his time between the two sports. Snavelly works quietly and pleasantly, but wastes no words, knows what he wants, and makes the boys see it and like it. He has already issued the first of his customary letters to the squad, in which he describes the plays and methods he desires.

From North Carolina to assist the head coach came Max Reed, and James M. Tatum. Reed, his first assistant, has been with Snavelly since 1927, when he joined the Bucknell coaching staff after two years of professional football. He graduated in 1924 at Bucknell, where he was an all-around athlete, has worked especially with the line, and was Snavelly's chief scout at North Carolina. He is 34, and like his chief, quiet and reticent. Tatum stands six feet three, and weighs 198 pounds. He played Varsity football at North Carolina, where he graduated in 1935. He acts also as coach of the Freshman baseball team. Of last year's football coaching staff, Bartholomew J. Viviano '33 and Richard H. Beyer '33 complete their Law School courses this spring and plan to enter practice.

GOLFERS LOSE TO PENN STATE

The golf team dropped their match to Penn State at State College Saturday, 6-3. Charles S. Willcox '38 was medalist, with 78.

TENNIS TEAM WINS

The Varsity tennis team won its first dual meet of the season Saturday, defeating Penn State 6-3 at State College. William J. Simpson '37 and Lloyd A. Doughty '36 won their singles matches; Captain Bernard Marcus '36, Herbert Sobel '38, and John G. Peavy '37 losing theirs; but the doubles teams won all three matches. They were paired: Marcus and Diamond; Doughty and Simpson; Peavy and Sobel.

DR. ANDREW C. WHITE DIES

Dr. Andrew Curtis White, PhD '85, for more than thirty years Assistant Librarian, died April 14 at his Ithaca home, 424 Dryden Road. Proficient in six languages, he was superintendent of accessions in the Library from 1889 until his retirement in 1923, and before that had been instructor in Latin and Greek.

He received the AB degree at Hamilton College in 1881, taught for a year at Cayuga Lake Seminary at Aurora, and entered into graduate work in Classical Philology in 1882, studying during the summers at Leipzig and Berlin.

Mrs. White survives, with a son and two daughters, Marion L. White '18, who teaches in the Passaic, N. J. high school, and Ruth L. White '23, who is a music teacher in Ithaca.

BOOKS

By Cornellians

HOW ROBERTS '08 WORKS

Kenneth Roberts: A Biographical Sketch; An Informal Study [by Chilson H. Leonard '23]; His Books and Critical Opinions. Garden City. Doubleday, Doran & Company. 1936. 32 pages, illustrated. Single copies free.

Kenneth Roberts '08 in his entertaining volume of essays, *For Authors Only*, told something of what it means to be a creditable writer of historical novels, and bared many secrets that are known usually only to an author and his publishers.

But Chilson Leonard's account in this booklet of how Roberts works—of his endless checking and rechecking of source material with its disheartening contradictions, the measuring of battlefields, the drafting of ship plans, and the repeated revisions of MS and proofs—gives a graphic idea of the real labor that has preceded his writing. It is no wonder that Roberts's Arundel novels have supplanted not only history but English textbooks in innumerable schools and colleges.

Leonard's first correspondence with Roberts arose from his attempt to assemble for his class in English at Phillips Exeter Academy certain illustrative materials dealing with the period and locale of Rabble in Arms. Further correspondence and several visits gave Leonard opportunity to study some of the library of more than a hundred books, MSS, and

other source materials that Roberts had gathered for this one book.

He prints characteristic marginal notes which Roberts made as he sifted out mistakes, pieced together scattered accounts, and added necessary details; some, says Leonard, are too rich to be printed. From certain accepted biographies of Benedict Arnold, for example: "Unfortunately untrue" . . . "Beef from a moose?" . . . "Nuts!" . . . "Untrue" . . . "The louse judgement of a literary louse" . . . "Galleys didn't have bowsprits" . . . "And What, Watson, is a broadside vessel?" . . . "All wrong."

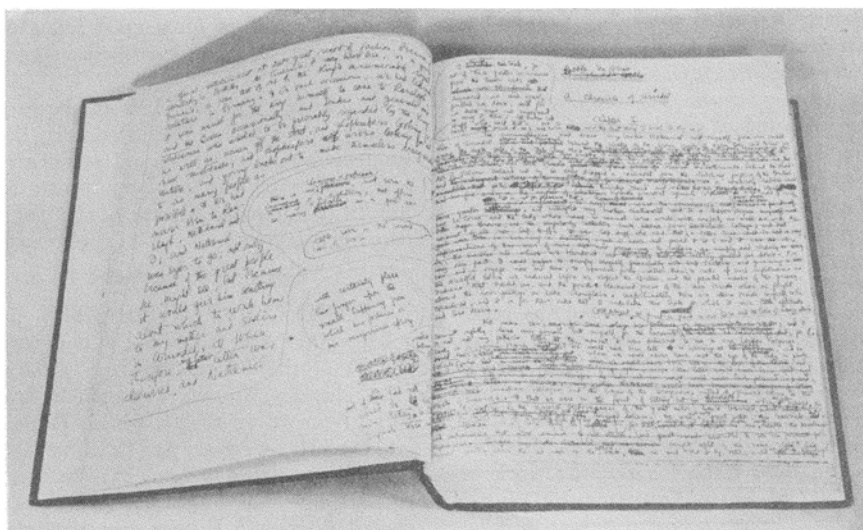
"These annotated source books," says Leonard, "are proof of Kenneth Roberts' industry and good faith as a writer of historical novels. He has gone to original sources, has rejected poor work, has carefully collated the best accounts, and has thus gained a comprehensive grasp of the period as a whole and of the life of the time. I know of no other way of writing good historical novels."

The Doubleday booklet is an interesting commentary on both the Cornellians represented in it. Roberts returned last week to his home in Maine, after spending the winter in Italy.

FROM A GREAT TEACHER

The Economics of Alfred Marshall. By the late Professor Herbert J. Davenport, Economics. Ithaca. Cornell University Press. 1935. 481 pages. \$4.00.

At the time of his death, Professor Davenport was giving the finishing touches to the manuscript of this book. He had considered its subject matter during a lifetime of teaching and study. Upon his retirement, he embarked upon the task of organizing his thoughts and



ORIGINAL MANUSCRIPT OF *RABBLE IN ARMS*, BY KENNETH L. ROBERTS '08

Now preserved in the Fort Ticonderoga Museum, the MS contains, besides the author's painstakingly revised and deleted first draft, several working sketches of vessels, lists of source books on special topics, chronologies of events, hand-drawn maps, and a chronology of the two years spent in writing the book, following several years of getting the facts.

writing them down. It was a labor that he liked. He worked enthusiastically and hard, and completed his work just before his life ended.

In this book, the economics of Alfred Marshall comes under examination. But it is not so much Marshall as the entire structure of classical economics that is reviewed. For the economics of Marshall is taken to be but the final attainment, the capstone of classical economic thought, that which made it whole. As such, it afforded a point of vantage from which to examine the classical system. And in that examination the searchlight of Davenport's thought ranges widely and deeply, illuminating much that belongs to the domain of economics, whether classical or modern.

The book is profound. Written to follow, to lay bare, and to examine the system that has guided and still guides most economic thinking, it relates principle here to principle there, and both to their underlying assumptions. It is not for those who are content with the surface, but for those that seek understanding. To read it is not only to be instructed in what constitutes accuracy in thinking, but to realize what can be done with thought. At times the depth is so great as fairly to strain the mind to follow. Then there are passages that make one stop, so clearly and so truly do they ring. It is as if the truth itself had been pointed. Again, the march of the thought is brightened by humor as wise as it is sparkling.

