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THE Cornell Era, oldest of student publications, beginning with the first issue next autumn, will appear once a fortnight. Long a weekly, for the past few years, a monthly, the Era has passed through many changes, and, unlike some of its competitors, has survived them all. Now its staff promises a return to its earlier and more literary ideals, a promise which we hope editors, subscribers, and contributors will work together to carry out. There is a place at Cornell for a medium of literary publication such as the Era long supplied. Meantime the photographic department and the discussion of current events about the campus will be continued. E. T. Coupal '22 of Buffalo, N. Y., has lately been added to the photographic staff.

THE '86 MEMORIAL CONTEST in declamation was held on Monday evening, May 24. There were ten speakers. The prize, \$86 in money, the income of a fund left by the class of 1886, was awarded to John Aldrich Rodger, a senior in Arts and Sciences, whose home is in New York City. Percival L. Clark, jr., '21, of Ithaca, won honorable mention. The judges were Jervis Langdon '97, of Elmira, George M. Champlin '04, of Cortland, and Sherman Peer '06 of Ithaca.

THE DRAWATIC CLUB made its final offerings for the year in the theater of Goldwin Smith Hall last Friday and Saturday. The plays in this, the club's fourth series, were "America Passes By" by Kenneth Andrews, of the Harvard Dramatic Club; "Sam Average" by Percy MacKaye; and "Behind the Beyond" by Stephen Leacock. All three plays were well chosen and well presented; the last seemed most acceptable to the audiences.

THE MILITARY DEPARTMENT announces that the artillery horses may be used during the rest of this term and during the summer session by artillery cadets and by cadet officers in the R. O. T. C. infantry. A like privilege is extended to members of the Faculty.

SEVERAL PROFESSORS in the Collego of Agriculture have leave of absence be-

ginning at Commencement and continuing through the first term of next year. Those who will thus be absent for some six months are Harry M. Fitzpatrick, plant pathology; Edward S. Guthrie, dairy industry; James G. Needham, entomology; and Henry H. Wing, animal husbandry.

Fifty-one students have entered the first round of the undergraduate tennis tournament. Pairs have been drawn and the match games begun. The schedule is so arranged that the tournament will be over before term examinations begin on June 9. Players not reporting promptly will be declared losers by default. The games are under the direction of the assistant manager of tennis, Alvin E. West '21, of Chevy Chase, D. C.

THE MUSICAL CLUBS are planning for the Christmas holidays of 1920 one of the most extensive trips they have yet undertaken. It is their intention to give concerts in twelve large cities, including, if expectations are realized, Boston, New Baltimore, Toledo, Detroit, Toronto, and Montreal. Between fifty and sixty men, selected as usual after trials, will go on the trip, accompanied by the directors, Professor H. E. Dann and Mr. George L. Coleman of the Department of Music. The advance arrangements are in the hands of the manager, W. I. Emerson '21, of New York City.

A NON-PARTIZAN campaign club is being organized by students and professors. The club hopes to achieve three results: to have some discussion among its own members of the issues of the campaign; to act in the capacity of what might be called a steering committee in the conduct of a few public meetings, with speakers from the Faculty and from out of town; and to act as a connecting link between the party organizations and the students in order that students who wish to take part in the campaign may do so more easily in the party of their choice. The executive committee of the club is headed by W. Brooke Graves '21, of Couverneur, N. Y.; the members of the Faculty who will act as advisers are Professors Julian P. Bretz, American history; George G. Bogert, law; E. L. Hunt, public speaking; Horace L. Jones, Greek; and Samuel P. Orth, political science. Organization is being perfected now in order that active work may begin promptly with the opening of college in the fall.

THE GRAND LODGE HOME of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of New York will be built near Ithaca. The site, a farm of more than a hundred acres two miles northwest of the city, was selected by a committee of the order after an inspection of proposed locations in or near Auburn, Binghamton, and Rome. Plans have been delayed pending the selection of a site; they will now be drawn, and buildings, presumably on the cottage plan, erected as soon as possible. The expenditures for buildings and furnishings will amount to \$250,000. The land is a gift of the city. When completed the home will be a place of residence for about five hundred aged and infirm members of the fraternity.

THERE IS A PROSPECT amounting almost to assurance, that steamboat service will be resumed on Cayuga Lake this summer. The Iroquois Navigation Company, recently formed, proposes to run a boat of about the capacity of the old Frontenac, if lakeside towns will provide suitable docks and if there is promise of patronage. The prospect is being promoted by Waldo G. Morse of New York, who has a summer home in Seneca Falls and who is greatly interested in the Finger Lakes. The Ithaca Board of Commerce is aiding the enterprise. Lake travel between Ithaca and Cayuga virtually ceased with the burning of the Frontenac several years

MISS JOSEPHINE A. SNIFFIN '21, of White Plains, N. Y., has been elected women's business manager of *The Cornell Sun* for 1920-21; and Rosamond H. Wendell '22, of Lockport, N. Y., assistant business manager.

THE SAGE CHAPEL PREACHER for Sunday, June 6, is the Rev. Dr. Frederick F. Shannon, Methodist, of the Central Church of Chicago.

# Ithaca Gets Big Regatta

## Poughkeepsie Races Moved to Cayuga Lake—To Be Held June 19

Word has just been received that the stewards of the Rowing Association have accepted the invitation of the Cornell Athletic Association to row the annual regatta at Ithaca instead of at Pough-keepsie. The acceptance is of course dependent on Cornell's ability to make adequate arrangements for the big event of the college rowing year. The date has been set for June 19, which is Alumni Day, the reunion date of the classes of '70, '75, '80, '85, '95, '00, '05, and '10.

The principal cause of the change is the inability of the stewards to obtain an observation train on the West Shore. To get such a train the stewards were willing to wait until July 1, when the tide would be right. The next earlier date would be during examination week.

To cut expense, to shorten a long rowing season, and possibly also to enable the winner better to train for the Olympic tryouts, July 23 and 24, the association decided to accept the Cornell invitation.

Whether the Lehigh will be able to run an observation train or not is still up for consideration, with the odds against it. If no train is forthcoming, bleachers will probably be erected on the banks and all possible boats will be put into commission for the event. No seats are on sale for the events as yet anywhere, and short notification will be given through all available channels.

The participants will be Columbia, Pennsylvania, Syracuse, and Cornell. Each university will be represented by a varsity, a junior varsity, and a freshman crew. All three races will be the same length, two miles.

