

# CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS



Daylight Saving Schedule Adopted  
for all University Activities  
Effective May 1

Baseball Team Loses to Villanova—  
Princeton Game Called Off—  
Lacrosse Team Wins

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## Recall Founder's Coming

**Ezra Cornell Arrived in Ithaca in April,  
100 Years Ago—Had Tool Chest  
and \$15 in Pocket**

Wednesday, April 18, marked the one-hundredth anniversary of the arrival of Ezra Cornell, founder of Cornell University, in Ithaca. On the evidence at hand, he walked or rode into the village with a parcel containing his spare suit of clothes and his tools and with \$15 in cash in his pockets.

The Founder himself, in an autobiographical letter, says that he came to Ithaca in April, 1828, and his son, Alonzo B. Cornell, in a biography which he wrote of his father, establishes the date of his coming as April 18, 1828.

Mr. Cornell's first employment here was by Ira Tillotson, a local contractor, who had built the Presbyterian Church and was constructing, in 1828, an elaborate residence for Francis A. Bloodgood, a nephew of Simeon DeWitt, who had recently moved here from Utica and was soon to become the first president of the Ithaca and Owego railroad, chartered in that same year. This house, bearing the earliest handiwork of Ezra Cornell in Ithaca, long stood at the corner of Clinton and Geneva Streets, whence it was removed several years ago to make room for the St. John School. Then Mr. Cornell worked on the Baptist Church in DeWitt Park.

Professor Charles H. Hull '86, who is an authority on old Ithaca and Cornell history, cooperated in the collection of the following facts concerning Ezra Cornell's arrival:

There is probably no contemporary record of Ezra Cornell's coming to Ithaca in 1828. Ithaca was then a village of some 4,000 inhabitants. Two newspapers were published in it—the "Journal" and the "Chronicle"; but the editors, like others of that day, had not learned the trick of selling their sheets by printing the names of possible purchasers, and the arrival, from DeRuyter, of a young mechanic toting his tools and his wardrobe, would not have appealed to them as news even if they had been aware of it.

The earliest known mention of Ezra Cornell's being here is found, therefore, in a letter dated "Ithaca, March 8, 1831," which tells his "Honour'd Father" how he is "about to form a matrimonial connection with Miss Mary Ann Wood" and "would be glad if it were so that thee and mother could be here but the going is so

bad I shan't look for thee." However, we are not left in entire doubt as to the date.

In an autobiographical letter which the Rev. Dr. Prime, the biographer of S. F. B. Morse, elicited from him in 1873, Mr. Cornell says, "The Summer I was 20 years old, I engaged in the machine shop of William Turner in Homer, Cortland County, New York, at making wool carding machines, worked there until the next April when I came to Ithaca and engaged to work in the machine shop of the cotton factory of Otsi Eddy, which then occupied the exact ground upon which one of the buildings of Cornell University (i.e., Cascadilla Place) now stands. When I thus reached Ithaca in 1828, I had a spare suit of clothes and \$15 in cash, and here my life commenced, all former was preliminary." It will be noticed, however, that Mr. Cornell does not give the day in April when he came, nor does he, in this summary narrative, mention his first brief employment here.

## PLANS CANCER RESEARCH

Dr. George Pack, professor of pathology of the school of medicine of the University of Alabama, has resigned to do research work in cancer diagnosis and surgery in the Cornell Medical School in New York next year. He will conduct this research in the Memorial Hospital for malignant diseases in New York.

He is a graduate of Ohio State University and of the Curie Institute of the University of Paris. He took the degree of Doctor of Medicine at Yale University.

## WINS MORRISON PRIZE

The James T. Morrison poetry prize for 1928 has been awarded to William B. Wilcox '28 of Ithaca, son of Professor and Mrs. Walter F. Wilcox. Honorable mention was given to Elvin Abeles '28 of New York, Jeanne M. Danforth '30 of Pittsburgh, Pa., and James B. Gitlitz '30 of Binghamton.

SEVEN JUNIORS have been elected to Helios, senior society in agriculture. They are Harold F. Dorn of Brooktondale, Russell E. Dudley of Lyons, Robert A. Dyer of Berne, Walter E. Fleischer of Albany, Merle J. Kelly of Lysander, Earl J. Mortimer of Stafford, and Marvin L. Smith of Albany.

TOWELS AND DRYING ROOM equipment in Schoellkopf Hall, valued at \$50, were destroyed by fire April 16. An overheated boiler caused the fire. The drying room itself was not damaged.

## Adopt Daylight Saving

**Classes to Start an Hour Earlier from  
May 1 to Thanksgiving—Faculty  
Approves the Change**

Daylight saving will go into effect for all activities at Cornell on May 1, the University Faculty decided at its meeting on April 18 in considering a resolution offered by the Committee on University policy.

The change in times of classes and other activities will be made by advancing the clock one hour, and all schedules will be maintained on the same hours as are now in effect.

The daylight saving schedule will be in force until Thanksgiving recess. In future years, the new schedule will be operated from the Spring recess to the Thanksgiving recess.

The resolution adopted reads:

"Whereas, since March 1926 the problem of the earlier closing of afternoon classes has been under consideration, be it now

"Resolved, that all University exercises between the Spring Recess and the Thanksgiving Recess be put on a daylight-saving schedule one hour in advance of Eastern Standard Time, and be it further

"Resolved, that such a schedule be adopted for the present calendar year, to be put into effect May 1st."

The City of Ithaca, according to present indications, will remain on Eastern Standard Time. Relating University activities to Eastern Standard Time, first classes will begin at 7 a. m.

The new schedule will permit the student body more hours of recreation by bringing about an earlier afternoon closing hour. It will especially permit the athletic squads to practice with the advantage of an extra hour of daylight.

The question of earlier afternoon closing was first considered by the alumni at the Philadelphia convention in 1926, and a committee was appointed to make recommendations. That committee reported progress at the St. Louis convention last year.

THE BOARD of editors of *The Cornell Law Quarterly* for the coming year will be composed of Maxwell H. Tretter '29 of Brooklyn, editor-in-chief, Sidney J. Berger '29 of Peekskill, business manager, Edward Michael Boyne '29 of Philmont, managing editor, and Curtis S. Bates '29 of Springville.

## THE CLUBS

### New York

On Wednesday evening, April 11, in the crowded rooms of the Cornell Club of New York, Dr. Wilfred H. Osgood, curator of Zoology at the Field Museum, dedicated his lecture on the *Chicago Daily News* Field Museum Expedition to Abyssinia to the memory of Louis Agassiz Fuertes '97. As ornithologist of the expedition Fuertes had been Dr. Osgood's companion for eight months until the end of May, 1927.

Dr. Osgood gave a résumé of their trip of over 2,000 miles through ancient Ethiopia, illustrating his talk with lantern slides and moving pictures. Some of the slides used have been made from sketches made on the scene by Fuertes.

Dr. Osgood paid high tribute to the great service rendered by Fuertes, not merely as a scientist, but as a leader and diplomat. It is needless to observe that his keen wit and vivacity contributed greatly toward the fine morale of the expedition. When the party ran out of small arms and other gifts for the tribes that were visited, Fuertes painted portraits for the chiefs, and thus avoided embarrassment and difficulties. In fact, Dr. Osgood declared, Louis' energy, enthusiasm, and ingenuity were largely responsible for inducing him to undertake the project.

### Plainfield

The Cornell Club of Plainfield met on April 11 at the home of Donald F. McClure '18, president of the club. The speaker of the evening was Maxwell M. Upson '99 of New York, alumni trustee, who told of recent developments at the University of particular interest to alumni. Motion pictures were shown sent down from Ithaca by the Alumni Representative.

### Harrisburg, Pa.

Walter Johnston '12, president, and John W. Magoun '12, secretary-treasurer, have arranged a new series of monthly luncheons for the Cornell Club of Harrisburg. Those attending the luncheon of March 14, besides the officers were: Dr. George H. Ashley '90, Ralph J. Ferris '07, John R. Hoffert '11, James S. Champion '23, Harvey E. Gayman '16, Herman A. Hanemann '17, Victor J. Snyder '22, Edward J. Lawless, Jr. '24, Charles H. Adler '24, and Robert P. Mason '25. The next luncheon was scheduled for April 18.

