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#### Miss Washburn Honored

Vassar Professor Receives Commemorative Volume of Journal of Psychology at Meeting

A commemorative volume of *The American Journal of Psychology*, comprising thirty-two studies, was presented to Professor Margaret Floy Washburn, Ph.D. '94, of Vassar College at a dinner in her honor at the thirty-sixth annual meeting of the American Psychological Association in Columbus, Ohio, on December 28.

Such a volume is presented only to those who distinguish themselves in the field of psychology. This is the fifth volume to be presented. The fourth volume was presented to the late Professor Edward Bradford Titchener of Cornell in 1917. The honor is one of the highest paid to psychologists in this country.

The presentation of the volume in behalf of the contributors was made by Professor Howard C. Warren of Princeton University, who declared that it commemorated the completion of "a third of a golden cycle" by Professor Washburn. She has been professor of psychology at Vassar College for twenty-five years, during a part of which time she has also served as an editor of The American Journal of Psychology.

Professor Washburn was born in New York July 25, 1871, the daughter of Rev. Francis and Mrs. Elizabeth Floy Washburn. She took the degree of Bachelor of Arts at Vassar College in 1891 and the Master of Arts degree in 1893 before coming to Cornell for graduate work. She was the first to take a doctorate under Professor Titchener.

From 1894 until 1900 she was professor of psychology and ethics at Wells College Before going to Vassar as associate profesor of psychology in 1903, she served as warden of Sage College, and as assistant professor of psychology at the University of Cincinnati. She was made professor of psychology at Vassar in 1908.

She served as president of the American Psychological Association in 1921. She is a member of American Philosophical Association, Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi. She is the author and translator of several books on psychology.

Professor Madison Bentley, Ph.D. '98, of the University of Illinois, formerly of Cornell, and one of the leading psychologists of the country, presided at the dinner in honor of Professor Washburn. Speakers, who brought greetings and congratulations, were Professor Walter B.

Pillsbury, Ph.D. '96, of the University of Michigan, Professor Helen Mull of Vassar College, Professor Herbert S. Langfeld of Princeton, and Professor Robert M. Yerkes of Yale.

The American Journal of Psychology, of which Professor Washburn is an editor, is published in Ithaca, Professor Karl M. Dallenbach, Ph.D. '13, being the owner and manager of the publication.

#### CARNEGIE REPORT DUE NEXT FALL

The report of the study of college athletics in the United States and Canada now being made by the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, under the direction of Dr. Howard J. Savage, will not be completed and published until November 1928, it has been announced by the Foundation. The study was begun in January, 1926.

In his announcement Dr. Savage said that about 110 institutions, including six Canadian universities and six Catholic colleges, have been visited by field representatives. A number of studies concerning special phases of college athletics are receiving attention.

"For contacts with Catholic institutions," Dr. Savage said, "the Foundation has been so fortunate as to associate with itself John T. McGovern, New York attorney and amateur sportsman."

John T. McGovern, referred to by Dr. Savage, is better known to Cornellians as "Terry" McGovern 'oo. He has also been retained by the Foundation as its consulting counsel upon questions of policy and law which arise in connection with its forthcoming public utterances.

It is expected that the final report on college athletics will discuss administration, including organization and control, actual and theoretical; schedules; finance, including the use of budgets and reports; the relation of faculties, alumni, and undergraduates to sport; athletic relations of schools to universities and colleges; eligibility; the work of conferences; intercollegiate rivalry; intramural or mass athletics; emphasis on athletics and other extra-curricular activities; athletics and academic standing; training regimen; inherited characteristics of athletes; the literature of athletics; and athletics and education in general.

The Fifth National Training Conference of the Boy Scouts of America will be held in Cornell next September. About a thousand scout executives are expected to attend.

#### Dr. Osgood Lectures

Tells of Abyssinian Expedition in Which Louis A. Fuertes '97 Participated— Shows Motion Pictures

Congratulations to Ithaca on its plan for a memorial to Louis Agassiz Fuertes '97 were brought by Dr. Wilfred H. Osgood, curator of zoölogy in the Field Museum of Natural History at Chicago, in a lecture on "Abyssinia and the Source of the Blue Nile" on January 4.

Dr. Osgood's lecture on the Abyssinian expedition of which Fuertes was a member was illustrated by motion pictures, in which Fuertes often appeared.

The expedition was made chiefly in the interest of zoology. Dr. Osgood traced the territory covered by the expedition through the Abyssinian mountains and canyons, describing the wild life observed and the work of Fuertes in the painting of birds. More than one thousand birds were observed by the ornithologist in his studies during the trip.

Abyssinia was called by Dr. Osgood the Tibet of Africa, although it has no forbidden city. It is not now closed territory and it is the only territory of importance on the continent still uncontrolled by Europeans. The motion pictures shown by Dr. Osgood illustrated his lecture in detail, revealing many of the customs of the Abyssinians, their modes of living, their means of transportation, and their costumes.

The lecture included a discussion of the geography of the region, located between the Red Sea and the Blue Nile. Abyssinia comprises the kingdoms of Tigre, Amhara with Gojam, Shoa, and the dependencies of Harrar, Kaffa, and Enarea The surface of Abyssinia is a plateau, with an average altitude of 8,000 feet, though at times the expedition traveled on lands 13,000 feet above sea-level.

Coincidently with Dr. Osgood's lecture, announcement was made that the Stewart Park Commission of the City of Ithaca had subscribed \$2,000 to a fund for the Bird Life Sanctuary to be erected on the shore of Cayuga Lake as a memorial to Louis Fuertes. The citizens' committee is expected to raise an additional fund of \$4,000 to carry out the work, and a campaign will begin January 30, to end February 7, the Fuertes' birthday anniversary.

Professor E. Laurence Palmer '11 is chairman of the committee, and Dean Albert W. Smith '78 is treasurer. Dean Smith is also a member of the Stewart Park Commission.

#### ATHLETICS

#### Break Even on Court

A close defeat and an overwhelming victory marked Cornell basketball the past week. The victory was recorded over Niagara on Wednesday, 52-31, but on Saturday Rochester came to the Drill Hall to register its second win over the Red and White quintet by a two-point margin, 30 to 28.

The Rochester game was by long odds the better of the two. Rochester won after leaving the floor at half-time, trailing by the score of 16-7.

In the Niagara game, Cornell led from the opening whistle with Captain Schlossbach at guard and Masten at center scoring several field goals before Niagara tallied its first point. Cornell successfully worked an inside, close-shooting attack that netted the majority of field goals, but ability to make long shots also contributed to the high score.

Masten scored 17 points, 14 of them from the field, while Captain Schlossbach tallied four goals and three foul points for a total of 11 points. Curran, Niagara forward, led his team in scoring, getting 13 points.

The Rochester game opened with the visitors running up a lead of 6 to 2, before Cornell scored from the field. Two baskets by Norris and another by Burns gave Rochester the lead, but the Red and White five, trying long shots, took the lead after the first five points had been scored from the foul line.

Rochester failed to get another basket from the floor in the first half, while Masten, Layton, and Beck scored goals for Cornell. Beck made two beautiful long shots as the half closed, the Red and White leading, 16 to 7.

Cornell's failure to maintain the defensive pace spelled defeat in the second half, for Rochester, with Ehre and Kenyon leading the attack, finally solved the problem of breaking through the Cornell guard to snap shots in at close range.

Baskets by Kenyon, Ehre, and Kincaid brought about a tie at 23-all halfway through the second period. Foul shots by Kincaid and Captain Schlossbach tied the score again at 24-all. Ehre, fouled as he shot a basket, made another point from the line, and Rochester took the lead to the end of the game.

The Rochester rally and Cornell's desperate attempt to score in the closing minutes of the game were features of the contest. Schlossbach's goal made the score 27 to 26, but Kenyon's next three points put the game out of reach. Layton scored Cornell's last basket just before the whistle.