The visiting carsmen will probably be housed in the dormitories, will eat together at the training table in the Mess Hall, and will be boated with the facilities of the varsity, the intercollege, and the Cascadilla boat houses. Arrangements are still incomplete as to minor details, but the crews are all expected by Thursday morning, June 17, and will be guests of the Athletic Association, the University, and the Ithaca Board of Commerce.

#### PITTSBURGH LUNCHEON

At the weekly luncheon of the Pittsburgh Cornellians on May 28, Frank R. Dravo, Lehigh '87, president of the Dravo Contracting Company, and said to be the leading authority on river shipping and boat building, was scheduled to be present and speak.

On June 4 the club plans a joint luncheon with Boston Tech.

#### PREPARATIONS FOR ALUMNI DAY

The news that the Intercollegiate Regatta has been transferred from Poughkeepsie, July 1, to Ithaca, June 19, leaves the program for Alumni Days, June 18 and 19, in somewhat of a delightful state of uncertainty. Some of the special events will probably have to be rearranged to conform.

Unless a great readjustment takes place, however, most of the events will remain as before. The concert on Friday, the Associate Alumni meeting, the alumni luncheon, the alumni-varsity ball game, and the minor meetings will probably be undisturbed, but the alumni-rally and the class dinners on Saturday will have to be readjusted. At this date it is impossible to foretell what the changes will be.

The general plans, however, will merely have to be enlarged to accommodate the larger crowds. The Old Armory will be rigged for registration somewhat as at the Semi-Centennial last year. The Cornell Club of Ithaca has undertaken to collect data on rooming houses and to handle reservations, and will maintain a list of resident Cornellians, both by classes and alphabetically, and a list of the Faculty with their years of residence. The Drill Hall will be open Saturday afternoon as headquarters, with the Cornell Club Ithaca and the Cornell Women's Club of Ithaca as reception committee.

Undoubtedly, many minor events will go over to Sunday rather than further to crowd the busy day promised for Saturday. Alumni are urged to write early for reservations. Address George S. Tarbell, 110 N. Tioga Street, Ithaca.

THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN CLUB, a flourishing local society before the war, has lately been reorganized. The members, students, resident alumni, and several persons on the Faculty, all come from Rocky Mountain States or those to the West, including Alaska and Hawaii. The president this year is Daniel C. Lindsay '21, of Beaver, Utah; and the secretary and treasurer, Thomas E. Moffitt '22, of Wal'ace, Idaho.

#### WINANS GOES TO DARTMOUTH

James Albert Winans, head of the Department of Public Speaking, has accepted appointment to a chair at Dartmouth College. This year accordingly is the last of his long teaching at Cornell. A graduate of Hamilton with the class of 1897, Professor Winans came to Cornell as instructor in 1899, was made assistant professor in 1904, and promoted to a full professorship in 1914, a period of service broken only by one year, 1902. 03, at the University of California. Meantime he pursued the regular course in law and took his degree of LL. B. in 1907. Professor Winans is a member of the National Association of Teachers of Public Speaking, of which he was president in 1915-16; and of the Eastern Public Speaking Conference, of which he was president from 1913 to 1915. He is the author of "Public Speaking," which has been widely used as a text in college courses. He is a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon and Phi Beta Kappa.

#### GEDDES POSTPONES VISIT

Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador to the United States, has written the British-American Club saying that he will be unable to accept the invitation extended him by the c'ub to visit Cornell as a guest of honor this spring. Sir Auckland's action is necessitated by his recent illness and his pressing duties at the capital. He has, however, accepted the invitation of the club to visit Ithaca early next fall.

Because of this postponement it has been deemed advisable to postpone the annual banquet of the club until next fall. General Currie, commander-inchief of the Canadian Army, has also been invited to be present at the banquet.

#### 1910 TEN YEAR REUNION

The ten-year reunion of the Class of 1910 is scheduled for Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, June 18, 19, and 20. From present indications it will be a large reunion and men will be present from all sections of the United States. The secretary is expecting a total attendance of not less than two hundred and fifty. South Baker Hall, one of the men's dormitories, is reserved for use by the men of the class during this period. The reunion banquet will be held in the Dutch Kitchen. The class will attend the Glee Club concert on Friday evening and the alumni rally on

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14	1886	150	21	3.4	36,63		40	1919	1,250	112	8.9	41,232	350
15	1896	590	83	14	1.88,43		41	1881	137	16	8.6	52,601	3,287
16	1884	151	21	13.9	165,99		42	1878	220	18	8	$52,\!290$	2,905
17	1890	680	52	13.5	66,24		43	1885	153	12	7.8	32,026	2,669
18	1898	510	68	13.3	31,77	0 468	14	1875	180	11	6.1	$42,\!287$	3,844
19	1908	900	96	13.2	204,68	1,720	45	1877	230	14	6	6,945	497
20	1911	1,025	135	13.1	60,58	3 468	46	1873	245	14	5.7	13,124	937
21	1897	650	85	13	196,17	2,308	17	1876	175	9	5.1	25,827	2,869
22	1889	290	37	12.7	42,8-	5 1,158	48	1874	240	11	4.1	19,490	1,771
23	1907	1,000	127	12.7	88,50		49	1880	242	10	4	3,125	312
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25	1902	700	82	11.7	50,70		51	1872	325	9	2.7	6,412	712

Saturday evening. A block of seats will be reserved at Percy Field for the baseball game between the alumni and the varsity on Saturday afternoon. The class will play 1905 for the baseball championship of the world and there will also be a dual track meet between the two classes. All members of the class who have not yet advised the class secretary of their intention to be in Ithaca for the reunion are urged to do at once in order to insure satisfactory arrangements for all.

#### FARMERS' FIELD DAYS

A series of three farmers' field days is announced by the College of Agriculture, to be held at Ithaca on June 30, July 1, and 2.

The general plan is to hold indoor lectures every day from ten in the morning until noon. Many lectures, in a variety of subjects, will be going on at this time. Those who attend can select the topics in which they are most interested.

Field demonstrations will be held from one o'clock until five. These will include demonstrations in orchard and experiment plot, designed to show new facts in plant breeding, soil treatment, crop rotations, pasture improvements, flower growing, and the like.

The evenings will be given up to recreational features, either indoors or out, as the weather conditions permit. Bailey Hall and the State Drill Hall leet his subscription. When the canwill be available for such gatherings. vasser arrived, the Cornellian said, 'Ou

# The Endowment Campaign Now Totals \$4,875,886.94—Tulsa Appears—Highest Classes Mostly Early

The total amount subscribed to Cornell's Endowment on May 28 was \$4,875,886.94, an increase of \$91,293.10 since the last report. The various districts maintain the same place in the honor roll of amount subscribed which they held last week, except that Newark has passed Youngstown and now holds sixth place. The amounts continue to increase consistently in all the districts as the halfway goal before Commencement comes into sight.

