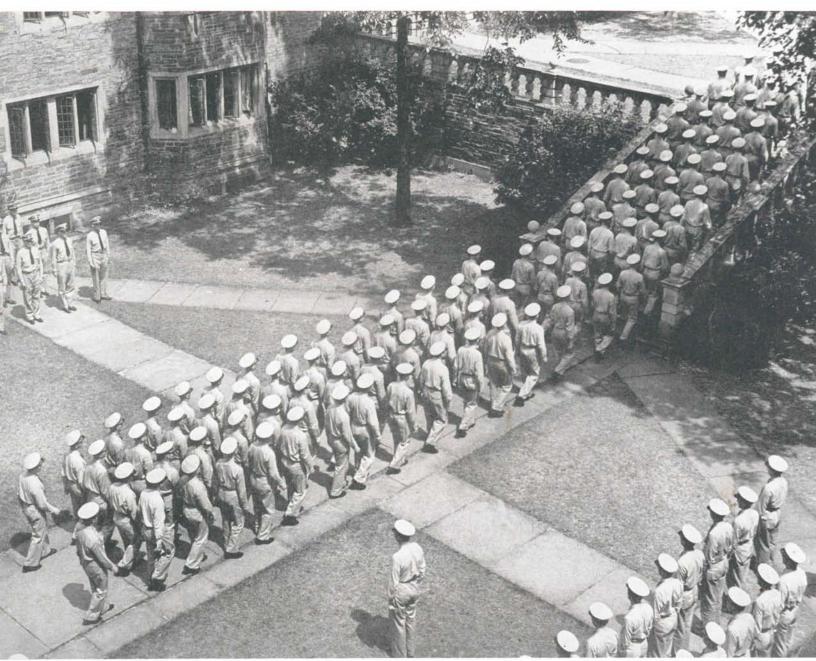
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Naval Reserve Officers March in Baker Dormitories Court

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Carl Snavely's Big Red Team Awaits You as the First of Nine Opponents on the 1942 Football Schedule.

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September 26

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October 3

Colgate at Ithaca

October 10

Army at West Point

October 17

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October 24

Syracuse at Syracuse

October 31

Columbia at New York

November 7

Yale at New Haven

November 14

Dartmouth at Buffalo

November 26

Pennsylvania at Philadelphia

Application blanks for tickets for the eight games on the Cornell schedule will be mailed early in September to Alumni within the radius of Ithaca and the out-of-town playing fields. If for any reason blanks are not received, write to the Cornell University Athletic Association, Ithaca, N. Y.

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2. Wearers of the "C" 4 tickets

3. Faculty 2 tickets

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# U.S. NAVAL TRAINING SCHOOL AT CORNELL

The telephone jingled on the desk of Dr. Arthur S. Adams at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. He picked it up and a voice from Washington asked, "Can you start a full course of instruction on Diesel engineering?"

Dr. Adams, Assistant Dean of Engineering, said "yes." (He is a former Annapolis man and the "yes" slipped out before he realized it.)

"Good," said the voice in Washington. "Come to the Navy Department the day after tomorrow with the full curriculum worked out."

#### 900 Officers in Training

That, in brief fact, is the way the US Naval Training School at Cornell got under way. At first it was a Diesel engineering school only. Then the facilities of the fine Cornell Engineering staff were placed at the disposal of the Navy for instruction in communications. And to prepare officers for work in these advanced courses a school of indoctrination was opened July 1, 1942, making Cornell one of the important contributors to the Navy's officer training program.

Now, more than 900 officers are there studying and drilling, cramming and reciting, in the race to catch up with the Axis. The peace and quiet that normally attend a summer on the Campus high above Cayuga's waters are shattered.

The scenery is all that is left of the old college atmosphere. Student officers have no time to walk in the moonlight or cut their initials in the tables and wall panels of the Ithaca Hotel's tap room. They must be fresh and rested when they hit the deck at 5:45 a.m., and any man who has cheated on his sleep suffers horribly in the morning's calisthenics workout. Without breakfast, the men go through twenty minutes of bodily torture so strenuous that one instructor said, "I get up a sweat just watching.

The students now eat in two shifts in the cafeteria and dining rooms of Willard Straight Hall, but a new, slabside and tar-

This is the Navy's own story, prepared, with many pictures, by the Public Relations Office, Third Naval District, for use of newspapers and magazines all over the United States. Officers of the Naval Training School are quartered in some of the Baker Dormitories (see cover), in Cascadilla Hall, Sage College, and Sheldon Court. They use classrooms in Olin Hall, Myron Taylor Hall, and the College of Engineering, with a special Diesel engine laboratory fitted up in the Sibley shops. Their new mess hall, just south of the Dormitory group, will be directed for the Navy by Olive Worden '31 under supervision of Mrs. Anna Fielden Grace '10, Manager of University Residential Halls. Six large signal masts, complete with yard arms and flag lockers, have been erected on Sage Green, in front of Alumni House, for the communications course.

paper mess hall for 500 men is under construction.

In eight weeks of indoctrination training the men learn Naval organization, ashore and afloat, rudiments of navigation, seamanship, Naval history, Naval customs and traditions, gunnery, communications, and official correspondence. Staggered with the class work are

military drill, boat drill on Cayuga Lake, marksmanship with the 45-caliber pistol, and an hour of compulsory athletics each afternoon.

From noon Saturday until Sunday evening, the officers may leave the Campus; at other times their hours are crowded but the enthusiasm that drives 98 per cent of the men enables them to take the hard work in stride. These men come from every State and from every background. They range from twenty-two years to twice that age. Their one similarity is the urge to do a job and do it well.

#### Engineers Make Good

Dr. Adams, now Lieutenant Commander Adams, USN (Ret.), found that Diesel engineers—and good ones too—could be fashioned from lawyers, farmers, salesmen and teachers. One doctor of jurisprudence, just out of Harvard Law School, was transformed into an excellent engineer who is now at sea on a submarine chaser. A man with an LLB from the University of Chicago won honors in an examination in thermodynamics. Such incidents could be repeated over and over.

It is assumed that the student officers want to learn. The entire four months' curriculum rests on this assumption. From the day they first start tearing down old

gasoline engines salvaged from automobile cemeteries until they master Diesel operations, they learn because of this inner compulsion. It isn't easy.

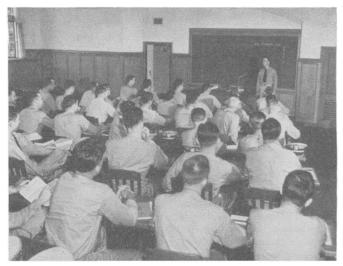
Instructors-they might better be called saboteurs-walk down the line of engines, disconnecting a wire here, hiding a part there, and the students have to 'trouble-shoot'' the situation and get the engine working again. Some of the old engines are on their last legs and the glint of pleasure on a student officer's face when he announces "I've got that old Buick running" is a reassuring thing to see.

Out of the first indoctrination class about 125 officers will be sent to the new communica-



Captain B. W. Chippendale, USN, commanding the Naval Training School at the University, addresses a graduating class of officers completing the Diesel engine courses. Seated, left to right, are Lieutenant Commander J. H. Smith, executive officer of the School; Dean C. S. Hollister of the College of Engineering; Lieutenant Commander Arthur S. Adams, in charge of Diesel courses; and Lieutenant P. C. Olin, in charge of indoctrination courses.

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NAVAL OFFICERS GET INSTRUCTION IN UNIVERSITY CLASSROOMS AND LABORATORIES

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Left: A class in navigation in Myron Taylor Hall. Right: Engineer officers work on a Diesel engine in the Sibley shops.

tions school now being established at Cornell, and after August a similar number each month will enter the five-months' course in communications until the school enrollment totals about 625 men.

So, come autumn, at least a thousand officers will be preparing for sea and shore duty at Ithaca, and Cornell will be Alma Mater to more and more officers as the Navy builds its two-ocean into a seven-ocean fleet.

In charge of this undertaking—vast enough and hurried enough to worry any man—is Captain Burton W. Chippendale, USN, just in from sea duty with the fleet. Tanned, hard-bitten, he is the only regular Navy man on the station except for a medical officer. He has called in a few former Annapolis men and has ten new ensigns from the Naval Academy to serve as company commanders.

"These men," he said proudly, "are worth their weight in gold. They can pass along the invaluable 'savvy' of the Navy to the new reserve officers and give

them that indefinable sixth sense that makes American sea-faring men as good as any in the world."

Captain Chippendale believes that the athletic and drill fields of Cornell, and the other colleges cooperating.. with the Navy's training program, can make good officers on the basis, as stated by the British, that the Battle of Waterloo was won on the playing fields of Eton. But he demands devotion to duty, hard work, and constant manifestation of initiative.

Orrin Tucker, famous orchestra leader, arrived recently at Cornell with the stripes a of lieutenant, junior grade, on his sleeve, Lieutenant Tucker has organized a fine glee club, giving much time to his self-imposed task. But he has been a Naval officer first, and a musician second, and that is quite according to the skipper's ideas.

The men lose weight at first and then put on a few pounds, all hard muscle. They march from class to class and to the dining hall. Often, as they march, the chimes in the Library Tower accompany them. The other day as the khaki-clad column stepped briskly along to mess the carillon played a medley, including "Tenting Tonight" and "Just Before the Battle, Mother."

"That's more appropriate than you think," said Captain Chippendale. "Five hundred of these men will be at sea or or duty on shore within eight weeks."

#### CHANGES IN ROTC

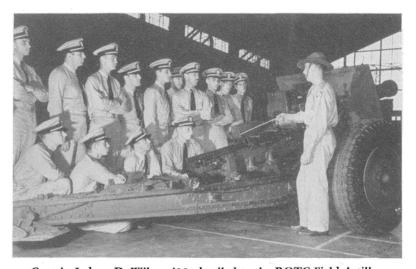
New commanding officer of the ROTC and professor of Military Science and Tactics at the University is Colonel Edward R. Van Deusen. He relieves Colonel Clinton I. McClure, Commandant since 1940, who was ordered to Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Two other ranking officers detailed to duty here are Lieutenant Colonels Jewett D. Matthews and Lewis E. Reigner, relieving Lieutenant Colonels Jesse B. Matlack and Frederic A. Metcalf. Colonel Metcalf, here since 1938, reported July 1 to Fort Bragg, N. C., and Colonel Matlack who came in 1939, was detailed to Fort Sill, Okla.

Graduate of West Point in 1909, Colonel Van Deusen was a cavalry officer in the Philippines from 1914–17, then at Camp Jackson, S. C., and went to Germany with the Army of Occupation. He served on the Mexican border, commanded the ROTC at Princeton, 1923–29, was post executive officer at Fort Sill, and after two years in Hawaii returned to Fort Sill as president of the literature board in charge of writing and revising military manuals and instruction books.

Colonel Matthews likewise came from

Fort Sill, where he was staff judge advocate and trial judge advocate. Graduate of the University of Idaho in 1909, he received the JSD at University of Chicago and practiced law in Chicago until he went to the Mexican border in 1916 as a second lieutenant with the First Illinois Cavalry. He was overseas during the last war, then was detailed to the ROTC at University of Chicago, spent three years in Hawaii and six years with the Organized Reserve in Connecticut.

Colonel Reigner, a graduate of Franklin & Marshall College in



Captain Judson D. Wilcox '32, detailed to the ROTC Field Artillery unit, demonstrates the fundamentals of ballistics and armament to a class of Naval Reserve officers on the 155 mm. field piece in Barton Hall.

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1907, was commissioned in 1917 and served in France and Belgium with the 28th Division, 53d Field Artillery Brigade. He has seen duty in Hawaii, at Fort Sill, with the Organized Reserve of New Jersey, the ROTC at University of Missouri, and the Junior ROTC in high schools of Iowa, at Fort Hoyle, Md., with the Massachusetts National Guard, and came to Cornell from command of the Civilian Conservation Corps in the State of Wisconsin.

With suspension of Infantry training in the ROTC here, Lieutenant Walter E. Hopper, Jr. '37 has been ordered to other duty; is now at Camp McClellan, Ala. Lieutenant Robert C. Taber '38, Field Artillery, has been transferred to Pine Camp.

To take charge of a new Quarter-master Corps advanced unit which will be added this fall, Captain Edward K. Halbleib has been detailed to the ROTC. Other new arrivals are Major Joseph S. Huske, First Lieutenant Edward P. Bradley '38, and Second Lieutenant Edward M. Stack, Field Artillery. Eight Cornellian officers detailed here received promotion early in August: Robert I. Dodge, Jr. '29 and Francis H. Schaefer, Jr. '29 to majors; Judson D. Wilcox '32, Philip L. Loomis '37 and Gerald S. White '37 to captains; Frank P. Boyle '39, Jacob M. Murdock III '39, and John P. Downing '40 to first lieutenants.

#### **IERSEY ENGINEERS ELECT**

Cornell Society of Engineers New Jersey branch has elected William H. Hill '22 its chairman for this year, succeeding J. Paul Leinroth '12. A. Mortimer Erskine '14 is vice-chairman and Sylvester J. McKelvey '27 is secretary-treasurer. Forty alumni attended a luncheon meeting at the Newark Athletic Club. George N. Brown '08, former chairman of the group who is now president of the Society, spoke on "Cornell's Wartime Program."

#### PRISONERS OF THE JAPS

George C. Robertson '04 writes that among the American residents of Manila imprisoned by the Japanese invaders are James C. Rockwell '04 of the Manila Electric Co., Samuel Garmezy '13, vice-president and chief engineer, Atlantic, Gulf & Pacific Co. of Manila, Fay C. Bailey '19, probably Dr. Eustace S. D. Merchant '12 and others of the 125 members of the Cornell Club of the Philippines.

Robertson is now in Puerto Rico as regional director, Carribean Division, Armco International Corp., having been transferred before the Japanese occupation. As manager of the Pacific Division for four and a half years he covered Japan, China, the Philippines, Dutch East Indies, French Indo-China, Siam, Burma, and India. His present address is P. O. Box 496, San Juan, P. R.

#### RAY ASHBERY RESIGNS To Run Sheldon Court

Ray S. Ashbery '25 has resigned as Alumni Field Secretary of the University to become, September 1, manager of Sheldon Court dormitory at the College Avenue entrance of the Campus. In Trumansburg where he lives, he has practiced law for several years and this practice he will continue and expand along with his duties at Sheldon Court.

Since he became Alumni Field Secretary in 1930, Ashbery has organized and developed the University's secondary school program. He has been the coordinating officer with undergraduates, alumni, and the Faculty for the annual Cornell Days beginning in 1933, has worked with Cornell Clubs and alumni to interest school officials and desirable students in Cornell, arranging for visits of Faculty members to schools and Clubs to interview boys and educators, and has frequently visited Clubs and schools. The work of his office will be continued by Pauline Bird, for many years Ashbery's assistant, under direction of Walter C. Heasley, Jr. '30, Acting Alumni Secretary of the University, with cooperation of the Faculty committee on relations with secondary schools and the similar committee of the Alumni Association of which Clarence J. Pope '10 is chairman. Ashbery says that in his new work, where he will be closely in touch with undergraduates and prospective students, he will continue to be active in the secondary school program but as an alumnus instead of a University official.



CAUGHT IN THE ACT!

Professor Bristow Adams, Agriculture Publications, overcomes the difficulties of gasoline rationing through the aid of William A. Schreyer '23 (center), whose car is being drained. Occasion was B.A.'s recent visit to New Jersey for the christening of Benjamin Bristow Adams III, son of Benjamin B. Adams II '37, manager of the Beechwood Hotel at Summit, N. J. At left is the baby's godfather, Ray S. Ashbery '25, who resigns September 1 as Alumni Field Secretary of the University to become manager of Sheldon Court in Ithaca.

Entering the College of Agriculture in 1921 from Hutchinson Central High School, Buffalo, Ashbery received the BS in 1925. That summer he was assistant to Romeyn Berry '04, Graduate Manager of Athletics, and in the fall became assistant director of Willard Straight Hall with Foster M. Coffin '12, director of the Hall and Alumni Secretary of the University. During five years at Willard Straight, he was also a student in the Law School; later studied law with the late Jared T. Newman '75, and was admitted to the Bar in 1937. During his first three years as Alumni Field Secretary, Ashbery visited Cornell Clubs all over the United States and assisted in organizing a number of new Clubs. He was manager of lacrosse, a member of the Student Council, and is a member of Delta Upsilon and Quill and Dagger. Mrs. Ashbery was Jean Bradley '37.

Arthur R. Congdon has been at Shedon Court since it opened in 1903. He became manager in 1908 at the death of Charles L. Sheldon, Jr. 'or whose father built the building. Congdon plans to retire, but will remain for a time to assist Ashbery in his new duties. He is the father of Mrs. Andrew W. McElwee (Barbara Congdon) '36 and is well known to the many generations of Cornellians who have lived in Sheldon Court and sent their sons there for thirtynine years. Among "his boys" have been Hendrik W. Van Loon '05, George C. Boldt, Jr. '05 whose father as a University Trustee was instrumental in planning the present group of University dormitories on West Avenue, Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr. '13, and many other well-known alumni.

Sheldon Court was the first dormitory to be built for students of the University. Senior architect was the late Henry Wilkinson '89, who visited most of the Eastern college dormitories and incorporated in the \$85,000 building their best features in arrangement and furnishing.