### Miami, Fla.

The annual dinner and election of the Cornell Club of Southern Florida took place on March 31, at the Hotel Alcazar, Miami. Among the diners was Charles C. Chillingworth '90 of West Palm Beach. The speakers were William T. Yale '97

and Charles G. Hancock '02. Hancock told of the elaborate preparations for the Shriners' Convention to be held in Miami May 1-3. The following officers were elected: H. Roger Jones '06, president; Lawrence W. Boynton '00, vice-president; Russell T. Pancoast '22, secretary and treasurer.

### Atlanta

At a recent meeting the Cornell Club of Atlanta elected the following officers: Elbert P. Tuttle '18, president; Alexander C. Morgan '23, vice-president; J. Epps Brown '26, secretary and treasurer.

## ATHLETICS

### Villanova Wins, 7-3

Cornell lost to Villanova, 7-3, in the second home game of the season on Hoy Field April 18, when the visitors took advantage of Red and White errors in the first and third innings to pile up a four-run lead.

The second game of the week, with Princeton on April 21, was called in the third inning on account of rain after the Tigers had scored a run in the opening frame.

The Villanova game saw Cornell exceptionally ragged in the field. The first three visiting batsmen made first base on errors, one by Debenhardt at first and two by Hebert at third base. Hebert's second error, a wild throw over Debenhardt's head, let in two runs.

Lewis pitched well, in spite of poor support, until the eighth inning, when he was found for four hits, which, with two passes, gave Villanova three runs and settled the issue. Cornell scored a run in the fourth and two more in the seventh to make the outcome doubtful until Villanova's hitting streak.

Cornell's tally in the fourth was the first earned run of the game, after three more red and White errors in the third gave Villanova its fourth score. Hebert tripled and scored on McConnell's in-field out.

Donnelly, hitting for Degenhardt in the seventh, singled and Steiff walked. Gillespie threw wide of first to catch Steiff off the base and Donnelly scored. Lewis, with his second single of the game, scored Steiff.

The box score:

#### Villanova (7)

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Burnes, ss.	3	1	1	1	1	0
Curtin, 1b.	4	2	0	5	1	0
Melanson, cf.	4	1	0	3	0	0
Gillespie, c.	4	1	2	9	0	1
McAndrews, lf.	4	0	1	1	0	1
Cummings, 3b.	5	1	2	0	3	1
Flanagan, rf.	4	1	1	4	0	0
Deluca, 2b.	4	0	1	3	1	0
Hensil, p.	4	0	2	1	1	0
Totals	36	7	10	27	7	3

#### Cornell (3)

	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Cooper, lf.	4	0	0	2	0	1
Hebert, 3b.	4	1	2	2	3	3
McConnell, cf.	4	0	1	3	0	0
Balderston, ss.	4	0	0	4	1	1
Crosby, rf.	4	0	0	3	0	0
Degenhardt, 1b.	2	0	0	5	0	1
Steiff, 2b.	2	1	0	2	2	1
Giehner, c.	3	0	0	3	3	0
Lewis, p.	4	0	2	1	2	0
*Donnelly	1	1	1	0	0	0
Hall, 1b.	1	0	1	2	1	0
**Long	1	0	0	0	0	0
***Hanselman	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	3	7	27	12	7

\*—batted for Degenhardt in 7th.

\*\*—batted for Steiff in 9th.

\*\*\*—batted for Giehner in 9th.

Score by innings:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Villanova	3	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	—7
Cornell	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	—3

Summary: Three-base hit, Hebert. Sacrifice hits, Gillespie, McConnell. Stolen base, McAndrews. Double plays, Crosby to Giehner to Hebert, Hebert to Balderston. Bases on balls, off Hensil 1, off Lewis 5. Struck out, by Hensil 6, by Lewis 3. Time of game, 2:08. Umpires, Herold and Divinney.

### Lacrosse Team Wins

The lacrosse team opened its season April 21 with a 3-2 victory over the Penn State twelve at State College. All goals were scored in the first half, and Cornell's fine defensive play prevented the Nittany Lions from threatening in the second half.

White, Cornell's first attack, tallied the first goal within seven minutes of play, but Penn State came back with two scores by Belfield and Elser to take the lead. Salisbury, Cornell out home, tied the score, and Captain Harrison, second attack, scored the winning tally with a shot one minute before the close of the first half.

### Rain Stops Tennis

With four singles matches completed, rain halted the Cornell-Columbia team tennis match on the Baker Courts April 21, with the Red and White leading, 3-1. Levin defeated Tschorn, 6-2, 10-8, Custer defeated Brill, 6-0, 6-3, and Dietrich defeated Sheshunoff, 6-0, 6-2, for Cornell's points. Bowden of Columbia won his match with Bicket, 6-3, 6-3.

MISS KATHERINE WORDEN, of Ithaca, for some years a cataloguer in the Library, was married on March 31 to Lewis S. Crutts of Cortland. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, Rev. Sylvanus A. Worden, who was formerly connected with the Museum of Casts. The couple will live in Cortland.

PROFESSOR CHARLES R. STOCKARD of the Medical College in New York was to speak on April 19 before the American Philosophical Society at its meeting in Philadelphia on "The Probable Role of Internal Secretions in Structure and Growth as Illustrated by Breeds of Dogs and Peculiar Types of Man."

### PHI BETA KAPPA ELECTIONS

Fifty-five undergraduates, two members of the Faculty, and one graduate student on April 13 were elected to Phi Beta Kappa. The list follows:

#### FACULTY

Thomas Frederick Tout, University of Manchester, England, Messenger Lecturer.  
Frederick Clarke Prescott, professor of English.

#### GRADUATE STUDENT

Milton David Marx, A.M. '21 Ph.D. '27, Highland Park, Mich., instructor in English.

#### SENIORS

John Charles Bagley, Catskill.  
Marcus Bassevitch, Hartford, Conn.  
William Sidney Benedict, Lake Linden, Mich.  
Sidney Charles Bernstein, New York.  
Samuel Blinkoff, Buffalo.  
John Tudor Bowen, Newton, Mass.  
Margaret Elizabeth Bradley, Interlaken.  
Florence Edith Darnell, Batavia.  
Wilmer Cornell Dechert, Harrisonburg, Va.  
Howard Engle, Jersey City, N. J.  
Carrie Fabrikant, New York.  
William Stokes Farrell, Miller Place.  
Ernest Bliss Finch, Athens, Pa.  
Louis Jack Friedenberg, New York.  
Marcus Siegfried Friedlander, New York.  
Fanny Jeanne Getlen, Dunkirk.  
Jeannette Hanford, Ithaca.  
Helen Elizabeth Hart, Mount Kisco.  
Barnard Wolcott Hewitt, North Tonawanda.  
Frederick Wendell Huntington, Webster Groves, Mo.  
Harriet Lange, Ithaca.  
Howard Sidney Levie, New York.  
Leo Liberman, Brooklyn.  
Irving Milton Maron, Mount Vernon.  
Frances de Gray Mount, Brooklyn.  
Spencer Myers, Ossining.  
Jerome Milton Nathanson, Chicago, Ill.  
John Mason Parker, 3d, Owego.

Robert Pomerance, New York.  
Isham Railey, Los Altos, Ala.  
Edward Joy Scheidenhelm, Wilmette, Ill.  
Frances May Shattuck, Poughkeepsie.  
Dorothy Sloan, East Rochester.  
Charles Snitow, New York.  
James Henry Stack, Cold Spring Harbor.  
Margaret Ashton Stansfield, Port Jervis.  
Joseph George Stein, Brooklyn.  
George Horsley Tyler, Ithaca.  
Elizabeth Gertrude Warren, Albion.  
John Henry Weidner, Brooklyn.  
William Bradford Willcox, Ithaca.  
Anna May Williams, Tamaqua, Pa.