Interesting competition is developing between the two largest Cornell centers in the world. The last number of The Doughboy, published by the New York committee, contains a quotation from the Chicago News Sheet regarding the small interest charge on a subscription to Cornell and a comment as to what New York will do when its alumni think it over. At the same time, the Chicago "dope sheet" hands out this one, headed, "One 2e Stamp to Prove Chicago Bigger than New York":

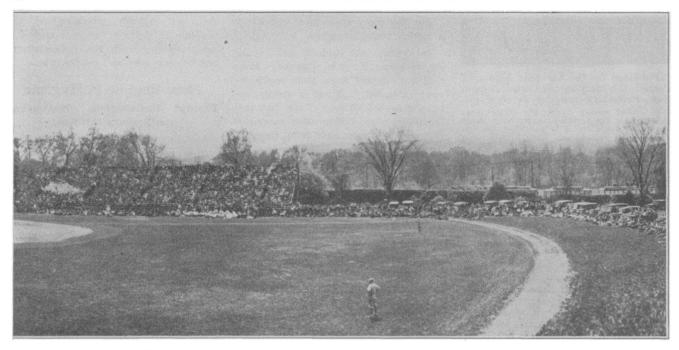
"With apologies to The Cornell Doughboy of New York we quote this: A prominent New York Cornellian had been quietly sitting in his office until last week, waiting for some one to col-

vasser arrived, the Cornellian said, 'Our class chairman has never been to see me. I decided once to give \$1,000 but each week I have dropped off \$100. It was \$200 when I was shaving this morning, but you have boosted it back to \$1,000.''

The Chicago sheet then goes on to say: "Of course Chicago is a bigger place than New York, and it takes more time to get around; that accounts for your not having been called upon as yet. But don't be like a New Yorker and wait; send in your subscription to-day and prove that Chicagoans are really bigger than the Hudson Riverites. We supply the envelope; and the other side of this paper, plus your signature, plus a 2e stamp on the envelope will prove that Chicago is what we say it is—bigger than New York."

During the week the San Francisco total has gone to \$65,755 from 67 subscribers. This is an increase of nearly \$32,000 for the week and puts the Golden Gate City at the head of all the districts west of the Mississippi. This increase was announced after a large Cornell dinner held in San Francisco at the time of the visit of Prof. Durham. Professor Durham has also reported \$20,000 from ten subscribers in Talsa, Oklahoma.

The class tables are given in more complete form this week, at the sug-



PERCY FIELD ON SPRING DAY

The present condition of Percy Field is shown in these photographs. With the burning of the covered stand on May 17 the last landmark is gone: the club house burned up some years ago; the cinder track is a foot-path; even Deadhead Hill has been dug into for gravel until its receding slope no longer educates the future citizens of Ithaca.

gestion of George H. Young '00, who points with pride to the position of his class at fourth place. The new table shows the standing of each class to May 28, with respect to the percentage of members subscribing. As Mr. Young says, "this table should furnish considerable food for thought." He goes on to say that "while the chances may be somewhat against '00 holding its present standing, we have a hunch that a whole lot of credit will be due any other class that can grab position 'Number Four' and hold on to it." The hunch appears to be justified, inasmuch as the '00 men hold fourth place not only in percentage subscribing but in number of subscribers, and fifth in amount subscribed. It is also apparent that '00 is the only class among the highest ten in the table which did not graduate in the nineteenth century. The younger men still retain their lead in amount subscribed, however, with '08 leading the list.

It is to be expected that the first ten classes on the list should all be twenty years out of the University but it is hardly to the credit of the "old grads" that the lowest ten should also be made up entirely of numerals beginning with 18-, and that the average subscription in these classes should also be low. The place of '95 in the list shows the result

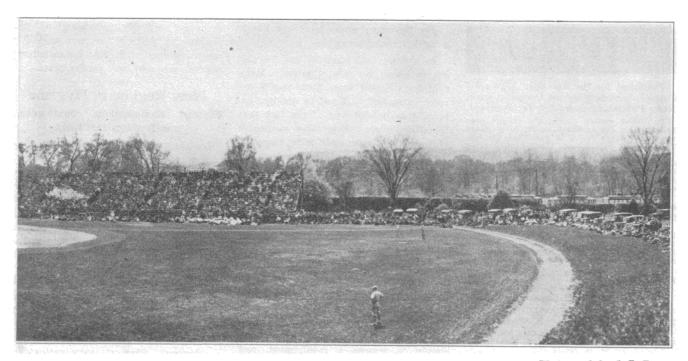
of its mail campaign, and as the results come in from the campaigns in other classes, it is expected that the positions of other classes will change rapidly. The ties in every group of ten are expected to change before the next table is published.

A subscription for \$500 which came to the leader of the '95 class campaign during the week throws an interesting sidelight on the work of that class leader. Thomas H. Savery, jr., of Chicago, mailed the check to Mr. Russell with the expanation that, while he had graduated with the class of '96 and had already subscribed an equal amount through the Chicago committee to be credited to his own class, he had lived with '95 three years, and wanted to have part of his money credited to them. He said the extra \$500 was because of the good work the '95 special delivery mail campaign had done, and he wanted '95 to have the credit for it. Other classes are now using the idea in a mail campaign to every member, and Russell is following up his letters with personal solicitation of non-subscribers by their classmates who have subcsribed.

A letter from Mr. Russell received while this is being written reads as follows: "In order to help you enjoy your Decoration Day would advise we have just turned the \$100,000 mark and the 'old nag' is going strong toward the \$125,000."

Reports continue to come in which indicate that many districts are only start ing to work. Franklin E. Holland, the new chairman for eastern Canada, writes to get the list of Cornellians in his territory, and says he intends to push his campaign from Montreal. President Schurman was entertained by the Cornell Club of Hawaii when he stopped at Honolulu on May 26, on his way to this country from Japan. A letter from A. L. Marks, president of the club, says they were planning to make this the occasion for a revival of Endowment interest in the Islands.