The frontispiece is a picture of Professor Davenport. The magnificent head is erect; the whitened hair stands thick and tall in untamed waves—when he got a haircut his students felt that a lion had been sheared; the eyes have a penetrating light; the expression is serious; and the lips are drooped slightly. It is as if he has just dropped a question into the discussion and awaits the answer. The supreme teacher is at work. Teaching and thinking were indeed of the substance of his life. What questions he could ask, how searching they were, how illuminating! With what wealth of incident, story, experience would he instruct! And how he thought! He seemed never to stop thinking. Those who look at this picture and then turn to the pages of the book will find the teacher and the thinker evident throughout it. If they knew Professor Davenport, they will feel now and then something of his personality break through the print of this, his last and in some respects crowning work.

M. SLADE KENDRICK, PhD '24

DRAMATIC CLUB last week elected twenty new active members in all departments, and Charles Mendick '37 of Brooklyn president for the coming year. Mary W. Lauman '37 of Ithaca is the new vice-president, and John W. Scott '37 of Niagara Falls is secretary-treasurer.

CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS

FOUNDED 1899

Published for Cornellians by the Cornell Alumni News Publishing Corporation. Weekly during the college year and monthly in July and August: thirty-five issues annually.

Subscriptions: \$4.00 a year in U. S. and possessions; Canada, \$4.35; Foreign, \$4.50. Single copies fifteen cents. Subscriptions are payable in advance and are renewed annually until cancelled.

Editor R. W. SAILOR '07
Managing Editor H. A. STEVENSON '19

Associate Editors:

L. C. BOOCHEVER '12 F. M. COFFIN '12
Office Manager RUTH RUSSELL '31

Printed by The Cayuga Press
ITHACA, NEW YORK

THE NEW DEAN

His many friends will greet with pleasure the election of Herman Diederichs '97 as Dean of the Engineering College, to take over when Dexter Kimball retires. Years of earnest and intelligent work, at first under adverse circumstances, have received recognition that is well deserved.

Diederichs came to Cornell the son of an immigrant, and worked his way through, as so many good students have, in a boarding house. That he has lived with the same family these forty-odd years is testimonial to his evenness of disposition.

He takes over the guidance of the College of Engineering at a time when, though rich in Faculty, it is badly impoverished in many ways, particularly in physical equipment. No longer are the Engineering schools crowded with students. Diederichs has a difficult task, following his talented predecessor, to produce radical changes in a short time. He must probably await general recovery before he can hope for a great influx of Engineering students or of new endowment.

We can confidently expect of the new Dean that he will continue to keep the Engineering schools running smoothly, and be alert for the first opportunity to fulfill the hopes and dreams of the Engineering Faculty for material prosperity.

FUND CONTINUES GAIN

More than four thousand alumni and friends of the University have participated in the Alumni Fund since last July 1, according to Archie M. Palmer '18, executive secretary of The Cornellian Council, reporting to April 23. The total to that date was \$69,620.13 from 4,058 contributors, and Palmer says that the most productive period of the fiscal year is just beginning.

As in our previous report, to March 17, the baby Class of '35 leads in number of contributors and '26 is second; and the Class of '16 leads in amount, with \$3,160. '94 has now come up from tenth place to

second in amount and the Class of '00 comes into the first ten, displacing '20. '21 is in third place, followed by '10, '06, '24, '92, '28, '26. \$1,000 or more has been given so far by thirty classes.

The Class of '13 comes into the first ten in this report in number of contributors, crowding out '21. '16 has come up from seventh to third, and is followed by '24, '34, '23, '13, '12, and '22 and '33 tied for ninth. Eighteen classes have registered more than 100 contributors each: these eleven and '09, '17, '18, '20, '28, '31, and '32.

Many changes have taken place since the last report in the ranks of the first ten in percentage subscribing. The Class of '70 comes from obscurity to lead with 20 percent, crowding '84, '35, and '09 down one place to second, third, and fourth. '01 remains in fifth place, but '00 comes up from ninth to sixth, '13 comes into the first ten at seventh, '90 holds its former rank, and '03 and '07 are newcomers at ninth and tenth.

The Cornellian Council Bulletin for April prints the totals for the first ten in each classification to April 15, with pictures of some Class representatives, and establishes editorially the slogan: "Make Cornell the 1936 Leader in Contributing Alumni."

SNAVELY TO CHICAGO

The Cornell Club of Chicago has announced that its guest of honor at the annual banquet, May 22, will be Carl G. Snavely, head coach of football. At the luncheon of April 23, Raymond P. Sanford '16, who won the '86 Memorial Prize, was to speak on his experiences of four years as an Ithaca fireman. More members than usual and several guests, greatly enjoyed the illustrated talk given by Colonel Edward Davis '96, April 16, on his war experiences. He was the only American officer assigned to General Allenby's army in the campaign to take Jerusalem.

The Club plans to send three carloads of prospective Freshmen to Ithaca for Cornell Day May 16.

LEHIGH CHANGES TIME

With the change to daylight saving time in New York and other cities, the Lehigh Valley Railroad made its semi-annual change in schedule April 26. From New York, the Star, No. 11, now leaves the Pennsylvania Station at 10:50 p.m., Eastern standard time, which is 40 minutes earlier than before; and the Black Diamond, westbound, leaves New York City at 11:05 a.m., 5 minutes earlier. From Ithaca the evening train, No. 4, now leaves at 10:50 p.m. instead of 11, arriving in New York at 7:15 a.m. and Philadelphia at 6:41 a.m. The Black Diamond in both directions leaves Ithaca the same as before, at 12:47 p.m. eastbound and 6:25 p.m. westbound. Ithaca has not changed time.

BRIEF NEWS OF CAMPUS AND TOWN

PEACE was memorialized at Cornell April 22 with a Bailey Hall meeting that packed the auditorium to the doors to hear four calm and logical statements on how to prevent war. Sponsored by the Student Council and unanimously endorsed by undergraduate organizations, the meeting occupied a University holiday of an hour. This while student "strikes" and such militant demonstrations were celebrating peace at many other universities. Four aspects of the question, "What can students do about war?" were presented, by Professor John G. Jenkins '23, Psychology; by Frederick J. Rarig '37, representing the American Student Union; by Captain Archibald H. Thompson, formerly of the Army; and by Professor Edwin A. Burtt, Philosophy.

INTERIM CLUB round table discussion March 27 was led by Professor M. Slade Kendrick, PhD '24, Rural Economy. On April 17 the Club was host to the University's coaching staff, and Carl G. Snavely spoke.

BROOK, BROWN, and rainbow trout of legal size and numbering several hundred, all marked for identification if and when caught, were planted in Fall Creek and Cascadilla Creek this spring by the University fish hatchery. A few have been caught and reported, but fishermen generally reported "opening day" and the season so far in this locality a poor one.

TOMPKINS COUNTY Republicans remained safely "regular" in the April primaries, electing unpledged delegates to the national convention over those instructed for Senator Borah by a safe plurality of more than 250 votes of the 821 cast.

BASEBALL BAT of solid silver, given six years ago by Charles H. Blair '98 to be awarded yearly to the university which has the batting champion of the Eastern Intercollegiate Baseball League, has come to Cornell for the first time, through the prowess of Walter D. Switzer '35, who last year batted .486. The bat is in the trophy case at Willard Straight Hall.