#### CALIFORNIA OFFICERS

Cornell Club of Southern California at a dinner meeting in Los Angeles June 30 advanced Floyd C. Brundage '06 from vice-president to succeed Stuart H. Hacker '23 as president. New vicepresident is Clifford J. Burnham '13; secretary-treasurer, Claude E. Emmons '12.

Eleven members of the Cornell Club of Northern California, meeting for luncheon June 3 at the University Club in San Francisco, re-elected Bernard S. Sines '22, president of the Club. Vice-president is Siebert L. Sefton '29; secretary-treasurer, Carroll R. Harding '10. Elected directors for this year are Louis D. Webster '08, Thomas T. Cook '10, and Buel F. Titus '23. They will serve with Harold W. Knowles '12 and Lynn P. Himmelman '33.

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### UNIVERSITY STUDENTS TO ENLIST.

#### All Men To Get Physical Training

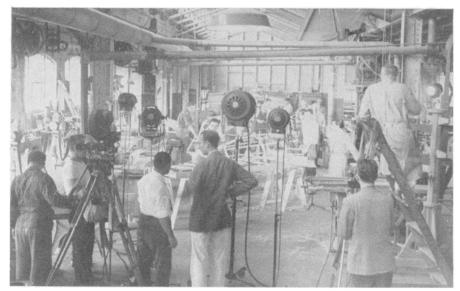
University committee on student war service mailed July 30 to all male undergraduates and students accepted for admission as undergraduates in September, details of the new Army Enlisted Reserve Corps authorized by the War and Navy Departments for training prospective officers in colleges and universities. The Committee pointed out that maximum numbers of each undergraduate Class are fixed for the University by the War Department, and enclosed a blank form signifying intention to enroll in the Enlisted Reserve Corps.

The University Faculty in special meeting August 4 adopted recommendations of the war service committee that physical training be required of all men students unless officially excused, beginning with the opening of the University and for the duration of the war; and recommending to the Trustees that undergraduates generally be prohibited from maintaining and operating automobiles while in the University.

At a meeting July 31 called by Donald H. Moyer, Counsellor of Students and chairman of the Faculty committee on student activities, ten student leaders came from their homes to discuss with members of the committee the adjustments in undergraduate activities which will be necessary next year. Students present were Roy B. Unger '43 of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, president of the Student Council; J. Larkin Hoyt '43 of Walden, president, Interfraternity Council; S. Miller Harris '43 of Philadelphia, Pa., editor, Cornell Daily Sun; Barber B.

Conable, Jr. '43 of Warsaw, president, Willard Straight Hall; Edward D. Eddy '44 of Ithaca, chairman, committee on Freshman activities; Betty J. Bockstedt '43 of Auburn, Beth A. Smiley '43 of Ithaca, and Barbara J. Styles '43 of Utica representing WSGA; and Mira Graves '43, president of the Pan Hellenic Association.

The five men of this group addressed a letter August 4 to the Dean of the Faculty endorsing a compulsory physical fitness program "to train Cornell undergraduates for military service and to build a physical body capable of producing greater mental effort and accomplishment while still in civilian life here at the University." The letter said that students "will find themselves studying on borrowed time' in this University. We believe that the Cornell student is ready and willing to do his share in the nation's struggle for victory, and that he looks to the Faculty of the University at this time for direction." It suggested "increased academic requirements," saying: "The academic program is, as always, the real preparation of a leader. It is of greater importance now that class work be completed. Lax attendance, late work, and tardiness should no longer be tolerated by any professor. . . . The academic requirements for good standing in the University should be carefully investigated and perhaps revised. A student who does not show signs of accomplishment no longer has any place in an institution which has been called upon to train men for the war effort.'



OEM FILMS UNIVERSITY'S WAR ACTIVITIES

For a Government documentary picture on American Colleges at War, a mobile camera unit of the Office for Emergency Management "shoots" the construction of gliders in Rand Hall by high school teachers learning to teach their boys. This instruction, sponsored by the State Department of Education as part of the national program for teaching aviation in high schools, is directed by Professor Lynn A. Emerson, Industrial Education.

President Edmund E. Day, commenting upon these developments, said: "It is especially gratifying that the Administration, Faculty, and students are in general agreement both as to the function of the University in wartime and as to methods by which Cornell's resources can best be employed in the war effort."

He pointed out also, that new provision has been made to assist the approximately half of Cornell undergraduates who earn part or all of their college expenses, to take advantage of the University's accelerated program. "The new loan fund made available by the Government under a recent Act of Congress for students in engineering, physics, chemistry, medicine, and veterinary medicine, will be especially helpful," he said. "Loans up to \$500 a year can be made from this new fund to Juniors and Seniors in the specified courses. Emergency loans have also been increased in the Medical College by grants from two foundations totalling

The State now pays its Cash Scholarships and Cornell Scholarships by the term, thus giving continuous aid to students taking accelerated programs. The same plan has been applied to John McMullen Scholarships in Engineering and to a number of other scholarships administered by the University. In addition, the Board of Trustees has authorized award of additional scholarships to Engineering students from the McMullen Fund as needs are created by the three-terms-a-year schedule.

"Cornell University will do everything in its power," the President concluded, "to help those students who have a serious purpose and desire to serve their country. American colleges and universities have been given the responsibility of providing qualified officer material for the armed services and thoroughly trained civilian experts in many fields essential to the prosecution of the war. Cornell will continue to make whatever readjustments are necessary to meet that responsibility in full measure."

Professor A. Wright Gibson '17, Director of Resident Instruction in the College of Agriculture, is chairman of the committee on student war service. The letter of the committee follows, in part:

1. The War Department has approved the enrollment of undergraduate students, who are not members of the Advanced Course, ROTC, for enrollment in the Enlisted Reserve Corps, this with a view to their being exempt from induction into the service pending the completion of their college education.

2. In order for the undergraduate to be enlisted in the Enlisted Reserve under the "Preinduction Training in College" plan, he must meet the following requirements:

(a) Be a citizen of the United States.

(b) Have maintained a passing standard in his academic subjects.

(c) In general, possess standard qualifications, physical and mental, required for a reserve officer.

3. After a student has been accepted for enlistment in the Enlisted Reserve Corps, said student will be exempted from induction into the service provided:

(a) He maintains satisfactory college standing as determined by the college. (If he is not

dropped.)
(b) Passes a "qualifying examination."

Juniors and Seniors are exempt from this examination. Sophomores will take the examination in the second term of their sophomore year. Freshmen will take the examination in the second term of their sophomore

(c) Continues as a student in college.

Should the student:

4. Should the student.

(a) Separate himself from the institution for

(b) Fail to meet the prescribed level in the "qualifying examination" mentioned in paragraph 3 (b) above, or

(c) Be deemed by the Army authorities to have not shown the necessary qualifications to

become probable officer material, or

(d) Fail to graduate with the class with which he would normally graduate; Such student will be reported to the Corps Area Commander by the college authorities and will be ordered to duty in an enlisted status provided he has no valid reason for deferment. However, such a student will have an equal opportunity to compete for a commission with any other individual who is inducted into the service.

5. On graduating from college, students who have enlisted in the Enlisted Reserve Corps will be sent to a replacement center of the branch for which they are best suited (normally, the branch they select) where they will be given the normal course of training for the branch concerned. Upon successful completion of this course, and if otherwise qualified and selected, they will be ordered to the proper officers' candidate school. Upon successful completion of this latter course, they will be commissioned second lieutenants in the Army

of the United States

6. The Army and Navy jointly have agreed that in institutions maintaining compulsory Army ROTC basic courses (Cornell is such an institution) freshmen and sophomores may not enlist in the Naval Reserve, on the deferred plan, but that those who desire to enter the Naval Reserve may be enlisted in the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps for the sole purpose of reserving them for enlistment in the Naval Reserve upon completion of their basic course training at the end of their sophomore year, when, at the request of the student, he will be discharged from the Army Enlisted Reserve Corps to enlist in the Naval Reserve. Juniors and Seniors may still apply for en-

listment in other branches of the service as

heretofore.

No action relative to the above is necessary for students who have already been enrolled in the advanced ROTC or who have already enlisted in the enlisted reserve of other branches or arms of the service (Navy, Marines, Aviation, etc.).

#### HOUSTON HAS THIRTY-ONE

Thirty-one members of the Cornell Club of Houston, Tex., enjoyed a meeting July 3 in the sample room of the Gulf Brewing Co. and to hear the company's radio broadcast. It was arranged by Charles L. Macbeth '28, chairman of the entertainment committee.

President Olin G. Bell, Grad '21-'25, having resigned to enter the Army as a lieutenant colonel, the Club elected Robert W. Knox, Jr. '18 president for this year. Faun W. Freeborn, Jr. '27 is vice-president and Robert J. Koch '27, secretary-treasurer.

## CORNELLIANS GIVE GENEROUSLY

#### Alumni Fund Sets Eleven-Year Record

Report of the Alumni Fund for the year ending June 30, 1942, shows a total of \$112,738.52 in unrestricted gifts to the University from 7,127 contributors. Including the newly established Medical College Alumni Fund the total is \$115,-856. from 7,537 contributors. This is nearly \$3,000 ahead of the 1940-41 tenyear record of \$112,901. from 7,220 conbributors.

Work of some 2,000 Cornellians organized in Class committees resulted in twenty-one Class groups equalling or exceeding the quotas set. These were '91, '92, '95, '97, '98, '00, '01 men, '02 women, '03 men and women, '06 men, '07 men, '08 men, '09 men and women, '10 men, '12 women, '14 men, '15 men, '22 women, '23 women.

Many donors, says Walter C. Heasley, Jr. '30, executive secretary of the Alumni Fund Council, gave US War Stamps and Bonds, thus aiding both the University and the nation's war effort.

Largest unrestricted Class gift was the Fifty-year Reunion Fund of the Class of '92, announced by Chairman George W. Bacon at the May Reunion. On June 30, it amounted to \$9,911.76, and the committee has announced that the Fund will be completed by December 30, 1942. Men of the Class of '10, Harold T. Edwards chairman, were second in amount with \$7,229.76. '14 men led by Major Leonard C. Treman were third with \$4,448.99.

Men of '15, Matthew Carey chairman,

had the largest number of contributors, with 285. They were followed by the 237 men of the Class of '10 and 228 men of '16, Richard J. Foster, Jr., chairman.

In percentage of total members contributing, Harry J. Clark's Class of '95 committee led all others with 37.44 per cent. Next were the women of '16, Helen Irish Moore chairman, with 36.64 per cent; followed by '97, Fred F. Bontecou chairman, 35.34 per cent and '10 men with 35.22 per cent.

In the following tabulations of Class gifts, the numbers of Members used are those on record June 30 but not including persons known to be in foreign countries or for whom no addresses are known.

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	74	12	3	162.00	
	75	10	I	50.00	
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	77	13	3	103.40	
	78	25	5	67.00	5,694.52
	79	29	4	45.00	
	'80	32	4	30.00	
	'81	24	4	60.00	
	'82	21	4	90.00	
	'83	24	4	41.00	
	'84	28	7	112.00	
	'85	29	7	356.00	1,000.00
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	'87	43	6	188.20	5,444.45
	'88	72	12	250.00	200.00
	'89	86	13	150.00	10.00

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			No.	%	Fund	GIFTS
'90		144	23	16	\$ 942.00	\$ 1,161.44
,91	Frank J. Tone	146	44	30	2,174.00	5,699.84
92	George W. Bacon	195	62	3,2	9,911.76	10.00
'93		210	32	15	434.25	410.00
'94		200	33	17	815.00	<b>2,9</b> 00.00
'95	Harry J. Clark	<del>2</del> 35	88	37	1,714.90	120.00
'96	George S. Tompkins	2.82.	66	23	1,103.50	85.00
'97	Fred F. Bontecou	283	100	35	2,666.66	874.77
'98	John J. Kuhn	283	66	23	2,465.00	615.00
'99	Emmet B. Carter	317	63	20	1,489.84	637.00
,00	Christopher W. Wilson	362	84	23	2,137.75	2,072.50
'oı	Harvey J. Couch	303	85	28	1,690.00	3,100.00
	Dr. Emily Hickman	46	13	28	83.00	25.00
°02	John C. Trefts	330	64	19	1,135.83	4,730.00
	Mrs. R. H. Shreve	75	15	20	154.00	170.00
'o3	Stuart Hazlewood	377	93	25	3,364.00	175.00
-	Lucy N. Tomkins	89	30	34	192.50	14.00
'o4	Charles P. Wood	457	73	16	1,654.00	1,160.00
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#### HOSPITAL UNIT CALLED

Ninth General Hospital Unit, US Army, recruited at Cornell Medical College and the New York Hospital, was ordered to duty July 15 at Fort Banks, Boston, Mass. The evening before, they were guests of the governors of New York Hospital and Trustees of the University at a dinner at the Hotel Roosevelt, New York City. Trustee Roger H. Williams '95 was one of the speakers.

The Unit of fifty-one doctors, 105 nurses, and enlisted personnel is equipped to operate a 1000-bed military hospital. It continues Base Hospital 9 at Chateauroux, France, in the last war. It is directed by Lieutenant Colonel Ralph F. Bowers who was associate professor of Clinical Surgery in the Medical College. Its staff includes Dr. Preston A. Wade '22, president of the Medical College Alumni Association, and Drs. James A. Moore '30, William A. Cooper '32, Edmund N. Joyner III '32, Ralph R. Tompsett '34, George W. Hebard '36, Alphonse E. Timpanelli '36, George L. Kauer '37, Newton Krumdieck '37, George M. Knapp '38, Ralph H. Seeley, Jr. '38, John J. Smith '38, and Edgar R. Hyde, Jr. '39.

#### ALUMNAE JOIN WAAC

At Fort DesMoines, Ia., in the first officer candidate course of the new Women's Army Auxiliary Corps are Alice G. Gordon '29 and Elizabeth Trumpp '36. They left New York City July 18 with the forty-five candidates from the Second Service Command who were chosen from 150 applicants for the sixweek course. Both are in Company 3, First Regiment, WAAC Training Center. From "Reveille" at 5:45 to "Taps" at 9:30, they are drilling or in classes on military customs and courtesies, military sanitation, company administration, property accountability and the like, taking turns as company and platoon commanders, and policing their own barracks. Of the 440 candidates in the course, about half will be commissioned.

Miss Gordon was in charge of makeup for Redbook magazine and a part-time instructor in journalism and advertising at New York University. She was active in the Cornell Women's Club of New York, was an air raid warden, and worked with the Army Interceptor Command.

Miss Trumpp received the AM at the New York State College for Teachers, for a time was head of the social studies division of the Brooklyn Children's Museum, and until March, 1941, taught English in the Women's Christian College in Tokyo. Recently, she taught English literature in Homer.

Betty J. Austin '37 reported at Fort DesMoines August 3 for the second WAAC officers' training course, and Mary E. Dixon '38, August 17 for the

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NAVY SCHOOL SUPPLY OFFICER
Lieutenant Commander Benjamin H.
Micou '16, USNR, was commissioned
last March. He was a lieutenant in the
Navy Supply Corps during the last war;
has left his insurance business in Detroit,
Mich., for duty at the US Navy Pre-flight
School at Chapel Hill, N. C. Navy Photo

#### **NEW INFORMATION HEAD**

Raymond F. Howes '24 has been appointed acting University Director of Public Information, succeeding Louis C. Boochever '12 who is on leave with the American Red Cross. Howes has been assistant to Provost H. W. Peters '14.

He came back to Ithaca six years ago to assist in promotion work of the Cornellian Council, having been assistant professor of English and director of the news bureau at Washington University. The son of the late C. H. Howes who was University photographer many years ago and of Professor E. B. Tichener's sister, Howes received the AB in 1924 and went to the University of Pittsburgh where he taught and received the MA in 1926. He has been a reporter for the Elmira Advertiser, associate editor of the Quarterly Journal of Speech, contributor to several magazines, is the author of three books including Our Cornell. He was for a time assistant to the Dean of Engineering, is a contributor to the Alumni News, teaches a course in Engineering journalism. He is a member of Scorpion, Delta Sigma Rho, and Sigma Delta Chi.

James S. Knapp '31, for eight years with Professor Bristow Adams in charge of the news service of the College of Agriculture, has become assistant to Howes in the Office of Public Information. A native Ithacan, he received the BS in 1932, worked on the Lyons Republican and Wayne County Review, was news editor of the Adirondack Daily Enterprise, is a graduate of the Empire State School of Printing, former secretary-treasurer of the American Association of Agricultural College Editors, member of Sigma Delta Chi.

#### TRAIN AT NAVY SCHOOL

"Flying Cubs" of the US Navy Preflight School at Chapel Hill, N. C., comprise twenty-six young Cornellians who from 5:30 a.m. to 9:30 p.m. are being toughened physically and mentally in preparation for combat flying for the Navy. Enlisted as seamen, second class, US Naval Reserve, most of these men were recruited at the University last spring by Lieutenant Hosea C. Ballou '20 of the Naval Aviation Cadet Selection Board, Third Naval District.