Some Cornellians, whose work takes them from one place to another, are missed by the campaigners. One such enclosed his subscription in a letter to one of his friends on the Faculty here. He said: "In a previous talk with you I referred to the fact that I was wandering about the country so much each year that I never came to the point of making a subscription to Cornell's Endowment. One thing that has added to the delay has been unusually heavy expenditures in scientific research and in other public directions. I enclose herewith a \$500 Liberty Bond; will you see that it gets to the proper person?" When the time comes for the final clean-



The Athletic Council has decided that Percy Field cannot again be used without an expenditure of about ten thousand dollars, and that the time has come to do enough work on Bacon Field to make the new field on the Hill usable. Much of Percy Field is owned by the Association though some of it becomes, under the terms of the gift, the property of the City Hospital.

up of the campaign, many Cornelliaus will still not have been reached, but some of them have the good cause in mind and are sending in their share as they find the opportunity.

Cornell loses another professor because some other institution can offer a larger salary. Professor J. A. Winans, one of the ablest professors of public speaking in this country, who has been at Cornell for twenty-one years, goes to Dartmouth in the fall.

## **OBITUARY**

## James M. Ashley '76

James Macereil Ashley died on November 3, 1919, at Toledo, Ohio, at the age of sixty-five.

He was a student at Cornell from 1872 to 1876, graduating with the degree of B. S. He was a member of the Sprague Boat Club and played shortstop on his class baseball team. For many years he had been engaged in railroad work.

#### Francis W. H. Clay '93

Francis Warfield Herrick Clay died of pneumonia at Washington, D. C., on May 10, 1919.

Clay was born at White Hall, Ky., on February 9, 1869, the son of Col. John F. Herrick Clay and Mary Barr Clay. After spending two years at the University of Michigan, in 1890 he entered Cornell, and received the degree of C. E. in 1893. He was a member of Psi Upsilon, Undine, Bench and Board, Mermaid, the Southern Club, the Masque, the History and Political Science Association, the Woodford Debating Society, and the Civil Engineering Society, and in his senior year was prominent in light-weight sparring. After leaving Cornell, he attended law classes in Columbian University, graduating LL. B. in 1896.

He was admitted to the bar in 1897, and practiced law in Cincinnati until 1902, when he went to Pittsburgh. There he was engaged in the practice of law, specializing in patent law, and later confined his practice to patents and patent and trademark law. He was a member of the Supreme Court bar and of all other Federal court bars, and served for a time as an examiner in the Patent Office in Washington. In 1916, he was appointed Assistant Commissioner of Patents in the Department of the Interior at Washington, holding this position until the time of his death. He had been intending to return to the practice of law in Pittsburgh.

He was married on October 12, 1905, to Miss Jane Swigert Watson, who survives him with five children, three sons and two daughters.

#### Mrs. Harold E. Irish '17

Mrs. Harold Enos Irish died on April 9 at the home of her husband's parents in Auburn, N. Y. Infection which developed from a slight sore on her face spread into the glands of the neck, resulting in her death.

Before her marriage, Mrs. Irish was Miss Araminta MacDonald. She was born on January 15, 1892, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. MacDonald, of Delhi, N. Y. She attended the Delaware Academy, and the Moses Brown School, Providence, R. I., and entered Cornell in 1913, taking a special course in agriculture. Receiving the degree of B. S. in 1917, she became one of the first rural community secretaries in the country, at Belleville, Ohio. She was a member of Alpha Phi, Der Hexenkreis, and Raven and Serpent, and served on various undergraduate committees

She was married on March 22, 1918, to Lieut. Harold Enos Irish '16, who was then an instructor in the San Leon Aerial Gunnery School at Ellington Field, Houston, Texas.

Besides her husband, she leaves a son, Robert Goodwin, aged seven months, her father, and four sisters, Mrs. J. B. Odell, of Richmond, Va., Mrs. C. E. Cutler, of Westport, Conn., and the Misses Elizabeth and Isabel MacDonald, of Delhi.

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## TIME TO THINK

A disgusted undergraduate as he emerged from the Library the other night said to his companion, "I wish they'd give us some time to philosophize and not so many books to drive into our beans." If his indignation did not make verse, it at least suggested one of the troubles with our present academic life. Our students are kept too busy. They rush frantically from one task to another. The horror of the "prelim" ever haunts them. In some courses perhaps twice as much reading is set as the average student can well do. The result is that there is no time to "philosophize," even after the manner of undergraduates; no time for the discussion of the main points of a lecture, a problem, or a practicum; the student must ever move on. No wonder some students lose their bearings, wonder what it is all about and why, and in blank despair, pack their trunks, go home, and enter business.

For too many students college life is a heetic, frantic scramble.

In a sense both students and Faculty are to blame for this situation. Many professors expect from their pupils too much in quantity, if not in quality, appearing to be oblivious of the fact that the students are taking other courses as well as their own and quite forgetful that they may ask for only two hours of the student's time in preparation for each class hour. Too often, moreover, they permit students to take too many hours; and it is possible that some of the technical courses require too many hours.

We believe that no student should be asked to complete for graduation more than 120 hours including the requirements in hygiene and military drill. Think what an enormous difference, by the way, there would be between studying hygiene in a sullen, hostile mood, simply to remove a requirement, and studying it as one would study any other science, with interest in the content and application of the subject. Pedagogically would it not be better to reduce the total number of required hours by this trifling amount and then require a higher grade for passing, say 70 or C?

The students themselves have contributed to the present state of affairs by greatly incerasing the number of distractions, or side-shows, which absorb too large a part of their time. One of the most serious problems of the day is the numerous competitions, which often take far too much time, and some one of which the student may win only to be dropped from the University or go on probation and thus lose all the advantage he has gained. If in some way scholarly pursuits on the Hill could be rendered more attractive than these too often futile endeavors, the educational atmosphere would be greatly improved. Perhaps the most effective way to get immediate results is to educate student sentiment to go out after fewer things all around and to go in for high-calibre efficiency in what is attempted, both on the Hill and in the student activities. A man's breast may be covered with insignia and his record in The Cornellian may require many lines; yet from the point of view of real education he may prove a complete failure, because he has not been trained to think.

It would not be a bad idea to present each Freshman with a copy of Stevenson's "Apology for Idlers." If one does not wilfully misunderstand the meaning of "idling" as there used, this essay contains much that both students and teachers may well ponder over.

# New Regime in Hygiene

# Physical Examinations, Conferences, and Lectures Instituted

In the matter of prophylactic hygienics and preventive medicine Cornell, in common with some other institutions, has made since the war a distinct advance. The student who is careless of his health and who is the victim of vicious personal habits is no longer able to escape the warning which may suffice to set him right. The careful student may obtain free advice about any physical ailment or symptom, and thus often save himself a considerable loss in time and money by preventing the onslaught of disease.