The line-ups:

Cornell (52)			
	G	$\mathbf{F}$	P
Caldwell, If	2	2	6
Hall, lf	o	o	o
Layton, rf	4	o	8
Lewis, rf	o	0	О
Masten, c	7	3	17
Schlossbach, lg	4	3	11
Stein, lg	1	0	2
Gersten, lg	o	o	0
Baisch, lg	0	0	0
Beck, rg	4	o	8
Totals	22	8	52
TotalsNiagara (31)			
	22 G	8 <b>F</b>	52 P
Niagara (31) Hefferman, lf			
Niagara (31)	G	F	P
Niagara (31) Hefferman, lf	G I	<b>F</b> 3	<b>P</b> 5
Niagara (31) Hefferman, lf Curran, rf	G 1 4	<b>F</b> 3 5	P 5
Niagara (31)         Hefferman, lf	G I 4	<b>F</b> 3 5	P 5 13 2
Niagara (31)           Hefferman, lf	G I 4 I	<b>F</b> 3 5 0	P 5 13 2 0
Niagara (31)         Hefferman, lf	G I 4 I 0	<b>F</b> 3 5 0 0	P 5 13 2 0 0
Niagara (31)  Hefferman, lf	G I 4 I 0 I 2 I	F 3 5 0 0 0 1	P 5 13 2 0 0 3
Niagara (31)  Hefferman, lf	G I 4 I 0 I 2 I	F 3 5 0 0 1	P 5 13 2 0 0 3 4

Rochester (30)				
•	G	$\mathbf{F}$	P	
Norris, lf	2	0	4	
Ehre, rf-lf		3	7	
Tattlebaum, rf		o	o	
Burns, c-lg	I	0	2	
Kincaid, c	2	3	7	
Apperman, c	0	o	О	
Kenyon, lg-rf	4	I	9	
Rago, lg	0	o	О	
Metz, rg	0	1	I	
Totals	II	8	30	
Cornell (28)				
	G	F	$\mathbf{P}$	
Caldwell, If	1	I	3	
Lewis, lf-c	o	o	О	
Layton, rf	1	2	4	
Baisch, rf	o	o	o	
Masten, c	2	I	5	
Schlossbach, lg	2	5	9	
Beck, rg	2	3	7	
Gersten, rg	0	o	o	
Totals	8	12	28	

Referee, Dowling, Union; umpire, Benzoni, Colgate. Time of halves, 20 minutes.

The 1928 senior blazer will be of maroon-colored flannel, the Class Day Committee has decided, and seniors privileged to wear the garment will soon undergo the rigors of measurement. The edges of the blazer will be bound with red silk braid, and the left breast pocket will bear an embroidered Cornell seal.

#### SPORT STUFF

Some mild cases of smallpox have been discovered down on the flats. Every one is being vaccinated. The doctor's office is the place to go if you want to meet all your friends and pass a pleasant social hour.

The change in vaccination customs is interesting. My baby scar is about the size of a silver dollar. The one Dr. Beaman put on in 1901 is no bigger than a dime. You can hardly see the Army one. And this latest mark is hardly more than a pin prick.

Among the ladies there are the same differences in the matter of dimensions and an even greater change with respect to location. It used to go on the arm, you remember, but that was unsightly. So they moved to the calf of the leg. The result was equally unsatisfactory with certain changes in fashion. Now the accepted spot is on the thigh about six inches north of the knee cap.

Marked progress seems to be being made in all departments of science.

R. B.

#### TRIBUTE TO DR. L. O. HOWARD '77

The retirement of Dr. Leland O. Howard '77 as chief entomologist of the United States Department of Agriculture after a service of more than 33 years has brought him a tribute from *The New York Times*. The announcement of Dr. Howard's retirement from active duty was carried in the October 27 issue of The Alumni News.

The Times's article reads in part:

"Dr. Howard is now in his fiftieth year of Government service, having joined the entomological branch of the Department of Agriculture in 1878 soon after his graduation from Cornell University. He retires as chief at his own request, but this does not mean retirement from service. He is past his seventieth birthday and has asked to be relieved of the administrative duties of his office, but proposes to devote his full energies to the field of entomological research in which he has long been recognized as perhaps the most distinguished investigator. His favorite fields are medical entomology and parasitology.

"Dr. Howard was placed in charge of the entomological work of the department on June 4, 1894. In the years that have followed the science of entomology has broadened tremendously and Dr. Howard has guided numerous activities which have been of great service to the American public.

"Two campaigns with which Dr. Howard has been identified have attracted the public fancy. He was a leader in the mosquito crusade. As early as 1892 he published results of experiments showing that certain types could be controlled by the use of kerosine, and when the mosquitoes were identified as disease carriers he was able to recommend methods of control. His publications on the house fly dating from 1896, to his book, 'The House Fly Disease Carrier,' in 1911, were largely responsible for the anti-house fly crusades all over the world in the last twenty years.

"Dr. Howard is a member of the three great American associations of limited membership: the National Academy of Sciences, the American Philosophical Society, and the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He was permanent secretary of the American Association for the Advancement of Science for twenty-two years, and its president in 1920-21. He has been made honorary member of many foreign scientific societies and is the only American honorary member of the Academy of Agriculture of France and received several decorations among which are the Cross, Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur, and the Cross, Officier de l'Ordre du Mérite Agricole. He has been a delegate to many international assemblies and an officer of six scientific gatherings. In addition to bachelor's and master's degrees from Cornell, his doctorates include Ph.D. (Georgetown, 1896), M.D. (George Washington, 1911), LL.D. (Pittsburgh, 1911), and Sc.D. (Toronto, 1920). The bibliography of his publications includes 941 titles."

#### PROBABLY POX PROOF

The regulation making vaccination compulsory for all students in the University is demonstrating its worth.

Thirteen cases of smallpox have been discovered in the City of Ithaca during the past six weeks, and vaccination has been required of all children in the Ithaca Public Schools. Recommendation by city health authorities that adults undergo vaccination has had general response.

The Ithaca Board of Health, in special session, congratulated the University on its compulsory ruling and noted that there was, as a result, no danger of an epidemic in the student population.

University authorities also issued the following statement:

"Following the official statement of the State Commissioner of Health that small-pox exists in Ithaca, the Cornell University Faculty Committee on Health announce that students of the University are not in danger.

"For the last three years the University has required all students to present certificates of vaccination before entrance.

"The committee said that practically all students in the University were immune to smallpox.

"The few cases in Ithaca are in a section remote from the University."

Dr. Lewell T. Genung '97, city health officer, is in charge of the city's protective work. He reports these cases to be unusually mild, but every precaution is being taken to prevent an epidemic in the city.

#### FARM AND HOME WEEK NEAR

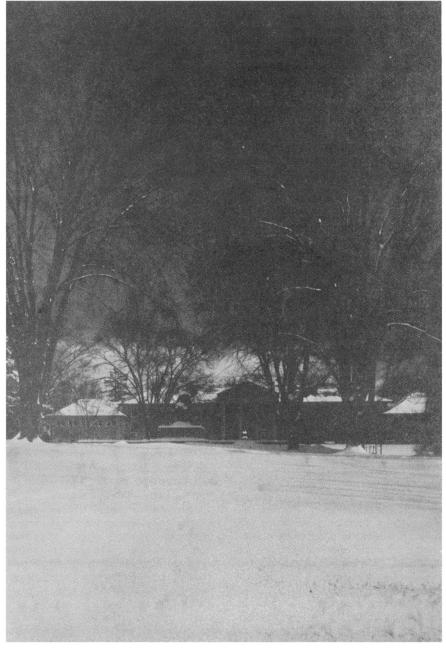
Farmers' Week as a name is no more. Beginning this year, it will be known as Farm and Home Week, recognizing the emphasis that has been placed in recent years on discussions of home life and problems. Farm and Home Week will be observed at the College of Agriculture February 13 to 18.

Student committee chairman have been appointed, to work with members of the Faculty in caring for the many visitors expected this year. The detailed program for the week will soon be announced.

The heads of the general committee are Clarence F. Blewer '28 of Owego, chairman; Viola A. Stephany '29 of Lynbrook, Arthur T. Ringrose '29 of Prattsburg, and Jared W. Stiles '29 of Glenfield, assistants.

Other chairmen are: Cameron G. Garman '28 of Niagara Falls, registration; Robert W. Foote '29 of Malone, information; Fuller D. Baird '28 of Buffalo, rooms; Ernest F. Nohle '28 of Adams, arrangements; Adelbert H. Blencoe '28 of Cooperstown, checking; Russell E. Dudley '29 of Lyons, guide and ventilation; George L. Godfrey '28 of Bridgeport, Conn., attendance, and John Ehrlich '28 of New York. news.

A FATHER AND SON of Rexburg, Idaho, are registered in Cornell this term. George H. Maughan, the father, is completing work in the Graduate School for a Ph.D. degree, while his son, Orlo H. Maughan, is a freshman in the College of Agriculture.



Courtesy of Cornell Annuals
Goldwin Smith Hall from the slope behind Morrill, the statues of Ezra Cornell and Andrew D. White facing each other in the foreground.