Their program is one of conditioning and hardening through competitive sports of football, boxing, wrestling, basketball, soccer; through sustained swimming, hand-to-hand combat, gymnastics and tumbling; and of infantry drill, lectures on seamanship, gunnery, first aid, Naval customs, recognition of ships and aircraft, mathematics, and physics. They stand officer-of-the deck watches in turn, and are under strict Naval discipline.

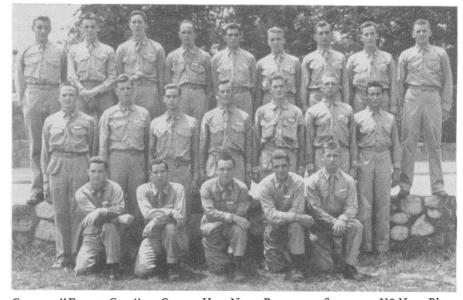
Other college units at Chapel Hill are the "Flying Redmen" from St. John's University, the "Boys from Syracuse," and the "Red Raiders" from Colgate. Toward the end of September, their three-month course completed, the men will be assigned to various Naval Reserve aviation bases for primary flight instruction, then to advanced flight training at other fields and operational



VARSITY BOXING COACH TRAINS CADETS
Lieutenant Alfred B. Wolf, USNR,
formerly coach of boxing and the 150pound football team, demonstrates a
right jab to Naval Aviation Cadet
Winslow W. Stilwell '42 at the Navy
Pre-flight School. Wolf's assistant at
Chapel Hill is Ensign Gregory Zitrides,
USNR, former assistant football coach at
Cornell.

US Navy Official Photo

instruction and commissions as ensigns in the Naval Air Service or second lieutenants in the Marine Corps and duty with the fleet.



CORNELL "FLYING CUBS" AT CHAPEL HILL NAVY PRE-FLIGHT SCHOOL US Navy Photo This group reported June 25 for three months of training at the University of North

Carolina, to become Navy pilots. Left to right, Top row: Harold H. Millar, Jr. '44, Thomas R. Graham '44, Edward C. Sargent '44, David B. Arentzen '42, George J. Vincent '45, George G. Inglehart '42, James L. Kraker, Jr. '42 Class secretary, Donald L. Natapow '43, William S. Burns '43. Middle row: Harry J. O'Hara '44, Arthur A. Jansson, Jr. '44, Sherwood W. Stratton '43, Robert P. Clarke, Jr. '44, Eugene L. Amber '44, Alexander P. Davidson, Jr. '42, James S. Farnell '45. Front row: Philip D. Astry '42, Charles R. Van Buren '45, Edward A. Rogers '42, Richard C. Franklin '42, Robert D. Chaffe '43.

Not in the picture are Winslow W. Stilwell '42, Richard L. Bernard '45, William R. Carey '45, and David S. Gillmor '45. Also in training are Calvin O. English '41 who entered at the opening of the School May 28; Victor E. Serrell '41 and Bruce H. Wallace, Jr. '43 who reported June 11; and Richard G. Tousey '44 who entered August 6.

# BOOKS By Cornellians

#### HOW WHITE BUILT CORNELL

Andrew D. White and the Modern University. By Walter P. Rogers, PhD '34. 1942. Cornell University Press, Ithaca. \$2.50.

There was a time, not many years ago, when Cornell was generally accorded preëminence among the pioneers in modern university education. But little by little, that reputation has been disputed by investigators interested in specific details. One, for example, has discovered that MIT opened a course in electrical engineering in the same year that Cornell first offered such instruction. Another has pointed out that co-education had been adopted by Oberlin and several other institutions before Cornell embraced it. And Washington University in St. Louis had a non-sectarian clause in its charter more than ten years before Cornell was established. It is easy to jump to the conclusion that Cornell's reputation as a pioneer has been greatly exaggerated.

This book, by placing the story of Cornell's early years in its historical setting, firmly re-establishes the earlier reputation and thoroughly explains it. Dr. Rogers is careful to give credit to other institutions which in one way or another preceded Cornell in enunciating principles or adopting particular practices. He shows also that the principles and practices answered impelling and often strident demands of the times. But he proves beyond question that only at Cornell did all the significant new principles and practices find expression and able advocacy in a single institution.

Comparing Andrew D. White with his great contemporaries, he notes that "Tappan of Michigan was the first in the field, but the Regents of the University drove him out and pulled down his work. . . . Whereas Eliot [Harvard] favored the segregation of scientific studies in separate schools, and Gilman [Johns Hopkins] looked to the affiliation with the university of distinct colleges for women, White established a school in which all studies and all students met on an equal basis. White had a great advantage over the other presidents in that he created a new university which was his own, to shape as he would, whereas they never attained to that degree of personal domination over the institutions to which they were called. So it is a matter of history that Cornell University exceeded all others in innovation and progress, and established itself, as Allan Nevins has said in his Emergence of Modern America, as 'the most remarkable phenomenon in higher education during the post-war decade'."

This quotation is from Chapter I. In succeeding chapters the author considers in detail Cornell's part in the struggles for non-sectarian control, co-education, equality of studies, and recognition of the importance of technical education and instruction in the social sciences. Andrew D. White had predecessors in all these fields, just as James Watt had forerunners in translating steam into mechancial power. But White, like Watt, brought all the preliminary experiments and theories into focus, and the resulting whole was greater than the sum of its parts.

Hence Cornell became the first great modern university, and its impact on the world of education was tremendous. Before many years had elapsed, "it was as though the academic Old Regime had been swept away by the preaching of this brilliant young philosopher of education. The walls of Jericho had fallen at the sound of a horn. The classics had been ousted from their monopoly, and now eked out a scanty living in competition with the new studies which White more than any other man had brought into the curriculum: the languages and humanities, social studies and vocational courses. The principle of elective courses was everywhere triumphant. Co-education was a commonplace. 'Godless Cornell' had become the accepted pattern for universities, and even the sectarian colleges had relaxed their denominational bonds. . . . With all its imperfections, the university of today is our chief center of truth and social service. This is the legacy of Andrew D. White to the twentieth century."-R. F. H. '24

#### VETERINARY COMMITTEE

New York State veterinary preparedness committee has eleven of its fourteen members who are Cornellians. The committee has compiled for use of the Federal government a complete roster of all veterinarians in the State, showing availability for service with the Army, Government health departments, and civilian agencies. It is also studying the needs of each rural community to learn if veterinary facilities are adequate to protect food supplies and to help farmers keep down losses from livestock diseases.

Dr. Albert L. Brown '15 of Adams is chairman of the committee. Its other Cornellian members are Drs. Frederic F. Fehr '03 of Buffalo, George H. Freer '23 of Liberty, William M. Long '16 of Baldwinsville, Albert E. Merry '06 of Syracuse, E. Veranus Moore '17 of Cortland, Joseph J. Regan '15 of Utica, Roy H. Spaulding '15 of White Plains, James D. Sweet '32 of Chateaugay, Arthur Trayford '27 of Huntington, and Clarence P. Zepp '19 of New York City.

#### LETTERS

Subject to the usual restrictions of space and good taste, we shall print letters from subscribers on any side of any subject of interest to Cornellians. The ALUMNI NEWS often may not agree with the sentiments expressed, and disclaims any responsibility beyond that of fostering interest in the University.

#### FIRST PORTO RICAN WRITES

TO THE EDITOR:

I am enclosing payment for my subscription to the News for the coming year. I am glad to be able to say that all numbers of the News have reached me and that I enjoy nothing better than the interesting reading it contains.

I am proud to be the first Porto Rican to have graduated from Cornell, and to have studied under our dear old Professor Estevan Fuertes, another Porto Rican.

My address remains the same, PO Box 1284, San Juan, Puerto Rico.

-Arturo Rodriguez '91

#### APPRECIATION

TO THE EDITOR:

As a member of the Graduate School Faculty of this great institution, I would like to have the privilege of expressing in the Alumni News what a genuine pleasure it is to be an ambassador from this University to other universities. In the course of my travels this year as composer, lecturer, and conductor in leading cities and universities of this country, I have learned that there is one subject which will always come up during dinner and reception conversations; namely, what a great University, what wonderful traditions of freedom, and what incomparable natural surroundings are all associated in the name Cornell.

Graduates from Cornell who are now carrying on the high standards of education in other educational institutions, alumni who have found their place in other walks of life, undergraduates who are planning to continue graduate work here, are all agreed on three great qualities of this University: First, the large and distinguished Faculty; second, the academic freedom, both of the student body and the Faculty; and thirdly, the magnificent surroundings which make themselves so poignantly felt in all seasons of the year, not least of which are the extremely dramatic winters. Surely, there could be no greater praise for any institution than the nostalgia which seems to linger in the hearts and minds of those who have had the privilege of studying here or teaching here.

As a composer, I would like to add that the productive farms of the country which surround this great University add a strong stabilizing influence which makes itself felt in the attitudes of the student body and the standards of the townspeople. Such a combination makes Emerson's ideal of high cultural stand-

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ards and modest living standards desirable here, and I must add that one is aware of this ideal being lived in the daily lives of the student body and the Faculty.

—Roy Harris,

Composer-In-Residence.

# NOW IN MY TIME! By Romeyn Berry

Ithaca is commonly deadest in the brief period between the departure of Summer School and the return of the Student Laundry agents. State Street snoozes. The barbers at the hotel keep awake by cutting one another's hair. People go down the Lake. Forgetful Campus doorways pile up with bottled milk and Ithaca Journals. Willard Straight keeps open merely the smallest of its many restaurants and makes no bones of its intense desire to close that

But it isn't that way in August, 1942; not the least bit! Here in the summer doldrums the town is crowded, the Campus crawls with customers, and that humming noise you hear over the Quadrangle is caused by the roar of cash registers in Morrill Hall blended with the contented purr of the management.

This community, from all accounts, suffered much in that other war we had. Last spring it prepared itself mentally to face a comparable experience. But it isn't working out that way this time. Instead of becoming a deserted village, Ithaca now seems more likely to achieve the roaring activity of a mining camp after a spectacular strike. All lodgings are occupied by workers at the new military construction over at Sampson who must sleep anywhere they can within a radius of fifty miles. The uncommon vacation activity of the University, plus the presence of perhaps a thousand ensigns (the community refers to all of them as ensigns though other ranks are represented), have prevented the usual business lag of the hot months. And now it appears there will be no let-down with the opening of the regular term next month. A Freshman Class of normal size is indicated, and the losses among the upperclassmen will be more than offset by the arrival of more and more sailors.

Your reporter's optimistic despatches are based not at all on official statements from the University. Weeks of torture would not wring a single admission of prosperity from any institution of higher learning. But the Merchants' Association has yardsticks of its own and is not reticent.

Ithaca laundries are working overtime on the white uniforms of the Navy. The local consumption of fluid milk is expanding. In August hereabouts, much of the county's dairy production commonly becomes condensed milk, milk powder, and ice cream mixes. The movies are having a big season, and the prosperity of the Ithaca Country Club is completely unexpected.

Last spring the Country Club gazed into the open jaws of prospective dissolution. The most irritable foursomes hoped for nothing better than to hold off the sheriff until the annual handicap tournament had been completed. Wholesale resignations, tire and gas shortages, increased operating costs, and the departure of all the younger players spell but one result for a small town golf course.

But not at all—not at all! The Country Club is going famously. It's "in bounds" for the sailors (on week-ends anyway), whereas downtown is denied them most of the time. The restaurant and the tap room flourish. You can get there and back on no more than a pint of gas. Mechanical devices designed to permit players to recoup in the locker room financial losses sustained on the putting green have proved extremely profitable—to the Club.

"The fleet's in" is the joyous shout both at the Country Club and the Chamber of Commerce. Morrill Hall, of course, does no shouting, but that drawn, anxious look has departed from its countenance.

We thought you might like to know.

#### IN COAST ARTILLERY

At Fort H. G. Wright, in the harbor defenses of Long Island Sound, are Colonel Russell Y. Moore '15, commanding officer of the 242d Coast Artillery, and Lieutenant Colonel Raymond W. Symonds '13, with the 11th Coast Artillery. Mrs. Moore is the former Mary H. Johnson '17.

#### NEW POULTRY HEAD

Professor J. Herbert Bruckner, PhD '35, became July 1 the third head of the Department of Poultry Husbandry in the College of Agriculture. He has been acting head of the Department since 1940, when Professor Frederick B. Hutt was appointed to head the Departments of Zoology in the Colleges of Agriculture and Arts and Sciences. Founder of the Poultry Department was Professor James E. Rice '90, who retired in 1934.

Native of Anaconda, Mont., Professor Bruckner received the BS at Purdue in 1930 and entered the Graduate School that fall. For two years he was in charge of the State Conservation Department's game farm near Ithaca; was appointed assistant professor in 1937. While teaching in the Department, he has devoted attention especially the last five years to improvement of poultry breeding practices. He is a member of Sigma Xi, Alpha Gamma Rho, and several professional societies.

# About ATHLETICS

#### SUMMER SPORTS

Baseball, track, tennis, and golf teams participated in intercollegiate contests this summer for the first time.

The baseball team won three of eight games, winning over Penn State, the Ithaca Yankees, and a team made up of officers at the Naval Training Station at Cornell. The team lost twice to Colgate and to Penn State, the Yankees, and Fort Niagara. Only player from the regular team of last spring was Samuel W. Hunter '43, third baseman.

The tennis team won one of six matches, defeating Penn State and losing once to Penn State, twice to Colgate, and twice to an all-star team made up of graduate students, Faculty members, and Naval Reserve officers.

The golf team failed to win a match in home and home contests with Colgate and Penn State.

The track team, in its one appearance, tied Colgate, 20–20, at Hamilton, with Paul M. Kelsey '43, victor in the mile, the only winner.

The teams were directed by the regular coaches, John F. Moakley, track; George K. James, baseball; Richard Lewis, tennis; and George Hall, golf.

At Hamilton and State College, the games with Cornell teams were for the benefit of the United Service Organizations.

#### FOOTBALL PROSPECTS

Football practice will be started by Coach Carl Snavely Monday, September 7, three weeks before the first game.

Four men who were counted on to play this fall have thus far joined the armed forces: Clayton S. Rockmore '43 and Meindert P. Boon '45, tackles; James L. Blanchard '43, center; and Walter F. Pfeffer '44, back. All but Boon were on the Varsity squad last year.

Regulars lost through graduation last May were Raymond Jenkins, Harry L. Tredennick, and Arthur N. Foster, ends; Edmund Van Order, Norman L. Christensen, and Charles R. Sweeney, tackles; Captain Peter M. Wolff and Frederick A. Schaefer III, guards; and Louis C. Bufalino, Henry S. Dragon, Richard L. Quigg, Carl Snavely, Jr., Winslow W. Stilwell, and Will D. Templeton, backs.

Holdovers now listed as available are: Ends: Pearne W. Billings '44, Roy V. Johnson '43, Theodore H. Lansing '44, and Stacy C. Mosser, Jr. '44.

and Stacy C. Mosser, Jr. '44.

Tackles: Robert H. Anderson '44,
Strabo V. Claggett, Jr. '43, Whitney C.
Doe '43, and Joel R. Swanson '43.

Guards: J. Russell Geib, Jr. '43, Donald B. Grady '43, Francis G. Paul '44, Allan 478 CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS

W. Trimpi '44, and Courtney D. Young

Centers: Meredith R. Cushing '44, Frank S. Ekas '44, and Louis G. Helmick,

Backs: Howard W. Blose '44, Louis Daukas '44 (he may be shifted to the line), Philip T. Goldenberg '43, Joseph L. Martin '44, Thomas E. McDonald '44, Samuel R. Pierce '44, George J. Politi '43, Charles R. Robinson '44, Captain Kenneth L. Stofer '43, George Urschel, Jr. '44, Louis A. Viviano, Jr. '44; Charles P. Weiss '44, and William S. Wheeler, Jr. '44.

Outstanding Freshmen of last year who are expected to return include:

Ends: Eugene E. Hook, Richard E. Rodgers, and Frederick A. Westphal.

Tackles: Harry B. Furman, William W. Heinith, Jr., and Jerry W. Mead.

Guards: Robert J. Hirsch, Morton W. Rauff, and James C. Rucker.

Center: Ralph F. Cohn.

Backs: Walton R. Andrus, George W. Armbruster, Nicholas A. D'Onofrio, Walter A. Kretz, and Winfred B. Wright. Freshmen entering this year will be

eligible for Varsity competition.

Snavely will be assisted by Max Reed, George K. James, J. Russell Murphy, Dr. Ray Van Orman '08, Walter J. Matuszczak '41, and a newcomer to the staff, E. B. Wilson, for the last eight years football and basketball coach at Hobart. Wilson will also be head coach of basketball.

#### FOOTBALL IN BUFFALO

Arrangements have been made to play the Cornell-Dartmouth football game November 14 in the Buffalo Municipal Stadium, instead of Ithaca as originally

scheduled. Robert J. Kane '34, Acting Director of Physical Education and Athletics, points out that with wartime transportation difficulties a larger attendance will be likely in Buffalo than in Ithaca, and that since football gate receipts pay for most other sports it is important to assure the largest possible gate at this game. No other football game is scheduled in Buffalo November

The complete schedule:

September 26 Lafayette at Ithaca

- October Colgate at Ithaca 3
  - US Military Academy at West Point
  - Penn State at Ithaca 17
  - Syracuse at Syracuse
  - Columbia at New York City

November 7 Yale at New Haven

- Dartmouth at Buffalo 14
- Pennsylvania at Philadelphia

#### ODDS AND ENDS

Coach Snavely was an instructor at the Louisiana State University football coaching school early in August.