CORNELL CORINTHIANS avenged their defeat of last fall by winning all of three dinghy sailing races April 19 from the Wells College Diana Yacht Club over a three-quarter-mile course at the south end of Cayuga Lake. By some mischance, however, the Commodore Bertram Wells-Cornell Perpetual Challenge Cup, donated last year and brought to this race by the Dianas, was lost overboard near the end of the last race, so the victors were unable properly to celebrate. Richard H. Bertram '37 of Ithaca, donor

of the trophy, has been re-elected commodore of the Cornell Corinthian Yacht Club, and Professor Alexander D. Seymour, Jr., Architecture, is an associate member of the board: his power cruiser serves as committee boat and mother ship to the dinghy fleet.

LOCAL YACHTSMEN have elected Captain George S. Butts '25 vice-commodore, and Gerald C. Williams '20 treasurer, of the Ithaca Yacht Club. The Club has purchased additional land along the west shore of Cayuga Lake, is improving its clubhouse and building new docks in preparation for the coming season.

ALUMNI FUND Class Memorial campaign of this year's Seniors, which began April 27, is captained by John F. Forsyth of South Orange, N. J. and Janet R. Stallman of Philadelphia, Pa.

SAGE CHAPEL PREACHERS April 26 and May 3 are, respectively, the Rev. Hugh Black of Union Theological Seminary and the Right Rev. Charles Fiske, Bishop of Central New York, resigned.

INTERESTING ANGLE on the new deal in Cornell athletics is contained in a recent Treman, King & Co. advertisement in the Sun. Concerning "Bro. Schmuck," charged with the duty of providing equipment for the chapter baseball team, the ad writer points out that: "To meet the situation, he will doubtless adhere to the house tradition of swiping the mask from the Chi Whoops, the mitt from the Sigma Burps, and the rest from the A.A., with the fraternal cooperation of Bro. Snoddy of the scrubs. Under the New Deal, however, the more high minded houses are purchasing their equipment at Treman, King & Co., and charging it."

HARPER SIBLEY, University Trustee and President of the United States Chamber of Commerce, warmly defended the American business system and censured the "unbusinesslike" fiscal policies of the present administration in the last lecture of the Campus Forum series, delivered in Bailey Hall April 24. Other visiting lecturers of the week were Lucius M. Boomer, president of the Waldorf-Astoria, before Hotel Administration students April 24; Walter Fairchild, discussing economic aspects of land titles on the Frank Irvine Lecture-ship at the Law School, April 25; J. Franklin Bonner and Russell V. Black, in the series on city and regional planning, April 27 and 29; and J. E. Sommers, Department of Commerce inspector, on phases of commercial aviation, before the Flying Club, April 29.

MORNING CHIMES are being rung these days alternately by three successful Freshman competitors chosen from twenty-two for the position of head chimemaster as Seniors. They are Roger O. Benjamin of New York City, and Robert M. Gifford of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, Engineers; and Simon H. Lachenbruch of New Rochelle, Arts.

TWO MEN, one on either side of the question, "Resolved: That women should be seen and not heard," were paired with two girls from Skidmore College in a debate in Barnes Hall April 22. The courageous males are Allan B. Campbell '36 of St. Albans and Ralph N. Kleps '37 of Batavia.

ITHACA MUTTS and purebred dogs, along with rabbits, chickens, and many other pets, were led by their youthful owners through the streets on Saturday morning and past the judges' stand in which, among others, were Mrs. Livingston Farrand, Carl G. Snavely, Louis C. Boochever '12, and Robert A. Hutchinson '15, president of the local SPCA. This second annual Mutt Parade, sponsored by Rothschilds and the Ithaca Journal, got national recognition when it was mentioned in a recent radio broadcast by Walter Winchell.

WILLIAM L. RANSOM '05, president of the American Bar Association, spoke at the annual banquet of the Cornell Law Quarterly board April 18, as did President Farrand and Professor Elliott E. Cheatham, formerly of the Law School and now at Columbia. Judge Ransom is one of two distinguished Cornellians now heading the country's leading legal associations. The other is former Dean George G. Bogert '06, Ransom's former partner now at the University of Chicago and president of the Association of American Law Schools.

CHRISTIANCE-DUDLEY Pharmacy on State Street opposite the Ithaca Hotel has sold its drug business, occupying the western half of the store, to Charles A. Stewart and John P. Cleary, for five years partners in the Eddy Street Pharmacy up the Hill. Here it was, according to no less an authority than Professor Benton S. Monroe '96 (who cites etymologists to prove it), that the familiar word, "sundae," originated, about 1897 in the then Red Cross Pharmacy. The enterprising proprietor concocted a mixture of ice cream and syrups as a non-alcoholic substitute for the refreshment unobtainable on Sundays when the Ithaca Hotel bar across the street was closed. How many Cornellians gave their patronage to help establish the word in the English language is unknown.

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 sentiments expressed, and disclaims any responsibility beyond that of fostering interest in the University.

THE TEACHERS' OATH

TO THE EDITOR:

I regret to note in the ALUMNI NEWS of February 27 you state that fifty-seven of the Cornell Faculty signed a telegram requesting the repeal of the Ives Law compelling them to take oath to support the Constitution; which would indicate that they are unfavorable to our form of government and consequently not good American citizens.

There are plenty of good American citizens and just as good educators who would be glad to get these positions.

WILLIAM C. GREEN '86

OATH FOR ALL CITIZENS

TO THE EDITOR:

For months the country, and particularly school and college circles, have been agitated over a movement to compel teachers to take a special oath of allegiance to the flag and the Constitution. The issue has become controversial because an element of class legislation has been injected into it.

The serious objections to this phase of the subject were ably set forth in a recent address by President James Bryant Conant of Harvard University, who stated: "No issue of patriotism is here involved. The issue is between those who have confidence in the learned world and those who fail to understand it and hence distrust it, dislike it, and would eventually curb it."

"The present law [Massachusetts] is perhaps as innocuous as such a law could be, but it is a straw showing the way the wind is blowing. The havoc of the gale in other lands makes me feel that those who value our universities should now come forward."

"Our celebration next September [300th anniversary of Harvard University] is a fitting occasion for a demonstration of faith . . . we are thus permitted an opportunity to reaffirm our belief in the ideals which the Puritans had before them when they founded a college in a wilderness to advance learning and perpetuate it to posterity."

Dr. Conant thus admits the need for a reaffirmation of the fundamental precepts of our Democracy but challenges the wisdom and justice of singling out the teachers as the means to this end.

There is no class of citizens more loyal to the principles of the Declaration of Independence and the Constitution than the teaching profession. The recent infiltration of communism into our institutions of learning is abhorrent to a

vast majority. It comes from without; not from the ranks, for the teachers of our youth are essentially conservative and loyal to our institutions.

There appears to be a fundamental fallacy in the present approach to the solution of this problem. We now have conclusive evidence that subversive forces of alien origin are making headway in their attempt to destroy the structure of America. But our halls of learning have no monopoly of these traitors. They are to be found in all walks of life, in business, in the professions, and in the Government, Federal, State, and local.

The cure for this incipient disease lies in a correction of our citizenship laws and not in the purging of any one class. Undesirable aliens can be deported. Those who remain are required to swear allegiance when they take out citizenship papers, but native born citizens can go through life without even having committed themselves to the precepts on which this nation was founded and presumably is still being operated.

The first and most important step in preventing the spread of sedition is, in my opinion, the enactment of laws requiring every young man and woman to take the oath of allegiance when they assume the privileges and duties of citizenship. The franchise should not be given to anyone who is unwilling to pledge himself to support the Constitution. When native born youth as well as aliens appear at the polls to cast their first ballot, a solemn ceremony of induction into citizenship should be conducted, predicated on a careful investigation of integrity of purpose and previous conduct, together with a finger print record.