Every student must undergo annually a thorough physical examination in which a record is made of his family and personal medical history, his posture, weight, and the condition of all his organs. In addition he must have once a term a conference with a medical adviser in which he is questioned about his habits of eating, exercise, sleep, bathing, care of the teeth, hours of work, the condition of his gymnasium clothes, colds, coughs, headaches, and so on, and appropriate advice is given him. The results of these examinations and conferences are significant and form a good index to the health of the student body. The five thousand examinations of students and the twelve thousand conferences held so far (to June 1) have revealed the following cases of communicable diseases, most of them, of course, in fairly early stages and thus easily curable:

Disease.	Cases.
Influenza	317
Tuberculosis	
Syphilis	
Gonorrhea	
Vincent's Angina	
Chicken Pox	. 5
Mumps	
Measles	
Whooping Cough	
Conjunctivitis (pink-eye)	119
Otitis Media, acute	29
Eustachitis	13
Acute Phinitic (cold)	896
Acute Rhinitis (cold)	- 890
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Chronic Bronchitis	
Pneumonia	
Pleurisy	15
Acute Follicular Tonsilitis	
Pharyngitis (sore throat)	512

# The Endowment Fund to Date

## Cities Subscribing Over \$20,000

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Boston		155	<b>4</b> 9		111,808	721	Philadelphia .	460	148	32		$186,\!540$	$1,\!260$
Buffalo	566	184	33		72,905	396	Pittsburgh	600	141	24		172,444	$1,\!223$
Chicago	716	192	26		429,652	2,237	Newark		93	65		149.288	1.605
Cincinnati	154	45	30		$82,\!805$	1,840 [	New York		928	25	1	.195.976	1,288
Cleveland	300	131	44		284,429	2,171	Rochester men	*	243	70		49.697	212
Detroit	172	48	28		70.930	1,477				•		,	
Duluth	16	$\overline{12}$	75		85.000	7,083	'' women	. 39	28	72		31,491	$1,\!124$
Indianapolis		$\frac{12}{26}$	40		40,000	1,538	St. Louis	119	84	71		77.310	920
Ithaca		161	$\tilde{21}$		109,527	680	San Francisco	240	67	28		65,755	981
Kansas City	52	$\frac{101}{27}$	$\frac{52}{52}$		29,622	1.097	Tulsa	19	10	53		20,000	2,000
Milwaukee	95	40	$\frac{32}{42}$		100,100	2,503	Youngstown .		13	26		127,460	9,804

Ring Worm	62
Scabies (itch)	6
Impetigo	43
Pediculosis (lice)	13
Diphtheria	1
Frontal Sinusitis	49
Scarlet Fever	4

The total number of cases diagnosed between October 1 and June 1 is 8,127.

In addition a two-year course of lectures and readings is given as required work to freshmen and sophomores. The text-book in use this year is Dr. Roger I. Lee's "Health and Disease." With the available facilities of the University in the way of lecture-rooms, it has been found necessary to cut down very materially the size of the lecture sections; and next year it is hoped that no section will contain more than one hundred members. Students will be divided up as far as possible by colleges, and the advanced work will have to do largely with the specific hygienic problems with which the student is most likely to be concerned, e.g. in the case of engineers, the disposal of smoke and dust, factory cleanliness, health insurance, and the like.

It has been proposed to give credit for the lectures and text-book work; but this change has not been effected as yet.

To take care of these examinations, conferences, and lectures requires a staff of eight graduate physicians, of whom two are women.

Toward the financial support of the work the Interdepartmental Social Hygiene Board has contributed this year \$32,565 and the University \$21,385, making a total of \$53,950. It is hoped

that next year this budget may be increased to \$62,000. In addition about \$7,000 has been available this year for hygienic research and has gone to Dr. Torrey for his work on the gonococcus.

#### INTERCOLLEGIATE NOTES

Michigan's former students now number 60,463. Of these 49,043 are living. Of the living for whom the eatalogue office has addresses there are 43,833, 35,552 men and 7,138 women in America and 940 men and 153 women abroad.

LOTUS D. COFFMAN has been elected president of the University of Minnesota. Since 1915 he has been dean of its College of Education. He is a graduate of Indiana University and Columbia (Ph. D. '11), and widely known as a specialist in education.

AT YALE the expenses of Jeremiah Evarts, class of 1802, from November 19, 1798, to September 9, 1802, in New Haven were \$704.09. Board averaged about \$1.95 a week. For dancing school and balls he spent \$7.06; for shows, 75 cents. \$86.79 went for tuition, \$54.83 for books, \$3.97 for dentist's and barber's services, \$52.67 for fruit, cakes, beer, wine, cider, meat, etc., \$12.06 for physician and medicine. Some items, such as clothing purchased outside New Haven (less than \$150), and extra medicine, etc. (\$25), are not included in the above figures; but the grand total was well under \$1,000.

Toronto will on June 3 confer the degree of LL.D. on Dean Bernhard E. Fernow, "the Nestor of forestry practice on the American Continent."

# ATHLETICS

#### Penn Wins Intercollegiates

Cornell unexpectedly proved the cause of Pennsylvania's winning the Forty-Fourth Annual Track and Field Championship at Franklin Field, Philadelphia, last Saturday. Penn was hard pushed by Princeton throughout the meet. The unexpectedly strong showing of Cornell's low hurdlers, shutting out the Princetonian hurdler, Erdman, in the semifinals and taking three of the five places in the event, enabled Penn to take the meet by the narrow margin of 11/2 points. The meet, the closest in years, was won in the last event of the day, the 220-yard dash, Pennsylvania taking four points, to Princeton's six, enough to win the meet.

Cornell's most noticeable weakness was in the distance runs. One point in the mile and two-mile runs was her total, in the events where fifteen points, for the two races, has been regarded as a modest Cornell win, and those four-teen points would have won the meet. This weakness was not unexpected. The loss of cross country races last fall showed plainly that a new lot of distance men would have to be developed and they did not come through during the present year.

Other weaknesses, of course, contributed to this, the first loss of the championship since 1913, and the fifth in fifteen years. No points were won in the sprints or weights; a third place in the high jump was the total for the three jumps; not a winner in any event,

and only one point in the distance runs. In the high hurdles, Smith of Cornell took second place to Thomson of Dartmouth, who set a new world's record for the event, 14%. In the 'ow hurdles Smith, Watt, and Bickford trailed Wells of Stanford and Thomson of Dartmouth.

In the quarter, John, the Cornell sophomore, came in fourth in a fast field headed by Hendrixson of California, with Eby and Maxam of Penn second and third. In the half Mayer, the Cornell captain, lost out by a few feet to Eby of Penn after coming into the stretch ahead of the crowd.