#### Students as Wage Earners

Many Cornell Men and Women Partially Self-Supporting-\$115,000 Figure for Men in Fall, 1927

At least fifty per cent of Cornell men students are partially self-supporting by working some time during the college year, a report of the Student Employment Bureau covering the period from the opening of the University in September, 1927, to the Christmas recess reveals.

Cornell men earned \$115,000 by performing jobs that ranged from dishwashing to editing student publications during that period, the report discloses, and at least thirty-five per cent of the workers assisted very materially in their expenses during the college year.

Cornell women, according to Miss R. Louise Fitch, during the 1926-27 school year, earned \$60,000. The increasing number of women attending college has, however, made more difficult the woman's task of working her way through college.

The number of women partially supporting themselves by earnings during the year was approximately 350, about thirty-five per cent of the women in the University.

The Employment Bureau's report shows the amounts earned by men, either in money or in its equivalent during the first three months of the present school year as follows:

- For board during the three months—800 men at an average earning of \$100.... \$80,000
- 2. For room—200 men at an average earning of \$50..... 10,000
- 4. Short time jobs for money 10,000

Total self-support for fall, 1927.....\$115,000

Waiting on table continues to be the chief source of revenue for the working student. Students earn board in exchange for such services. Washing dishes provides another means of earning one's board. House steward or house manager in a fraternity house is regarded as one of the choice methods of earning board. An average of three men in each of sixty fraternity houses were found to be earning their board in this manner. Furnace care constitutes a favorite pastime for the student ambitious to save his room rent. About two hundred men are thus employed at Cornell. When students perform odd jobs they are compensated according to ability at rates ranging from 35 to 50 cents an hour. Numbers of students find employment in the University. The following are some of the types of work and workers: clerical work, ushering at University functions, selling novelties at games, assisting in laboratories, drafting, work on the publications, playing in an

orchestra, examination scoring, tutoring, library work, assisting in the Medical Department, part-time teaching, proctoring, proof-reading, attendants in gymnasium locker room, readers, assistants to the Registrar, assistants in research, tickettakers, night man in the University buildings.

Some of the jobs in private homes in the City of Ithaca providing funds for students are washing dishes, waiting on table, carrying out ashes, caring for furnaces, shoveling out ashes, cleaning cellars, beating rugs, chopping wood, painting fences and screens, and putting up and taking down storm windows.

A number of students were found to be engaged in a number of miscellaneous jobs such as pressing clothes, delivering posters, canvassing, clerking in stores, demonstrating things for sale, acting as door man, factory work, acting as model, attendant at theatre, newspaper correspondent, photographer's assistant, porter, physical director, recreation director, salesman, soda dispenser, and stereoptican operator.

Commenting on employment conditions among the men students, Mrs. I. V. Edmond, Director of Student Employment of the Christian Association, points out that the greater part of the jobs are filled by upperclassmen, who have made contacts at the University or in the city of Ithaca. As a result of her experience Mrs. Edmond urges young men not to start to college unless they have enough funds to carry them through the entire first year. "This is a period of difficult adjustment," says the Director of Employment, "when plenty of time is needed for studying and adaptation to a new environment. The total amount of money earned by students seems like a very large sum unless one takes into consideration the total cost of a college education. While the ambitious student can find some sort of employment to help defray his expenses, the assumption that it is easy to work one's way through college is not warranted. Cornell has always encouraged the student of moderate means and a large number of working students in every class are found winning the highest academic honors as well as being prominent in athletics and other student activities."

Commenting on the work done by women, Dean Fitch says:

"Very few can earn all their expenses as it is too big a task and involves too great an expenditure of energy and time. About sixty earn board and room, which is as much as the average girl can do. The rest earn their board or lesser amounts, some just miscellaneous bits of work amounting to an hour a day or less. My experience with working students leads me to the conclusion that it is possible for girls to earn part of their way through Cornell, but it is practically impossible for any girl to earn her entire way through. In any event, no girl should come to col-

lege unless she has means of support for at least the difficult freshman year."

The report of the Appointment Bureau shows the following types of work performed by women students at Cornell: addressing envelopes, filing, getting out circulars, mimeographing, multigraphing, operating adding machines, secretarial work, statistical calculations, stenographic work, typing, caring for children, cleaning, cooking, dusting books, general housework, ironing, laundry work in Sage, nursing, serving at teas and dinners, sewing, unpacking china, cafeteria serving at Willard Straight, clerking in downtown stores, designing place cards, lettering, listing lantern slides, making dolls' clothes, mounting-in the Botany Department, night chaperoning at dormitories, operating slide rules, pantry work, photography, running elevators in dormitories, selling candy, acting as switchboard operators, teaching piano, acting as telephone operators (in the dormitories), tutoring, and waiting on table in restaurants.

#### THE CLUBS

#### Western Pennsylvania

The Club held particularly good luncheon meetings on the last three Fridays in December. On December 16 the speaker was Chancellor John G. Bowman of the University of Pittsburgh. December 23 was the date for the Christmas luncheon when the Club played host to undergraduates from Western Pennsylvania who were at home for the holidays. About eighty Cornellians attended the meeting.

Walter S. Finlay, Jr., '04 spoke at the meeting on December 30 on the subject of securing permanent club quarters. This subject has been up for frequent discussion in Pittsburgh of late, and Finlay, who has recently moved to Pittsburgh from New York, spoke from his intimate experience with the Cornell Club of New York.

#### Schenectady

The regular monthly meeting of the Club was advanced a week and held on November 30 in order to take advantage of the availability of Professor Vladimir Karapetoff. The dinner was served at Sirker's Restaurant with more than twenty-five in attendance.

The program consisted of a talk by Professor Karapetoff, who stressed the importance of keeping out of blind alleys in life's work and the necessity of frequent "stock-taking" in order to assure this. Charles D. Lippincott '24 gave some enjoyable selections on his harmonicas, using a different instrument for each number.

The meeting was temporarily adjourned to the Central Park High School, where Professor Karapetoff gave a piano-poetry-'cello recital.

#### **Dutchess County**

Fred Fuchs '18 was elected president of the Club at its annual meeting and dinner at the Hotel Campbell in Poughkeepsie on December 28. Other officers chosen were Dr. Chester A. Roig '10, vice-president, Carl H. Tibbetts '20, secretary, Clarence S. Denton '18, treasurer, and John O. Fuchs '11 member of the Board of Trustees of the Herrman H. Vail Memorial Fund. All officers were elected unanimously upon recommendation of the nominating committee, of which Selden H. Hall '03 was chairman.

Paul A. H. Weiss '16, retiring chairman of the Vail Fund Board, reported that since its organization loans totaling \$800 had been made by it to students from Dutchess County at Cornell. The club voted to appoint a delegation to bear its greetings and best wishes to Alonzo H. Vail, father of Captain Vail '11, to whom the loan fund is a memorial.

Herbert E. Mills, Ph.D. '90, professor of economics at Vassar College, was toastmaster. The speakers included James D. Pond '28, captain of the 1927 crosscountry team, who discussed athletics at Cornell; Thomas J. McFadden '22, who spoke on restriction of registration in American universities; and H. S. Dexter of the Central Hudson Gas and Electric Company, who gave some personal observations on China. Solos by Isaac Platt '99 and chorus singing, with George Fowler '14 at the piano, made up the musical program. About forty guests including some fathers of Cornellians attended.

#### Warren County

The Club held an informal dinner meeting at the Country Club in Glens Falls, New York, on December 22. Songs were led by Frank M. Starbuck '97. The "Songs of the Classes" were rendered plausible by the presence of one undergraduate from each class, but the bustees lacked a courageous representative to sing the well-known chorus. Howard J. Bush '94, retiring president, appointed a nominating committee whose recommendations were unanimously adopted. Accordingly Romney C. Patterson '11 was re-elected secretary and Charles F. Rhodes '03 was elected president. Cornell problems were discussed with Thomas J. McFadden '22, the recently appointed field secretary for the alumni.

#### Southern California

The Club took advantage of a visit of Professor Rolland N. Stewart of the Department of Rural Education by arranging a meeting of the Club in his honor, at Los Angeles. Professor Stewart spoke on vocational matters, touching especially on the problems of the University.

The R. O. T. C. will hold a military review, in the Drill Hall, on Friday afternoon, January 20, at 5 o'clock of the freshman and sophomore artillery batteries.