#### JUNIORS

Robert Horton Cameron, Richmond Hill.  
Violet Louise Dvorak, East Northport.  
Morris Glushien, Brooklyn.  
Walter Gompertz, West Pittston, Pa.  
Carol Henrietta Henrich, Buffalo.  
Margaret Shaw Herring, Gouverneur.  
Charlotte Lucile Ingalls, West New Brighton.  
Carl Conrad Janowsky, Glendale.  
Hugo Bernard Pladeck, Elmhurst.  
Elfrieda Emma Pope, Ithaca.  
Mary Kathleen Ruefle, North Troy.  
Eunice Minette Schuster, Ithaca.  
Olga Johanna Weber, New York.

Of the seniors Miss Bradley is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma, Miss Hanford of Alpha Xi Delta, Miss Mount of Alpha Omicron Pi, Bowen of Pi Kappa Alpha, Dechert (a grandson of Ezra Cornell) of Delta Upsilon, Finch of Scorpion, Friedenberg of Zeta Beta Tau, Friedlander of Pi Lambda Phi, Hewitt of Kappa Sigma, Myers of Omicron Alpha Tau, Parker of Psi Upsilon, Railey of Telluride, Scheidenhelm of Sigma Phi, Stack of Theta Kappa Phi, Weidner of Delta Sigma Phi, and Willcox (a son of Professor and Mrs. Walter F. Willcox) of Psi Upsilon. Of the juniors Gompertz is a member of Zeta Beta Tau, Miss Pope (a daughter of Professor and Mrs. Paul Pope) of Pi Beta Phi, and Miss Ingalls and Miss Ruefle of Chi Omega.

### CORNELL DEBATERS WIN

A unique method of judging the result of an intercollegiate debate was employed when Cornell and Williams discussed the question, "Resolved, that Smith is to be preferred to Hoover for the next president," on April 21. Cornell upheld the affirmative.

Before the debate opened, the members of the audience voted for the candidates. Fifty-seven expressed a preference for Hoover, nineteen for Smith, and twenty-six were undecided. At the conclusion of the debate, the vote was again taken with this result: Hoover, fifty-six; Smith, thirty-five, and undecided, eleven. The result showed a gain of sixteen for Smith, achieved by winning over one Hoover supporter and by convincing fifteen previously undecided voters.

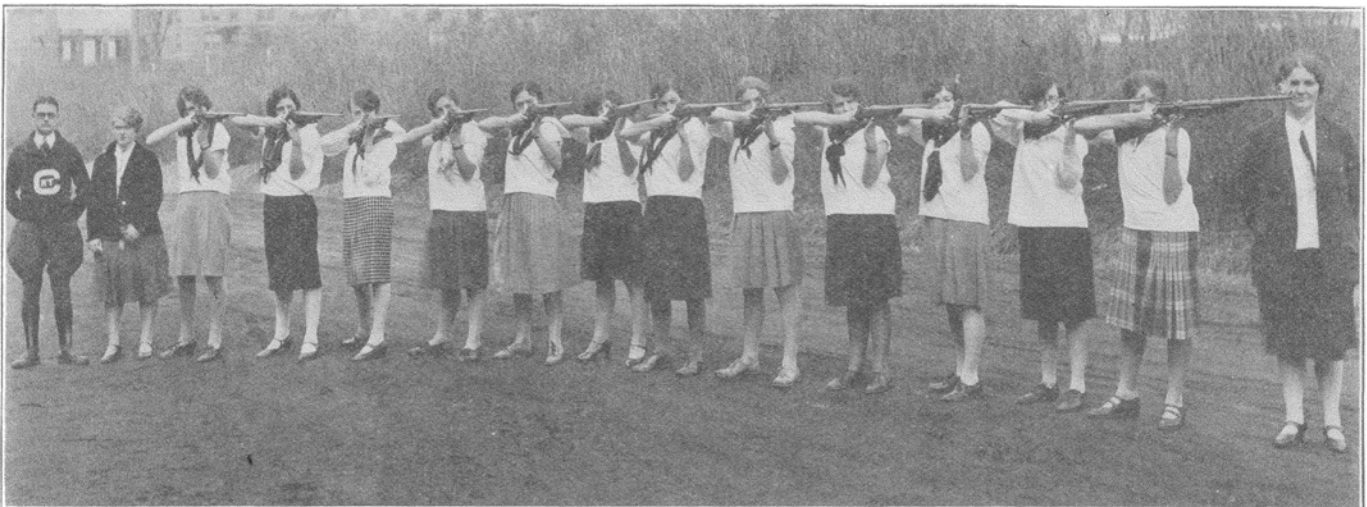
The Cornell team, composed of Irving Levy '28 of New York, Hebert B. Levy '30 of Jamaica, and Jason D. Rich '29 of East Cleveland, Ohio, won the debate by virtue of the change of vote.

### WOMEN GIVE CONCERT

The Cornell Women's Glee Club presented its annual concert in Bailey Hall April 20, with Mr. and Mrs. George Rasely, tenor and soprano, as guest artists.

The chorus of eighty-five Cornell women, trained by Mrs. Eric Dudley, presented a varied program. A group of harp selections were played by Shirley A. Miller '28 of Ithaca. Speciality singing and dancing numbers and one chorus accompanied by an ensemble of organ, harp, and two violins were also included in the program.

E. Dorothy Dann '28 of Horseheads is president of the Women's Glee Club, and Mildred R. Wenner '29 of Ashley, Pa., the accompanist.



WOMEN'S RIFLE SQUAD

Photo by Troy

The squad has just completed a successful season in the intercollegiate competition, defeating twenty-five of the twenty-six competitors which it met and scoring a total of 6988 against a total of 5761 scored against it.



## Gives Thesis to Library

**David Starr Jordan '72 Gives Manuscript of Thesis on Wild Flowers Offered for Master's Degree**

David Starr Jordan '72, chancellor emeritus of Leland Stanford University, has presented to the Cornell University Library a book, "The Wild Flora of Wyoming County, New York," offered as his thesis for the master's degree at Cornell in May, 1872. The degree of Master of Science, thought to be the first of its kind granted at Cornell, was conferred by the faculty.

Dr. Jordan was born in Gainesville, Wyoming County, New York, in 1851. At the age of eleven, he began his study of wild flowers of his native county, and in 1869 he entered the University, beginning work for the degree of Bachelor of Science. He continued his special work, finding 827

specimens of plant life in the county and writing his thesis.

The thesis was accepted, and hence it was based on work done outside of the University, the degree of Master of Science was granted. The degree was granted two years after Dr. Jordan had been appointed instructor in botany.

The thesis is written in a clear, vigorous hand. It consists of a detailed and elaborate treatment of all kinds of wild flowers, and it contains drawings of the subjects.

Dr. Jordan became professor of natural history in Lombard University in 1872. In 1873 he became principal of the Appleton, Wis., Collegiate Institute; in 1874, a teacher in the Indianapolis High School, and in 1875, professor of biology in Butler University. He served as professor of zoology in Indiana University from 1879 to 1885, and in 1891 he became president of Leland Stanford Junior University, serving until 1913, when he became chancellor

He was made chancellor emeritus in 1916. He also served as chief director of the World Peace Foundation from 1910 to 1914, and he was president of the World Peace Congress in 1915.

Dr. Jordan is one of the two men who have ever received an honorary degree from Cornell. The degree of Doctor of Laws was conferred upon him in 1886.

THE NEW BOARD of *The Cornell Widow* is made up of Edward P. Mathewson '29 of Tucson, Ariz., editor-in-chief; Warren A. Ranney '29 of Mohawk, art editor; Joseph M. Rummeler '29 of Chicago, Ill., business manager; George L. Bidwell '30 of Ithaca, assistant business manager; Lowell G. Powers '30 of Hazelton, Pa., assistant circulation manager. William M. Thompson '29 of Red Bank, N. J., was elected to the editorial staff.



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This series of paintings by Ezra Winter depicts allegorically the significant traits of Willard Straight. In our last issue we presented Courage.