This method would eliminate the vicious tendency to favor or discriminate against special groups and would be just to all. It would add dignity and impressiveness to the privilege of citizenship and establish an effective barrier against the undermining influences which are threatening the happiness and prosperity of our people.

The Trustees, faculty, alumni, and students of Cornell could perform no greater service to the University and to the country than to take the lead in this movement.

HENRY P. DU BOIS '06

PHILADELPHIA OFFICERS

The Cornell Club of Philadelphia at a well-attended annual meeting April 15 elected the following officers for the coming year: Otto V. Kruse '09, president; Leslie McKendrick '11, vice-president; Robert B. Patch '19, secretary; Samuel F. Eldredge, Jr. '26, treasurer; Charles B. Howland '26, athletic director. Directors elected are Roy W. Williams '96, Willson H. Patterson '09, Chandler Burpee '17, James B. Harper '20, Emmett J. Murphy '22, Walter W. Buckley '25, and Charles L. MacBeth '28.

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.

MAY 2

At Ithaca: Cornell Day for Women
Baseball, Pennsylvania
Freshman track meet, Colgate, Syracuse
At New York: Tennis, Columbia
At Princeton: Track meet, Princeton
At Annapolis: Crew races, Navy
Cornell Club of Maryland Navy Day boats leave sea wall, Naval Academy, 2, followed by "rendezvous" after races at Rugby Hall at Revell Station
At Washington: Golf, Princeton, Pennsylvania, Georgetown
At Albany: Annual dinner, Cornell Law Association, Ten Eyck Hotel, 7

MAY 3

At Ithaca: The Composers' Club, original compositions, Willard Straight Hall, 4:30

MAY 6

At Ithaca: Baseball, Rochester
Tennis, St. John's

MAY 7

At New York: Annual Spring Day, Medical College Alumni Association; President Farrand and George R. Pfann '24 at banquet, Hotel Biltmore

MAY 8

At Ithaca: Golf, Penn State, Pittsburgh
Dramatic Club presents "She Stoops to Conquer," Foster Hall, Ithaca High School, 8:15

At Boston: Baseball, Boston College

MAY 9

At Ithaca: Tennis, Georgetown
Golf, Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh
Sigma Xi research exposition, Willard Straight Hall, afternoon and evening
Dramatic Club presents "She Stoops to Conquer," Willard Straight Theatre, 8:15

At Boston: Heptagonal track meet

At Cambridge: Baseball, Harvard

At Cincinnati: Cornell Club of Southern Ohio
Cornell Day party for schoolboys

MAY 10

At Ithaca: University Theatre presents four screen personalities in the Museum of Modern Art series of memorable American films, Willard Straight Theatre, 8:15

MAY 11

At Ithaca: Golf, Colgate

MAY 13

At Syracuse: Baseball, Syracuse

MAY 14

At Ithaca: Baseball, Michigan State

MAY 16

At Ithaca: Cornell Day
Track meet, Pennsylvania
Tennis, golf, McGill
At State College: Track meet, Penn State
At Princeton: Carnegie Cup Regatta, Yale and Princeton, three crews
At New Haven: Baseball, Yale
At Albion: Cornell Women's Club of Batavia meets with Mrs. Francis A. Sturges (Lucy Mack) '19

MAY 20

At Syracuse: Golf, Syracuse

MAY 22

At Chicago: Coach Snively at Annual Cornell Club banquet

MAY 23

At Ithaca: Spring Day
Regatta, Harvard and Syracuse, three crews
Baseball, Yale
At West Point: Tennis, Army

Concerning THE FACULTY

PRESIDENT FARRAND, speaking in New York City last month at the annual conference of the Milbank Memorial Fund, warned that to avoid waste of public health money whether from taxation or charity, administrative methods must be scientifically studied.

STANTON GRIFFIS '10 has been reappointed by Governor Lehman a Trustee of the University for a five-year term and his appointment confirmed by the Senate. He was first appointed by Governor Roosevelt in 1931. Partner in the New York Stock Exchange firm of Hemphill, Noyes & Co., Griffis is a former editor-in-chief of the Sun and a member of Sphinx Head and Theta Delta Chi.

PROFESSORS JULIAN P. BRETZ, History, George W. Cavanaugh '93, Chemistry, and Charles L. Durham '99, Latin, spoke at the Jefferson Day dinner April 13 of the Ithaca Women's Democratic Club.

PROFESSOR ROLLAND M. STEWART, Rural Education, contributes an Introductory Statement to the recently published Vocational Education Bulletin 180: "Summaries of Studies in Agricultural Education," of the Federal Office of Education. The bulletin is the result of the work of the committee on research for the agricultural section of the American Vocational Association, of which Professor Stewart is chairman. The bulletin also contains an "Evaluation of Studies in Vocational Agriculture" by Frank W. Lathrop, PhD '22, Research Specialist in Agricultural Education, Office of Education.

NEW MEMBER of the Extension staff in Animal Husbandry, beginning April 1, is Earl H. Hanson, a recent graduate of the University of Wisconsin, who is also taking graduate work under Professor Elmer S. Savage, PhD '11.

DEAN FLOYD K. RICHTMYER '04 of the Graduate School was the principal speaker at the installation of a new chapter of Sigma Xi at the University of Buffalo, April 25. His subject was "Science in the Service of Society."

PROFESSOR E. LAURENCE PALMER '11, Rural Education, who is president of the American Nature Study Society, writes in Education for March certain "Comments on the Controversy Between Nature Study and Elementary School Science."

DR. BRICE HARRIS, English, has been appointed International Research Fellow at the Henry E. Huntington Library at San Marino, Calif. for the year beginning

next September 1. These fellowships are awarded, usually to younger scholars, for research in the Huntington Library. In 1934 Dr. Harris received a grant from the American Council of Learned Societies for study in England, and he is now completing a book on Charles Sackville, sixth Earl of Dorset. In California he will extend his investigations of "patronage and the profession of letters in England from 1630 to 1730." Dr. Harris has been instructor in English since 1930. Cornellians previously invited as visiting scholars by the Huntington Library have been Professor Carl Becker, History, and Professor Hoyt H. Hudson, PhD '23, chairman of the English Department at Princeton.

PROFESSOR JOHN A. HARTELL '25, Architecture, is the author and illustrator of a new picture book for children, *Over in the Meadow*, published by Harper.

PROFESSOR FRED C. STEWART, '98 Grad, for thirty-seven years head of the Botany Division at the Geneva Agricultural Experiment Station, will retire July 1. After receiving the BS degree at Iowa State College in '92 and the MSc in '94, he joined the Station as botanist December 1, 1894, and has been Chief in Research there since 1923. Five sons and daughters have attended Cornell: the late Harland H. Stewart '20, Ralph W. Stewart '22, Mrs. Elmer S. Jorgensen (Hermine Stewart) '29, Charlotte A. Stewart, Grad '31, and Mayalene Stewart '33.

PROFESSOR EDGAR A. J. JOHNSON, Economics, writing in the Quarterly Journal of Economics, evaluates The Encyclopedia of the Social Sciences of which the fifteenth and final volume was recently published by Macmillan, as "the most ambitious effort ever made to synthesize social studies." Professor Alvin S. Johnson, who was a member of the Economics Department from 1912 to 1917, was the active editor of the Encyclopedia, and Professor Walter F. Willcox, Economics Emeritus, was one of its seventeen advisory editors. At least fourteen other members of the Faculty contributed to the work.