#### BOOKS

#### An Anthology of Literature

Heath Readings in the Literature of England. Selected and Edited by Tom Peete Cross, Professor of English and Comparative Literature in the University of Chicago, and Clement T. Goode, Ph.D. '20, Bostwick Professor of English Literature in the University of Richmond, Boston. Heath. 1927. 24.2 cm., pp. xxviii, 1389. Map. Price, \$4 (also in two volumes; one, through the eighteenth century, \$3, two, the nineteenth century, \$2.60).

This is a capital book. The selections have been wisely chosen. In the Middle English Period we note with satisfaction about forty pages of selections translated from Irish, Welsh, Anglo-Norman, and Latin; these give us, as the authors point out, "fascinating glimpses of the national foundations of British literary tradition." Mere fragments have been avoided, and where, because of great length, the whole of a work could not be given, the effort has been made to choose a representative selection from it possessing artistic unity within itself.

The arrangement is by periods, and within each period by types—poetry in its various subdivisions, and prose classified as essays, criticism, biography, letters. Of necessity the drama and the novel are omitted, but there are suggestions for reading in these types; these suggestions are good as far as they go, but there could well have been more of them. The Old English period has 56 pages; the Middle English, 79; the Age of Chaucer, 49; the Elizabethan and Puritan Periods, 218; the Restoration and the Eighteenth Century, 242; and the Nineteenth Century, 511. This proportion seems justified both because of the importance of the nineteenth century in the effort to understand our own and because of the intrinsic merits of the nineteenth century authors themselves.

There are 224 pages of judicious notes, informational, interpretative, and to a reasonable degree critical. The two-page map of England, Wales, and Southern Scotland, specially prepared for this book, is very neat and clear; the counties are in different colors and the names stand out clearly.

We cordially recommend this book both to the student and to the general reader. It is good value.

#### Modern Lives

Modern Lives. Selected and Edited by Charles Robert Gaston '96 and Gertrude Fales Gaston. Boston. Allyn and Bacon. 1927. 17 cm., pp. x, 326. Front., 32 illustrations. Academy Classics for Junior High Schools.

In compiling this book Dr. and Mrs. Gaston have rendered an important edu-

cational service. The persons represented are John Burroughs, Mark Twain, Cyrus H. K. Curtis, James J. Davis, Thomas A. Edison, Ferdinand Foch, Hamlin Garland, Frederic Spencer, Lord Hamilton, Herbert Clark Hoover, Robert Underwood Johnson, David Starr Jordan '72, Selma O. L. Lagerloef, Samuel S. McClure, Thomas Nelson Page, Walter Hines Page, Theodore Roosevelt, Anna Howard Shaw, Frederick Winslow Taylor, George Westinghouse, James A. M. Whistler, and Frances E. Willard. The selection is a representative and judicious one. Of these twenty-one sketches nine are autobiographical. They average about eleven pages in length, and to each is prefixed a very readable narrative of the life of the author who writes or is the subject of the selection. The appendix includes an essay on biography, questions and topics for discussion, interviews, and letters, a good list of suggested biographies, and a word-list. Altogether it is an attractive book, and should be widely used by junior high school pupils and others of their age.

#### Books and Magazine Articles

The Quill of Sigma Delta Chi for December includes a portrait of Professor Bristow Adams, now second vice-president of the fraternity.

In The Journal of Physical Chemistry for January Professor Bancroft, the editor, collaborates with Herbert L. Davis, Grad., in an article on "Osmotic Pressures of Concentrated Solutions." Dr. Jacob Papish and Donald A. Holt '24 present an article on "Gallium." Professor Bancroft reviews the fifth edition of Alfred W. Stewart's "Recent Advances in Organic Chemistry" volumes i and ii, and volume vii, part i of "A Text-Book of Inorganic Chemistry" edited by J. N. Friend and D. F. Twiss.

In The Cornell Civil Engineer for December Frank W. Skinner '79 describes "The Great Holland Vehicular Tunnel." Harvey T. Munn '13 discusses "Current Practice and the Trend of Development in Water Supply Engineering." There are obituaries of Ralph H. Lockwood '73, Redmond S. Colnon '87, and John Dubuis '09.

In *The New York Times* Book Review for December 18 Charles W. Thompson reviews "The Diary of Philip Hone" edited by Professor Allan Nevins. We shall notice this book in an early issue.

The subjects of the cartoons by Hendrick W. van Loon '05 in recent numbers of *The Nation* have been: December 7, "Loot"; December 14, "1927"; December 21, "The Angel of Peace in Modern Dress"; December 28, "Rhythms of the Ages"; January 4, "Civilization, 1928."

In The Saturday Evening Post for January 7 Austin Parker '14 begins a two-part serial entitled "'Fraid-Cat." Dana Burnet '11 has a story entitled "Miss Simpson Steps Out."



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#### ITHACA, N. Y., JANUARY 12, 1928

#### SELF-HELP FOR UNDERGRADUATES

LOSELY allied to the problem of interesting prep school students in Cornell University is the opportunity afforded to them of self-support. Obviously the student is in a position to gain more advantages from his college course if he is not compelled to earn a living at the same time. Noteworthy instances are to be found where apparently some giant of the early days disproves the theory, but the average student today seems to have a hard task to find time to earn \$1400 in nine months on a wage of thirtyfive to fifty cents an hour. Clearly ten to fifteen hours a day, even at dishwashing, consumes time that might better be used for social contacts or even study and collateral reading.

The kindly alumnus who recalls some earlier hero earning his entire living while preparing to become a great teacher is thinking of another day when board was not nine or ten dollars and tuition was negligible. It is obviously unsafe to endorse a promising but pecuniarily poor candidate for academic laurels to start in with nothing and earn all his expenses at college.

There is food for thought in this sort of mathematics. Good advice should betempered by a ground work of facts. What suggestions can an alumnus make to a prospective freshman who has not \$1400 a year to spend on his education?

One might take a page from some confidential reports on how the poor but prominent athlete has a chance to become educated, and incidentally to perform for his alma mater, thus selected. Alumni clubs offer scholarships, given under their own direction; wealthy alumni or groups of alumni lend funds almost sufficient for all needs, repayment of which may be deferred for years; there are cash gifts returnable if and when possible to some other needy student of the same sort; and finally, as good jobs as are available during the summer months, with an understanding that the student, when educated, will return to work for the benefactor.

None of these aids to self-support are available at Cornell, as far as we know. Not one student in five hundred can hope fully to support himself through college unless he has talent that will yield more than fifty cents an hour. Those that support themselves, as listed in the record given elsewhere in this issue, support themselves in part only and must have outside help.

The danger in steering philanthropies into this channel is the professionalizing of our athletics. If this can be successfully avoided or controlled, there is a clear call for those who seek a sound investment in youth to help students of merit to go to college.

#### COMING EVENTS

#### Saturday, January 14

Illustrated lecture, "Mountain Climbing in the Alps," Professor Walter W. Hyde '93, University of Pennsylvania. Baker Hall, 8.15 p. m.

Basketball, Yale at Ithaca.

Freshman basketball, the Manlius School at Ithaca.

Hockey, Syracuse at Ithaca.

#### Wednesday, January 18

Dinner and dance, Cornell Club of Northern New Jersey.

#### Saturday, January 21

Basketball, Columbia at Ithaca. Wrestling, Columbia at Ithaca. Hockey, Princeton at Princeton.

#### Tuesday, January 24

University concert, Sophie Braslau, contralto. Bailey Hall, 8.15 p. m.

#### Wednesday, January 25

Basketball, Princeton at Princeton.

#### Saturday, January 28

Hockey, Clarkson Tech at Ithaca.

It has been found necessary to remind students in the College of Arts and Sciences that smoking is forbidden in the lobbies, corridors, lecture rooms, recitation rooms, practice laboratories, libraries, and reading rooms of Goldwin Smith Hall. Dean Robert M. Odgen 'oo has issued a statement reminding students of the ruling, and placards will be posted in the near future.

#### THE COLLEGE WORLD

At the University of Virginia more than half a million dollars was earned last year by students who are wholly or partially self-supporting, according to a report made to President Alderman. Questionnaires answered by 2,045 students showed that a total of \$533,404 was earned by 1,219 students, of which number 252 are wholly self-supporting and are paying all their expenses and 967 are partially self-supporting. There were 826 who do not contribute at all to their support. From preaching to serving as a penitentiary guard the work ranged through 94 different occupations reported. Manual labor was engaged in by 154 and there were 149 teachers and instructors, 140 clerks, 70 salesmen, 60 office workers, 50 farmers and 40 engineers. Camps for boys gave summer jobs to 31. There were 28 working in banks, 26 bookkeeping, and the same number waiting on tables. Other occupations claiming more than ten were drafting, driving a truck, hospital work, painting, newspaper work, law, music, railroading, managing a boarding house, stenographic work, soda-dispensing, life guard, and electrician. Two boys piloted airplanes for pay, some kept bees, others sold antiques. Two were plumbers, two Chautauqua entertainers, and two played professional baseball. One man was a polo instructor and another assisted a dentist. One promoted dances, one was a barber, one a cartooner, and one a tree expert. Five added to their income by washing dishes. Students in the Graduate School averaged \$935.31 for each of those employed. Sixty per cent of the students were self-supporting wholly or in part.