Strickler, another Cornell sophomore, came in fifth in the mile, in a field of fast performers, winning his C for the first time. In the high jump, Ramsey, a junior, took third for Cornell, the winner, Landon of Yale, breaking the I. C. A. A. A. A. record with a jump of 6 feet 4 inches, with Templeton of Stanford second, one inch lower, Ramsey clearing 6 feet 1 inch.

With the exceptions of Ramsey, Strickler, and John, the Cornell point winners are all in their last year of athletic competition.

The summary:

100-yard dash: won by Brown, Princeton; second, Gourdin, Harvard; third, Wells, Stanford; fourth, DeWitt, Rutgers; fifth, Clark, Princeton; time, 10% seconds.

220-yard dash: won by Brown, Princeton; second, Maxam, Penn; third, Hendrixson, California; fourth, Clark, Princeton; fifth, Shea, Pittsburgh; time, 21% seconds.

440-yard dash: won by Hendrixson, California; second, Maxam, Penn; third, Eby, Penn; fourth, John, Cornell; fifth, Driscoll, Boston University; time, 48% seconds.

Half-mile run: won by Eby, Penn; second, Mayer, Cornell; third, Sprott, California; fourth, Murray, Princeton; fifth, Brown, Penn; time, 1.58.

Mile run: won by Shields, Penn State; second, Brown, Penn; third, Crawford, Lafayette; fourth, Goodwin, Bowdoin; fifth, Strickler, Cornell; time, 4.22%.

Two-mile run: won by Brown, Williams; second, Swede, Princeton; third, MacMahon, Mass. Tech.: fourth, Crofts, Williams; fifth, Romig, Penn State; time, 9.27%.

120-yard hurdles: won by Thomson, Dartmouth; second, Smith, Cornell; third, Erdman, Princeton; fourth, Trowbridge, Princeton; fifth, Massey, Princeton; time, 14% seconds.

220-yard hurdles: won by Wells, Stanford; second, Thomson, Dartmouth; third, Smith, Cornell; fourth, Watt, Cornell; fifth, Bickford, Cornell; time, 23 % seconds.

Shot put: won by Cann, New York

University; second, Shelbourne, Dartmouth; third, Halsey, Princeton; fourth, Nichols, Brown; fifth, Majors, California; 45 feet, 10½ inches.

Hammer throw: won by Merchant, California; second, Danrow, Mass. Tech.; third, Wield, Dartmouth; fourth, Cubbage, Penn State; fifth, Speers, Princeton; 150 feet, 2¾ inches.

Broad jump: won by Landers, Penn; second, Gourdin, Harvard; third, Templeton, Stanford; fourth, Wray, Penn State; fifth, Merchant, California; 23 feet, 8 inches.

High jump: won by Landon, Yale; second, Templeton, Stanford; third, Ramsey, Cornell; fourth, tie between Clark, Amherst, and Hampton, Penn; 6 feet 4 inches.

Pole vault: won by Myers, Dartmouth; second, tie between Landers, Penn, Jordan, Dartmouth, and Harwood, Harvard; fifth, tie between Peterson, California, and Webber, Yale; 12 feet, 6 inches.

Points: Pennsylvania 30½; Princeton 29; Dartmouth 24; Cornell 20; California 18½; Stanford 15; Harvard 11; Penn State 10; M. I. T. 7; Williams 7; Yale 5½; N. Y. U. 5; Lafayette 3; Bowdoin 2; Brown 2; Rutgers 2; Amherst 1½; Pittsburgh 1; Boston 1.

#### Baseball Team Improves

Coach Henry gave the varsity nine a thorough shake-up for the Bucknell game on May 26, with the result that the team has been working more smoothly. All members of the senior class except the catcher, Wincor, were benched. Wincor played because the other catchers were a senior and a sophomore who is on the hospital list. The policy was adopted in order to develop next year's team, hope for a champion this year being abandoned.

# Cornell 5-Bucknell 4

The reorganized team played good ball, although somewhat weakened by the change, and defeated Bucknell in a twelve-inning game.

A walk, a sacrifice, an infield out, and a hit gave Calhoun, for the visitors, their first run in the first inning.

Cornell came back in the second, filling the bases, on a hit by a pitched ball, a fumble, and a single. Cowan's single scored Mayer and Shepard. Spiers brought home Fritz and Cowan.

Bucknell tied the score in the third, three runs resulting from an error, a single, a fumble, and another single.





TWO VIEWS OF THE ST. LOUIS TRACK TROPHY

This cup, presented by the Cornell Club of St. Louis to the St. Louis high schools two weeks ago to stimulate competition in track athletics, was won on Saturday by the Soldan High School. Five wins give permanent possession.

No further scoring was done until the twelfth when Bucknell, in an effort to make a double play, let Spiers through to third. Wolf hit to left, scoring the winning run.

Andrews, who pitched the twelve innings, struck out seven and allowed three bases on balls and nine hits. The new combination made four errors.

#### Cornell 6-Pennsylvania 3

With the same battery that worked in the Bucknell game but with three of the benched seniors back in the game, Cornell trimmed Penn on Saturday with a score of 6 to 3.

In the first inning Spiers and Murphy walked and two sacrifice hits advanced the runners, scoring Spiers.

Penn tied in the fourth, when Shriver made first on a poor throw, advanced on a sacrifice and an infielder's error, and scored on a wild pitch.

In the fifth Cornell scored five runs. The first three batters each singled, filling the bases. A two-bagger by Spiers scored Cowan and Wincor, advancing Andrews to third, who scored on a sacrifice fly. A home run by Mayer cleaned the sacks, scoring two more. Strickland was sent in by Penn to relieve Sheffey and ended Cornell's scoring for the game.

In the ninth Penn scored two, leaving the score at 6 to 3. A base on balls, a hit, and a sacrifice hit put runners on second and third. Two hits brought them home, after which Andrews tightened and ended the scoring.

# Athletic Notes

The tennis team, handicapped by the absence of Captain Reid last Thursday, lost all six matches to the strong team of the University of California. The following day at Philadelphia, the team defeated University of Pennsylvania 4 to 2. Reid, whose arm was broken, was able to play against Penn, carrying his left arm in a sling.

The freshman baseball team lost to Ithaca High School last Wednesday 10 to 5, losing again on Saturday to the Penn freshmen 6-2.

The Sibley College track team won the Intercollege meet on Friday by a top-heavy score. The points were distributed as follows: M. E. 72½; Ag. 16½; C. E. 14; Chem. 13; Arts 11; Arch. 5; Vet. 3.

