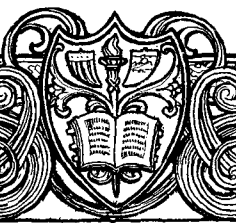




# CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS



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# Lehigh Valley Train Service for

# Spring Day

(Saturday May 23)

## Special Train—Friday, May 22

### Standard Time

Lv. New York (Pennsylvania Station).....	*10:45 P.M.
Lv. Newark (Elizabeth & Meeker Aves.).....	11:10 P.M.
Ar. Ithaca.....	6:00 A.M.

\*Sleepers open at 9:30 P.M. and may be occupied at Ithaca until 8:00 A.M.  
Club Car Service

## Other Convenient Trains—Daily

### Standard Time

	The Black Diamond	The New Yorker	The Star
Lv. New York (Penn. Sta.).....	8:50 A.M.	4:30 P.M.	*11:45 P.M.
Lv. New York (Hudson Term'l.).....	8:40 A.M.	4:20 P.M.	11:30 P.M.
Lv. Newark (Park Pl., P.R.R.).....	8:50 A.M.	4:27 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
Lv. Newark (Eliz. & Meeker Aves.).....	9:20 A.M.	5:00 P.M.	
Lv. Philadelphia (Reading Term'l.).....	9:20 A.M.	5:00 P.M.	*12:01 A.M.
Ar. Ithaca.....	4:40 P.M.	12:11 A.M.	7:30 A.M.

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# Returning

## Special Train—Sunday, May 24

### Standard Time

Lv. Ithaca.....	*11:00 P.M.
Ar. Newark (Elizabeth & Meeker Aves.).....	6:00 A.M.
Ar. New York (Pennsylvania Station).....	6:45 A.M.

\*Sleepers open at 9:00 P.M. Club Car Service.

## Other Convenient Trains—Daily

### Standard Time

Lv. Ithaca.....	9:23 A.M.	12:38 P.M.	*11:00 P.M.
Ar. Philadelphia (Reading Term'l.).....	4:55 P.M.	7:41 P.M.	6:51 A.M.
Ar. Newark (Eliz. & Meeker Aves.).....	5:10 P.M.	7:46 P.M.	6:48 A.M.
Ar. New York (Hudson Term'l.).....	5:39 P.M.	8:21 P.M.	7:22 A.M.
Ar. New York (Penn. Station).....	5:40 P.M.	8:15 P.M.	7:20 A.M.

\*Sleepers Open for Occupancy at 9:00 P.M. Club Car Service.

*Lehigh Valley Observation Train for the Harvard, Syracuse and Cornell Regatta. All Spring Day Events are on Standard Time.*

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## Chemical Base for Insanity?

*Hypothesis is Advanced by Cornell Scientists,  
based on "Puckering" of Protein in  
Brain Cells*

The hypothesis that insanity may have a chemical basis was offered before the National Academy of Sciences at Washington, D.C., last week by Professor Wilder D. Bancroft and Dr. George H. Richter of the Department of Chemistry here.

This theory is based upon the "puckering" of protein in the brain cells. Recently Doctors Bancroft and Richter announced that such "puckering" was caused by drugs and may also result from sleep and from excess use of alcohol.

In this discovery, the hope is held for possible cures for insanity.

The "puckering" is described as a change in the consistency of brain cells. The process has been revealed by methods of analyzing the formless substances known as colloids, which form a large part of the brain.

The analogy of the white of egg has been used to illustrate the theory. The normal white represents an uncoagulated protein. Boiling thickens and whitens. The result is coagulation. Diluting the egg white produces peptization. When these processes occur in brain cells, Dr. Bancroft and Dr. Richter believe, insanity results.

"Thus there are two types of insanity," said Dr. Bancroft, "which have not hitherto been differentiated properly by medical men. One is due to overcoagulation of brain colloids; the other to over-peptization. It is not claimed this definition covers all insanity, but it offers a basis of classification which seems to cover what might be called the normal types.

"Most of us have been conscious of being temporarily insane at times when waking up at night, especially if waked suddenly. It is possible, though not proved, that some people go through an insane stage on going to sleep and on waking up. If so, ordinary dreams and dreams due to opium or hashish should be classed as abnormal thinking due to temporary insanity.

"Alcohol is credited with nearly 10 per cent of the mental disorders that lead to hospital incarceration. It is a coagulating agent for the brain colloids

among others. In its action on the brain it first stimulates and then depresses, the depression passing into sleep, anesthesia, or death, depending on the amount taken.

"If taken repeatedly in considerable amounts, visual and auditory hallucinations develop and general mental confusion."

Dr. Bancroft described effects of breathing rarefied air and said:

"Such cases are important because it is recognized that aviators may become incapacitated temporarily when flying at high altitudes. There is a height for each aviator above which it is not safe for him to go. The symptoms of the disturbance produced by pressure of oxygen lower than this value are: mental confusion, leading to errors of performance; sometimes hallucinations of sight and hearing; and, in some cases, an uncontrollable desire to sing and whistle.

"This insanity is apparently due to coagulation. Sodium thiocyanate should be helpful but apparently this has not been tried."

For the coagulation type he said sodium bromide also is effective, in lesser degree. For the peptization insanity, remedies are cocaine, sodium amytal, carbon dioxide and oxygen, and "probably" caffeine.

## ALPHA DELTA PHI LETS

### CONTRACT FOR NEW HOUSE

The Alpha Delta Phi fraternity will rebuild its lodge on the site of the house burned to the foundations February 11, 1928.