PRESIDENT ALDERMAN in submitting his requests for 1928-9 to the Virginia Budget Commission points out that the expense of operating the University of Virginia in 1927-8 will be about \$1,362,000, of which the State of Virginia contributes thirty per cent, or \$381,690. For 1928-9 President Alderman asks for \$596,138 and for 1929-30, \$605,038. He also asks for capital outlay for a building program for the biennium of 1928-30 of \$1,734,500. The total value of the Virginia plant is now about \$4,000,000. There are now 2,174 regular students.

OIL SKETCHES by Kenneth Washburn are again on exhibition in the College of Architecture rooms in White Hall. The exhibit, which was shown also before the Christmas recess, consists of one hundred paintings of landscapes and architecture.

Another chapter in the history of the Senate Restaurant was recorded during the past week when it went under the management of John J. Sullivan of Trumansburg, proprietor of the Hotel Tremaine in that village, and formerly chef of the Ithaca Hotel.

#### The Week on the Campus

OMEONE IS always bound to suffer. Ithaca, cradled in warm southern breezes, basks in a succession of voluptuous summer days. Come to Ithaca, the Bermuda of Central New York. Thinblooded professors are happy, and so are patrolmen, delivery boys, and householders with walks to shovel and furnaces to feed. But oh, the Athletic Association is not happy.

IT IS ANNOUNCED that the enrollment in intramural athletics for the past year will approximate 3,300, representing an increase of 22 per cent over the enfollment for 1926. "In basketball, tennis, and hockey, the program is the most extensive of all Eastern universities." In basketball alone, fifty-nine clubs, fraternity and independent, are competing in twelve leagues, enrolling close to six hundred players. The Old Gymnasium trembles and quakes with communal exercise; its gutters run with honest sweat. One must conclude that every able-bodied student who wants to can find a team to play on and a team to play against. Now the next time you hear some lunch-table critic sorrowing about athletic professionalism at the expense of the average student, you might quote the above figures. You might be tempted to add that a little more professionalism would not be regretted by the alumni who go by the intercollegiate scores.

Speaking of statistics, the Employment Bureau of the Christian Association communicates the news that forty-six per cent of the students, men and women, earn part of their way at the University. The men earned \$115,000 during the first three months of the term; the women received \$60,000 in the course of the past year. These figures seem large, especially when one considers the limited opportunities open in a small city.

Most of the working students do tasks ordinarily classified as unskilled labor, and receive the current market rate for that commodity, or from thirty-five to fifty cents an hour. Mrs. I. V. Edmond, director of the Student Employment Bureau, points out that the greater part of the jobs are filled by upperclassmen, and warns entering students that during the difficult adjustments of the first year they should have enough money to carry them through.

This is good advice. There is a certain glamor about Working One's Way through College. Lots of good boys like to think of themselves as meeting and conquering overwhelming odds. That is all right, but a professional education in these days, with its proper accessories of exercise, recreation, and mere conversation, is pretty nearly a full-time job. It is hard enough to merely live on thirty-five cents an hour (\$16.80 for a 48-hour week) without carrying on a college education on the

side. The wise youth will borrow money, or stay out and learn a trade that pays real money for a time, and pay for his education afterwards with the increased earning capacity of his later years.

Smoking has been prohibited anew in the lobbies, corridors, lecture rooms, recitation rooms, laboratories, libraries, and reading rooms of Goldwin Smith Hall, and about time too. The air of the hall of the humanities was blue and sour with smoke, and the butts underfoot were thick as leaves on Vallombrosa. The Sun cries discrimination, on the ground that the professorial offices were omitted from the list of prohibited areas. The answer which the Dean has not deigned to make is that the offices are not public places. that the professors commonly have ashtrays for their disjecta, that privilege is a characteristic of this faulty world of ours, and that if the rule were enforced Professor Blank and Dr. X would resign.

The Library should be open on Sundays, as is the case in most other colleges, says the Sun, and this recommendation we applied to the echo.

James Ralph Bradley, one of the artists who have been assisting Ezra Winter in the work on the murals in Willard Straight Hall, has just hung a set of four large paintings in Foster Memorial Hall of the Ithaca High School. They are imaginative renderings of the hills and lakes and valleys of this pleasant patch of earth. This interpretation of the spirit of our countryside as seen by the artist's eye and mind is well worth your visit.

Dr. Wilfred H. Osgood of the Field Museum in Chicago, who led the expedition to Abyssinia of which Louis Agassiz Fuertes '97 was a member, gave a lecture on that journey last Wednesday. Aside from the interest of his subject, the speaker's reminiscences of Mr. Fuertes and his motion pictures showing him in the field and banqueting in state with magnificent local chieftains awakened poignant memories in many of the audience.

Dr. Osgood spoke with highest approval of the projected Fuertes Wild Life Memorial, and spoke, it seemed enviously, of Ithaca's unusual opportunity. It appears that we are on one of the birds' favorite north and south air lanes. The bird refuge that is planned will inevitably become a popular stopover point for winged travelers. In this relation let us remind any of you that are so minded that any contribution would be welcomed by the committee, of which Dean Albert W. Smith '78, our own "Uncle Pete," is treasurer.

LINDBERGH wireless from Nicaragua: "We went by automobile to El Tazate, the coffee plantation of Rafael Cabrera, a Cornell graduate and former Minister

of Finance." Cabrera is a 1911 man. We are much obliged to Colonel Lindbergh for this most pleasing of Alumni Notes.

The Finger Lakes Association has got up a \$50,000,000 highway program, for the benefit of the natives and, apparently, for the allurement of visitors. A good many of us feel pretty sour about this. There are enough people on the highways now, and too many sidewalks in the glens. I suppose it is inevitable; we can't do anything about Progress. But sometimes we get annoyed, and we should like to put up some signs of our own: "Keep Away from Ithaca—the Hell-Hole of America"; and "Enfield Glen—Beware of Snakes, Burrs, Blasting, Falling Rock, and Savage Dogs."

M. G. B.

#### STUDENTS ATTEND CONVENTION

Cornell was represented at the Tenth Quadrennial Student Volunteer Convention at Detroit recently by undergraduates and graduate students connected with the Christian Association. The interracial question was the topic discussed at the conference, at which one of the principal speakers was John R. Mott '88, president of the World's Student Federation.

Among the Cornell delegates were George E. Durham '19 of Ithaca, Elizabeth Fleming '31 of Beverly, Mass., Frances E. Cushing '26 of Buffalo, Eleanor Holston '27 of Ithaca, Margelia L. Phillips '28 of Prattsburg, Rachel A. Merritt '28 of Dunkirk, George T. Turner, Jr., '29 of River Forest, Ill., Henry C. Boschen '28 of Larchmont, Albert R. Galusha '28 of Caldwell, N. J., Jesse A. Clark '28 of Westmoreland, Mildred L. Cushing '29 of Buffalo, Thelma L. Powers'29 of Ithaca, Martha E. Hollister '29 of Ithaca, Hilda M. Anderson '28 of Brooklyn, William E. Burbank '29 of Baltimore, Md., George Cornwell '29 of Yorktown Heights, M. Y. Yap '29 of Honolulu, Hawaii, Miss Jean E. Randall '30 of Henrietta, Alida E. Shangle '29 of Ithaca, Miss Marion F. Whipple '30 of Bridgeport, Conn., and Tetsuo Miyakawa '30 of Sawtelle, Cal.

#### BABYLONIAN TABLETS HERE

Henry J. Patten '84 of Chicago has given to Cornell 220 Babylonian cuneiform clay tablets and cones. The gift has been added to the University Library, and the tablets have undergone a special electric baking process for indefinite preservation.

The tablets and cones, obtained by Mr. Patten in England, date from 2400 B. C. to 625 B. C., the period ranging from the Ur to the Neo-Babylonian dynasties. They consist of letters, receipts, marriage contracts, bills of sale, inheritance divisions, mathematical calculations, and public documents. The inscriptions will be translated, and the results will be published in a special volume.