Highest score in a physical fitness track meet staged in August by the Ithaca-Tompkins County War Council at Percy Field was hung up by Roe E. Wells '44 of Washington, D. C., a member of the track team. Wells won a superior rating with 410 points, achieving 60 points or better in the 100-yard dash, the broad jump, the high jump, the 12-

been detailed to the Army tank force which will play eight football games starting early in September. The squad is in training at Yale University. Kelley, an end, is the only Ivy League player on the squad.

Nicholas Drahos '41, who was twice all-American tackle, is in the Signal Corps at Camp Gruber, Okla. Directly across his company street in the Medical Corps is Leo Hamalian '42, Varsity baseball pitcher.

pound shot put, and the mile run. Lieutenant Alva E. Kelley '41 has

#### 'PITTSBURGH WOMEN

Claire M. Hagmaier '26 is president of the Cornell Women's Club of Pittsburgh, Pa., this year. Vice-president is Mrs. Charles A. Carpenter (Margaret Van Deusen) '09; secretary, Diana D. Dibblee 39; treasurer, Mrs. Charles F. Kells (Mary Klages) '24.

#### CHICAGO WOMEN ELECT

New officers of the Cornell Women's Club of Chicago, Ill., are Mrs. Frederick W. Merrifield (Katherine Brooks) '24, president; Mrs. R. H. Morris (Marian Schabana) '15, vice-president; Mrs. Alvin H. Eichholz (Rhoda Linville) '32, secretary-treasurer.

## ALUMNI WORKERS HONOR EDITOR



R. W. Sailor '07, editor of the Alumni News, recovering from an operation in University Hospital, Syracuse, was greeted by telephone July 11 from the twenty-eighth annual convention of the American Alumni Council meeting in Hot Springs, Va. Editor of the Council since the office was established in 1922, Sailor resigned this year but had planned to attend the convention of professional alumni workers as he has all that have preceded it.

But sudden illness intervened, and he was rushed to the hospital for an operation by his physician, Dr. Thomas F. Laurie '07. By prearrangement, the day Sailor was to have addressed the convention Foster M. Coffin '12 appeared in his

hospital room with a silver service suitably engraved and an illuminated testi-monial to "Tubby's" many years of devotion, which members of the Council were to have presented to him at the meeting. Also by prearrangement, the telephone rang at the same moment, bringing personal greetings of his many friends in Hot Springs from colleges and universities all over the United States.

Sailor was an organizer in 1919 of Alumni Magazines, Associated, now a division of the American Alumni Council, was its secretary-treasurer and then president. He was president of the Council in 1938 and a director from 1920-42. He has now returned to his home in Ithaca and expects shortly to assume his regular duties at The Cayuga Press.

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#### PRESIDENT SCHURMAN DIES

Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, third President of the University, died in New York City August 12 at the age of eightyeight. For several years he had lived at the University Club in New York, and had never lost his keen interest in Cornell.

He came to the University in 1886, the first Sage Professor of Philosophy, and his always-popular lectures on philosophy and ethics were continued after he assumed the Presidency in 1892. He resigned to take effect after the Commencement of 1920. During his twentyeight years as President, the enrollment of the University increased from about 1,500 students to more than 5,600; the teaching staff from 123 to 629; annual income from \$500,000 to more than \$3,500,-000; and there was immense development of the physical plant including most of the buildings of the State Colleges, the first of the University Dormitories on West Avenue, and many other structures. In his administration, too, the University Summer Sessions were started and the Library grew from 136,000 volumes to more than 600,000.

Born on Prince Edward's Island May 22, 1854, President Schurman studied at Prince of Wales College and Acadia College, won the Canadian Gilchrist Scholarship of the University of London in 1875, and there received the AB in 1877 and the AM in 1878. He studied also at the Universities of Paris and Edinburgh, receiving the Edinburgh DSc in 1878 and having won the Hibbert Scholarship open to graduates of all British universities, spent the next two years at Heidelberg, Berlin, Göttingen, and in Italy. He came to Cornell from Dalhousie College where he taught metaphysics and English literature. Many universities in America and abroad awarded him honorary degrees.

He spent the year 1898-99 in the Philippines as president of the first US Philippine Commission and helped draw the original charter for the islands, and that of 1912-13 as US Minister to Greece and Montenegro. In 1921 he became US Minister to China and four years later was appointed by President Coolidge Ambassador to Germany. He was in Berlin until December, 1929, and while there raised \$500,000 among Americans for a new academic building at Heidelberg University. He published many books on philosophical and historical subjects, and was a keen student of world affairs, lecturing on international relations at California Institute of Technology in 1931-32. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, American Academy in Rome, and an officer of the French Legion of Honor.

Mrs. Schurman died in 1930. Of their eight children, five attended the Univer-



PRESIDENT SCHURMAN AT '13 REUNION Guest of the Twenty-five-year Class in June, 1938, he spoke at the Class dinner and at the Reunion Rally in Bailey Hall, greeted many Campus friends and alumni. He is pictured at the door of Sage Chapel. Then eighty-four, he went abroad shortly after Reunions, to visit France, Switzerland, Germany, and Czechoslovakia.

Photo by Louis A. Bonn '13

sity: the late Robert Schurman '07, George M. Schurman '13, Mrs. Raymond Ware (Catherine Schurman), Sp '14, Jacob G. Schurman, Jr. '17, and Mrs. Vladimir Petro-Pavlovsky (Barbara Schurman) '21, wife of a British Army officer and a passenger on the diplomatic exchange ship Gripsholm from the Orient.

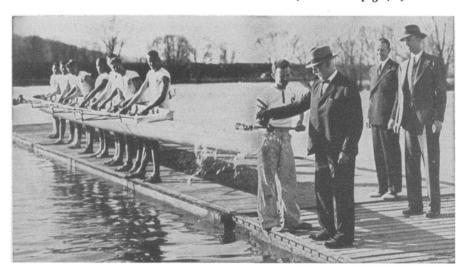
#### "UNCLE PETE" PASSES

Professor Albert W. Smith '78, Mechanical Engineering, Emeritus, died August 16. He was known affectionately as "Uncle Pete" and beloved by Cornellians for more than forty years. Until confined by illness two weeks before his death, he walked almost daily from his home at 13 East Avenue down the path to Willard Straight Hall, greeting friends as he went, frequently visited Alumni House, and never lost his interest in students, alumni, and the University. A memorial service will be held for him after the University opens, and President Day has designated Professor Bristow Adams, Dean Smith's long-time friend, in charge of arrangements.

Romeyn Berry '04 recalls that "Uncle Pete was one of the few remaining men who overlapped Ezra Cornell. And he just barely did. Ezra Cornell's chief interest in his last year was his new house, Llenroc, now the Delta Phi house. But he didn't live ever to sleep the night there although the place was nearly finished and ready at the time of his death. But his body lay in state there all through the night before the funeral. For the watch that night and as a guard of honor, four students were selected-one from each of the four Classes. Uncle Pete was the Freshman. That was his first and last contact with Ezra Cornell. That long night with the Founder bit deep into Uncle Pete's character. His voice always shook when he spoke of it.'

Having received the BME in 1878, Dean Smith returned as a student in 1887 to Sibley College, received the MME the next year and became assistant professor of Mechanical Engineering. In 1891 he went to the University of Wisconsin as

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"Uncle Pete" Smith Christens the Varsity Shell "Saratoga '75"

Always an ardent partisan of Cornell rowing since he helped pull the first winning (Freshman) boat at Saratoga, Professor Albert W. Smith '78 broke a bottle of Saratoga Lake water over the bow of the shell named to commemorate that event, five years ago. Another shell of the Cornell Navy is named the "Uncle Pete."

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#### FRAUDULENT CORNELLIAN?

Periodically, the Alumni News has had occasion to warn its readers of the activities of persons posing as Cornellians who call upon alumni for ulterior purposes. Not for two years has such a case come to our attention, but now we are advised of a new one.

Last March, at the bar of the Cornell Club of New York appeared a person who said he was John F. Barrett, Jr. '25; that he was in the city with President Roosevelt as a member of the White House Secret Service staff and showed credentials to that effect. He gave the names of two well-known New York City alumni, not present, whom he said he knew, and before he left tried to borrow two dollars and offered a Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity pin bearing Barrett's name, as security for the loan.

He was unsuccessful in his attempt to get money, but later a person using the name of Barrett gave as reference one of the Cornellians he met at the Club, to obtain credit at a New York City hotel, and left the bill unpaid.

The Alumni News has always reported incidents of this sort, for the protection of its subscribers. Any who have occasion to suspect that persons unknown to them are trading on the names of Cornellians for fraudulent purposes are requested to report immediately to the News the complete circumstances, with time and place and description of the person and his method of operation. Publication of the facts has in the past caused such operators to desist, and will again.

# MORE ON WAR BOARDS Alumni Aid Government

Cornellians continue to take increasingly important part in the various war boards and government administrative agencies in Washington. Reorganization of the War Production Board early in July made James S. Knowlson '05 a new vice-chairman of WPB, chairman of its Requirements Committee, and Donald M. Nelson's deputy on the US-British Production and Resources Board. Knowlson was formerly WPB Director of Industry Operations. He is now in charge of the country's production program.

Professor Paul M. O'Leary, PhD '29, on leave from the Department of Economics, is now deputy administrator of the Office of Price Administration in charge of all rationing.

Brigadier General Charles D. Young '02, former vice-president of the Pennsylvania Railroad, retired June 30 from active Army duty in the War Department to become assistant director of the Office of Defense Transportation. Since March, Felix E. Reifschneider '22 has been local transport engineer for ODT assigned to field duty to advise local government and transit officials on transportation problems. For eleven years until 1941, he was assistant manager of transportation for the Manila Electric Co. in the Philippines.

July 10, Benjamin Schwartz '18 was appointed chief of a new Scrap Metals Section of the Board of Economic Warfare, with responsibility of organizing and developing new sources of supply in Latin America, Africa, Australia, and other areas available to United States trade. Vice-president of Schiavone-Bonomo Corp. of New York and Jersey City, N. J., he was director and an organizer of the Institute of Scrap Iron and Steel.

Life magazine for July 27 in an article on the new Office of War Information directed by Elmer Davis pictured John R. Fleming '21 as chief of the Bureau of Publications and Graphics. "He coordinates and clears ideas for Government posters and pamphlets relating to the war effort." Fleming was deputy director of the Office of Facts and Figures.

Word comes also that Byron Spence '25 has joined the Lend-Lease Administration in Washington.

Three additional members of the Faculty are consultants to the War Production Board. Professor Walter F. Willcox, Economics, Emeritus, is in the Division of Statistics, to advise on statistical aspects of the manpower problem and act as liaison officer between the work in that field done within and outside WPB. Professor Marius P. Rasmussen '19, Agricultural Economics, has been since March chief consultant to the Food Section, Civilian Supply Division, of the WPB. Director Fred H.

Rhodes, PhD '14, Chemical Engineering, is on a committee of twelve experts to advise WPB on chemical processes related to the war.

#### FRATERNITY INFORMATION

Interfraternity Council has published an illustrated booklet of twenty-eight pages which it is presenting to all Freshmen. Rushing starts September 28. Freshmen who are here this summer are prohibited from entering fraternity houses until then. Bidding, again as last year, will be by printed cards delivered to rushees October 2. Freshman preferences and those of the fraternities will be matched the next day, and pledge lists will be announced in time for Sunday dinners, October 4. Then follows a week of informal rushing, after which all rules are off.

Besides the rushing rules, the booklet contains a message to Freshmen from President Edmund E. Day, discussion of the advantages of fraternity membership with information on their management and costs, a map showing the location of the forty-eight member houses, and a picture of each with date of founding, number of chapters, its badge and pledge pin.

President of the Council this year is J. Larkin Hoyt '43. Alumni may obtain the booklet upon request to Cornell Interfraternity Council, Barnes Hall.

#### COMING EVENTS

Time and place of regular Club luncheons are printed separately as we have space. Notices of other Cornell events, both in Ithaca and abroad, appear below. Contributions to this column must be received on or before Thursday to appear the next Thursday.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 12. Ithaca: All summer classes end

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 25 Ithaca: Freshman Week opens, for all Freshmen

Saturday, September 26 Ithaca: Football, Lafayette, Schoellkopf Field

Monday, September 28
Ithaca: University registration begins

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1 Ithaca: University classes begin

Saturday, October 3 Ithaca: Football, Colgate, Schoellkopf Field

Saturday, October 10 West Point: Football, US Military Academy

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17 Ithaca: Football, Penn State, Schoellkopf Field

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 24 Syracuse: Football, Syracuse

Saturday, October 31 New York City: Football, Columbia

Saturday, November 7 New Haven, Conn.: Football, Yale

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 14 Buffalo: Football, Dartmouth, Municipal Stadium

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 26 Philadelphia, Pa.: Football, Pennsylvania, Franklin Field

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# ON THE CAMPUS AND DOWN THE HILL

REGISTRATION of summer students in University classes to the close of the sixweek Summer Session August 8 totalled 2,874. These include 769 regular students in the fifteen-week summer terms of the accelerated programs of Engineering, Architecture, Veterinary, Law, and the Graduate School and 137 Freshmen who are attending classes until September 12. Officers in the US Naval Training School and students in special ESMWT classes in Engineering are not included in this total. Instruction has been continuous since May 25, and there are 325 students, besides Freshmen, here for the five-week session which began August 10.

CONFERENCES in varied fields have brought a large number of visitors to the Campus for short periods this summer. These have included three one-week conferences on war production problems organized by the University and the State Education Department and attended by executives of war industries, July 13-17, July 27-31, August 3-7; an Institute on Professional Relations and Responsibilities sponsored by the National Educational Association for teachers and school administrators July 15; the eighteenth summer school for town and country ministers July 20-31; an Institute of International Relations organized by the Summer Session and the American Friends Service Committee July 31-August 8; and the summer conference of the New York State Science Teachers' Association August 19-22.

NAVAL AVIATION seamen who have been receiving pilot training this summer at the University and Ithaca Airport while on inactive duty finish their instruction here August 22. The group of twenty-eight men includes Louis C. Bufalino '42, Carl G. Snavely, Jr. '42, and Donaldson R. Lowry, Jr. '43. Recently they have been quartered in the top floor dormitory of Schoellkopf, eat in the Home Economics cafeteria, are given military drill by Army officers of the ROTC and daily setting up exercises by Trainer Frank Kavanagh.

TRUSTEES of the Statler Foundation, donors of Statler Hall for the Department of Hotel Administration, spent July 30 on the Campus looking over possible sites for the building. Mrs. E. M. Statler, Frank A. McKowne, and Edward H. Letchworth, accompanied by their architect, John W. Root of Holabird & Root who are building the new Statler Hotel in Washington, D. C., were conducted by Dean Gilmore D. Clarke '13, chairman of the University Architectural Advisory Council, Treasurer George F. Rogalsky '07, and Professor

OBSTACLE COURSE is being built around the parking area on Kite Hill back of the Crescent, up and down the hill and along Alumni Field, for use in the physical training to be given all male undergraduates after the University opens. The 600-yard course, laid out by Fencing Coach Georges Cointe, includes hurdles and water hazards to jump; walls and roofs and cliffs to scale; tunnels to crawl through. Every member of the Physical Education and Athletics staff will work in the thrice-weekly training periods to be scheduled for each student, besides their coaching duties with the regular athletic teams. This obstacle course will supply one phase of a program which will also include competitive games and sports; hand-to-hand combat including wrestling, boxing, jiu-jitsu, and commando tactics; setting-up drill and exercises.

Howard B. Meek, chairman of Hotel Administration. They looked at six possible sites and will make recommendation to the Board of Trustees for location of the building to be constructed after the war.

COLLEGE OF AGRICULTURE has announced an emergency winter term, November 16, 1942, to March 13, 1943, for new students whose work on farms will not allow them to enter the University in September. Those who make satisfactory records may later transfer to the two-year course or the four-year course leading to the BS degree.

LECTURER on the Schiff Foundation July 20 was Professor Henry E. Guerlac '32, chairman of the department of the history of science at University of Wisconsin. His subject was "Science and War in the Renaissance: Leonardo and Gallileo." Son of the late Professor Otho G. Guerlac, Romance Languages, he received the PhD at Harvard in 1941.

RADIO SALUTES to Cornell University for scientific achievements in electronics were given by Frazier Hunt on the nationwide CBS General Electric programs July 11 and August 1. One citation was to Professor Peter Debye, Chemistry and winner of the Nobel Prize, for his use of electrons to measure the distance between atoms. Research in this field has made possible high test gasoline, synthetic rubber, and artificial silk. Professor Lloyd P. Smith, PhD '30, and his colleagues in the Physics Department were cited for building "an electronic device which now makes it possible to identify the various forms of calcium," with important possibilities in human nutrition and prevention of disease.