PROFESSOR ROBERT E. CUSHMAN, Government, who is one of the editors of the American Political Science Review, contributes to the current issue an article, "Constitutional Law, 1934-1935." Speaking recently under the auspices of the public affairs committee of CURW, he predicted Democratic victory in the coming Presidential election and emphasized the support certain to come from "labor, a large block of farmers, and those on the public relief rolls." He foresees that in the coming campaign "the Democrats will point with pride and the Republicans will view with alarm; yet no really clear-cut issues will be presented."

Concerning THE ALUMNI

'77 CE, '90 BCE—Walter J. Sherman, whose address is 800 Second National Bank Building, Toledo, Ohio, was president of the Ohio Society of the Sons of the American Revolution in 1921 and is this year president of the Past Presidents' Association of that Society.

'78; '34 AB—Edward N. Trump is the inventor of a new aluminum cap for milk bottles and other containers, and of the machines for applying the caps. Both caps and machines are manufactured by the Sanitary Metal Cap Corporation, of Syracuse, of which firm he is the head. Trump was for many years superintendent and general manager of the Solvay Process Company, and has been a prolific inventor. His address is 1912 West Genessee Street, Syracuse. Associated with him as assistant treasurer of the firm is Lindley C. Kent '34, his adopted son.

'80 BS—James S. Monroe writes of himself: "Formerly captain of Company B, Cornell Battalion, which acted as body guard at the funeral of Ezra Cornell. Always known as 'Sophomore Jim'—still alive but most of his college comrades have quit—no New Deal vexes them. Regards to any comrades still here to read this brief." Monroe's address is 121 Norrie Street, Ironwood, L. S. Mich.

'84 BS(SL)—Franklin A. Coles of Glen Cove is vice-president of the Nassau Historical Society, rejuvenated from the former Nassau County Historical and Genealogical Society.

'90 BL—Frank L. Hume is an attorney in Chicago, Ill. His address is Room 1701, 160 North La Salle Street.

'90 BL—Ernest F. Eidlitz and Mrs. Eidlitz have returned to their home at 920 Fifth Avenue, New York City, from Palm Beach, Florida.

'91 BL—Henry H. Sanger is vice-president and a director of The Manufacturers National Bank of Detroit, Mich.

'92 AB—Arthur J. Baldwin, a member of the New York City law firm of Riggs & Baldwin, represented the Long Island Lighting Company during the investigation of its affairs by the joint legislative committee investigating public utilities.

'92—Major Henry C. Nelson and Mrs. Nelson spent the winter in Washington, D. C. where, he says, he attended some Cornell luncheons. They have returned to their summer home, Pine Grove, in the Berkshires, Falls Village, Conn., and expect to visit Ithaca later in the spring.

'98 AB—Frank E. Gannett spoke on "A Program for America" over WJZ, April 10. His two-point plan consists of restoring the farmer's purchasing power

through scientifically managed currency and controlling surpluses after they occur, not before.

'98 MS—J. Edgar Higgins is in charge of the Government Experiment Station in Summit, Canal Zone. Professor Edward A. White, Floriculture, recently spent a day with him there.

'99 ME—Maxwell M. Upson has been re-elected to the board of directors of R. Hoe & Company, Inc., East Riverside Drive and 138th Street, New York City.

'99 MME—Ezra F. Scattergood, is chief electrical engineer and general manager of the Bureau of Power and Light of Los Angeles, Calif.

'00 Grad—Charles A. Beard describes the Nazi conquest of the German educational system in the report of an investigation, published in the April number of *Foreign Affairs*. He reports that academic freedom and freedom of research have been entirely eliminated in Germany; that a rigid pattern of life and thought is imposed on teachers and pupils alike, with the result that youth is drilled in party doctrines and objectives, ignorant of all other considerations, contemptuous of other races and peoples, equipped with powerful bodies and narrow minds for the work of the State, especially war. Universities, he writes, are governed by the Minister of Education rather than by their Faculties.

'00, '01 ME—Frank E. Pendleton is vice-president of the New York Steam Corporation, an affiliated operating company of the Consolidated Gas Company of New York. His address is 280 Madison Avenue, New York City.

'00 CE—Clifford M. Stegner, commissioner of buildings in Cincinnati, Ohio, was first vice-president of the twenty-first annual Building Officials' Conference held in New York City March 30 to April 3.

'01, '02 AB—Frederic G. Dunham, a former assistant general counsel of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, was elected a general counsel on March 24.

'01 PhD—Dr. Edwin W. Kemmerer of Princeton University spoke on "Inflation, Its Process and Its Consequences" at the annual meeting of the National Council of American Importers and Traders, Inc. in New York City April 16.

'01 AB, '02 AM—Sao-Ke Alfred Sze, Chinese Ambassador, speaking at the biennial convention of the National League of American Pen Women in Washington, D. C. April 13, asserted that any world conference for adjusting European conditions should include problems of the Far East.

'02—Elsie Singmaster has been awarded a scroll by the alumni association of the graduate schools of Columbia University for contributions in the field of the historical novel and short story and

as interpreter of Pennsylvania Dutch life. Miss Singmaster is in private life Mrs. Harold Lewars and she lives in Gettysburg, Pa.

'02 AB, '04 MD—Dr. Raymond F. C. Kieb lives in Beacon.

'02 ME—Joseph B. Weaver, head of the Bureau of Navigation of the Department of Commerce has been allowed funds by the House of Representatives appropriations committee for forty or fifty additional assistant steamboat inspectors. A vigorous campaign to promote safety at sea aboard American vessels has been inaugurated by the Department of Commerce. Weaver recently testified that fire hazards on boats of the Steamboat inspection bureau should require four-fifths of them to be scrapped. He has announced a complete and thorough investigation of the recent numerous labor disturbances on ships.

'03 ME—Charles K. Seymour, president of Niles-Bement-Pond Company, 111 Broadway, New York City, in remarks accompanying the annual report, outlined terms for the proposed consolidation of his company with the General Machinery Corporation.

'03, '04 ME; '11 ME—Robert C. Fenner and Arthur W. Wakeley are directors of the newly-formed Dixie-Vortex Company, of Chicago, Ill. Fenner is president, as he was of the previous Vortex Cup Company. The new firm will operate plants in Chicago, Easton, Pa., and Canada.

'03 AB—Floyd L. Carlisle told stockholders of the Consolidated Gas Company at their annual meeting recently that the Company's gain of 1935 and the signs of continuation of the trend in 1936 make the immediate future look like the four-year period that began in 1926. He predicted the general use of air conditioning in factories, office buildings, and homes within ten years, at the recent meeting of the Niagara Hudson Power Corporation, where he presided.

'03—Alden H. Little of Chicago, Ill., executive vice-president of the Investment Bankers Association of America, spoke at a luncheon of the New York group of the Association on April 13. On April 16 he addressed the annual meeting of the Eastern I. B. A. Pennsylvania group in Philadelphia.

'03 AB—Herbert D. A. Donovan on February 1 left the James Madison High School, Brooklyn, where he has been head of the social studies department since 1925, to become chairman of history and economics in the Bayside High School. His new address is 42-25 209th Street, Bayside. He is president of the Brooklyn Alumni Sodality, an association of about two hundred Catholic graduates of colleges. He has been for several terms historiographer of the American Irish Historical Society and treasurer

of the New York City Association of First Assistants in High Schools. He is the author of *The Barnburners*, a study in the political history of New York State, and is a member of the American Historical Association and the New York State Historical Society.