#### **OBITUARIES**

#### David J. Love '73

Word has been received of the death of David James Love in 1883, at Geneva, N. Y. This is the first news of him received at the registrar's office since he left college after a few months' attendance in 1879.

He was born in Geneva, N. Y., on January 18, 1862, the son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Love. He received the degree of LL.B. from the Albany Law School in 1883.

#### Charles B. Wheelock '76

Charles Brackett Wheelock died on December 24. He had been in poor health for some time.

He was born in Bedford, Mass., on July 8, 1856, the son of Edwin M. and Ellen Brackett Wheelock. He spent two years at Cornell, receiving the degree of B.C.E. He was a member of Delta Upsilon.

He was for many years connected with the Phoenix Insurance Company in Boston, and for some time had been president of the Charles B. Wheelock Insurance Agency, Inc., of Boston.

#### James R. Craighead '06

James Ray Craighead died on November 23.

He was born on July 14, 1874, the son of Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Craighead. After graduating with honors from Williams College, he spent one year at Cornell, receiving the degree of M.E.

He was assistant to the director of the general engineering laboratory of the General Electric Company in Schenectady, devoting much of his time to work on transformers. Last year he had charge of the formation of the Charles P. Steinmetz Memorial Lecture Fund, with which the local section of the A. I. E. E. will finance an annual Steinmetz lecture.

#### Frederick C. Tag '01

Frederick Casimir Tag died of pneumonia on November 18, at his home in Belmar, N. J.

He was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., on February 17, 1876, the son of Casimir and Hannah Ockerhausen Tag. He spent two years at Cornell in mechanical engineering. He was a member of Chi Psi.

At the time of his death he was connected with J. D. Frankel and Company, brokers, in New York.

He is survived by his mother, his wife, who was Miss Grace C. Garretson, and a son, Frederick C. Tag, Jr., '27.

#### Cerelle W. Smith '22 Sp.

Word has been received of the death on September 25 of Cerelle Winifred Smith.

She was born in Phoenix, N. Y., on June 18, 1882. She took special work in agriculture in 1922.

#### THE ALUMNI

'96 BL, '24, '25 AB—Walter G. Pietsch is vice-president and treasurer of the advertising agency of Gale and Pietsch, Inc., of 6 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago. He lives at 169 Dartmouth Place, Evanston, Ill. His son, W. Randolph Pietsch '24, has joined the copy department of his father's firm.

'07 AB, '11 AM, '12 Ph.D.—Irving Perrine '07 is associated with Rex F. Harlow, dealing in oil royalties in the Mid-Continent area, in Oklahoma City, Okla. They have recently moved to Suite 1619-21 Petroleum Building.

'16 CE—Arthur F. Perry, Jr., last year organized his own company of Arthur F. Perry, Jr., Inc., as general contractors operating in Georgia, Florida, and Alabama. His address is 705 Bisbee Building, Jacksonville, Fla.

'17 ME—Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gendell have announced the marriage of their daughter, Mary Alice, to John G. Allbright on November 24, in Newton Centre, Mass.

'17 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Robbins have announced the marriage of their daughter, Eleanor, to Donald B. Vail on October 4, in Ridgewood, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Vail are living at Thornycroft, Scarsdale, N. Y.

'19 AB; '22; '23; '27 ME—Dean C. Wiggins's address is 7829 Euclid Avenue, Room M-2, Cleveland, Ohio. He writes that Willard L. Underwood '22 is assistant manager of the Cleveland Convention Board; that Thomas R. Miller '23 is with the Sun Life Insurance Company; and that Dana N. Merrill '27 is with the White Motor Company. Miller and Merrill are living at 8419 Euclid Avenue, Cleveland.

'19, '18 ME—Thomas B. Huestis is a partner in the engineering firm of Luce, Ferry and Huestis, developing automatic brick-making and brick-handling machinery. They have recently moved their headquarters from Brazil, Ind., to New London, Ohio.

'22 ME—John L. Cass is assistant to the manager of the natural color film laboratory of the Technicolor Motion Picture Corporation, of Boston. He lives at 28 Bradford Street, Salem, Mass.

'22 ME—A daughter, Sarah Helen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William M. Gale on October 26. They live at 408 Sedgwick Drive, Syracuse, N. Y.

'22 AB—Helen L. Jaquish is with the Rockefeller Foundation, at 61 Broadway, New York. She lives at 782 East Eighteenth Street, Brooklyn.

'22 BChem; '22 AB—Charles D. Ludlum is engineer of estimates for the Long Island operating area of the New York Telephone Company. Mrs. Ludlum was Elsie B. Blodgett '22. They live at 179 Whaley Street, Freeport, N. Y.

'22 EE; '27; '93; '25 BSA; '27 BArch— Junius F. Cook, Jr., is a patent solicitor with Cheever and Cox, patent lawyers, in Chicago. He lives at 5478 Everett Avenue, Chicago. Mrs. Cook was Barbara F. Jacobus '27. Their daughter, Katherine Elizabeth, expects to be a member of the Class of '48. Cook writes that his father, Junius F. Cook, Sr., '93, spent last summer at Whitney Point, N. Y., and has returned to South Africa where he has been living for a number of years; also that William F. Cook '25 is with the Federal Truck Company of Detroit and that Edward P. Lockart '27 is working for Mayo and Sons, architects in Chicago.

'22 ME—Laurence W. Eddy is a captain in the Coast Artillery of the Connecticut National Guard. He lives at 26 Longview Avenue, Fairfield, Conn.

'22—Sydney G. Berliner is working in the building industry. He lives at 3186 Rochambeau Avenue, Bronx, N. Y. His engagement has been announced to Miss Eleanor Simon of New Rochelle.

'22, '23 CE—The Elkan Stone-Tile Manufacturing Company, with which Stanley A. Elkan is connected, opened a new plant in Macon, Ga., in October.

'23 AB—Albert E. Conradis is general bookkeeper of the Tower Grove State Bank in St. Louis. He lives in the Adlon Apartments, 3438 Russell Boulevard.

'23 BS—Mildred L. Colton was married on October 11 to George B. Sleeper of Binghamton. They are living in Sherburne, N. Y.

'23 BS—Clarence J. Little is farming in Sussex, N. J.

'23 AB—Donald M. Halley is an associate professor of banking and finance at the Tulane University School of Commerce. He took graduate work and taught at Northwestern University. He lives at 1465 State Street, New Orleans,

'23 AB—Gertrude Hicks is a dietitian at Willard Straight Hall. She lives at I East Avenue.

'23 ME; '22 AB—Eric Geertz is an automotive engineer with the Link-Belt Company in Indianapolis. He was formerly with the Skinner Automotive Device Company of Detroit. He and his wife (Florence E. Hard '22) and their small son are living at 5419 Carrollton Avenue, Indianapolis.

'23 CE—Henri R. Buenaño is an engineer with the Compañía Americana de Construcciones y Pavimentos, in Buenos Aires, of which he is one of the founders. His address is 3024 Calle Echeverría, Buenos Aires, Argentina. He is in charge of the technical department. They specialize in the construction of roads and pavements. They own two large granite quarries in Brazil, which are said to be the largest in South America. He writes that he hopes that "with the acquisition of machinery made in U. S. A.' we shall see a few Cornellians among the men who

will be in charge of the plant. If so, 'Bienvenidos!' "

'23 ME, '27 EE—Anton P. Wright, Jr. is an engineer in the operating department of the Alabama Power Company in Birmingham, Ala. His address is 1830 Twelfth Avenue, South Birmingham.

'24 BS; '25 BS—Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Knowlton (Eva E. Reith) are living on their farm in Springville, N. Y.

'24 ME; '95—Archibald M. Hall left the Linde Air Products Company last spring and is now vice-president of the Hall-Aluminum Aircraft Corporation, engaged in the manufacture of airplanes with his father, Charles W. 'Hall '95. They expect soon to move to a large plant in Buffalo. Archibald Hall lives at 16 Pryor Road, Larchmont, N. Y.

'24 AB; '24 AB, '25 AM—Orin Q. Flint, Jr., is taking his fourth year of medicine at McGill University. He lives at 320 Prince Arthur Street, W., Montreal, Quebec. He writes that there are eight Cornell men studying medicine there, and that Ethel D. Simpson '24 is a graduate student in the department of physiology.