# BRAIN REFLEXES SHOWN IN FILMS

Six reels of motion pictures depicting brain reflex actions in humans and animals were shown in Baker Laboratory April 18. The films were made by Professor Ivan P. Pavlov at the Institute of Experimental Medicine, Leningrad, Russia, and they were first shown in America about a month ago.

The pictures represent the results of twenty-eight years of scientific research. It is expected that the findings of Professor Pavlov's experiments, shown in these films, will assist in outlining a technique for the cure of nervous disorders.

Howard S. Liddell, assistant professor of physiology, presented the films and accompanied the showing with a lecture. Professor Liddell studied under Professor Pavlov at Leningrad.

The pictures began with examples of brain operation in various animals. A crocodile in front of a camera snapped at

food, a sea lion climbed a steep slope to reach a fish, an elephant reached out with his trunk, and a baby pulled his food toward him. Professor Pavlov, in his experiments, did not differentiate between man and animals.

One experiment photographed compares the ways in which an ape and a baby learn to associate environment with food, fear, and play, tending to show that there is no essential difference.

DOT AND CIRCLE, women's honorary rifle society, has elected to membership Irene Danner '28, of Collingswood, N. J., Dorothy D. Mead '29 of Keene Valley, Marion J. Foley '30 of Waterloo, Evelyn S. Fisher '30 of Buffalo, Josephine A. Beals '31 of Washington, D. C., and Arlene J. Van Derhoef '31 of Rochester. Dr. Jeanette Evans '14, medical adviser was named to associate membership.

The Dot and Circle cup for the highest score in the season's shooting was awarded to Elizabeth L. Griffiths '28 of Takoma Park, D. C.

NEW YORK UNIVERSITY now has 32,452 students enrolled in its eleven degree-conferring colleges and seven non-degree divisions. This is an increase of 1842 over last year. There are 24,580 students in the degree-conferring colleges, of whom 9887 are on a full-time basis. The total enrollment is almost four times as many as that of 1917-18, which was 8,391.

THE UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA at Los Angeles has acquired the library of the late Professor Friedrich Kluge, for many years professor of English philology at the University of Halle. It comprises about eleven thousand volumes, and is especially rich in works on the English language and literature.



SPRIT OF ADVENTURE

At the left of the library entrance (see opposite page) is Diplomacy, the tact which comes from sympathetic understanding; at the right the Sprit of Adventure.

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## THE CAMPUS CHANGES ITS CLOCKS

ITHACA is in the midst of a farming community. The greatest good to the greatest number of citizens is served by sticking to Eastern Standard Time. The city, in coming to this conclusion several years ago, did so with regret that the transient population on the Hill must be inconvenienced by it. The effect on the farmer was important and outweighed any consideration for the student body whose principal need was merely for recreation.

The recent Faculty action putting the University on Daylight Saving Time while the city remains on Standard Time will give rise to many small problems of readjustment. Probably nothing will be required beyond a change of time for the night life of the city and a few Pullmans.

The gain for the community as a whole is, however, immeasurably greater than these slight inconveniences. A chance for recreation, when recreation is possible by daylight, is worth much to the University. It should be in a lesser degree to the city, many of whose industries and businesses will undoubtedly split the difference or move forward the closing hour to gain the benefit for their own people.

FRANCES L. HOOK '28 of Honeoye Falls represented the Cornell Chapter of Omicron Nu, honorary home economics society, at the annual convention at Lawrence, Kansas, April 19 to 21.

## COMING EVENTS

### Friday, April 27

Lecture, "Personality in the Hotel Field," John McFarlane Howie. Room 100, Caldwell Hall, 2,30 p. m.

Track, Pennsylvania Relays at Philadelphia.

### Saturday, April 28

Spring flower show, opening at noon. Willard Straight Hall.

Track, Pennsylvania relays at Philadelphia.

Baseball, Dartmouth. Hoy Field, 3 p. m.

Freshman baseball, Colgate at Hamilton Lacrosse, Syracuse at Syracuse.

Freshman lacrosse, Syracuse at Syracuse Tennis, Army. Baker courts, 2 p. m.

### Sunday, April 29

Spring flower show. Willard Straight Hall.

### Tuesday, May 1

University Concert, Anna Case, soprano. Bailey Hall, 8.15 p. m.

### Wednesday, May 2

Baseball, Syracuse. Hoy Field, 3.30 p. m.

### Friday, May 4

Baseball, Columbia at New York.

Tennis, Princeton at Princeton.

Freshman baseball, Manlius at Ithaca.

### Saturday, May 5

Baseball, Princeton at Princeton.

Freshman baseball, Columbia at Ithaca.

Track, M. I. T. at Cambridge.

Tennis, Harvard at Cambridge.

Lacrosse, Hobart. Alumni Field, 3 p. m.

Freshman lacrosse, Hobart at Ithaca.

### Tuesday, May 8

Woodford Prize contest, University Theatre, 8 p. m.

### Wednesday, May 9

Baseball, Colgate. Hoy Field, 3.30 p. m.

### Saturday, May 12

Baseball, Ohio State. Hoy Field, 3 p. m.

Freshman baseball. Cortland Normal at Cortland.

Track, Pennsylvania. Schoellkopf Field, 2 p. m.

Crew, Harvard and M. I. T. at Cambridge.

Lacrosse, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

Freshman lacrosse, Syracuse Central High School at Ithaca.

Tennis, Ohio State. Baker courts 2 p. m.

THE DRAMATIC CLUB presented "The Merry Wives of Windsor" as its eighth major production of the year in the University Theatre on April 20 and 21. The first presentation was attended by patrons of the architects' Beaux Arts Ball in Costume. A special setting was designed for the production. The net proceeds will be devoted to the fund for the rebuilding of the Shakespeare Theatre at Stratford-on-Avon.

## SPORT STUFF

The community senses a much larger number of visitors than usual at Spring Day and is building accordingly. The observation train will be the biggest that safe practice permits—a capacity of 3600 as against a maximum of 3200 at Poughkeepsie or New London. Extra football stands will be brought down from winter quarters under the Crescent to supplement the usual supply at Hoy Field. And the University is putting on one of those impressive luncheons in the Drill Hall whereat the multitude are fed comfortably and pleasantly without any strain on their tempers or sore feet. This is an innovation as far as Spring Day is concerned. Heretofore those Drill Hall parties have been held only in connection with reunions and the more largely attended football games.

On previous occasions our guests on the Spring Day regattas have been Princeton, Harvard, and Yale—colleges located at a considerable distance and with no vast numbers of alumni living in central New York. One or two cars were always sufficient to hold the adherents of the visitors.

But this year it is Syracuse who comes to row with us on Spring Day. Anyone who remembers the Intercollegiate Regatta on Cayuga in 1920 knows what that will mean in the matter of attendance. Hence the extra seats and the lunch in the Drill Hall.

It's the boat race that brings the crowd but that isn't all. The Savage Club Show, the lacrosse game with Colgate, the Spring Day concert of the musical clubs, the Navy Ball, the Carnival, the tennis match with Pennsylvania, and the ball game with Yale are added attractions.

If you don't like too big crowds, you may prefer to pick out the week end of May 12th for your visit. The combination of the Pennsylvania track meet, the Ohio State baseball game and many house parties makes that an attraction second to only to Spring Day on the 26th.

R. B.

THE FOIL, women's honorary fencing club, has elected to membership the following: Evelyn S. Fisher '30 of Buffalo, Jane E. Ross '30 of Ithaca, Barbara N. Collyer '31 of Forest Hills, Olive M. Espenchied '31 of Washington, D. C., Katherine R. Gazenmuller '31 of Sea Cliff, Gertrude M. Goodwin '31 of Sharon Hill, Pa., Bertha Rader '31 of New York, Katherine T. Lowe '31 of Upper Montclair, N. J., Jeanne H. Simon '31 of New York, and Arlene J. Van Derhoef '31 of Rochester. New officers are Caroline G. Getty '29 of Yonkers, president, Jean G. Bancroft '30 of Ithaca, vice-president, and Lemma B. Crabtree '29 of Montgomery, secretary-treasurer.