NAVY RELIEF FUND benefitted to the extent of \$900 from a dance and floor show put on by Willard Straight Hall and officers in the Naval Training School. The building was crowded to the doors the night of August 1. Even the entertainers paid admission, one anonymous Naval Reserve officer contributing \$100 for his ticket. Feature of the show was a Naval School glee club organized and trained by Lieutenant Orrin Tucker, USNR, popular band leader, with assistance of Ensign John Knapp, USNR, former director of the Princeton University Glee Club. The many specialty numbers included Ensign P. T. Wines of Ridgewood, N. J., baton twirler, and Ensign Frank Scott of Oklahoma City, Okla., hog caller.

SECOND CLASS of forty-two civilian Army ordnance inspectors completed the three-month training course in the College of Engineering July 17, and a third group of twenty-eight, about one-fourth women, reported to begin instruction July 20. They are civil service employees chosen by the inspection division, Rochester Ordnance District, US Army, to work in plants producing war materials. Instruction is directed by Professor Seymour S. Garrett '04, Administrative Engineering.

CASCADILLA SCHOOL has had the largest summer term of record, says Headmaster Clarence M. Doyle '02. Its faculty of nine teachers has had sixty-eight students, more than half coming from outside Ithaca including several from South American countries. Many, as usual, are preparing for Cornell.

VOLUNTEER ASSISTANTS to the Tompkins County Rationing Board who visited outlying communities to pass on applications for supplementary gasoline rations included Romeyn Berry '04 and James E. Matthews '17, Assistant Comptroller of the University.

WEEK'S VISITOR at the University was Hudson P. Rose '84 of New York City. Guest of Professor Charles L. Durham '99 he was lodged in Anna Comstock House and spent the week renewing acquaintance with the Campus and his many friends here. For many years, Mr. Rose has performed the valuable function of keeping the University informed about Cornellians in and around New York and has often called personally on alumni in the interests of the University.

NEW AIR RAID SIRENS have been installed at the University Heating Plant, at Morse Chain Works on South Hill, and at Biggs Memorial Hospital on West Hill. Noon blasts test them daily.

#### NECROLOGY

'72—George Ernest Waldo, June 16, 1942, in Pasadena, Cal., where he had practiced law for thirty years. Returning to his home last fall from his first visit to the Campus since he left in 1870, he was injured in an automobile accident near Albuquerque, N. M., and had never fully recovered. A member of the first Class to enter the University, in 1868, he studied law in Brooklyn, was admitted to the Bar in 1876, elected to the New York State Assembly in 1896, and was a Representative in Congress, 1905–09. Cornell Club of Southern California.

'83—HELEN LOUISE SPROUT, in Athens, Ga., where she had lived for more than fifty years, retiring several years ago as teacher of German in the State Normal School. She entered Science and Letters in 1879 from Adelphi Academy, Brooklyn; remained four years.

'86 PhB—HARRY MERCHANT BEARDS-LEY, June 14, 1942, in Elmira, where he lived at 517 West Church Street. Until he retired last December as manager of the Elmira Water Board, he had served forty years as a public utility executive, be-

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professor of machine design, and in 1892 President David Starr Jordan, LLD '86, called him to the chair of mechanical engineering in Stanford University which had opened the year before. He remained at Stanford until 1904 when he came back to Ithaca as Dean of Sibley College and served in that capacity until he retired in 1921. During 1920–21, between Presidents Schurman and Farrand, the Trustees appointed Dean Smith Acting President of the University.

As a Freshman, Albert Smith was a member of the first Cornell crew to win an intercollegiate race, at Saratoga in 1875, and he rowed in the Varsity boat that won the next year. He was president of his Senior Class, a member of Theta Delta Chi.

He wrote textbooks on Machine Design and Materials of Machines, biographies of Professor John E. Sweet and of Walter C. Kerr '79, a "character study," Ezra Cornell, Bells of Cornell, Poems of Cornell, and had partially completed a new book of essays and poems, Glimpses of Cornell. Dean Smith was chairman of the Ithaca city commission which developed Stewart Park at the head of the Lake and was instrumental in establishing the Louis A. Fuertes bird sanctuary there.

Mrs. Ruby Green Smith, PhD '14, survives him, with their son, Alpheus W. Smith '19, and daughter, Mrs. Robert P. Ludlum (Ruth A. Smith) '27. Their daughter, Mrs. Harold Raynolds (Dorothy Smith) '22, died in 1938.

ginning in 1901 with the Elmira Water, Light & Railroad Co. As manager of the water plant bought by the city in 1915, he was principally responsible for its successful operation. For ten years he was treasurer of the H. C. Spaulding Co. Psi Upsilon; Glee Club; manager and quarterback of the first Varsity Rugby team. Son, Donald P. Beardsley '13.

'89 CE-Charles Stratton Davis, January 2, 1942, at his home in Hampton Hall, 166 North Dithridge Street, Pittsburgh, Pa. As chief engineer of the Massilon Bridge Co., he built and rebuilt many bridges, including reconstruction of the present Eads' Bridge over the Mississippi in St. Louis, Mo. From 1907-14 he was in private practice in Toledo, Ohio; designed several railroad bridges in Brazil, Mexico, and the United States; and then became senior structural engineer in charge of bridges for the Southern District, Interstate Commerce Commission, with headquarters in Chattanooga, Tenn. Since 1919 he had practiced in Pittsburgh, designing and building there among others the Washington Crossing bridge over the Allegany River. Lieutenant colonel, US Army Engineer Corps Reserve. Phi Gamma Delta charter member.

'91-James Towart, June 18, 1942, in Montour Falls where he had lived for thirty-five years. He entered Civil Engineering in 1887 from Peekskill, and the next year transferred to Columbia University. He received the CE in 1892 and was instructor there in 1893. From 1894-1902 he was engineer for the Elmira Bridge Co. He was general manager of W. N. Kratz & Co., iron works in Pittsburgh, Pa., from 1903-05 and in 1906 was superintendent of Duane & Triest Co., New York City. In 1907 he became president of the Montour Falls Steel Co. He designed the new Stewart Avenue bridge over Fall Creek, recently completed. Son, James W. Towart '23.

'96, '97 LLB—Ezra Cornell Blair, June 22, 1942, in Laguna Beach, Cal. Grandson of Ezra Cornell, he entered Arts from Ithaca High School, and after three years transferred to Law. He practiced law in New York City until 1917, then became associated with oil interests in Tulsa, Okla., and was in the real estate business in Tucson, Ariz., until he retired in ill health several years ago. He served in the Philippines during the Spanish-American War. Former secretary, Cornell Club of New York. Father, the late Charles H. Blair '72; brother, Charles H. Blair '97; son, John A. Blair '28. Psi Upsilon, Fruija, Undine, Bench and Board, Mermaid.

'97 ME(EE)—WILLIAM SHERWOOD PORTER, October 29, 1941, in Chicago, Ill. He received the AB at Waynesburg (Pa.) College in 1893. He was proprietor of W. S. Porter & Co. for several years. Later he was sales engineer for Hess-Bright Manufacturing Co., Philadelphia, Pa., Oakland Motor Co., Pontiac, Mich., and the Willys-Overland Co., Toledo, Ohio. More recently he was engineer for the Automatic Transportation Co., Chicago, Ill.

'II CE—A(BRAHAM) MANUEL FOX, June 22, 1942, in Chungking, China. He was the American member of the Chinese Currency Stabilization Board and financial adviser to the Chinese Finance Minister; made the investigation which resulted in the US Government loan to China of \$500,000,000 early this year. He had but recently returned to China from a trip to the United States during which he addressed the Cornell Club of Washington, D. C., of which he was an active member. Before he joined the US Tariff Commission in 1923, he taught economics at the University of Michigan; was an examiner for the Michigan State Tax Commission; assistant valuation counsel of the New York Central Railroad; and lecturer in economics at CCNY. From 1924-29 he was associate professor of economics at Catholic University. He became the first director of research of the Tariff Commission and was appointed a member of the Commission by President Roosevelt in 1937. In 1939-40, he was chairman of an American advisory economic mission to Venezuela. He participated in the first Cornell-Dartmouth-Pennsylvania conference on "Making

#### MISSING IN ACTION

Two Cornellians are currently reported missing in action.

Ensign Carl A. Osberg '42 was reported missing by the Navy Department July 14. He entered Agriculture from Manchester, N. H., Central High School, was commissioned a Navy pilot in February, 1941, after training at Squantum, Mass., and Pensacola, Fla. He was last reported as stationed at San Diego, Cal. He was a member of the Freshman football squad and the Varsity lacrosse team.

Sergeant William R. Orndorff '43, RCAF, son of the late Professor William R. Orndorff, Chemistry, was reported missing to his mother in Ithaca "as a result of air operations" with the Royal Air Force July 29. Leaving Canada last December, he had been since May a gunner in a squadron of RAF bomber planes that had raided Bremen, Emden, Cologne, and Essen. In May, 1940, he went to France with the American Volunteer Ambulance Corps, and returned with five medals including a Croix de Guerre for bravery during the German blitz of France. From October, 1940, to February, 1941, he was in Mexico City; enlisted in the RCAF in June, 1941. His sister is Mary R. Orndorff '37.

Democracy Work," held in Willard Straight Hall in 1938. He entered Civil Engineering from Boys' High School, Brooklyn, with state and Pulitzer Scholarships; received the AM at NYU in 1924. Beta Sigma Rho founder; Cosmopolitan Club. Children, Myra C. Fox '34 and Melvin J. Fox '34.

'16 BArch—Jes Jessen Dall, Jr., June 28, 1942, in Tampa, Fla., where he had been since last September with the Tampa Shipbuilding Co. He entered Architecture from Brooklyn Polytechnic Preparatory School, and returned to the construction business in New York City. Coming to Ithaca in 1923, he organized J. Dall, Jr. Inc., and built a number of homes and public buildings in Ithaca and elsewhere, including Blach Halls, The Cayuga Press building, Cayuga and West View apartments. He enlisted in the Naval Reserve in May, 1917, was commissioned an ensign, attended the US Naval Academy, and served on the USS Hancock until January, 1919. Phi Delta Theta, Cornell Club of New York. Son, Jes J. Dall, 3d. '43. Mrs. Dall now lives in Bellport.

'20, '21 WA-Lieutenant Commander Albert Pendleton Taliaferro, Jr., USNR, July 1, 1942, in Alexandria, Va. He was stationed with the Bureau of Aeronautics in Washington, D. C. Entering Agriculture from Irving School, New York City, he left in 1917 to join the American Field Service in France. Later he transferred to the Naval Air Force, was commissioned a lieutenant (jg), and won the Italian Medal of Valor for service in Porto Corsini, and the Navy Cross. He returned to the University for a year in 1920; was a partner in Harrison-Guthrie, New York City advertising agency; and for seven years was in charge of airport work for the US Department of Commerce, organizing his own engineering firm in 1939 to construct airports. He built the Rhode Island State airport at Hillsgrove. From 1939-41 he was a member of the national executive committee of American Field Service. Psi Upsilon, Cornell Club of New York.

'42—Lieutenant Theodore Frederick Galloway, US Army Air Forces, in July, landing his plane at Spartansburg, S. C. He entered Agriculture from Onondaga Central School near Syracuse; and after his Junior year entered Air Force training in California, Washington, and the South. Varsity soccer.

'42—Lieutenant John West Jackson, US Army Air Forces, July 15, 1942, in an automobile accident near Lakeland, Fla., where he was stationed. His home in Pittsfield, Mass., he entered Architecture from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, joined the Air Forces in July, 1941, and was commissioned as a pilot last March at Brooks Field, Tex. Sigma Phi.

# Concerning THE FACULTY

THE UNIVERSITY has published as a pamphlet an address, "Primary Elements of the American Tradition," which President Edmund E. Day delivered in Washington, D. C., the first of a series on "War Issues and Postwar Adjustment" sponsored by the US Department of Agriculture. The President is one of a committee of five New York State college presidents appointed by the State Education Department to consider public subsidies for liberal arts colleges and secondary schools. The committee will report in October. As chairman of the American Council on Education, he presided at a war conference of university officials in Baltimore, Md., July 15 and 16, and spoke on "The Critical Necessity for the Complete Mobilization of Higher Education in the War Effort.'

A University Trustee and a member of the Faculty have been concerned with recent prosecutions of alleged German spies. Captain George R. Pfann '24, US Army, Alumni Trustee, was assigned by the court to defend Louis Schatz, one of twenty-two former German-American Bund leaders tried in the New York City Federal Court for conspiring to violate the Selective Service and Alien Registration Acts. Professor George T. Washington, Law, on leave as a member of the staff of the US Assistant Solicitor General, helped to present the Government's case against the eight Nazi saboteurs who were tried before a military commission in Washington.

Professor George H. Sabine '03, Dean of the Graduate School, was awarded the honorary degree, Doctor of Letters, at the 1942 commencement of Oberlin College. Dr. Hu Shih '14, Chinese Ambassador to the United States, received the Doctor of Laws.

MARY OGDEN, daughter of Dean Robert M. Ogden '00, Arts and Sciences, and Mrs. Ogden, was married in Sage Chapel July 18 to Ensign Stuart C. Hemingway, Jr., USNR. Graduate of Syracuse University, he is the brother of John C. Hemingway '39; is stationed at the Naval Air Base, San Diego, Cal. Miss Ogden was a member of the Alumni Office staff last year.

Two Army Officers formerly detailed to the ROTC have been promoted to brigadier generals. General Hugh J. Gaffey was a captain here, 1926–28, and General Hugh D. Gibson was major and lieutenant colonel, 1937–40.

PROFESSOR WILLIAM STRUNK, JR., PhD '96, English, Emeritus, and Mrs. Strunk are again making their home in Ithaca,

after spending five years in Princeton, N. J., where their son W. Oliver Strunk '21, is professor of music. They live at 301 West State Street, Ithaca.

New Trustee of the University July 1 is Dr. George D. Stoddard, by virtue of his appointment as State Commissioner of Education. He succeeds Ernest E. Cole '95, who retired after sixteen years in the Department at Albany, the last two a member of the University Board as Commissioner. Dr. Stoddard has been director of the Iowa Child Welfare Research Station at University of Iowa since 1928.

Dr. Adrian G. Gould, member of the University Medical Office staff since 1921, was called to active duty as a lieutenant colonel, Medical Corps, US Army, July 1. He was ordered to Carlisle Barracks, Carlisle, Pa., an Army replacement pool where officers are selected for assignment to duty.

Barbara L. Kirby '34, librarian in Willard Straight Hall since the library opened in 1938, was married July 23 in Sage Chapel to Lieutenant (jg) Carlisle Moore, USNR. Moore was instructor in English from 1936 to last year, when he went as assistant professor to Michigan State Normal School. Mrs. Moore will return to the Willard Straight library this fall.

Professor Herbert W. Briggs, Government, and Mrs. Briggs (Virginia Yoder) '35 have a daughter, Barbara Ann Briggs, born July 3. They live at 305 Highland Road, Ithaca.

Professor Leonard A. Maynard, PhD '15, Director of the School of Nutrition and the Federal Nutrition Laboratory here, and Professor Robert S. Breed, Bacteriology at the Geneva Experiment Station, attended an inter-American conference on agriculture in Mexico City July 6–16. Also members of the United States delegation headed by Secretary of Agriculture Claude R. Wickard were Eugene C. Auchter '12, chief of research, US Department of Agriculture, and Dean Edwin J. Kyle '01 of Texas A & M College.

Professor William J. Hamilton '26, Zoology, left Ithaca July 13 for Fort Dix, N. J., a captain in the Sanitary Corps, US Army. Acting chairman of the Departments of Zoology, he was elected last December a fellow of the New York Academy of Sciences.

MRS. DOROTHY RIDDLE, librarian of the College of Home Economics, left Ithaca August 14 to return to her home in Australia, to help in the war effort and reconstruction. She came to Ithaca from Adelaide, Australia, in 1921 with her husband, Arthur R. Riddle '22, who was instructor in Physics from 1921–27; took

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charge of the Home Economics reading room when Martha Van Rensselaer Hall was opened in 1933, and has greatly expanded the scope and value of the College library. The "book fairs" and accompanying lectures which she started several years ago have been a popular feature of Farm and Home Weeks.

PROFESSOR ROBERT E. CUSHMAN, Government, is the author of "What's Happening to Our Constitution?" recently published as No. 70 in its series of Public Affairs Pamphlets by Public Affairs Committee, Inc., 30 Rockefeller Plaza, New York City.

PROFESSOR FRANK H. RANDOLPH, Institutional Engineering in the Department of Hotel Administration, has become assistant chief mechanical engineer with Shreve, Lamb & Harmon, New York City architects, and is directing installation of mechanical and electrical equipment at the new Naval Training Station at Sampson on Seneca Lake. He continues to live in Ithaca.

PROFESSOR HAROLD W. THOMPSON, English, married Marion H. Chesebrough, June 27. Mrs. Thompson taught Latin and English at the New York State Teachers College in Albany, where Professor Thompson also taught until he came to Cornell in 1940.

CAPTAIN JUDSON D. WILCOX '32, instructor in Field Artillery in the ROTC, and Mrs. Wilcox (Ruth Rogers) '38 have a son born July 31. They live on RFD 1,

Trustees of St. Lawrence University, Canton, recently announced the appointment of Dr. Harold E. B. Speight as dean of the College of Letters and Science, effective September 1. For the last two years Dr. Speight has been in Ithaca as executive secretary of the committee on teacher education, of which President Edmund E. Day is chairman, of the Association of Colleges and Universities of the State of New York. Dr. Speight was dean of Swarthmore College before coming to Ithaca, and formerly taught at Dartmouth.