'05 Grad—Thomas D. Campbell of Montana is Lemuel F. Parton's subject in "Who's News Today" in the New York Sun of April 10. Campbell is, according to Parton, the owner of the world's biggest wheat farm, near Harden, Mont., where only the biggest and newest machinery is used, and most of the farm hands are college graduates. Parton relates that Campbell got his start as a farm boy, managing a 4,000 acre farm at the age of sixteen; that he studied scientific agriculture at Montana State College and at Cornell; and that in 1928 he was agricultural adviser to Russia, from which experience he wrote a book, *Russia, Market or Menace?*

'05 LLB—William L. Ransom, president of the American Bar Association, addressed a county bar association meeting in Tampa, Fla. March 30. In a newspaper interview he is quoted as advocating a congress of lawyers, with delegates elected from every State, saying that such a congress would aid the development and enforcement of high educational and ethical standards for legal education and admission to the Bar, and would improve the administration of justice and the enforcement of laws against crime.

'05 AB—Wallace T. Holliday, president of the Standard Oil Company of Ohio, is quoted in the New York Sun as saying that the recent lack of new oil findings, improved technic of proration, and resumption of the growth element are factors operating in favor of the industry.

'05—Donald R. Cotton is the sponsor of plans to form the National Land-Use Association, beginning with the establishment of the Forest Lands Division, pledged to the preservation of existing forests. He has suggested as articles of association: to promote and encourage the conservation, preservation and proper use and development of all organic and inorganic natural resources in the land and waters of the United States; to operate and maintain a technical research service; to do and perform all other actions not contrary to law necessary or incidental to carrying out the purposes for which the corporation was formed. Cotton's address is 330 East Fifty-sixth Street, New York City.

'06, '07 BArch—Carl C. Tallman of Ithaca lectured on trends in house designing in Martha Van Rensselaer Hall April 7, using photographs made from original drawings, some of them local houses, to illustrate his talk.

'06—Dr. Walter T. Dannreuther, official representative of the co-ordinating council of the Five County Medical Societies, has been re-elected a director of Associated Hospital Service of New York City. More than 72,000 persons have enrolled in the three-cents-a-day plan for hospital care in the eleven months since the Service was established.

'07 ME—Henry Palmer of Geneva is president of the Empire State Gas and Electric Company, which has petitioned the Federal Power Commission to merge with the New York State Electric and Gas Corporation.

'07 CE—William J. Turner, who was formerly with the Braden Copper Company's home office at 120 Broadway, New York City, has been transferred to Rancagua, Chile, as general manager in that country.

'07 ME—Walter W. Storm is vice-president of the Wilmington Iron Works, Wilmington, N. C. He is commodore of the Carolina Yacht Club at Wilmington, and lives at 316 Ann Street. He writes: "Now that the Inland Water Way is completed from Boston to Miami, I hope some of you yacht-minded Cornellians will stop over and see your Cornell friends in Wilmington, N. C. When on your way to Miami take the Sea Level auto route via Cape Charles, Norfolk, New Bern, Wilmington, Charleston, and Miami. Have seen more Cornellians this year than ever before enroute to points south. Am sending Walter Elting Storm, 2d, to Cornell in two years. He is now at Woodberry Forest School, Virginia, age sixteen, height six feet 2½ inches, weight 165; wants to be on crew."

'07 DVM—Dr. William L. Clark '07 of Seneca Falls is the owner of a cat which recently celebrated its twenty-first birthday with a dinner at which two hundred human guests were present, including the mayor of the city.

'08 LLB—William F. Fowler lives in Lynbrook.

'08 MD—Dr. Albert M. Bell is on the staff of the North Country Community Hospital in Glen Cove. He lives in Sea Cliff.

'09 CE—Robert W. Clark of Windsor, Conn. is a member of the Educational Buildings Study committee appointed by the New York State Board of Regents, whose findings will be used in shaping the State's future policy toward public school construction.

'09, '10 LLB—Curtis M. Yohe is vice-president of the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie Railway Company.

'09—Dr. John H. Wright, in a recent report to the National Association of Insecticide and Disinfectant Manufacturers, says that the action of sunlight in destroying disease germs is not instantaneous, but that even in the strong sunlight of summer an hour or more ex-

posure may be required to destroy ordinary disease microbes. Dr. Wright lives in Larchmont.

'10—Bradley Delehanty is the architect for the remodelling of the home of Charles V. Hickox at Wheatley Hills, Long Island, and that of the George R. Dyer house in Brookville. Photographs and specifications of the William J. Ryan home at St. James, L. I., which he also designed, were recently exhibited in New York City.

'10 AB—Benjamin D. Beyea has recently been made assistant to the president of E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., Wilmington, Del.

'11 ME—Charles C. Trump is a refrigeration, air conditioning, and heating engineer, practicing both in Syracuse and Philadelphia, Pa. He has two sons, and lives at 503 Baird Avenue, Merion, Pa.

'11 ME; '11 AB—Oscar G. Miller writes that he has heard recently from Hooker A. Doolittle, American Consul General in Tangier, Morocco. Doolittle plans to be in Ithaca for his twenty-fifth-year reunion this June, and adds: "After twenty years abroad in the service of a grateful (?) Republic, I feel entitled to one last splurge, so here's to it." He writes further that he was very much occupied in extricating himself from one tight squeeze after another in Russia during the revolution; is married and has two girls, fourteen and eleven. "Guess he will take the award for long distance," says Miller, who says he also hopes to get back from St. Louis, Mo., where he is with the General Cable Corporation, Ambassador Building.

'12 AB—Dr. Gustav Egloff, director of research of the Universal Oil Products Company, led the opposition at the American Chemical Society meeting in Kansas City, Mo. April 14, to the use of alcohol in motor fuel, as advocated by the Farm Chemurgic Council of the Chemical Foundation. Against the claim that the addition of high-proof grain alcohol to gasoline increases the efficiency of the fuel, and would make new markets for farm products and provide new employment, Dr. Egloff and his associates argued that such fuel is inferior, uneconomic, and unnecessary. Each party presented contrary results of tests, and the Bureau of Standards, from its own tests, contended that "both sides were wrong" in important particulars.

'12 CE—Horace C. Flanagan is an executive of the Manufacturers' Trust Company. He lives at 1107 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

'13 Grad—Dr. David L. Crawford, president of the University of Hawaii for the past ten years, visiting New York City recently, said that America must make an effort to understand better the culture, civilization, and psychology of Oriental people to get along in trade relations and international intercourse

in the Pacific. Enrollment at the University of Hawaii, he said, has increased 500 percent in the last ten years; they have about 1,500 students and 225 teachers, and all teaching is done in English.

'14 BS; '14 Grad—Frederick R. Bauer is president of Bauer, Pogue and Company, investment brokers, at 39 Broadway, New York City. Mrs. Bauer was Ruth S. Rodman '14.

'14 AB—Harold Riegelman, former counsel in the Treasury Department on housing and mortgage finance, at a meeting of the New York Society of Architects, March 17, offered a proposal to rebuild the city according to a long-range plan to be devised and carried out by a city plan board as part of the municipal government, the chief function of the board being to reclaim slum areas with low-cost housing and to stop the decline of other areas.

'15 AB, '16 BChem—Francis H. Scheetz is a lawyer in Philadelphia, Pa.

'15 AM—Elmer A. Sperry, Jr. and Mrs. Sperry, of 351 Washington Avenue, Brooklyn, have a son, Richard, born March 27.

'15 BS—Gerald R. McDermott is president of the Municipal Bond Traders.

'15 LLB; '31—William W. Dodge is agent for the Connecticut General Life Insurance Company, 225 Broadway, New York City. He lives at 16 Park End Place, Forest Hills. His daughter, Doris K. Dodge, was married April 12 to Casper H. W. Hasselriis, Jr. '31 and they are living at Eton Hall, Kew Gardens.

'16—Donald G. Sherwin, vice-president of the Caterpillar Tractor Company, was a member of the industrial policy committee of the Council for Industrial Progress, which reported to President Roosevelt in March. He lives at 69 Ninth Avenue, San Mateo, Calif.