# The Week on the Campus

FRESH air for the shut-ins, so frequently urged by the Alumni in convention, has been happily arranged by the Faculty. Daylight saving will go into effect on May 1, and again in the autumn from Registration Day until Thanksgiving, in the University's zone of influence. Set your watches back one hour as you pass Dryden Road. The announced purpose is to grant the students (including athletes) an extra hour for daylight exercise (including football practice).

THE VOICES of carpers may be clearly discerned. These include teachers and students with eight o'clocks, parents with children of school age, cooks, furnace-fixers, burners of midnight (now eleven p. m.) oil, laudatores temporis acti, and just carpers. The city of Ithaca, prevalingly Republican, prohibitionist, and anti-Bolshevik, has no patience with these new-fangled notions, and will enforce God's time below the altitude of Eddy Street. Confusion will certainly arise. People will arrive an hour late for lectures and an hour early for trains. When you ask the time of day you will have to say, "What times are they?"

THE OLD UNDERGRADUATE war against militarism seems to have begun again. Five indignant Sophomores write to the *Sun*, advancing the proposition that drill is a bore and an "odious shame," and calling for its abolition. The *Sun* adopts an editorial policy, laying down that three are only two arguments for compulsory drill: that it offers discipline, and that it offers exercise. The editor argues, and with evident reason, that compulsory drill fails in these two purposes. It should, then, be abolished.

THOSE OF US who were forced to much painful thought and unwelcome conclusion by five years of war find much to protest against in such reasoning. The undergraduates seem to regard military training as something imposed upon them with the benevolent purpose of improving their characters. But the War Department, while it occasionally covers its purposes by some such ungodly avowals, has usually proved in practice that it cares for noble character only insofar as it makes skillful and intelligent fighters. Let us try to put the argument for compulsory military training in a few (and hence perhaps faulty) sentences. Wars are probably not ended for all time. When war comes we shall be unprepared. Our most menacing unpreparedness will be in our lack of officers with rudimentary training. If the college type of man obtains in two years the equivalent of two weeks of intensive training, the expenditure (and the waste) will be worth it. If Cornell can turn out annually a hundred fairly well trained student officers, the expenditure will be very well worth it. But you can't train officers without privates.

Let the laggards grumble; they are still learning something, and they are contributing inestimably to the training of those who may yet be our bulwark in dreadful days.

MUTTERINGS of another war are audible. Indomitable readers of this page will remember that there was some dissension about the all-male celebration of Class Day. The Senior Tax of \$2 was announced; and now a "Joint Class Day Committee" (names not promulgated) urges the Seniors to refuse to pay the Senior Tax, and to "vote with discretion at the forthcoming elections." The *Sun* urges the dissenters to abide by the decision of the majority. It is not yet clear how extensive is the movement to "give the Student Council a showdown," in the words of the Joint Committee's manifesto. We hope there will be more news for you before long.

IN THIS RELATION, or perhaps not in this relation at all, the joint concert of the Men's and Women's Glee Clubs, which was to be so significant, turned out to be a concert of the Women's Glee Club alone. It was pleasant but not significant. The performance included choral singing, in some numbers accompanied by harp, violins, piano, and organ; duets by Mr. and Mrs. George Rasely, harp selections by Shirley Miller '28, and the rendition of the Spring Chorus from "Samson and Delilah," by the chorus accompanied by dancers.

MUSIC—The London String Quartet was here last Tuesday. Its program of Beethoven, Schubert, and Dohnanyi received the highest approval of our most difficult critics.

ART—The University Art Gallery is showing an exhibit of work by members of the Faculty, to wit, Professors William C. Baker '98, Olaf M. Brauner, Clara L. Garrett '08, Christian Midjo, and Walter K. Stone. There is no need to expatiate on the excellences of the exhibit; every one with an interest in art in our community knows the work of these painters well. The newer styles of work, especially noticeable in the paintings of Professors Midjo and Stone, have been the subject of much approving comment. The exhibition is supplemented by a display of stained glass and designs from the studio of Nicolo d'Ascenza, in Philadelphia.

ART—The Beaux Arts Ball was revived by the Architects this year, and held April 20 in Willard Straight. The costumes and setting were medieval. One was astonished at the brilliancy of the scene and the beauty and ingenuity of the costumes. The Middle Ages were never so colorful. The prize for the best pair of costumes was awarded to Erling B. Brauner '29 and Miss Grace E. Miller '30, magnificently dressed as medieval Norse royalty.

DRAMA—The Dramatic Club boldly produced "The Merry Wives of Windsor" on Friday and Saturday. The actors and producers did their part very capably, but there was considerable criticism of the author.

ELOQUENCE—The Debate Club, represented by Irving Levy '28, Hebert B. Levy '30, and Jason D. Rich '29, argued with the Williams team the palpitating question: "Resolved that Smith is to be Preferred to Hoover for the Next President." Cornell and Smith won. The Women's Debating Team, consisting of Misses Dorothy O. Smith '29, Eugenie B. Zeller '28, and Ida Blinkoff '29, argued with the George Washington University team the question whether the Monroe Doctrine should be abandoned.

ELOQUENCE AND ASSORTED—Lecturers of the week were our own Professor Otto F. Kinkeldey, now of the New York Public Library, on "The Orchestra and How it Grew," Dr. William F. Durand, of Stanford, on "Modern Trends in the Development of Commercial Aeronautics," Dr. George R. Wieland, of the Carnegie Institution and Yale on "The Flowering Plants of the Mesozoic Age," Arnold Shircliffe, chef of the Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, on "Salads", with a demonstration, and Professor John Erskine of Columbia on "Helen of Troy and Some Others."

M. G. B.

## DR. ROMELL BEGINS WORK

Dr. Lars G. Romell, first holder of the Charles Lathrop Pack Research Professorship in Forest Soils, has gone to the Adirondack Mountains to study types of forest soils. In his investigations he will be associated with Professor Thomas L. Lyon '91, professor in soil technology in the Federal Experiment Station since 1906, and Professor Ralph S. Hosmer of the Department of Forestry.

HEBS-SA, senior society in agriculture has elected to membership nineteen members of the Class of 1929. They are Howard W. Beers of King Ferry, Horace H. Benson of Esperance, Warren P. Bullock of Yonkers, Arthur B. Butler of Yonkers, Robert W. Foote of Malone, Dennis Hall of Rodario de Sta Fe, Argentina, Harold W. Halverson of Rochester, George W. Hedden of Orange, N. J., Bernard Katz of Philadelphia, Pa., Javier Larco of Trujillo, Peru, Alfred La France of Ithaca, Charles E. McConnell of Hastings-on-Hudson, George J. Olditch of Alta Gracia, Cordoba, Argentina, Patsy P. Pirone of Mount Vernon, Warren A. Ranney of Mohawk, Jared W. Stiles of Glenfield, Walter W. Stillman of Vorheesville, Chrystal H. Todd of New Rochelle, and Joseph E. Wiedenmayer, Jr., of Newark, N. J.

## OBITUARIES

### Mary Fowler '82

Mary Fowler died at her home in Ithaca on March 22.

She was born in Hammond, N. Y., in 1856, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fowler. She received the degree of B.S.

She had been connected with the Cornell University Library from 1890 until her retirement in 1922. She was curator of the Fiske Italian collections from 1907 to 1920, and prepared the catalogue of the Petrarch collection issued by the Oxford University Press in 1916, and the catalogue of the additions to the Dante collection from 1898 to 1921. She was the author of several magazine articles on Italian manuscripts.

She is survived by a sister, Miss Agnes Fowler of Ithaca, with whom she has lived for many years, and two brothers, Edwin Fowler and Charles S. Fowler '88.

### David J. Jenkins '92

David John Jenkins died at the Williamsport, Pa., Hospital on March 18.

Jenkins was born in Ebbw Vale, England, on March 28, 1866. He received the degree of M.E.

For some years he had been retired from business. He was at one time associated with the Semet-Solvay Company, and more recently had been farming in Milton, Pa.

He is survived by a daughter, Alice, and two sons, Hebert and John H. Jenkins.