#### ALUMNAE JOIN WAAC

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third. Miss Austin has been assistant to Professor Charles A. Taylor '14, Agriculture Extension Service. Miss Dixon, women's secretary of her Class, taught home economics at Bedford Hills High School and White Plains Junior High School, received the MA at Columbia last February.

Reported also as accepted for WAAC officer training are Stephanie Czech '37, Betty C. Jokl '38, Carol C. Hirsch '42, and Hilda Berry, daughter of Romeyn Berry '04.

# Concerning THE ALUMNI

Personal items and newspaper clippings about all Cornellians are earnestly solicited.

'79, '80 AB—FREDERIC J. WHITON CARries on business in real estate and investments in New York City, where he lives at I West Seventy-second Street.

90 ME—July 17, the Bridgeport (Conn.) Brass Co. opened its new Navy plant. The same day, WILLIAM R. Webster observed the forty-fifth anniversary of the day he first went to work for the company of which he is now chairman of the board. The Bridgeport Sunday Post of July 5 published pictures of Webster and an account of his services to Bridgeport Brass and the industry. He is credited with introducing electric furnaces in which today ninety percent of the brass manufactured is melted. He entered the brass industry in Bridgeport fifty years ago, starting with the Aluminum, Bronz & Brass Co. in 1892 and becoming superintendent of the Bridgeport Copper Co. the next year. In 1897 he became superintendent of the Bridgeport Brass Co. rolling mill and has been successively superintendent of raw materials, general superintendent, vicepresident, and chairman of the board since May, 1930. A director of the Bridgeport-City Trust Co. and trustee of the Bridgeport-People's Savings Bank, Webster was for eleven years a member of the board of education, is a past president of the University and Contemporary clubs, chairman of the board of directors of the Bridgeport Engineering Institute, a fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, member of many professional engineering societies and of the Newcomen Society of England.

'92 ME—The present address of William G. Smith is Packanack Lake, N. J.

'95 ME—George T. Ladd, chairman of the United Engineering & Foundry Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., heads a committee of the foundry and rolling mill machinery industry for the current campaign of the British War Relief Society, Inc.

'96 ME—RALPH McCarty has joined the priorities field service staff of the War Production Board, with offices in the Paul Brown Building, St. Louis. He lives at 562 South Gore Avenue, Webster Groves, Mo.

'oo BArch; '96—F. Ellis Jackson, architect of Myron Taylor Hall, has been elected a trustee of the Annmary Brown Memorial Library of Incunabula, Providence, R. I., succeeding the late Edwin A. Burlingame '96, former comptroller of Brown University.

'00 BArch—Squire J. Vickers, archi-

tect since 1906 for the Board of Transportation and its predecessors, designers and builders of the New York City transit system, has retired and will devote his time to painting and gardening. His home is at Grand View-on-the-Hudson.

'01, '02 ME—HENRY E. BYER moved his engineering offices May 1 to 77 River Street, Hoboken, N. J. He lives at 69 Mt. Airy Road, Bernardsville, N. J.

'02 CE, '03 MCE—CLARENCE W. MEYERS is an engineer for Consolidated Edison Co., 4 Irving Place, New York City. He lives in Westfield, N. J., at 246 Clark Street.

'03 ME—IRA J. OWEN has moved from Winnetka, Ill., to 411 Poplar Street, Laguna Beach, Cal. He is a consulting administrative industrial engineer.

'03 AB—Grace E. Inman resigned June 5 after thirty-eight years of teaching in the Bloomington (III.) High School and thirty-five years as dean of girls. She organized the school's oldest club, the Short Story Club, in 1918 and in 1934 started the school paper, was a founder of the AAUW in Bloomington, received the city service medal given annually to the citizen voted to have done the most for Bloomington, has studied at Stanford, Harvard, and Middlebury College where she received the MA. She will continue to live in Bloomington.

'05 AB—A partner in Lehman Brothers, investment bankers, I William Street, New York City, Allan S. Lehman has been elected a director of the Studebaker Corporation. He is also vice-president and a director of the Lehman Corporation and of the Southern States Land & Timber Co. and the General Realty & Utilities Corp.

'05 AB—Broadcasts by Hendrik W. Van Loon by short wave in Dutch to The Netherlands and pamphlets which he prepared for distribution to his countrymen by airplane have brought retaliation by the Nazis. His twenty-seven-year-old nephew was sent to a concentration camp a few months ago, and is believed to be one of the 124 young Hollanders who were executed late in June.

'06 ME—Robert Gregg, president of the Tennessee Coal, Iron & Railroad Co., Birmingham, Ala., received the honorary LLD at the Commencement of Tusculum College, Greeneville, Tenn., May 25. He was cited as "expert in the complex process of the manufacture of steel; chief executive of a large corporation engaged in vital war production in the South; active in fostering cooperation among industrialists and other businessmen for the common good; a man whose interests reach out to the service of community and state." Gregg's Commencement address, "Building a New World," has been published by Tusculum College.

'08 ME—Irene E. Mennen, daughter of William G. Mennen and the late Mrs. Mennen, was married June 6 to James H. Hunter of North Adams, Mass.

'08 AB, 'II MD—Dr. HARRY G. BULL of Ithaca contributes to recent issues of two professional journals devoted to diseases of children. In The Archives of Pediatrics, he reviews a study of 120 children immunized against diptheria with toxoid injections in the Tompkins County pre-school clinic which he directs. In the American Journal of Diseases of Children, he reports, a rare instance of typhoid fever in a child of fourteen months.

'09—James M. McColl is a physician at 2867 University Avenue, San Diego, Cal. He received the MD at the University of Buffalo in 1910.

'10, 'II ME—DAVID DARRIN has issued an appeal on behalf of the American Party, PO Box 2002, Washington, D. C. to elect to the House of Representatives and to the Senate "men and women who will exercise their full constitutional powers, and listen to no voice but that of their constituents. . . . A voluntary coalition of Democrats, Republicans, and other parties for the common cause of victory. For we cannot win either the war or the peace unless we stop all partisan maneuvers which prevent real democracy and efficiency in the conduct of both."

#### 1911 MEN

By Oscar G. Miller, Class Secretary 60 East Forty-second Street, New York City

Chester S. Ricker writes that it was his son, Charles, who was recently commissioned a lieutenant in the Army Air Forces. "Chet" is a civilian worker for the Army Air Force and Bureau of Aeronautics, USN.

OWEN C. TORREY of the Marine Office of America is serving on a special committee of insurance representatives as a clearing house for information on American ship and cargo insurance. His business address is 116 John Street, New York City.

Louis A. Rodenhiser is now in the temporary Civil Service with the US Corps of Engineers at Galveston, Tex. He reports that the State of Texas has more training centers than any other State and others are constantly being added. His mailing address is Box 1641, Midland, Tex.

#### 1912 MEN

Charles A. Dewey, Class Secretary Cornell Bldg., Pleasantville, N. Y.

George P. Brockway is purchasing manager of American Optical Co., Southbridge, Mass.

DONALD F. HIETT is president of the Irving B. Hiett Co., real estate, 622 Jefferson Avenue, Toledo, Ohio.

Captain LAFAYETTE L. PORTER, AAF,

was ordered in June to the Fighter Command School at Orlando, Fla., for advanced training. During the last war, he was an ensign on submarine duty; says that in the next one he will be in the Marines! His permanent address is 600 Ridge Avenue, Greencastle, Ind.

'13 AB—Mrs. Jane McKelway Urquhart, formerly of the Alumni News staff, has a poem "Colts—School-boys?" in The Southern Literary Messenger for July. She is vice-principal and teacher of English and economic geography in the University Preparatory School, Pittsburgh, Pa.

#### 1913 MEN

By Class Correspondent

DEAR ED: Thank you for telling me of Marcel Sessler's criticism of you for printing my statement that he milked his Aberdeen-Angus cows. Never mind him. There's no more reason for you than for me to know or care if those hightoned cows of his yield milk or not! When a CE goes Ag (or should I say Aggie?), no doubt he cannot restrain himself from displaying his new knowledge. What he had better do is, some day as he is strolling through the cow barn, to look carefully at one of the cows hitched in her stall and munching whatever is in the feed crib. Then he should go home and look in the mirror to be sure no resemblance is developing!

Could it be that Sessler's ubiquitous cowbell that he used to bring to Reunions was a forerunner of all this?—ED.

GEORGE H. ROCKWELL took off for England recently.

Henry A. Menjou has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the Corps of Military Police, US Army. When last heard from, he was enroute to Fort Oglethorpe, Ga., for training. Menjou attended Culver Military Academy before coming to Cornell. From 1914–17 he served with the Hankow China British Infantry Volunteers, and then with the AEF in France as a first lieutenant, Quartermaster Corps, holding this rank in the Quartermaster Reserve Corps from 1923–28.

AERTSEN P. KEASBEY is active in the air raid precaution service in New York. All three of his boys are now in the Army. Aertsen, Jr. '39 enlisted with hopes of finding his way in time to the Engineers' Camp at Belvoir, Va., and working his way up in that line. Robert, who was in the Class of '42 at Yale, is with the public relations division at the headquarters of the First Army. Thomas, Hill School '40, was with a military police battalion for some time but in due course passed examinations for the Air Corps and is now an aviation cadet located at one of the training fields in the South.

'14 CE; '41 BCE; '43—H. GUY CAMPBELL is treasurer of Harry T. Campbell Sons Corp., engineers, contractors, quarrymen, and material dealers in Towson, Md., president of the Towson National Bank, and a director of Clinchfield Sand & Feldspar Corp., Baltimore, Md. His address is 400 Highland Avenue, Towson, Md. His son Richard L. Campbell '41 is a lieutenant (jg) in the US Naval Reserve and another son, S. James Campbell '43, is a Junior in Chemical Engineering.

'14 B Arch; '20—RAYMOND L. BURNS and Mrs. Burns (MARY M. MASON) '20 live at 141-21 Seventy-Eighth Road, Flushing.

'14 ME; '15 ME—ARTHUR F. REES, JR. is an engineer in the St. Louis Ordnance District of the War Department. He lives at 5560 Pershing Avenue, St. Louis. His son Arthur F. Rees III is a metalurgist at the US Cartridge Co., St. Louis, and his son Myron E. Rees is a torpedo man in the US Navy, San Diego, Cal. His brother, Louis D. Rees '15, is engineer at Consolidated Aircraft, San Diego, Cal.

#### 1915 MEN

By Hugh C. Edmiston, Correspondent Short Hills, N. J.

You should thrill with pride at the 1941-42 Alumni Fund figures. They show 1915 fourth in amount of unrestricted fund with \$3796.05 contributed. Best of all, 1915 ranks first among the Classes (as it should) in total number of contributors. Once more the Pith Helmet should be raised in salute: to your Class secretary, University Trustee Matt Carey, who is 99.99% responsible for the above. But it would seem that more than 316 might have responded of a Class roll of 1071.

Brigadier General ROBERT C. CANDEE, chief of the US Ground Air Support Command, is one of the four Army Air Force generals who recently arrived in England. Some steps from the Cornell Cadet Corps, Bob! Here's wishing many happy landings.

The Rev. Harold C. ("Dutch") Kelleran has a church at North Tonawanda, where he lives at 239 Goundry Street.

Russ Thompson is with Hosenger & Boda, Inc., and lives at 27 Fourteenth Street, Astoria, L. I.

JOHN W. ("Dutch") BRAFFETT retired from business after serious illness in 1940, and lives in Royal Oak, Mich., at 2803 Bembridge Road.

Samuel S. (Sammy) Leibowitz was listed among the Law's "Greats" chosen for the Wall of Honor at the New York World's Fair. Possibly everybody but your reporter was aware of this a year or two ago.

'16 AB—Mary W. Thomson is now Mrs. Terrence P. Wynn. She lives at 240 Cobrine Boulevard, New York City.

#### 1916 MEN

By Weyland Pfeiffer, Class Secretary 231 Madison Road, Scarsdale, N. Y.

From Lieutenant Colonel Herbert Snyder, ADC to the commanding general, 44th Infantry Division, Fort Lewis, Wash.:

"The War Department announced in July that Francis G. Brink, Colonel, General Staff Corps, had been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal for able and effective service as an observer and liaison officer with the British forces in the Far East. Brink graduated AB from Cornell in 1916. As an undergraduate, he was University boxing champion (heavyweight class). He still looks slightly dizzy, just as he did when a college boy, but he has plenty on the ball and will badly fool anyone who underestimates him (like Russ Welles '16 who got a thorough lesson in boxing from Brink one typically rotten January night in 1916). I imagine Brink is the first Cornellian to be decorated in this war; I am sure he is the first 1916er to receive the Distinguished Service Medal in this or any other war."

Grant Schlbicher is vice-president of the Queensboro Rotary Club, among his other duties. He is still running W. D. Wilson Printing Ink Co. Ltd., of 5–38 Forty-sixth Avenue, Long Island City.



Herbert R. Johnston, Class Secretary 81 Tacoma Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Frank P. Cullinan became assistant chief of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Bureau of Plant Industry April 1, 1942. Before graduation from Cornell with the Class of 1917, "Cully" was assistant in Pomology in the College of Agriculture with Dr. W. H. Chandler, now of the University of California, and Dr. ARTHUR J. HEINICKE, PhD '17, recently appointed Director of the Geneva Experiment Station. From 1918 to 1931, Cullinan was instructor and research worker and later professor in horticulture at Purdue University. On leave of absence he received the PhD degree in botany, majoring in plant physiology, at Chicago University in 1931. In 1931 Dr. Cullinan was appointed senior pomologist in charge of peach production and breeding investigations in the Division of Fruit and Vegetable Crops and Diseases of the USDA. At that time, Dr. Eugene C. Auchter, '12, later chief of the Bureau of Plant Industry and now Administrator of Research in the Department of Agriculture, was in charge. Dr. Cullinan is a member of Sigma Xi and several scientific and professional societies. His present work will involve assisting the chief in the administration of the Bureau of Plant Industry and

coordination of the research on plant breeding and nutrition problems in the Bureau and in cooperation with State or other institutions.

Another 1917 Classmate, HENRY E. Allanson, is no less well known. Hank has long held responsible positions in the USDA Bureau of Plant Industry. He is now business manager of the Bureau. A native of Iowa, he came to Cornell with Dr. Beverly T. Galloway when he was made Dean of the College of Agriculture. Allanson received the BS in 1917, is a member of Alpha Gamma Rho and various scientific and honorary societies. In addition to official duties, Allanson has found time for important participation in many civic activities. At present, he is a member of the local draft board in his community.—G. H. '17

'18—Donald S. Martinez is proprietor of Don's Tackle Shop in West Yellowstone, Mont. In the winter his address is 723 South St. Andrews Place, Los Angeles, Cal.

'18 ME—HARRY C. HANDWERGER is with Carneal, Johnston & Wright, architects, Atlantic Life Building, Richmond, Va.

'19, '20 CE; '19 BS—James R. Cook and Mrs. Cook (MILLICENT N. QUINBY) '19 live at 225 Twelfth Street, New York City. They have twin boys, Richard and Gerard.

'20-WALKER MASON, manager of the Providence, R. I., district Office of the War Production Board, was advanced June 22 to become manager of all district WPB offices in New England, with headquarters in Boston, Mass. Mason went to Providence in 1934 as general agent for the Connecticut General Life Insurance Co.; was appointed manager of the Providence office of OPM last October. W. H. Wheeler, Jr., New England regional director of WPB, announcing Mason's appointment, called his office "one of the best run in the country." Mason will continue to live at 39 Orchard Avenue, Providence.

#### 1921 MEN

By Allan H. Treman, Class Secretary Ithaca, N. Y.

BOB (Dr. ROBERT C.) BURT, who married Eleanor Bedell, daughter of Professor Frederick Bedell, PhD '92, Physics, and the late Mrs. Bedell (MARY CREHORE), MS '94, has invented, in collaboration with Corning Glass Works technicians, a new welding lens through which the welder sees only the "working puddle" of molten aluminum, and which eliminates the brilliant glare from the hot hydrogen welding torch which ordinarily blinds the worker. With the aid of the lens, work is speeded up, efficiency increased, and eye-strain greatly reduced. Burt is in the plant engineering department of Lockheed Aircraft, Burbank, Calif. He has about twenty other patented inventions.

BILL (WILLIS) KIGGINS has entered the service as a commander in the Coast Guard.

Jack (John L.) Dole who was a first lieutenant in Field Artillery in the last war, is president, secretary, and general manager of the Dole Valve Co., 1923 Carroll Avenue, Chicago, Ill. He married Barbara Dunham and has two children, John L., Jr. and Barbara. They live at Oaklawn Farm, Wayne, Ill.

'22 ME—Howard R. Sherman is with the War Production Board at 17 Court Street, Boston, Mass. Address him at 20 T Wharf, Boston, Mass.

'22, '24 AB—First Lieutenant OLIVER D. COMSTOCK reported for duty July 16 at the Provost Marshall General's School, Fort Oglethorpe, Ga. The Buffalo Construction News, of which he was president and general manager, has suspended publication.