'16 BS—J. Kathryn Francis, chairman of her women's Class reunion, invites "members of '13, '14, '15, '17, '18, and '19 [to] join with '16 in June at their Class banquet in Ithaca." Miss Francis is a home demonstration agent. Her address is Woodside Avenue, Trenton, N. J.

'16 AB, '19 MD—Joseph Mandelberg is a physician, at 1441 Forty-eighth Street, Brooklyn.

'18, '21 WA—Robert E. Ryerson, formerly export manager of the Tide Water Oil Company, has been appointed general sales manager.

'18 AB—Archibald M. Maxwell, of Standard Oil of Ohio, was elected vice-president of the Asphalt Institute at the annual meeting March 18 in New York City.

'18 BS—Frederick W. Loede, Jr. of 451 Brook Avenue, Passaic, N. J. is engineer and superintendent of The Passaic County Park Commission in Paterson, N. J. He writes that they have several

WPA projects working on the development of three units of the Passaic County Park System.

'19, '20 BS—"Russell Lord, who has written some of the best speeches and articles ever produced by Secretary Wallace and other farm administration officials, came back here for a few weeks to write an official booklet on soil erosion. 'Hell!' he reported by telephone after returning to his Maryland home, half my farm was washed away! It wasn't that bad; only a few gullies. But soil erosion had been at work." — From Rodney Dutcher's syndicated column, "Behind Washington's Scenes." A former editor of *The Cornell Countryman*, Lord conducts a monthly "Forum" in *Country Home* magazine; his farm home is at Churchville, Md.

'19—Robert R. Robertson is president of National Advertising Service, Inc., publishers' representatives for college newspapers, at 420 Madison Avenue, New York City, which has recently acquired the business and good will of College Publishers' Representatives, Inc.

'21 AB—Harold R. Young is in the real estate business in Little Neck, L. I.

'21, '24 ME; '24—John C. Gibb is engineer in charge of Diesel engine installation in the Boston, Mass. office of Fairbanks Morse & Co. He and Mrs. Gibb (Josephine S. Cummings) '24, have gone to Boston to live.

'22 AB; '16; '93 Sp; '23 BS—George H. Connaughton, former assistant editor of the *ALUMNI NEWS*, is in Philadelphia, Pa. as counsel on public relations at Temple University, representing the Hammond Corporation, 1606 Mercantile Building, Md. The president of the Hammond Corporation is Donald vonU. Hammond '16, son of Professor Emeritus William A. Hammond and the late Mrs. Hammond (Lina von Utassy) '93. He was formerly with the John Price Jones Corporation in New York City. Connaughton writes that Dr. Stephen Navin '23, who took his medical degree in St. Mary's Hospital, London, and until last January was in charge of a psychiatric clinic and hospital on the Isle of Man, is on the staff of St. Vincent's Hospital, New York City. He has a baby daughter.

'23 AB—C. Chaddock Head married Harriett L. Johnson, April 8, in Ithaca. Ralph W. Head '25, brother of the groom, was best man. Head is a partner in the Clarence E. Head shirt manufacturing firm in Ithaca. He received the Master's degree at the Harvard School of Business Administration. They will live at 107 Cayuga Heights Road.

'23—Willard A. Speakman, Jr. and Mrs. Speakman of 706 Greenhill Avenue, Wilmington, Del. have a daughter, Cordelia, born December 23, 1935.

'23 AB, '25 LLB—Willis D. Morgan on January 1, 1936 was admitted to partner-

ship in the law firm of Kernau and Kernau, of Utica. His address is 298 Genesee Street, Utica.

'24 BS—Dr. Gregory Pincus, of the Harvard Biological Institute, before the annual meeting of the Federation of American Societies for Experimental Biology in Washington on March 26 reported on his production of the world's first semi-ectogenic rabbits. Ova were artificially fertilized in test tubes, allowed to develop briefly there, and then transferred back into the female rabbit, the young being born normally. The application to humans has been the subject of numerous newspaper speculations.

'24 EE—Hewlett H. Duryea is engineering assistant in the traffic department of the New York Telephone Company, 140 West Street, New York City. He and Mrs. Duryea announce the birth of their second daughter, Justine Claire, on March 1, 1936. They live at 14 Catterson Terrace, Hartsdale.

'25 AB—Thomas L. Sterling sailed April 18 for England, where he expects to spend about five years as sales manager, developing markets for Paper Makers Chemicals, Ltd., Cory's Wharf, Erith, Kent, England.

'25 AB, '27 LLB—Louis K. Thaler, of the Ithaca law firm of Stagg, Thaler, and Stagg, was admitted April 8 to practice before the Supreme Court of the United States.

'26, '27 AB—Richard F. Pietsch of Evanston, Ill. is engaged to Virginia B. Knight, also of Evanston.

'27—Charles L. Conley, who has been for five years a member of the advertising and sales promotion department of Collins & Aikman Corporation, in this country and Canada, has been assigned to their European territory with headquarters in Paris, France.

'27 AB; '27 AB, '30 AM—Erva M. Wright, preceptress of Albion High School, is engaged to Elmer V. Smith of Rochester. On April 16 J. Anita Hill '27 of Oneida gave a tea in her honor.

'27 BS—Ruel Tyo has been for a year manager of the University Club, 3813 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

'29 AB—Carl E. Brandt, Jr., formerly space buyer with the Federal Advertising Agency, has recently joined the Scripps-Howard national advertising department in New York City. He lives in Ossining.

'29 AB, '31 LLB—Jerome L. Loewenberg has been elected police justice of the village of Sea Cliff, thereby becoming, according to the press, the youngest judge on Long Island. His address is 1551 Franklin Avenue, Mineola.

'30 AB—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Webb of Staten Island, April 18. Mrs. Webb was Minnie Edminster '30.

'31 AB; '00 LLB—Christopher W. Wilson, Jr., son of Christopher W. Wilson '00, who has been associated with the firm of White & Case at 14 Wall Street, New York City, since September, 1934, sailed on March 11 to take up his duties at the Paris office of that firm, 3 Place Vendome, Paris, France.

'31 AB—Charlotte E. Dallmer '31 of Staten Island will be married on May 2 to Renato D. Fracassi of Jackson Heights. Fracassi is on the technical staff of the Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc., New York City.

'32 BS—Edwin L. Amberg was recently appointed assistant manager of the Hotel Martinique, Broadway and Thirty-second Street, New York City.

'33 BS—Lawrence B. Clark is a science teacher at the Roessleville High School, Albany. He writes: "Been here two years and expect to stay another. Have no intentions, honorable or otherwise. Went to State College summer session last summer, but expect to be home at Mohawk or 'Far Above Cayuga's Waters' this summer." His address is 45 Arcadia Court, Albany.

'33 ME—Henry M. Devereux writes: "I have gone out for myself in the yachting business. This means that I retain my old selling agreements with the firm of Ford & Payne and W. J. Roue. In addition I shall be free to solicit business for myself in design, technical work, writing, and photography." His address is 295 City Island Avenue, City Island.

'34, '35 BArch—Arthur G. Odell, Jr. has been studying architecture the past year at the Ecole des Beaux Arts in Paris, France, and is now associated with Harrison and Foulhoux, in New York City. He lives at the Cornell Club, 245 Madison Avenue.

'35 DVM; '36; '25, '30 DVM—Philip C. Close is engaged to marry Virginia D. Day, of Currier. Dr. Close is assistant to Dr. Charles H. Hoefle '25 in Mount Vernon.