### Elmer E. Kiger '98

Elmer Edgar Kiger died suddenly at Hamburg, N. Y., on April 5.

He was born in Woodstown, N. J., on April 15, 1972, the son of Elwood E. and Emily Bechtel Kiger. He received the degree of M.E.

For many years Kiger was a steam engineer for the Lackawanna Steel Company, and its successor at Lackawanna, N. Y., the Bethlehem Steel Company.

He is survived by his wife and a daughter Mrs. Stuart L. Vaughan of Buffalo.

### Frank J. Loomis '03

Frank James Loomis died suddenly of heart disease at his home in Watertown, N. Y., on March 29.

He was born in Phoenix, N. Y., on September 2, 1876, the son of Judson W. and Mary Candee Loomis. He received the degree of D.V.M.

For the past seventeen years he had been city inspector of meat and milk in Watertown.

He was married in 1908 to Miss Adelaide Hickok of Watertown, who survives him.

### F. Winsor Eveland '05

Frank Winsor Eveland died on April 3.

He was born in Jersey City, N. J., on February 6, 1884, the son of Frank and Ella Clark Eveland. He received the degree of M.E. He was a member of Sigma Nu, and was captain of the lacrosse team in his senior year.

### Albert W. Grant, Jr., '09

Albert Weston Grant, Jr., died in Sewickley, Pa., on April 5, of burns received in saving the life of his small daughter, whose clothes had caught fire from a stove.

He was born in Norfolk, Va., on March 2, 1886, the son of Albert W. and Florence Sharp Grant. His father is now an admiral in the United States Navy. He received the degrees of B.S. and M.E. from the Virginia Polytechnic Institute in 1907, and of M.E. from Cornell in 1909. He was a member of Delta Tau Delta, and of the track team.

He had been connected with the Koppers Company of Pittsburgh since 1916, as gas engineer.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alice Preston Grant, and six children.

### Joseph T. Schultz '25

Joseph Theodore Schultz died at his home in Buffalo on March 26, following pneumonia contracted two months previously.

He was born in North Collins, N. Y., on August 9, the 1905, son of Henry C. and Claudia Ruark Schultz. He received the degree of A.B. in '25, and was to have received his Ph.D. in Greek and Latin this June. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. He was a brilliant scholar and had been appointed an assistant professorship at the University of Missouri. He had been instructing in the Department of Classics this year. During his undergraduate days he was a proofreader on *The Cornell Daily Sun*.

He is survived by his parents, two sisters, and three brothers.

### Kyuin-wei Kao '26

Kyuin-wei Kao died in Peking, China, on January 17.

She was born in Foochow, China, on September 15, 1902, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mon-tau Kao. She received her A.B. in 1926 and her M.S. in 1927.

This year she had been teaching chemistry in the Yenching University in Peking.

### Nell C. Fay '29

Nell Chatterley Fay died of pneumonia at the Infirmary on April 15, after a week's illness from pneumonia.

She was born in Brooklyn on November 15, 1907, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clifford Fay. She was a junior in the Arts College, and was a member of Alpha Omicron Pi.

She is survived by her parents and a brother, Frederic C. Fay '30.

## BOOKS

### The Pathfinder

*Frémont: the West's Greatest Adventurer, Being a Biography from Many Hitherto Unpublished Sources of General John Charles Frémont, with His Wife Jessie Benton Frémont.* By Allan Nevins. New York. Harper. 1928. 24.3 cm., two volumes, pp. xii, 738. 62 illustrations. Price, \$10.

This work will undoubtedly take rank among the chief historical books of the year. It places its author high among the younger historians. He makes no pretence to brilliant writing, but has the power to marshal the facts well and put his conclusions into smooth, logical, and coherent form. He has waded through a mass of materials; his compact bibliography fills nearly eight pages of smaller type. His text is adequately though not lavishly documented. The illustrations, drawn from photographic portraits and old prints, are most interesting and illuminating.

The life of John Charles Frémont was picturesque in the extreme and furnishes much life and color for the great American epic of which it forms a striking passage. Had his career been the subject of a medieval writer, it would have furnished an excellent example of the fickleness of Fortune's smile. At one time a multi-millionaire, he narrowly missed dying in poverty. "At sixteen his salient traits—ardor, imagination, quickness, endurance, and reckless impetuosity—were all established." Dismissed from college for neglect of his studies (due to falling in love), he was lucky enough to be commissioned a second lieutenant in the U. S. Topographical Corps at the time when a survey of the plateau between the upper Mississippi and Missouri Rivers had been determined upon under the direction of Jean Nicholas Nicollet. On his return from this expedition he met and married Jessie Benton; and the family influence which was thus placed behind him was immensely useful. In the years between 1842 and 1854 Frémont conducted five expeditions into the great Western wilderness, enduring incredible hardships. His careful reports were most instructive and popular, and did much to open up the Western country and hasten emigration thither. In 1856 came the nomination for the Presidency by the newly formed Republican Party. He bore himself "through a heated and abusive campaign with notable dignity and poise" and emerged from the campaign in higher public esteem than ever. As a major general in command of the Department of the West in 1861 he made hosts of friends by his hostile attitude toward slavery but estranged others by his mistakes, and has been censured by history for failing to accomplish the impossible.

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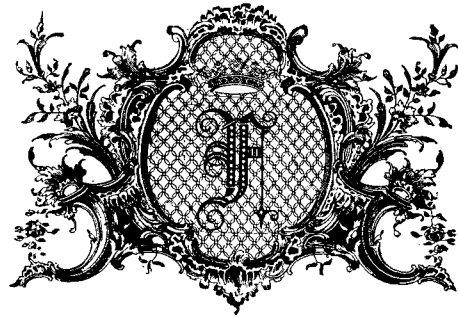
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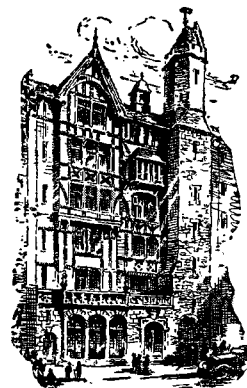
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Frémont had the misfortune to encounter strong enemies in the Blairs, who had the ear of Lincoln and who undermined his, Frémont's, influence. But perhaps he was his own worst enemy because of his impulsiveness and his lack of critical judgment in dealing with men and with crises. Nevins sums up his character and achievement most satisfactorily: "He labored conscientiously and unselfishly, and he wrought accomplishments which have not received their full meed of honor. He wrote his name all over the great region between the Mississippi and the Pacific. He did more; he left a fame which must always touch the imagination of Americans."

### Books and Magazine Articles

In *The Elmira College Alumnae News* for February Professor Ida Langdon, A.M. '10, Ph.D. '12, writes on "The Isle of Iona."

In *The Phi Beta Kappa Key* for March Professor Clark S. Northup '93 reviews a collection of poems entitled "Lines of Thought" by Charles W. Hetzler '24. The volume is published by the Stratford Company of Boston.

In *The Michigan Alumnus* for March 31 there is an account of the visit of Professor Louis C. Karpinski '01 to European libraries for the purpose of securing reproductions of manuscript maps in French, Spanish, and Portuguese archives relating to the American Revolution. There is a portrait of Karpinski. In the Who's Who column there is also a portrait of Professor Emeritus William H. Mace, '90-'91 Grad., of Syracuse University. Mace took a M.S. degree at Michigan in 1883. There is also a review of "Penny Wise" and "A Tallow Dip" by Professor Richard R. Kirk, of Tulane, formerly of Cornell, a graduate of Michigan in the class of 1903.