'22 ME—CURRAN W. HENKLE was commissioned a captain in the US Army Air Forces and ordered to duty July 12 at Lowry Field, Denver, Col. He was assistant general manager and assistant secretary-treasurer of Mercury Manufacturing Co., Chicago, Ill.; had been with Mercury since 1922. He was a captain in the 404th Field Artillery, ORC, for the last twelve years, and served as adjutant of the regiment.

'23; '90 BS; '92—FREDERICK M. MORRISON OF Short Hills, N. J., son of the late William H. Morrison '90 and Mrs. Morrison (Jennie L. Nourse) '92, married Mary E. Hardin May 30 in Sussex, N. J.

'23 BS, '30 PhD—WILLIAM G. MEAL has been appointed chief of the fruit and vegetable branch of the Agricultural Marketing Administration. He will head the fruit and vegetable marketing and distribution activities formerly under the Agricultural Marketing Service, of which he was in charge, and the Surplus Marketing Administration. He was instructor in Agricultural Economics and Farm Management from 1925 until 1929 when he entered the Department of Agriculture in Washington as extension economist in marketing.

'23, '24 EE—John G. Nesbett is lieutenant in the US Naval Reserve, on duty at 90 Church Street, New York City. Formerly with Carl M. Loeb Rhodes & Co., he lives at 216–16 Twenty-eighth Avenue, Bayside.

'24 AB, '28 MD—Dr. FLORENCE F. DEAN is now Dr. Florence Dean Prosser. Her address is Putnam, Conn.

'24 MD—Recent demonstrations at the University of Minnesota of the effectiveness of adding ureau to sulfathiazole to speed recovery from infections were based upon a cue furnished by studies in

which Major Hall G. Holder of the US Army Medical Corps cooperated, according to press reports.

- '24 AB—Max F. Schmitt and Mrs. Schmitt have a daughter, Peggy David Schmitt, born July 1. They live in Hartsdale, and Schmitt is sales and advertising manager of Collins & Aikman Corp., 200 Madison Avenue, New York City.
- '25 BS—HELEN WATKINS, executive secretary of the Orange County Health Association since 1928, resigned to become field adviser for the State Committee on Tuberculosis and Public Health, April 25. She was the first president of the Cornell Women's Club of Middletown.
- '25, '26 B Chem—Philo D. Atwood is manager of product development in the nylon division of E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., 4543 Nemours Building, Wilmington, Del. His home is at 1 School Road, Alapocas Park, Wilmington. He has two children, Ann B., nine, and Philo D. Jr., three.
- '26, '29 EE—WILBUR W. GERMAN is consulting engineer for the Montana Power Co., Butte, Mont.
- '26 AB—Dr. RICHARD C. WADSWORTH is director of laboratories at the Metropolitan Hospital, Waltham, Mass. He has been an instructor in pathology and bacteriology at Tufts Medical School, Medford, Mass., since 1934 and assistant in neuropathology at Harvard Medical School since 1940. He has two children, Rachel, seven, and Edna Janet, four. His home is at 475 Trapelo Road, Waltham, Mass.
- '27 AB, '30 LLB; '30 AB—JERVIS LANGDON, JR., commissioned a captain in the US Army Air Forces, has completed a six-week training course at Miami Beach, Fla., and is assigned to Foreign Service Concentration Command at Cincinnati, Ohio. Son of JERVIS LANGDON '97, University Trustee, he was assistant vice-president in charge of traffic of the Chesapeake & Ohio and Pere Marquette railroads. Mrs. Langdon (JEAN BANCROFT) and their children are living at 217 Willard Way, Ithaca, for the duration.
- '27 AB—Lewis W. Feick is a general partner in the brokerage firm of Riter & Co., 48 Wall Street, New York City.
- '28 AB, '33 AM, '35 PhD; '96—John M. Parker III is a junior geologist with the US Geological Survey investigating high alumina clays of North Carolina as possible sources of aluminum ore. Last August he married Mattie E. Edwards, curator of the North Carolina Historical Museum. He and Mrs. Parker live at 22

- Shepherd Street, Raleigh, N. C. Parker is the son of John M. Parker II '96.
- '28 BChem, '29 MChem, '31 PhD— John W. Ackerman has a son, John Wright Ackerman, Jr., born June 27. Ackerman is with Fine Colors Co., 21–29 McBride Avenue, Paterson, N. J.
- '28, '29 BArch—S. BELMONT SEGAR has been commissioned a lieutenant (jg) US Naval Reserve, and is stationed at the Boston Navy Yard, Charlestown, Mass. His home is at 33 Dedham Street, Newton Highlands, Mass.
- '29 AB—Captain SMITH W. TOMPKINS may be addressed at Box 1559, Fort Benning, Ga.
- '29 AB—Morton Singer practices law at 45 John Street, New York City. He is a trial examiner with the New York State Labor Relations Board and a member of the panel of arbitrators of the New York State Board of Mediation and the US Conciliation Service.
- '29—HAROLD C. BARNETT is a private, first class, member of the 3d Cavalry band at Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.
- '29; '95 LLB—Captain EDMUND A. Совв, son of Howard Совв '95 of Ithaca, is assigned to duty at the Munitions Building, Washington, D. C. Address him at Box 594, Ithaca.
- '29 CE—Captain PIERRE J. PURCELL has been assigned as assistant professor of military science and tactics at the University of Maine, Orono, to open a unit of the Signal Corps ROTC in addition to the Infantry and Coast Artillery units already operating there. His new address is 13 Pond Street, Orono, Me.
- '30 AB, '34 LLB—CHARLES E. TREMAN, JR. has been commissioned a lieutenant in the US Naval Reserve, and reported July 11 for duty with the director of Naval officer procurement, Third Naval District, New York City. He had practiced law in Ithaca and was secretary and trust officer of the Tompkins County Trust Co.
- '30 BS, '33 MS, '38 PhD—FRED C. BAKER is a captain in the Medical Department, US Army, and is a member of the Headquarters Service Command Unit, at Camp Sibert, Boulder City, Nev.
- '30 CE—First keel of the sixty ships a year that will be built for the Navy at a new yard of Bethlehem Steel Co. shipbuilding division at Hingham, Mass., was laid June 29. Since the first clearing of the 140-acre site was begun only last February 19, Samuel Wakeman has been general superintendent of the new yard which will employ 20,000 men. He is the son of S. Wiley Wakeman '99, late Uni-

- versity Trustee and president of Bethlehem Shipbuilding Co., who was general superintendent and manager of the Force River and Victory plants during the last war. Young Wakeman learned to build ships at the Bath Iron Works in Maine.
- '30, '31 AB—Lieutenant (jg) RICHARD I. EDWARDS, USNR, an airline pilot until called to active duty last November, is now commanding a plane in the Naval Air Transport Service. His address is VR-1, US Naval Air Station, Norfolk, Va.
- '31 MD—Dr. GERMAINE A. GUNTZER is assistant district health officer of the State Department of Health, Nashville, Tenn.
- '31, '32 BS; '10 MS, '13 PhD—Edward W. Guthrie, son of Professor Edward S. Guthrie, PhD '13, Dairy Industry, has a daughter, Jacqueline Fay, born May 28.
- '31, '32 ME—Captain RICHMOND B. Shreve, after three months at Fort Sill, Okla., returned in June to Fort Jackson, S. C. He is the son of R. H. Shreve '02 and Mrs. Shreve (Ruth Bentley) '02 of Hastings-on-Hudson.
- '31 ME—Monford P. Miles is staff assistant to the works manager of General Electric, Bridgeport, Conn. He lives at 33 Woodcrest Avenue, Nicholas, Bridgeport.
- '31 AB—LEE B. REYNOLDS is in the Army and is stationed at Camp Croft,
- '32 BS—Bruce A. Parlette has been commissioned a first lieutenant in the Army Air Forces and is stationed at Kelly Field. New Haven Country Club, of which he was manager, has granted him a leave of absence for the duration. His address is Officers' Mess, Kelly Field, Texas.
- '32 CE—Bernard Falk, RD 1, Yardley, Pa., has a daughter born last March 22 and a son three years old. He is home office supervisor for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., New York City.
- '32, '34 BS—Address of Candidate D. Howard Clements is 3d Platoon, Battery H, AAAS, O.C.D., Camp Davis, N. C.
- '32 BS—Dorothy A. Schofield was married May 30 to Herbert K. Simms of Warwick. She is the daughter of Professor Herbert H. Schofield '05, Engineering.
- '32, '33 BArch—MARY R. Brown is now Mrs. Warren H. Channel. Her address is C-4 Waterview Apartments, Portsmouth, Va.
  - '33, '35 CE—HAROLD C. ERDMAN is a

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field engineer in the construction department of the Bethlehem Steel Co., Bethlehem, Pa. His address is 616 Prospect Avenue, Bethlehem.

'33 AB, '34 AM; '79 BS—STANFORD J. GIBSON is supervising principal of the New Berlin Central School. He is the son of STANFORD J. GIBSON '79, who lives in Norwich at 56 Fair Street.

'33—Frederick G. Porter is with B. Altman & Co., New York City. His home is at 206 Prospect Street, Westfield, N. J. His brother Charles C. Porter, Jr. '29, lives in Summit, N. J., at 30 Blackburn Road.

'34 AB—Thomas J. Little III is in the special project salvage section, Bureau of Industrial Conservation, War Production Board, 424 Boulevard Building, Detroit, Mich.

'34; '42 PhD—RUTH M. MATTOX was married in Newtonville, Mass., June 19 to RALPH B. PRIDDY. He received the AB at Pomona College in 1937, the AM at Claremont College in 1939, majored here in Zoology. Mrs. Priddy received the BA at Indiana University; has been assistant in the University Office of Public Information.

'34 ME—ROBERT R. THOMPSON is superintendent of the St. Bernard, Ohio, plant of Procter & Gamble, having recently been transferred from Kansas City, Kan. His home is in Wyoming, Ohio, at 25 West Hill Lane.

'34 AB, '40 PhD—James J. Anderson is an assistant professor in the Institute of Local and State Government at the University of Pennsylvania. Address him at 34 Blanchard Hall. He taught Government courses at Cornell in 1939–40. His engagement to Jeanne W. Rusby, Vassar '37, of Haverford, Pa., was announced February 1.

'34—Jans Dunsford lives in Sewickley, Pa.

'34—Seward G. Smith is an accountant in the Ordnance Department of the War Department, Rochester. His home is at 1555 Culver Road, Rochester.

'35—RALPH M. SYDNEY married Ruth M. Rothermich of Enfield, May 11. Mr. and Mrs. Sidney will live in Cayutaville.

'35 AB, '38 AM—OSWALD H. LAUBENSTEIN, teacher of German in the Ithaca
High School since 1935, has been appointed director of guidance in the Alfred, Almond, and Canaseraga schools
and will assume his new duties September 1. He will be in charge of organization, supervision, and direction of a new
program as part of the State Guidance
Bureau's plan to offer guidance to rural
youth.

'35 AB—Daniel D. Krakauer is with Kay Manufacturing Corp., manufacturer of springs for furniture and bedding, foot of Warren Street, Brooklyn.

'35 BS-RALPH J. BARRETT is soil con-

servation agent for Ulster County with headquarters in Kingston. His engagement to Amy F. Munn of West Hurley was recently announced.

#### **CLASS OF 1936**

#### Women

By Mary T. Nigro, Class Secretary 68 Bird Avenue, Niagara Falls, N. Y.

HELEN STORMS SCHUMANN WROTE a while back that she and her husband, Lieutenant (jg) J. G. Schumann, USNR, were then living at 1 Christopher Street, New York City, having been in Cleveland, Ohio, Portsmouth, N. H., and Newport, R. I. She can always be reached at 68 South Street, Manasquan, N. J.

Some of the Alumni Fund workers have uncovered hitherto unverified news of marriages and addresses which we are glad to have: Charlotte Richbart is now Mrs. Michael Wolfish and lives at 94 Oxford Avenue, Buffalo. Alleen Rosenblatt is Mrs. Carl Arnesman; address, Fordham Drive, Buffalo. Betty Setron is Mrs. David Markel and may be reached at 44 Rand Avenue, Buffalo. Ruth Wisch is Mrs. George H. Cooley; lives at 95 Kensington Avenue, Buffalo.

From Nellie Gordon in Cobleskill we hear that Frances Aker is now Mrs. Jack Girard and lives "somewhere in Connecticut." Perhaps someone can tell us where?

We're on the trail of some new-baby news for the next issue. Meanwhile, I'm enjoying a week of sunshine up on the Bruce Peninsula in Ontario, and hope you all will have a fine vacation!

#### Men

By Charles E. Dykes, Class Secretary 225 South Albany St., Ithaca

BILL MORRISON is assistant steward at a Pan-American Airways base in Liberia.

Wally Lee writes from Camp Lee, Va., that he will soon be in officers' training school. He was inducted in February at Fort Dix, N. J.

ED Візнор married Elizabeth F. Mc-Kenna April 25, in Far Rockaway.

At last comes word from Lou Freed, from Great Lakes, Ill., where he recently enlisted in the US Naval Reserve as a yeoman, third class.

DICK VONNEGUT has enlisted in the US Coast Guard and is stationed at the Curtis Bay Training Station, south of Baltimore, Md.

BOB KLOCK, who is at Mitchel Field, may be addressed at 56 MacDonald Street, Hempstead.

BOB MARTINDALE is with Basic Magnesium, Inc., and is living at 1304 Colorado, Boulder City, Nev.

DIED WILLERS married Mary L. Carroll in Ovid, April 6. They are now living at 205 Whitney Avenue, New Haven, Conn.

NICK FLOROS, now stationed at Fort Eustis, Va., has been accepted for officers' candidate school in the Coast Artillery.

Fred Edmondson, who is a Fellow of the American Academy in Rome, is a city planner with Federal Works Agency and designed Linda Vista, a large defense housing project at San Diego, Calif. He is living at the Beach Club in La Jolla, Calif.

C. O. Pratt is stationed at Camp Crofts, S. C.

#### **CLASS OF 1937**

#### Women

By Carol H. Cline, Class Secretary 1053 Cumberland Avenue, Dayton, Ohio

Grace Jones Henley saved all the cards she got from you all concerning Reunion registrations, and we gleaned a few news items from them: Betty Austin lives at 222 University Avenue, Ithaca. Clara Jane Swan's address is RD 1, Prattsburg, N. Y. Elizabeth Banker, now Mrs. Philip Tryon (MS '36) of 501 Washington Avenue, Terre Haute, Ind., has three children, two boys and a very new daughter.

We found Carolyn Jaros at the old familiar table back in the corner of the Straight Cafeteria with the Dramatic Club gang, and third-degree methods brought out the following facts about her life since graduation: Master's degree in 1939 at Columbia; two summers in California; ran drama school of her own in fall and winter of 1940; took secretarial course and radio courses; now doing secretarial work for Boys Club of America; lives at 340 West Eightyseventh Street, New York City.

Keeping these big old ears wide open and a pencil handy at all times while wandering about Campus, we learned that Sharott "Jerody" Mayer is engaged to John Henderson '37, and Jeanne Bredbenner was about to say "I Do" to Robert Hull who is an assistant in the Music Department at Cornell; that Florence Mekeel is still in Jacksonville; and Betty Eldridge lives at 103 Main Street, Danville; that Ellen Carnell Seaburg (Mrs. Roy E.) lives at West Shore, Ithaca; and that Jean Thompson Ferguson (Mrs. Jasper N.) "had a baby recently."

SHIRLEY DEVOE is now Mrs. George M. Corney. Write to her c/o E. H. De-Voe, Washington, N. J.

Cornell Countryman for June contained this item: "Four months married will be the boast of Marian Bellamy on June 7th. Marian became Mrs. Wedow last February and is living now in Clarence, New York."

#### Men

By William G. Rossiter, Class Secretary Melville Shoe Corp., 25 West Forty-second Street, New York, N. Y.

DICK ALBRIGHT lives seven miles from Cornell on Route 34 and cordially invites one and all who enter and leave Ithaca that way to drop in on him and meet his wife, Catherine Zeller '37, and their one and one-half year-old son.

FRANK BAKER is a time and motion study engineer, doing defense work at Bakelite Corp.

Ed Beebe is with the Utica Mutual at Cambridge, Mass.

Charles Beltz 18021 Steel, Detroit, Mich., writes, "Am with Bill Stout in Dearborn, Mich., aiding in the design and construction of the "Skycar" which is the Model T in aeroplanes that will be in your garage after the war. More could be said but for war restrictions. So that none of us will miss a chance to Slap the Jap, I'll say no more, except that both Bobbie, four and one-half years, and Bonnie, one and one-half years, are out to help land that KO punch on those bullies over there."

CHARLES CLARK, research staff member at the State Health Laboratories in Albany, lives with his wife and one-and-one-half-year-old daughter, Nancy, at 67 Central Avenue, Albany.

GEORGE CROWTHER is assistant professor, department of agricultural engineering, University of Maine, Orono. He's married and has a son, age two.

Bernard Goodrich is regional sales manager of Station WHCU, Ithaca. He has one child, Kerry Craig, age three. To write him, address letters R D 2, Ithaca.

LEON GRAVES is a graduate student and assistant in meteorology at MIT. He's working for his DSc. MIT is one of the five training colleges for Army and Navy meteorologists.

#### CLASS OF 1938

Women

By Mary E. Dixon, Class Secretary 609 Mitchell St., Ithaca, N. Y.