'34 CE—Robert J. Belknap recently moved to New York City, where he is employed in the sales record department of the duPont Film Manufacturing Corporation, with whom he has been connected since his graduation. His address is 37 West Fifty-third Street, New York City.

'35 BS—Stuart A. Child is teaching agriculture in Ellenburg Depot.

'35 AE; '35 ME—Edward Crotty and James G. McIlhiney are employed by International Business Machines Corporation in their customers' service department.

'37; '09 AB, '12 PhD; '35 BS—Margaret E. Cross, daughter of Dr. Lewis J. Cross '09, State Chemist in Ithaca, is engaged to C. Donald English '35. English is with the Mount English Company, Ford dealers, in Red Bank, N. J.

Clip this out and mail to Cornell Alumni News, Box 575, Ithaca, N. Y.

CORNELL CLUB LUNCHEONS

Many of the Cornell Clubs hold luncheons at regular intervals. A list is given below for the benefit of travelers who may be in some of these cities on dates of meetings. Unless otherwise listed, the meetings are for men:

<i>Name of Club</i>	<i>Meeting</i>	<i>Place</i>	<i>Time</i>
AKRON (Women)	1st Saturday	Homes of Members	1:00 p.m.
Secretary: Mrs. Ralph B. Day	'16, 245 Pioneer Street, Akron.		
ALBANY	Monthly	University Club	12:30 p.m.
Secretary: Robert I. Dodge, Jr.	'29, 5 South Pine Avenue, Albany.		
BALTIMORE	Monday	Engineers' Club	12:30 p.m.
Secretary: William A. Marshall III	'29, 117 South Street, Baltimore, Md.		
BOSTON	Monday	Hotel Bellevue	12:30 p.m.
Secretary: L. M. Brockway	'08, 14 Shornecliffe Road, Newton, Mass.		
BOSTON (Women)	Monthly	Homes of Members	Afternoon
Secretary: Mrs. M. Gregory Dexter	'24, 34 Worcester Street, Belmont, Mass.		
BUFFALO	Friday	Buffalo Athletic Club	12:30 p.m.
Secretary: Herbert R. Johnston	'17, Pratt & Lambert, Inc., Buffalo.		
BUFFALO (Women)	Monthly	College Club	12:00 noon
Secretary: Miss Helena Perry	'31, 2075 Main Street, Buffalo.		
CINCINNATI	Last Thursday	Shevlins, Sixth St.	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: Herbert Snyder	'16, Cincinnati Day School, P.O. Madisonville, O.		
CHICAGO	Thursday	Mandels	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: Buel McNeil	'27, 1019-140 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.		
CLEVELAND	Thursday	Mid-Day Club	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: Irwin L. Freiburger	'25, 813 Public Square Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.		
CLEVELAND (Women)		Homes of Members	Evenings
Secretary: Miss Raymona E. Hull	AM '32, 1872 Lampson Road, Colonial Heights, Cleveland, O.		
COLUMBUS	Last Thursday	University Club	12:30 p.m.
Secretary: George R. Schoedinger, Jr.	'31, 78 Auburn Avenue, Columbus, O.		
DENVER	Friday	Daniel Fisher's Tea Toom	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: James B. Kelly	'05, 1660 Stout Street, Denver, Colo.		
DETROIT	Thursday	Intercollegiate Club, Penobscot Building	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: Ethan K. Stevens	'27, 1905 Dime Bank Bldg., Detroit, Mich.		
FLORIDA, SOUTHEASTERN	2d Tuesday	University Club, Miami	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: Archibald B. Morrison	'01, Congress Bldg., Miami, Fla.		
HARRISBURG, PENNA.	3rd Wednesday	Hotel Harrisburger	12:00 noon
Secretary: John M. Crandall	'25, Hotel Harrisburger.		
LOS ANGELES	Thursday	University Club, 614 S. Hope St.	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: W. Hubert Tappan	'12, 322 Pacific Mutual Bldg., Los Angeles, Calif.		
LOS ANGELES (Women)	Last Saturday	Tea Rooms	Luncheons
Secretary: Mrs. Katharine S. Haskell	'23, 3507 E. Beechwood Ave., Lynwood, Calif.		
MILWAUKEE	Friday	University Club	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: Arthur C. Kletzsch, Jr.	'25, 2511 Farwell Ave., Milwaukee, Wis.		
NEWARK	2d Friday	Downtown Club	12:00 noon
Secretary: Milton H. Cooper	'28, 744 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.		
NEW YORK	Daily	Cornell Club, 245 Madison Avenue	
Secretary: Bertel W. Antell	'28, 55 Parade Pl., Brooklyn.		
PHILADELPHIA	Wednesdays & Fridays	Cornell Club, 1219 Spruce Street	
Secretary: Robert B. Patch	'22, 134 North Fourth St., Philadelphia, Pa.		
PHILADELPHIA (Women)	1st Saturday	Homes of Members	Luncheon
Secretary: Mrs. F. Arthur Tucker	'31, 3950 Vaux Street, Philadelphia, Pa.		
PITTSBURGH	Friday	Harvard-Yale-Princeton Club	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: John L. Slack	'26, University Club, University Pl., Pittsburgh, Pa.		
PITTSBURGH (Women)	Monthly	Homes of Members	Afternoon
Secretary: Miss Jane H. Gibbs	'33, 1127 De Victor Pl., Pittsburgh, Pa.		
PROVIDENCE	1st Tuesday	Middlestreet Cafe, Providence	12:00 noon
Secretary: H. Hunt Bradley	'26, 1119 Industrial Trust Bldg., Providence, R. I.		
QUEENS COUNTY	3rd Monday		
Secretary: Mrs. Gustave Noback	Grad., 11 Groton St., Forest Hills, N. Y.		
ROCHESTER	Wednesday	University Club	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: J. Webb L. Sheehy	'26, 236 Powers Bldg., Rochester.		
ROCHESTER (Women)	Monthly (usually Wednesday)	Homes of Members	Evening
Secretary: Mrs. Barton Baker	(Bernice M. Dennis) '25, 100 Brookwood Road, Rochester.		
ST. LOUIS	Last Friday	American Hotel	12:00 noon
Secretary: V. V. Netch	'31, 5506 Maple Ave., St. Louis, Mo.		
SAN FRANCISCO	2d Wednesday	Hotel Plaza	12:15 p.m.
Secretary: Brandon Watson	'26, Women's City Club, 2315 Durand Ave., Berkeley, Calif.		
SAN FRANCISCO (Women)	2d Saturday	Homes of Members	Luncheon or Tea
Secretary: Joyce B. Porter	'30, Box 1793, Stanford University, Berkeley, Calif.		
SYRACUSE	Wednesday	University Club	12:30 p.m.
Secretary: Robert C. Hosmer	'02, 316 South Warren Street, Syracuse.		
SYRACUSE (Women)	2d Monday	Homes of Members	6:30 p.m.
Secretary: Mrs. Paul Grassman	'30, 225 Wellington Road, Dewitt, N. Y.		
TRENTON	Monday	Chas. Hertzels Restaurant, Bridge & S. Broad Sts.	
Secretary: George R. Shanklin	'22, 932 Parkside Ave., Trenton, N. J.		
UTICA	Tuesday	University Club	12:00 noon
Secretary: Harold J. Shackelton	'28, 255 Genesee St., Utica.		
UTICA (Women)	3rd Monday	Homes of Members	Dinner
Secretary: G. Ethelyn Shoemaker	'33, 1635 Miller St., Utica.		
WASHINGTON, D. C.	Thursday	University Club	12:30 p.m.
Secretary: Edward D. Hill	'23, 1100 Woodward Bldg., Washington, D. C.		