The series on germanium by Professor Dennis and his associates (see THE ALUMNI NEWS for October 28, 1926) has lately added several numbers, as follows: xvii, "Fused Germanium Dioxide and Some Germanium Glasses," Louis M. Dennis and Albert W. Laubengayer '21, *The Journal of Physical Chemistry*, November, 1927; xviii, "Further Organic Compounds of Germanium," William R. Orndorff, Donalee L. Tabern, and Louis M. Dennis, *Journal of the American Chemical Society*, 1927, xlix. 2512; xix, "The Vapor Pressure of Germanium Tetrabromide," Frederick M. Brewer, Ph.D. '27, and L. M. Dennis, *The Journal of Physical Chemistry*, July, 1927; xx, "Preparation of Fused Germanium Directly from Germanium Dioxide,"

Katharina M. Tressler '18 and L. M. Dennis, same, September, 1927; xxi, "Germanium Tetrafluoride," L. M. Dennis and Albert W. Laubengayer '21, *Zeitschrift fuer physikalische Chemie* (Cohen Festband), 1927; xxii, "The Dihalides of Germanium," Frederick M. Brewer and L. M. Dennis, *The Journal of Physical Chemistry*, October, 1927; xxiii, "Germanium Monosulphide," L. M. Dennis and Seymour M. Joseph '27, same, November, 1927; xxiv, "The Dihalides of Germanium, Tin, and Lead," Frederick M. Brewer, same, December; xxv, "Arc Spectrographic Detection and Estimation of Germanium. Occurrence of Germanium in Certain Tin Minerals. Enargite as a Possible Source of Germanium" by Jacob Papish, Frederick M. Brewer, and Donald A. Holt '24, *Journal of the American Chemical Society*, 1927, xlix. 3028.

In *The Cornell Daily Sun* for March 26 Professor Allan Nevins describes university publishing activities in the Middle West. In the same issue for March 29 Paul Marion Flory, assistant in philosophy, traces the development of architectural design in America. In the issue for March 31 Professor Carl Becker gives a theory of education in one of his inimitable dialogues.

In *The Trade Paper Journal* for March 29 and in *The Paper Mill and Wood Pulp News* for March 31 is described the new chemical process of making pulp and paper from cane sugar fiber perfected by Joaquin de la Roza '16. The pulp is known as Celulosa Cubana and is produced at Tuinacu, Cuba. The American office of the firm is at 112 Wall Street, New York.

In *The American Historical Review* for April Professor Violet Barbour '06 of Vassar writes on "Consular Service in the Reign of Charles II." Professor Alfred H. Sweet, Ph.D. '17, of Washington and Jefferson, reviews "The Forerunners of St. Francis and Other Studies" by Ellen Scott Davison. Professor Theodore F. Collyer, Ph.D. '06, of Brown, reviews "Politics and Religion in Sixteenth Century France: a Study of the Career of Henry of Montmorency-Damville, the Uncrowned King of the South" by Franklin Charles Palm. Professor Allan Nevins' "The Emergence of Modern America" is reviewed by Ralph E. Turner. "Teaching the Social Studies" by Professor Edgar Dawson and others is reviewed by Professor Daniel C. Knowlton '98 of Yale. T. R. Glover's "Democracy in the Ancient World" is reviewed by Professor William S. Ferguson, A.M. '97, Ph.D. '99, of Harvard. "The British West African Settlements, 1750-1821" by Eveline C. Martin is reviewed by Elizabeth P. Donnan '07. The second edition of Professor Albert B. Faust's "The German Element in the United States with Special Reference to Its Political, Moral, Social, and Educational Influence" is also noticed.

## THE ALUMNI

'80 B.S.—Professor William Trelease of the University of Illinois was scheduled to speak on April 19 before the American Philosophical Society in Philadelphia on "Trianaeopiper a New Genus of Piperaceae."

'97 Ph.B.—Miss Isadore G. Mudge, reference librarian at Columbia, spoke on November 17 before the New York Library Club on "The Catalogue of the Bibliothèque Nationale in Paris."

'01 AB, '02 AM—Sao-Ke Alfred Sze, Chinese minister to the United States, will be the speaker at the Commencement exercises of Lafayette College in June.

'04 AB, '06 LLB; '07 LLB—The law firm of Jerome and Rand, of which Harland B. Tibbetts '04 and George F. Lewis '07 are members, has moved its offices to the New Equitable Trust Company Building at 15 Broad Street, New York.

'05 AB—Morgan B. Smith is an engineer with the General Motors Corporation in Detroit.

'06 ME—Gabriel Tudela is manager and engineer with the Compania de Electricidad de Tiura and agent for the firm of Graham Rowe and Company in Tiura, Peru. He was married in 1915 to Miss Luisa Garland. They have six children.

'08 AM—Eugene K. Jones has been seventeen years with the National Urban League and is now executive secretary. He will represent America at the International Conference of Social Work to be held in Paris in July, being one of the ten delegates chosen by the Executive Committee of the National Conference of Social Work.

'10 ME—Clinton L. Follmer was married on March 9 to Miss Katherine Vera Aldridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Aldridge of Fredericksburg, Va. They are living in the Homewood Apartments in Baltimore, Md.

'10 AB, '17 AM, '25 Ph.D.—Professor E. Herman Hespelt of New York University will give a course on Spanish literature in the Columbia Summer Session.

'11 BArch—Mayor Walker of New York has recently authorized the appointment of LeRoy P. Ward to prepare plans and specifications for the construction and equipment of the new main building of the Kings County Hospital and for alterations and additions to the existing structures. Ward recently acted as chairman of the committee appointed by the Mayor to investigate methods of alleged faulty school building construction in New York.

'12—Carlos G. Valderrama, composer and pianist, has gone to Cuzco, the cradle of the Inca Empire, where he intends to obtain melodies and folklore to serve as the basis for the Inca jazz which he hopes to introduce in New York.



'13 BS—On April 14 Leonard W. Kephart spoke before the Philosophical Society of Washington on "Plant Hunting Through East Africa."

'15 BS—George E. Cornwell has been wintering in Florida, and has now returned to his home at 93 Mansion Street. Coxsackie, Greene County, N. Y.

'16 AB—Lester Mayers is now with A. M. Lamport and Company, in the investment security business at 44 Pine Street, New York.

'20 AB—Abraham A. Zausmer is branch office agent for the Travelers Insurance Company in Syracuse, N. Y. His offices are in the State Tower Building.

'20 BS—Kurt A. Mayer is with Jseup and Lamont at 26 Broadway, New York.

'20 CE—Randolph C. West is a member of the firm of West and Jensen, general building contractors at 2106 Second National Bank Building, Houston, Texas.

'21 EE—A son, James Patterson Fairchild, was born on April 9 to Mr. and Mrs. F. Earle Fairchild. Their address is 55 Waverly Place, Red Bank, N. J.

'22; '23 ME—E. Milton Lilly is with the Travelers Insurance Company at 20 Clinton Street, Newark, N. J. He has two children, Joan Lilly who is four, and Vincent who is three. They live at 115 Linwood Avenue, Ridgewood, N. J. He writes that Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Edsell of Lawrence, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lila Isabel Edsell, to Richard Stevens, 2d, '23.

'22 AB—Mr. and Mrs. D. M. White of Bath, N. Y., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Lydia P. White '22, to Oscar Cooley. She has been secretary to the superintendent of schools in Montclair, N. J.