A picked team from the Buffalo high schools met defeat at the hands of the freshman track team Saturday by the score of 71-37.

# **ALUMNI NOTES**

'74 BS-Professor Herman L. Fairchild, head of the department of geology and curator of the geological museum at the University of Rochester, reached his seventieth birthday on April 29 and will retire from active service at the close of the academic year. On the morning of his birthday his entry into the chapel in Anderson Hall was greeted with applause, and gifts from his classes and the faculty were presented by President Rush Rhees and Professor John R. Slater, the latter of whom in connection with his remarks read an original poem written for the occasion. After teaching natural science at Wyoming Seminary for two years Dr. Fairchild went to the New York schools as lecturer on natural science and geology. From 1878 to 1888 he lectured also at Cooper Union. He went to Rochester in 1888, and has taught there continuously for thirty-two years. He was president of the Rochester Academy of Science from 1889 to 1891, secretary of the Geological Society of America from 1890 to 1906, and president in 1912. In 1898 he served as chairman of a section of geology for the American Association for the Advancement of Science. He has written over one hundred and fifty scientific monographs.

'92 AB—L. Carroll Root, who has been for several years associated with the firm of Isidore Newman and Son, of which Jacob K. Newman '92 is a member, has recently been admitted as a partner in the business, which will continue under the same name. The office is at 212 Carondelet Street, New Crleans.

'96-William A. Baldwin is manager of the Ohio region of the Eric Railroad, with headquarters at Youngstown, Ohio. Baldwin has served with the Erie continuously since his graduation, first as chairman, and later as rodman, assistant engineer, trainmaster, division engineer. In 1910 he was made superintendent of the Chicago and Lima divisions, and in May, 1912, he was transferred to the Jefferson and Delaware divisions. Afterwards he was promoted to general superintendent of the lines east of Salamanca, and in 1917 was transferred to the lines west, with headquarter's at Youngstown. In June, 1918, he was appointed transportation assistant, with jurisdiction over transportation matters formerly in charge of the general manager, and a month later was appointed general manager.

'99 BS-Henry A. Porter, of Pittsburgh, has announced his candidacy for one of the four Republican nominations for representative in the 11th Legislative District. Porter returned to Pittsburgh immediately after his graduation, and began work with the Fidelity Title and Trust Company, and at the same time registered as a law student under the head of the title department. In 1902 he took a position with the Wabash Railroad, and in 1906 became associated with the Pittsburgh Coal Company, being admitted to the bar in the same year. He is at present a practicing attorney, and lives at 49 Oakwood Road, Crafton, Pittsburgh. He is married and has three children.

'00—C. Colton Daughaday's address is changed to Room 906, 168 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Ill.; he is still with Daughaday and Company, publishers.

'02 ME — Warren B. Flanders has been transferred to the South Philadelphia works of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, Lester, Pa

'05 AB—William W. Gail has been elected president of the Billings, Montana, Rotary Club, following a year's term as vice-president. He is engaged in a general advertising business in Billings, with offices at 211-12 Stapleton Block, and recently opened a branch office at Lewiston, center of the present Montana oil activity.

'05 AB-Mr. and Mrs. George C. Ames have announced the engagement of their sister, Miss Charlotte Hurlbut Chambers, to George Leal Genung, Justice of the Municipal Court of the City of New York. Miss Chambers is a daughter of the late Doctor and Mrs. Matthew Stodart Chambers, of New York. The wedding will take place on Saturday, June 5, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William C. Dickey, 128 East Fifty-third Street, New York. Owing to the recent death of the bride's mother, only relatives and a few intimate friends will be present.

'07—Charles M. Wood, formerly sales engineer for the H. W. Johns-Manville Company, has been placed in charge of the recently established good roads bureau of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber

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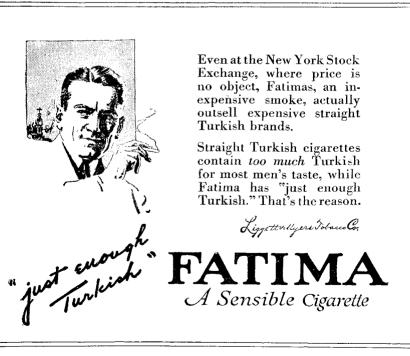
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Company, of Akron, Ohio, and will devote his entire time to its work throughout the United States. For eight years after leaving Cornell, Wood was engaged in engineering work; then for two and a half years he was engaged in sales engineering work for a Chicago cement company, and later was department manager for the Portland Cement Association. This new department has been created to work for the promotion of good roads, paying especial attention to seeing that hard-surfaced roads are so constructed that they will be adequate for the needs of transportation in future years, that they are wide enough for trucks to pass without getting off the hard surface, that there is proper road drainage, and that foundations are laid correctly. Wood has spent some time in Washington in conference with E. B. Smith, testing engineer of the Bureau of Public Roads, and they will endeavor to determine the destructive effects of impact forces upon road surfaces, and to ascertain proper road surfaces, type of construction, and foundation best suited to withstand such impacts and to increase road durability.



107 LLB—The firm of Taylor, Metcalfe and Roberts, of which Winthrop Taylor is a member, announces the removal of its law offices to the eighth floor of 56 Pine Street, New York.

'07 ME—Arthur Knapp is general manager of the Bar Brazos River Oil Corporation, Shreveport, La.; his address is 230 Wall Street.

'08 ME—Edward McFarlan and Miss Marjorie Walker were married on June 2 at the Old First Reformed Church, Brooklyn. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell S. Walker, of Brooklyn, and is a graduate of Packer Institute, class of 1913.

108 CE—Invitations have been issued for 'the marriage of Miss Charlotte Foote Torrey to John Wright Taussig, on Monday, June 14, at the Hotel St. Regis, New York.

'09 CE—Mr. and Mrs. George R. B. Symonds (Claire L. Southworth '08) are now living at 39 Wayne Place, Nutley, N. J.; Symonds is town engineer for the town of Nutley.

109 ME—Grandon D. Gates has resigned his position as assistant works superintendent of the Celluloid Company, of Newark, N. J., and after June I will be associated with the Davis-Watkins Manufacturing Company, of Derby, Conn., as general manager.

'10 CE—Since his graduation, Allan I. Trimpi has been engaged in bridge building and concrete construction. This note corrects an error which appeared in a recent issue of the ALUMNI NEWS.

'10—Thomas R. Rollo has resigned his position with the Hurley Machine Company, of Chicago, and has recently assumed new duties as advertising manager of the Belden Manufacturing Company, of Chicago.