If only our pleas for dues worked as well as our pleas for news, we could promise you two news letters next year! In all probability, unless this war is over, we won't be getting together to celebrate our Fifth, so how about sending those dollars to Marge Major, 2524 VanAlstyne Boulevard, Wyandotte, Mich.? If Army camps have typewriters, maybe I can rope Betty Jokl into helping me get out a few sheets of gossip. That is a gentle way of telling you that we are in the Army: WAACs to be specific! We start off this month with eight weeks of officers' training at Fort DesMoines, Iowa.

We are delighted to report that MARGARET BUCKLAND TANG arrived safely in New York July 13 after travelling since February from Chengtu, China.

Her trip included a 300-mile ride by truck from Chengtu to Chungking where she took a plane to Bombay, India. After travelling across northern India, Bucky worked in the US Army Supply Depot until she got passage on the ship which brought her to the United States via



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South Africa and South America, a forty-five-day journey. Her husband, SIANG YU TANG, PhD '38, was drowned in a boating accident last September. Their two-year-old son, Carl, remains in China with his grandparents. Bucky and her husband were instructors in Nanking University. Her home address is 53 Dolbeer Street, Perry.

BETTY LADD TATE is back in Ithaca with her two sons, Michael and Christopher Patrick. Pat was born in Tampa in May just fifteen days before his father, Major Ferdinand Tate, MS '38, sailed for parts unknown. Betty is living with her parents, Dean CARL E. LADD '12 and Mrs. Ladd, at Rolling Hill Farm, Freeville.

BETTY JANE (HARRIS) and STEVE ROBERTS have moved back to Ithaca where he will instruct in the Vet College. Address, 324 Dryden Road.

#### Men

By Ensign William C. Kruse, USNR, Class Sec. St. Davids, Pa.

Engagement of Hugh Atwood and Ruth Albrecht of New York City has been announced. Hugh is still with General Electric as a mechanical engineer, and lives at 2191 Plaza, Schenectady. He is in charge of waste and spoilage under the rate section of the turbine department.

Here is some very interesting news about another one of our illustrious members. Did you ever hear of the "Army Antics" comic strip? This was originated by none other than Phil Hustis. Phil is hard at work at that and the Army. January 6, he married Elizabeth Eyster. Phil may be reached in care of the G-2 Section, EDC, Governors Island, or at his home, 10 Eastchester Road, New Rochelle.

HERB POLK recently graduated from the Quartermaster Officer Candidate School and is now stationed at Camp Lee, Va. His address is Second Lieutenant H. P. Polk, 8th QM Regiment, Camp Lee, Va.

Dave Epstein is in the class of 1943 at the New York University College of Medicine.

DAVE MACFARLAND married Alice Courreges of Briarcliff Manor, recently. Dave graduated at Cornell Medical College this year, will interne at the New York Hospital.

I have very vague word about BoB WILLIAMS. I understand he is now manager of the Hotel Springfield. But that's all I know. We would like to know within at least a hundred miles where this great Hotel Springfield is.

Here is the latest address of private ARCHIE C. PETTY: Hq. and Hq. Battery, 2nd Bn 13th CA, Fort Barrancas, Fla.

Tommy Alan Frank was born to Tom W. Frank and wife October 27 in Warren, Ohio. "Paw" is assistant to the general superintendent of the Copperweld Steel Co. and lives at 654 Fairway Drive,

Just got a letter from STEVE DEBAUN dated July 23. After more than a year of hard work and three months of officers' training, Steve is now a full fledged second lieutenant and is with Battery A. 33d CATB, Camp Wallace, Tex. In charge of a Negro platoon in a training center, he says he is having a great time.

I also received a letter from Captain COLEY ASINOF. Coly and his outfit have been going through intensive training at Indiantown Gap, Pa. Address him Capt. C. D. Asinof, 601st Tank Destroyer Bn., APO #1209, c/o Postmaster, New York City.

#### 1939 MEN

By Tom Boak, Class Secretary Box 96, Massena, N. Y.

Word has come that Austin Kiplinger is training to be a Navy pilot at Anacostia, S. C.

Lieutenant Bob Boochever is on duty with a machine gun unit in Newfoundland, and may be addressed Co. D, 3rd Infantry, APO 863, c/o Postmaster, New York City.

Lieutenant Kenneth Holgate has been in the Army a year now and is taking an advanced course in Field Artillery at Fort Sill, Okla.

One of our Classmates who has seen the war at close range is Merton Barrus who was one of only six to survive the torpedoing of a freighter in the Caribbean. Mert and his companions drifted six days in an open lifeboat before they were picked up by a tanker and landed in Trinidad. The attack came at night and he was asleep. Barrus jumped up, ran to the rail, and leaped overboard. The boat sunk rapidly carrying many of the sailors under, but Mert collected some debris and floated for thirty hours until he came on a capsized lifeboat. With the other five survivors he managed to right the boat, and it kept them afloat until the tanker rescued them. Narrow squeak for Barrus!

Ensign Jim Rutledge is on active duty at sea, and some time before May 7 became engaged to Mary Walker of Wilmette, Illinois. Congratulations, Rut.

Bob Markham reported for flight training at the US Naval Reserve Aviation Base in Atlanta, Ga., May 6. Bob Warrs is receiving similar training at Jacksonville, Fla.

#### CLASS OF 1940

Women

By Carol B. Clark, Class Secretary 41 Laurel Ave., Binghamton, N. Y.

I have a letter from Harriet Gunning that I haven't answered myself, but I think you will be glad to know that she is feeling fine and is working as assistant director of Wilson Cottage, a part of the Reformatory for Women in Framingham, Mass. The cottage houses twenty-eight

mothers and thirty-four babies. Although the women are prisoners, Harriet says she thinks of them as people that we meet every day. The object of the cottage is to teach family relationships and home management. Gunning works mostly with this last problem. She enjoys the girls she works with on the staff and we wish her the best of luck.

Betty Spink has married a soldier—former lawyer, a graduate of Pitt in 1940. He practiced with his father in McKeesport until his induction into the Army. Mrs. Robert L. Riggs, of July 6, says she takes off frequently to see her husband who is in an Army War Show, a traveling unit. Her best address is Industry, N. Y., her family's home. Right now she is no doubt flying some place to catch up with Bob!

MARGIE KERR is quite the traveling Cornellian, too; as she became the wife of Second Lieutenant Edward B. Flagg August 2, and soon took off for Texas where Ed is stationed at Camp Bowie. Lieutenant Flagg is a graduate of RPI and recently completed officers' training in Field Artillery at Fort Sill, Okla.

Another column in September. I have lots of news if I had time to get it all organized, but keep on sending me more —I love it!

#### Men

By R. Selden Brewer, Class Secretary 27 High Street, East Hartford, Conn.

Bob Caldwell writes from Baltimore where he has completed his second year of graduate study and received the MA in archeology at John Hopkins. Within a year he hopes to receive the PhD. He mentioned that Dean Towner is working at the Glen L. Martin plant in Baltimore; lives on Mountain Road, Joppa, Md.

DAVE EAMES is now a first lieutenant at Camp Lee, Va. He and his wife live on River Road, Ettrick, Va., and will be glad to welcome any Cornellians who are in the vicinity.

An interesting note was received from Bob Wiggans who left his wife (Dorothy TALBERT '41) on the farm out near Wells College, to join the Army. Bob is a platoon leader in a heavy weapons company in training at Camp Shelby, Miss., until October after which, he says, "Watch our dust." He heard from Lieutenant George F. Mueden at Fort Davis, Canal Zone, telling of the Cornellians he has seen there, as published in the June 4 Alumni News. Also at Shelby, Bob writes, is Second Lieutenant WILLIAM W. Owens '40. He says that Charles Acton was promoted at Fort Benning, and is thought to be in the South. RAY McElwee wrote him from 1625 Quarrier Street, Charleston, W. Va., saying his company is doing great things for war production. Bob says that DUANE CLARK is a first lieutenant "(at least)" at Camp Croft, S. C.

Dan Whitehead recently completed

his graduate study course with Westinghouse Electric, and has been assigned to industry engineering as a junior engineer.

LORAIN SZABO married Mildred Doe of Columbia, S. C., in August. According to last reports, Lorain was working for some arsenal.

BILL MILLER is an aviation cadet and was sent to Jacksonville, Fla., for advanced training.

LOHNAS KNAPP has been commissioned a second lieutenant upon graduation from the Air Corps Navigation School at Kelly Field, Tex.

Joe Naglee is a seaman, 2d class, at the US Naval Reserve Base, Atlanta, Ga.

Sam Clyde is with Uncle Sam, and was last reported at Fort McClellan, Ala.

Sam Trifilo is one of the soldiers last reported on Bataan. He joined the Army in May and was attached to an engineer unit.

#### **CLASS OF 1941**

Women

By Ruth E. Cothran, Class Secretary 45 Oak St., Plattsburg, N. Y.

I have so many reports of summer weddings I'm afraid they'll have to be run in installments.

MILLY PHILLIPS was married May 24 to Charles Ramsdell of Baltimore, Md. When she wrote, they expected to be living in Swarthmore, Pa. She had given up her job in New York and was working as a secretary at General Electric in Schenectady.

Annette Sailor, who is a grand-daughter of Dean Liberty Hyde Bailey and the daughter of Horace P. Sailor '06 and the late Sara Bailey Sailor '09, was married in Sage Chapel May 30 to Curtis Page, English instructor at Lafayette College, Easton, Pa. Jo Heath and Caroline Weber were two of the wedding party.

More news of recent '41 weddings next time.

As for two of our long-married women: Dot Talbert Wiggans has been having herself a time managing their farm at Poplar Ridge "singlehanded" since Bob was called to the Army last March. Jay Ross Hopper is now in Anniston, Ala. with her Army officer husband.

From the educational front: Mary Nesselbush has been teaching English and Latin at Griffith Institute in Springville; now has signed a contract for next year teaching the same subjects at Oxford, N. Y.

Janey Frier, whom many of you have asked about, writes of her work for the dean of men's office at Syracuse University. She took a business course in Syracuse after that fateful June, 1941, and has been working at the university since last June. Her address: The Berkley, Apartment 6, 735 West Onondaga Street, Syracuse.

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By Lt. (jg) Raymond W. Kruse, Class Secretary 131 Washington Street, Brighton, Mass.

ART WESSELS, home address 9253 Germantown Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa., is working with the Electro Metallurgical Co. in Niagara Falls. He was to marry Barbara J. Hambur of New Rochelle

Over at the Sperry Gyroscope Co. in Garden City, L. I., is Francis J. WAT-LINGTON. His address is 100 Maple Avenue, Westbury, N. Y.

FRANK WASHBOURNE of 24 Springfield Avenue, Cranford, N. J., is a travelling auditor for the American Hotels Corp. since January. Frank claims he's still single, and not in the Army-yet!

DAVID VLIET, 1648 North Eggert Road, Eggertsville, is working in the accounting department of the Hewitt Rubber Corp. in Buffalo.

Both Nelson Watts and Herbert BADGER are working for the Link Aviation Devices Corp. in Binghamton. Nelson's address is 683 Chenango Street in Binghamton; how about yours, Herb?

On June 27, EMERSON COLE married Flora Hungerford of Milford, Conn. Em once claimed he was a confirmed bachelor, but that was before he met Flora!

Another recently married man is CHET Wanvig, who married Martha Van Brunt of Horicon, Wis., May 23. Chet and Martha live at 2518 East Olive Street, Milwaukee.

Let's jump back now to one of those longtime married '41ers whom we somehow seem to have missed. He's "Duke" TREADWAY, married last October 25 to Patty Gerould of Chicago and Wells College. Duke and Patty are now up at the Red Lion Inn in Stockbridge, Mass., but Duke has enlisted in the Army to do his part in this mess that's going on.

BILL CRICHTON wrote a while ago and he's another one of these married men in the Army. He married Alice Compton of Wilmington, Del., a while ago before being sent to Fort Bragg and then to Fort Benning, Ga. Bill says GIL COBB is down there, too-how about a word from you sometime, Gilbert?

GLENN FEISTAL also wrote a while ago informing your correspondent that he was engaged to a very wonderful girl from Watertown, Shirley Barber-marriage expected in the near future. Glenn is 4-H Club agent with headquarters at Albion.

#### **CLASS OF 1942**

#### Women

By M. Grace Agnew, Class Secretary 35 Barstow Road, Great Neck, N. Y.

LENORE BREYETTE, who lives in Whitehall, was to be operated upon for radical mastoids in the Rutland (Vt.) Hospital the end of July. Mail from Classmates will be greatly appreciated.

Anne Young is working at Stouffer's

Restaurant, 540 Fifth Avenue, New York

Renee Dick spent the summer as dietician in the Farnam Community House Camp, Branford, Conn.

Helen Aberle was married to Private Barringer Goodridge in Spartansburg, S. C. He is stationed at Camp Croft.

RUTH GREGORY attended the summer school of nursing at Bryn Mawr College, preparatory to entering the School of Nursing at Columbia University (Presbyterian Hospital School of Nursing) in New York City.

Once again, the girls of the New York City district rate a lot of space in this column. This is because they had a wonderful supper party August 4, in the Cornell Club room at the Barbizon and gave my reporting job some ideal material:

JOAN PLUNKETT, now with the personnel department of Kress Department Store, will start teaching institution management at Pratt Institute September 8. Her home address is 17 Chestnut Avenue, Floral Park.

BEATRICE MEAD works for the Bell Telephone Co. in their engineering department; her address is 100 Park Avenue, Amityville.

FLORENCE WALKER has a job as stewardess at the Tuscarora Golf Club in Camnillus, N. J. After October 1, she will be at Phlox Place, Flushing.

MIDGE BELKNAP is a draftsman for the Evans Chemetics Co. in Hoboken, N. J.

BETTY BEACH is being trained at the National City Bank to become a teller. She and Phyllis Sainburg live at 220 East Seventy-second Street, New York

EVELYN COHEN has become an inspector in the testing laboratories for the British Government.

Virginia Burtt works for the Vehicular Installation Service of the Signal Corps at the General Development Laboratory, Fort Monmouth, N. J. Her address is 150 Norwood, Long Branch, N. J.

PEGGY BOLT, ALICE BUHSEN, and myself are all working for Liberty Mutual Insurance Co. Peggy lives at 65 South Arlington Avenue, East Orange, N. J.

#### Men

By James L. Kraker Jr., Sea 2c 214 Ruffin Hall, US Navy Pre-flight School Chapel Hill, N. C.

Your correspondent was subject to Navy travel orders when material for the last issue was to have been written and the Navy comes first. But '42 won't be left out of the Alumni News again!

A long letter from BILL WEBSTER, who left us his Junior year, tells us he has a first lieutenant's commission in the Army Air Force. He is married to a "darn swell girl" from Oklahoma. Thanks,

Gene Hill is working for the Harrison

Radiator Division of General Motors. His address: 66 Johns Street, Lockport.

Tom VanRiper is now a member of the RCAF. He gave me no address. Only said, "hope to see you in Berlin." We're heading for Tokyo in the Navy Air Corps, Van.

Your correspondent is having the pleasure of rooming with WINNIE STILL-WELL. He wants to be remembered to all

TED ROGERS is also down here at Chapel Hill. He lives in Room 308 Ruffin. He is rooming with Dick Frank-LIN and GEORGE INGLEHART. What a combination that is! All three of them haven't changed a bit (except places like Zinck's, the Dutch, Jim's and the like are strictly forbidden. Enough said!)

Joe Alexander writes to say he is employed in the Carlova, Inc. plant, Binghamton. His address is 9 Beethoven Street, Binghamton.

Bob Ochs took the fatal step a few weeks ago. He spent his honeymoon on a lonely island somewhere in Canada. Congratulations, Bob! Understand from some of your brothers that the lucky girl couldn't be better.

JIM CAKE is another one of the Classmates who has been married since graduation. He married Edith Howe. Know you are in the Army somewhere, Jim. But where? Tell us, won't you?

Joe Mount is in Washington, taking a six-months training course in Naval Ordnance. He has an ensign's commission.

According to his brother BILL, HENRY Carey is on the aircraft carrier Hornet, and was in the thick of it during the Midway battle.

Bob MacFarland (Spanky to most of us) is working for the N. W. Ayer advertising firm, in Philadelphia, Pa. How's the waistline, Spanks?

RED CROWLEY, JACK BIRKENSTOCK, and HENRY SMITHERS dropped in to see us the other day. They are at Fort Bragg in officers' training school.

A card from Harold Miller informs us that he has just announced his engagement to Janice M. Newman '44. Harold is now at Fort Bragg.

HEATH W. STEELE is a member of the Overseas Mission X of the US Army. His only address is Army Post Office 501, San Francisco, Cal.

FAY BRANDIS joined the Army Air Force last January, and is now at Gunter Field, Ala. He expects to receive his 'wings'' soon.

Bernard Weissman reported to the University of Iowa Navy Pre-flight School May 27.

'43—RICHARD H. OGDEN is in the Army Air Corps, stationed at Carlstrom Field, Arcadia, Fla.

43—CLAUDE R. HARRIS is in the poultry business with his father in Churchville.

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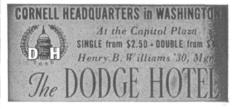
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