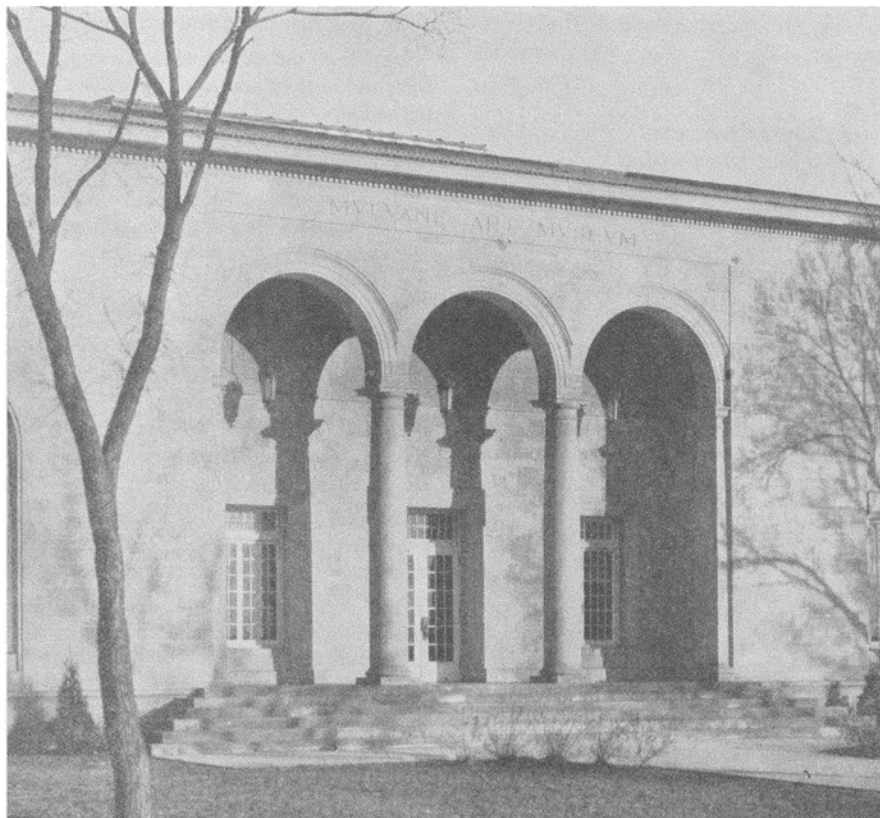
'22 AB—Reno V. Jones is district sales manager in New York for the Trumbull Steel Company, of Warren, Ohio., with offices at 1136 Lincoln Bank Building, Rochester, N. Y. He lives in Rochester at 1625 East Avenue.

'22—Frederick Hinrichs is secretary and assistant treasurer of the Tri-Clover Machine Company, manufacturers of refrigerator hardware and fittings for the milk industry. He was married in February to Miss Lyda Langford. They are living at Apartment 22, 319 Prospect Avenue, Milwaukee, Wisc.

'22—'23 G; '23 BS, '28 PhD; '25 MSA—Michael A. Khoury is manager of the Dublin Creamery Company, Inc., in Dublin, Ga., the largest creamery in the State. He writes that he would appreciate a note from his old friends, also that he has heard from Pallemapati G. Krishna '23, who is traveling in France, and from Dodla M. K. Reddy '25, who is back in India.

'23 AB—Mrs. Francis James Steele has announced the marriage of her daughter, Mabel Frances Steele '23 to, William Cheney Jones, on April 7 in Syracuse, N. Y.

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'23—Chester B. Scott is a salesman for the Rotor Air Tool Company in Cleveland. He lives at 3290 Chadbourne Road. A daughter, Eleanor Ann, was born in February. He has also a young son, Chester.

'24—Henry Chase Stone, who has been spending four years in Colorado for his health, is much improved and has recently formed the Pikes Peak Air Service Company. It operates an excellent flying school, and Stone writes that he would be glad to hear from any Cornellians interested in taking a course in flying. It also carries passengers and freight. Stone's address is Cragmor Sanatorium, Colorado Springs, Colo.

'24 ME; '26 BS—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Hall have announced the marriage of their daughter, Pauline Louise Hall '26, to Harold T. Sherwood '24. Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood are living at 15950 Linwood Boulevard, Detroit. He is studying law at the University of Detroit, and Mrs. Sherwood is teaching costume drawing and clothing at the Cass Technical High School.

'24 EE—Robert N. Leonard is doing engineering research with the S. S. White Dental Manufacturing Company at Prince Bay, N. Y. He lives at 50 Seymour Avenue, Port Richmond, N. Y.

'24—Harold A. Scheminger is with the law firm of Murray, Ingersoll, Hoge and

Humphrey, at 22 William Street, New York. He lives at 483 Bard Avenue, West New Brighton, Staten Island, N. Y.

'25 BS—Fred E. Uetz is assistant to the chief in the division of milk inspection in the Department of Health in New York. He lives at 3478 Hudson Boulevard, Jersey City, N. J.

'25—Edward S. Little of Morristown, N. J., has announced the engagement of his daughter, Eleanor, to Edwin H. Stratford, Jr.

'26 CE—Mr. and Mrs. David Lowe of Fitchburg, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Katherine, to Harwood Warriner.

'26 AB—Melvin A. Albert is studying law at Columbia. He lives at 601 West 168th Street, New York.

'26 BS—Colin G. Lennox is assistant geneticist at the H. S. P. A. Experiment Station in Honolulu, T. H.

'27—Mrs. Clarence J. Curby of St. Louis has announced the engagement of her daughter, Ruth, to Palmer L. Clarkson.

'27 MD—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph A. Skinner of Holyoke, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Martha, to Victor W. Logan. He is now a member of the house staff of the New York Hospital.

'27—Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Lennox of Syracuse, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Virginia, to Roswell W. Cull. He expects to receive the degree of C.E. this June.

'27 CE; '25 AB—Robert W. Butler, Jr., is working on the new Albany water supply project, with the firm of Whitman, Requardt and Smith. He lives in Ravena, N. Y. He writes that Bertram F. Heustis is with the Office Equipment Company in Albany, N. Y., and is living at 290 New Scotland Avenue.

'27 AB—Catherine M. Taylor has been teaching Latin and English this year at the High School in Telts Mills, N. Y. Her permanent address is Route 3, Chateaugay, N. Y.

'27 AB—Agnes Waite is teaching history in the Bolivar, N. Y., High School. She lives in Fort Ann, N. Y.

'27 CE—Halstead N. Wilcox is in the maintenance of way department of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. He lives at the Y. M. C. A. in Cumberland, Md.

'27; '28—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Burnhart Glassgold '27 and Eleanor B. Goldstein.

'27 BS—Ethel A. Hawley is a food supervisor with Childs Company. She is now in the Pennsylvania subway restaurant under the Pennsylvania Hotel. She lives at Apartment 62, Sherman Square Hotel, New York. Her engagement has been announced to Philip T. Smelzer, who is radio manager for Treman, King and Company.

'27 AB—Dorothy S. Curtis is working in the investment department of Harriss, Irby and Vose in New York. She is starting as a "board boy" and is the first of her sex to hold such a position with that firm or as far as is known with any other.

'27 AB; '28—The engagement has been announced of Katharina Geyer '28 and Victor L. Butterfield '27. He was a member of the football team and president of the C. U. C. A. last year, and is now taking graduate work. Miss Geyer was women's editor on the *Sun* last year.

'27 BChem—Seymour M. Joseph has resigned from the Government service after working as a chemist at the Frankford Arsenal in Philadelphia, Pa., and is now in the research laboratory of the Metal and Thermit Corporation at Carteret, N. J. His address is 16 Rahway Avenue, Elizabeth, N. J.

'27 AB—Rose Mary A. Mehegan is teaching French and Latin in Lima, N. Y.

'27 BS—Henry C. Metzger, Jr., is an assistant steward at the Hotel Statler in Buffalo. His address is 30 Ashland Avenue.

'27 ME—Otto A. Starke, Jr., is with the Star Watch Case Company in Ludington, Mich.

'28 BS—Reynold O. Claycomb is now an assistant steward at the Hotel Statler in Buffalo.

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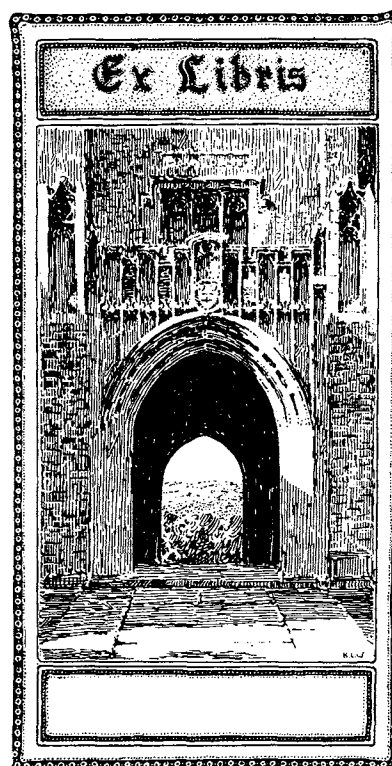
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