'24 BS, '26 MF—James E. Davis is county forester for Chautauqua County, N. Y. He was married in October to Miss Katherine M. Sandwick, daughter of Mrs. Katherine Sandwick of Newark Valley, N. Y. They are living in Jamestown.

'24 AB—Norman D. Harvey, Jr., is a textile chemist and overseer of dyeing

with the Esmond Mills of Esmond, R. I., manufacturers of blankets. He was married in September to Miss Janice M. Waring. They live at 125 Williams Street, Providence, R. I.

'24 CE—Charles L. Felske is with the Raymond Concrete Pile Company, of 140 Cedar Street, New York. He writes that his traveling address is always uncertain, as he is "barnstorming in their field construction operations."

'24, '25 AB—Roger O. Egeberg is studying medicine in Chicago. He lives in the Commonwealth Apartments at 2322 Commonwealth Ayenue.

'24 ME—Edwin W. Folsom is spending some months in Paris doing engineering work and studying foreign methods of manufacture. He resigned his position as industrial engineer with the Diamond Chain Company last spring. He motored several thousand miles through the Eastern States visiting industries, and then sailed to attend the international meeting of Efficiency Engineers held at Rome in September. He may be addressed at 917 First National Bank Building, Tampa, Fla.

'25 BS, '26 MS; '26 BS—Earl R. Mc-Neil lives at 43 Ramsey Place, Albany, N. Y. He writes that Alan W. Crosby '26 is a junior statistician for the United States Department of Agriculture, and is stationed at Albany doing crop reporting work in cooperation with the New York

State Department of Agriculture and Markets. He lives in the same house with McNeil.

'25 AB—Elsie M. Montag is teaching English in the Newtown High School at Elmhurst, N. Y. She lives at 2049 Palmetto Street, Brooklyn.

'25 AB—Leonard F. Cohen is manager of sales and advertising with the Panama Manufacturing Company, Inc., in New York. He lives at 134 Elk Avenue, New Rochelle, N. Y.

'25 EE—Melvin L. Hill is superintendent and a member of the firm of David Hill and Son, Inc. His address is 217 Tulip Avenue, Floral Park, N. Y.

'25 AB; '25—Harold H. Krider was married on November 12 to Miss Carolyn Vicary of Canton, Ohio. Krider is assistant to the credit manager of the Central Ally Steel Corporation at Massillon, Ohio. He writes that William A. Johnston '25 has a son, William A., Jr., who was born last July.

'25 AB—Donald R. Lyon is teaching Spanish, French, and a class in English for Latin-American students at the Keystone Academy in Factoryville, Pa.

'25 EE—Edgar W. Kroehle resigned his position with the Cleveland Electric Illuminating Company last spring, and is now working on a ranch in Victorville, Calif. He expects to be there until next June.

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'25 BS; '25, '26 BS—William J. Garypie is with the Stumpp and Walter Company, seedsmen, at 30-32 Barclay Street, New York. He was married last August to Miss Elsa E. Kahles of Sag Harbor, N. Y. They are living at 771 Westminster Road, Brooklyn. Garypie writes that Arthur J. Pratt '25 is managing the Whitlock Farms at Pittsford, N. Y.

'25 ME—Vincent L. Kohl is in the statistical department of the Commonwealth Edison Company. His address is 1710 West Garfield Boulevard, Chicago, Ill

'25 EE—George T. Hepburn is with the district plant engineer in the long lines department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, at 24 Walker Street, New York. He was married in October to Miss Mary H. Schillat of Montclair, N. J. They are living at 11 Clarendon Place, Bloomfield, N. J.

'25 AB—Rodney W. Hanford is teaching instrumental music in the High School and two junior high schools in Niagara Falls, N. Y. He lives at 554 Third Street.

'25 BS—Bernard Frank is a junior forester in the branch of economics of the United States Forest Service. He is now in West Virginia, where in cooperation with the State the United States Department of Agriculture is carrying on a land economic survey. His address is in care of T. W. Skuce, Extension Forester, Oglebay Hall, Morgantown, W. Va.

'25, '26 BS—Henri V. Carrere\_has bought a 375-acre farm at New Kingston, N. Y.

'25 BS—Anna E. Barrett is a dietitian at the Memorial Hospital in Morristown, N. J.

'25 AB—William F. Brown, Jr., is taking graduate work in mathematics and physics at Columbia. His address is 311 Furnald Hall, Columbia University, New York.

'25 BS; '24 AB; '25 BS; '26 BS; '26 AB—Mary M. Acker is teaching home economics in the Utica, N. Y., Continuation School. Her address is 414 Aiken Street. She writes that Frederica Hollister '24 is teaching Latin in the New Hartford, N. Y., High School; that Rosemary Sheldon '25 is in the New Hartford National Bank; that Dorothy E. Ellinwood '26 is teaching home economics in Almond, N. Y., and that Marie J. Underhill '26 is teaching history and English in Watertown.

'25 AB—Margaret Ray is assistant librarian at two branch libraries in Dayton, Ohio. She lives at 300 Rockwood Avenue.

'25 AB—Joseph C. Read is taking his fourth year at the Harvard Medical School. He lives at 25 Brook Street, Brookline, Mass.

'25 BS; '25 BS; '26 AB—Rachmiel R. I'orschmidt is working for the Imperial Candy Company in Seattle, Wash. He lives at the Central Y. M. C. A. He

writes that Bernard Frank is a forest economist with the United States Forest Service and that Michael P. Silverman '26 is studying law at the University of California.

'25, '26 CE; '25, '27 BS; '26 AB—Bjorn R. Edstrom is in the wood pulp and paper manufacture and trade business in France for the Stora Kopparbergs Bergslags Company of Sweden. His address is Bankers Trust Company, 5 Place Vendome, Paris. After some more months spent in getting experience in France, he expects to return to this country permanently. He writes that Z. Carter Patten, Jr., '25 and John C. Adams '26 spent the summer touring Europe and visited him at his home in Sweden. Patten is in the insurance business in Chattanooga, and Adams has returned to King's College, Cambridge, for the year.

'26 AB—Stephen A. Gaynor is attending the Fordham Law School and is a law clerk with the firm of Wayland and Bernard at 165 Broadway, New York. He lives at 585 Bedford Avenue, Brooklyn.

'26 ME; '26—Edward C. Hinchliff is an engineer with the Burson Knitting Company in Rockford, Ill. He was married last December to Miss Elizabeth F. Biddle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thaddeus M. Biddle of Altoona, Pa. They live at 436 North Main Street. He writes that Alfred S. Jarecki '26 and his wife are spending a year in Los Angeles.

'26 BS—Fred L. Miner is now assistant manager of the Flamingo Hotel at Miami Beach, Fla. During the summer season he is assistant manager at the Essex and Sussex Hotel at Spring Lake, N. J.

'26 BS—Marden R. Nystrom is with the Port of New York Authority, as assistant analyst specializing in food receipts and handling problems. He lives at 521 West 112th Street, New York.

'26 BS—Dorothy A. O'Brien is teaching in the Boys' High School in Brooklyn, N. Y. She lives at 159 Prospect Place.

'26 BS—Lewis H. Steele is a poultryman on the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's sanatorium farm at Wilton, N. Y.

'26 BS—Olive I. Knight is teaching in the High,School in Burnt Hills, N. Y.

'26 EE; '26 EE—Robert E. Fowler is in the electrical contracting business with his father. He lives at 247 Tremont Street, North Tonawanda, N. Y. He writes that John E. Morris '26 was married in September to Miss Rhoda Edwards of Sag Harbor, N. Y., and that they are living at 213 Ross Avenue, Williamsburg, Pa.

'26 AB—Hope I. Cushman is studying interior decoration at the New York School of Interior Decoration. She lives at 55 Caryl Avenue, Yonkers, N. Y.

'26 BS—Seth Jackson is in the engineering department of the Nassau and Suffolk Lighting Company. His address is General Delivery, Hempstead, N. Y.

His engagement has been announced to Miss Edna Burling of Jamaica, N. Y. She is a graduate of Adelphi College.

'26 BS—Milford C. Howard is with the United States Forest Service, and is now in charge of the Dix National Forest. His address is Browns, Mills, N. J.

'26 AB; '23 ME; '23; '25; '27—John M. Breckenridge is in the Chicago office of the Raymond and Whitcomb Company, at 72 East Jackson Boulevard, and writes in a sad letter that although he spends his time assisting many people in their travel plans, he is unable to find a way to get himself to Ithaca. He is living with his brother, Robert W. Breckenridge '23 and Charles L. Davidson '23 at 509 Lee Street, Evanston, Ill. He writes that "across the way is William W. Knight, Jr., '27, and, as Uncle Louis used to say, at just a short spit is Bob (Robert G.) Birkin '25. It has proved to be quite a genial community, and I heartily recommend it to other aspiring Cornellians who find a year-round spa in sympathy with their interests."