''11 ME-Major Earl J. Atkisson, instructor in chemical warfare and engineering at Camp Benning, Ga., who organized the 1st Gas Regiment, which he commanded during the war, receiving the Distinguished Service Cross for his service, has been detached to take charge of the Edgewood Arsenal, C. W. S.

'11 CE—Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. MacLeod, 4947 Kimbark Avenue, Chicago, announce the birth of a son on April 11. He has been named Norman Langley MacLeod, jr.

'11 AB—Raymond H. Fuller has been elected president of the St. John's So-

ciety, the student association of the Episcopal Theological School, Cambridge, Mass., for the year 1920-21. He lives at 36 Lawrence Hall, Cambridge.

'12-Donald G. Monroe has been transferred to the Syracuse office of the Semet-Solvay Company.

'12 CE—Robert L. James is in the foreign service of the Vacuum Oil Company, stationed at Lisbon, Portugal. His address is in care of the company, 39, Rua da Horta Secca, Lisbon.

'13 BS, '19 PhD; '15 AB—A daughter, Kathleen Fordyce Fox, was born on January 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel S. Fox (Grace Fordyce '15), of State College, Pa. After June 10, Fox will be engaged in extension work at the University of California; his address will be in care of the Farm Bureau, San Bernardino.

'13—Donald B. Macdonald is with the Macdonald Improvement Company, 300 Builders Exchange, Minneapolis, engaged in building houses. His home address is 100 West Fifty-second Street.

'13 CE—Lawrence Spalding was married on April 28 to Miss Lillian Cartwright, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin T. Cartwright, of Greenville, Pa.

'13 AB, BSA-At New Springfield, Ohio, on May 25, Lieut. LaFayette W. Argetsinger, jr., was married to Miss Beatrice Magdalene Hobson, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John Hobson, of New Springfield. The ceremony was performed by the bride's grandfather, the Rev. C. C. Pfund, of Des Moines, Iowa, assisted by her father. J. Cameron Argetsinger '05, was his brother's best man, and Mrs. J. C. Argetsinger (Lulu M. Williams '11), Edward B. Billings, jr., '14, and T. Burr Charles '15 were among the guests. After an extended trip to Washington, D. C., New York, Ithaca, and Watkins Glen, Lieutenant and Mrs. Argetsinger will reside at 394 West Norwood Avenue, Youngstown, Ohio, in which city he has bis headquarters as division claim agent for the Erie Railroad Company.

'14—Burton W. Brodt is sales engineer with the American Autoparts Company, of Detroit. He lives at 510 East Jefferson Avenue.

'14 BArch—Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bleecker, of New York, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret, to Roland E. Coate, of Richmond, Ind.

'14 CE—Captain Roy D. Burdick has been transferred from Fort McKinley, Maine, to Fort Kamehameha, Hawaii.

'14 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Edward K. Roth, of Tulsa, Okla., announce the birth of their daughter, Hane Connely, on March 29.

'15—Elmer R. Zimmer, manager of the Tioga County Farm Bureau, has been elected secretary of the newly organized New York Holstein-Friesian Association, and has opened the executive offices in Syracuse. Zimmer has been in charge of the Tioga County Bureau since 1916, and during that time he has increased the membership of the organization from 225 to 1977, which in proportion to the number of farms in the county was the highest membership in the State last year.

'15 AB—A daughter, Nancy, was born on May 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Parrish (Elsa C. Cornell '15), of Cambridge, N. Y. They also have a son, Greame F. Parrish, nineteen months old

'15 ME-Francis D. Martin is now with the Acheson Graphite Company, of Niagara Falls, N. Y.; he lives at 170 Buffalo Avenue.

'15 AB; '15-17 G-Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert J. Rich announce the birth of a son, Joseph McElroy Rich, on May 10; they live at 838 West Thirty-first Street, Des Moines, Iowa.

'15 AB—Frank A. Gerould is in the Milwaukee office of A. G. Spalding and Bros., 379 East Water Street.

'16 BS—Russell B. Bean is in the department of promotion of the "Automatic" Sprinkler Company of America, 123 William Street, New York. He has only recently returned to the United States, having gone after the armistice to the Balkans, where he was engaged in relief work. He may be addressed in care of H. P. Gue, 55 Pineapple Street, Brooklyn.

'16 ME—Ronald Hart is assistant heating and ventilating engineer with Westinghouse, Church, Kerr & Company, of New York; he lives at 494 Jamaica Avenue, Brooklyn.

'16 BS--Mr. and Mrs. Clarence J. Housman, of New York, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Virginia H. Housman, to Frederick Spiegelberg, jr. Miss Housman is a graduate of Tewkesbury School, White Plains. Spiegelberg's address is 36 West Seventy-sixth Street, New York.

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'16 AB—John M. Van Horson is in the Rochester, N. Y., office of the "Automatic" Sprinkler Company of America, 332 Granite Building.

'17 BS—Ivan H. Budd was married on April 24 to Miss Dorothy B. Ahlborn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ahlborn, of New York. Budd is an officer in the New Jersey Department of Health.

'17 BS — Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss G. Marion Hess to Roy W. Shaver, of Lyons Falls, N. Y., a construction engineer at present engaged in building a paper mill at Escanaba, Mich. Miss Hess has resigned her position as home demonstration agent in Oneida County, N. Y., and is spending some time at Lake Kushaqua, N. Y.

'17 BS—A son, David, was born in March, 1919, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph A. Van Meter (Eudora F. Tuttle '17), of Amherst, Mass. Van Meter is a member of the extension staff of the Massachusetts Agricultural College.

'18 BChem-A son, Don Allan, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Stouffer

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'18 CE—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clappison have announced the marriage of their daughter, Lillian Irene, to Ross W. McKinstry on May 11, at the First Methodist Church, Hamilton, Canada.

'18 AB—Wesley M. Dixon is in the sales department of the Cornell Wood Products Company, Chicago; the company's mill is located at Cornell, Wis., where Ezra Cornell held a great deal of land, and which was named for him. Dixon lives at 720 Eric Street, Oak Park, Ill.

'18—John L. Dole is secretary and sales manager of the Dole Valve Company, of Chicago, Ill.

'18—Louis M. Bloch is supervisor and an instructor in the Western Pennsylvania Institute for the Blind; he lives at 201 Bellefield Avenue, Pittsburgh.

'21—Conrad H. Mumber is manager of a blue print plant at Los Angeles, Calif. His address is 311 South Beacon Street.

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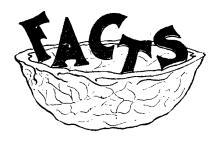
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