'26 BS—Marian F. Woolworth is a dietitian at the Starling-Loving Hospital of Ohio State University at Columbus.

'26 BS—Edgar W. Van Voris is a herdsman on the Dennington Stock Farm owned by J. J. Jermyn in Jermyn, Pa.

'26 ME—Horace D. Weigel is an appraisal engineer with W. F. Sloan, at 1826 Conway Building, Chicago.

'26 ME—Harry D. Unwin is in the mechanical department of the Trenton plant of the Certain-teed Products Corporation. His address is 2 South Clinton Avenue.

'26 AB—R. Whitney Tucker is taking graduate work in Greek and Latin at Cornell. He lives at 210 Dryden Road.

'27 EE; '27 SBS—Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Kimberley of Auburn, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Margaret D. Kimberley '27, to George L: Smith, Jr., '27.

'27 AB—Zaida M. Hanford is teaching biology, physics, and chemistry in the Oneonta, N. Y., High School, and is living at 8 Walnut Street.

'27; '26 BS; '27—Edward T. Schimmel is purchasing manager of the Blackstone Hotel in Omaha, Nebr. He writes that J. Mershon Welch '26 and Jean F. Bettis '27 were married recently. Welch is with the Roberts Hotel System in Winona, Minn.

'27 AB—Raymond C. Fingado is an agent with the New York Telephone Company. He lives at 185 Fingerboard Road, Rosebank, N. J.

'27 AB—William J. Bemis, Jr., is attending the Harvard Law School. His address is 42 Kirkland Street, Cambridge, Mass

'27 BS—Marion J. Race is assistant head hostess at the Firenze tea room of Alice Foote MacDougall in New York. '27 BS; '27—Marjorie I. Grant is teaching home economics in Roslyn, N. Y. She writes that Ida M. Hungerford '27 is also teaching home economics in the High School there.

'27 BS; '27 BS—Ellen L. Mills is teaching home economics in the High School at King Ferry, N. Y. She writes that Lucille M. Howden '27 was married last spring to LeRoy Hurlbut, Michigan '27. They are living in Delavan, N. Y.

'27 BS—Ruth E. Matz is teaching foods in the West Reading, Pa., High School, and living in Shillington, Pa.

'27—A. Alvin North, Jr., was married in September to Miss Bertha A. Ryman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ryman of Troy, Ohio. They are living in Dayton, Ohio.

'27 AB—Ernest W. Zentgraf, Jr., is studying at the Princeton Theological Seminary. His home address is 400 St. Pauls Avenue, Stapleton, N. Y.

'27—Lena J. Wilkes is director of the cafeteria in the new East High School in Buffalo. She lives at 820 Northampton Street.

'27 BArch—Malcolm P. Cameron is a draftsman with the firm of John Russell Pope, architects, at 542 Fifth Avenue, New York. He lives at 27 West Seventy-first Street.

'27 BS—Helen C. Brodie is working at Anderson's Florist Shop on Elmwood Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y. She lives in Derby, N. Y.

'27 AB—Elaine P. Arnaud is teaching the third grade at the Force School in Washington, D. C. She lives at 1224 Eleventh Street, N. W.

'27 AB—H. Barbara Wright is a secretary in the International Company, a central bureau for statistical research and development of electricity, in Geneva, Switzerland. Her address is 5 Rond Point de Plain Palais. She writes that Geneva weather is as bad as or worse than Ithaca weather.

'27 EE—Robert D. Wilder is a cadet engineer in the Irvington laboratory of the Public Service of New Jersey. He lives at 117 Lincoln Street, Passaic, N. J.

'27 BS; '27 BS; '23 BS; '27 ME—Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Pye have announced the engagement of their daughter, Verna E. C. Pye '27, to Charles M. Emslie '27. Miss Pye is in the florist business with her father in Nyack, N. Y. She lives on Third Avenue. She writes that Rodney Eaton '23 is sales manager of the Rockland Light and Power Company, in Nyack, and that David B. Willets '27 is working with the New York Telephone Company in their laboratory department at Mount Vernon, N. Y.

'27 EE—Clinton H. Dederick is in the experimental engineering department of the Emerson Electrical Manufacturing Company. He lives at 4242 Westminster Place, St. Louis, Mo.

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'27 BS-Clarence V. House was married last June to Miss Fredericka Coleman of Avon, N. Y. They are living at Avon, where he is managing the Crescent Farm.

'27 ME; '27 ME-J. Elwood Pittenger is a cadet engineer with the Philadelphia Suburban Counties Gas and Electric Company. His address is 707 Electric Avenue, Wyncote, Pa. He writes that Henry S. Germond, 3d, was married in September to Miss Alice E. Boyd of Saint Paul, Minn., and that they are living at 65 Danforth Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

'27 AB-Gerald A. Murray is a price engineer with the Western Electric Company at 195 Broadway, New York. He lives at 145-16 Newport Avenue, Rockaway Beach, N. Y.

'27 BS; '27 BS; '27 AB; '27 BS— Elizabeth P. Stow is teaching home economics in the Jefferson Junior High School in Rochester, N. Y. She lives at 55 South Washington Street. Her engagement has been announced to Ensign

Charles S. Weeks, U. S. N. She writes that Muriel A. Lamb '27 is doing extension work with the Monroe County Home Bureau and living in Rochester at 55 South Washington Street; that Meta Ungerer is teaching in the Continuation School in Rochester; and that Barbara F. Cone '27 is assistant dietitian at the Y. W. C. A. in Binghamton, N. Y.

'27 ME-George N. Page is an engineering assistant with the New York Edison Company. He is located in Syracuse; his address is 710 Hamilton Street.

'27 AB-Toini H. Pasto is teaching in the Van Etten, N. Y., High School.

'27 BS-Beatrice N. Pringle is teaching home making in the High School in Newark, N. Y. She lives at 317 Colton Avenue.

'27 BChem-John W. Snyder is a chemist with Binney and Smith at 41 East Forty-second Street, New York. He lives at 346 Spruce Avenue, Garwood, N. J.

'27 AB-Elisabeth H. Reamer is teaching at the Allendale School for Boys. She lives at 737 East Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

'27 PhD-Howard W. Russell is an assistant professor of physics at the Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh.

'27 CE-William G. Lanterman is an engineer with the American Laundry Machinery Company. He lives at 55 Cedar Street, Wyoming, Maplewood,

'27 AB-John E. Lambly is on the technical staff of the Bell Telephone Laboratories in New York, doing research on television and talking movies apparatus. He lives at 47 Cedar Street, Maplewood,

'27 AB-Irene D. Aldrich is doing family case work with the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities. Her address is 50 Nevins Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

'27 EE-Herbert E. Edelstein is taking a three months' test course with the United Electric Light and Power Company of New York. He lives at 62 East Ninetyfourth Street.

'27 BS-Kathrvn M. Demarest is working for her M.A. in zoology at Columbia. She lives on Laurel Avenue, Tenafly, N. J.

27 BS-F. Helen Huston is manager of the Little Tavern in Mansfield, Pa.

'27 ME-William W. Starke is a draftsman with Stone and Webster in Boston, and is living at 1590 Massachusetts Avenue, Cambridge.

'27 AB-Herbert T. Singer is now associated with his father in the Amsterdam Printing and Lithographing Company, specialty printers and publishers. He lives at 5 Jackson Street, Amsterdam,

'27 BS—Alice M. Shoemaker is teaching home-making in the Edmeston, N. Y., High School.

'27 AB-Reuben Shefkowitz is attending the Fordham Law School and is devoting some of his time to teaching. He lives at 1026 President Street, Brooklyn.

'27 CE-William J. Russell is an engineer with the New York Telephone Company, and is located in Syracuse. He lives in Marcellus, N. Y.

'27 AB-David H. Richards has been doing farm work on the ranch in California where the Deep Springs School of the Telluride Association is located. He writes that he has developed such a liking for the West Coast that he may enter the advertising field in San Francisco. His address is Deep Springs, Inyo County,

'27 BS-John A. Brill is operating a hundred-acre dairy farm near Poughquag, N. Y.

'27 AB-H. Rosalind Humphrey is teaching Latin in the Ithaca High School. She lives at 504 North Aurora Street.

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