Located on the hill above Stewart Avenue, the house was destroyed and for several months afterward, occasional fires, believed to be of incendiary origin, occurred in the ruins.

The contract for the new house was awarded to Crowell and Little, building firm, of Cleveland, Ohio. Bascom Little '01, member of the company, is also a member of the fraternity.

The plans call for a house of virtually the same design, but the structure will be built of native stone, similar to that used in the dormitories. The cost is estimated at approximately \$200,000.

The new house will face the east, fronting on the present driveway which cuts through the grounds from University Avenue.

## Von Blarcom Succeeds Curtis

*Former President of Alumni Corporation to  
become Superintendent of Buildings  
and Grounds*

Charles E. Curtis '85 will retire June 30 as superintendent of buildings and grounds, a post he has held since 1915.

Conant Van Blarcom '08, of Cleveland former president of the Alumni Corporation, will become superintendent.

Mr. Curtis came to Cornell from the Cambrai Steel Company of Johnstown, Pa. After his graduation he was associated with the Blosberg Coal Company at Arnot, Pa., and the Caroline Mining Company at Ouray, Colo. He was resident engineer in charge of syke construction at Corning and also assistant engineer of the Oswego Division of the Deep Waters Commission in charge of ship canal construction.

One major project in his charge while he was with the Cambrai Steel Company was the construction of the Quemo-honing water supply.

Since Mr. Curtis became superintendent, building projects totalling more than \$12,000,000 have been erected on the Campus. These include the Baker dormitories, the Drill Hall, the Baker Laboratory of Chemistry, Boldt Hall, Willard Straight Hall, Balch Halls, the War Memorial, the plant science building, the dairy building, the central heating plant, and Myron Taylor Hall.

Mr. Curtis is a member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, the Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors, and the Cornell Society of Engineers.

Mr. Van Blarcom, Mr. Curtis' successor, recently completed two terms as president of the Alumni Corporation. He also served as chairman of the athletic survey committee, popularly known as the "Committee of Seventeen."

Mr. Van Blarcom, after graduation, engaged in engineering work in Pittsburgh and Cleveland. He was also in charge of the Washington office of the Mellon-Stuart Company until the war. After the war, in which he served as captain in the quartermaster's corps, he organized an engineering company in Cleveland. He is a director and vice-president of the Cleveland Builders' Exchange. He closed out the affairs of his company last year.

## ATHLETICS

### HORSE SHOW SUCCESS

The eleventh annual horse show of the R.O.T.C. on Upper Alumni Field May 2 was one of the most successful in the series. Major General Hanson E. Ely, U.S.A., commanding the Second Corps Area, was a guest of honor.

Emeral Cavalier, owned by M. J. Foley's stable of Auburn, won two blue ribbons, taking firsts in the open saddle class and the ladies' saddle class.

An exhibition of trick riding by Troop C, New York State police, and the Cornell-Norwich polo game were features of the show.

Frederick H. Anderson '32, Wilmington, Del., riding Rainey, took the blue ribbon in the student saddle class. Wil-son D. Curry '31, Douglaston, was second; Irving W. Hamm '31, Port Washington, third, and John A. Feick '31, Sandusky, Ohio, fourth.

In the student jumping class, Charles K. Graydon '31, Cincinnati, Ohio, riding Joan, was first, Edward W. Suor '31, Buffalo, second, Walter T. Cusack '32, Yonkers, third, and Hugh P. Osborne '32, Atlantic City, N. J., fourth.

Anderson also won second place with Rainey in the open jumping class.

### POLOISTS LOSE CLOSE MATCH

The R.O.T.C. Polo and Riding Club polo team lost to Norwich University, 6-5, on Upper Alumni Field May 2. Norwich gained a 3-0 lead in the first chukker and had the advantage until the third chukker, when Cornell scored three goals to one for Norwich. Both teams scored twice in the final period, Captain Graydon getting Cornell's last goal just before the final bell.

The visitors showed better shooting ability. The Norwich team played a rushing game throughout.

### LIONS WIN LEAGUE GAME

The baseball team lost to Columbia, 11-2, at New York May 1 in an Eastern Intercollegiate Baseball League game. A game scheduled with Princeton at Princeton May 2 was cancelled by rain. Cornell remains in the cellar with a record of three defeats in three games.

Columbia scored all its runs in two innings, getting seven in the fourth and four in the fifth. Cornell batters got only five hits from White, Lion hurler. Both teams made bad misplays.

Cornell took the lead with two runs in the fourth, Smith and Handleman each getting a single. Kappler was hit by a pitched ball. Hatkoff scored Smith with a fly to center field, and Handleman counted on a wild pitch by White.

Sereysky was wild in the same inning, issuing passes and filling the bases.

McCoy, Columbia shortstop, hit a triple to score three runs. The Lions added four more on Cornell errors in the same frame.

In the fifth inning, Columbia drove Sereysky from the mound, Schultz pitching the rest of the game.

The box score:

COLUMBIA (11)										
	AB	R	H	PO	R	E				
Balquist, 2b	5	2	1	4	5	0				
Hewitt, cf.	3	0	3	2	0	0				
Obey, rf.	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Rivero, 3b.	4	1	0	1	2	0				
McLoughlin, lf.	5	1	1	0	0	1				
Bradley, cf., rf.	4	1	2	2	1	1				
Sweetman, c.	4	1	1	7	1	0				
Stelljes, 1b.	3	2	2	9	0	1				
McCoy, ss.	4	2	2	0	0	2				
Siergiej, ss.	0	0	0	1	1	0				
White, p.	4	1	1	1	2	0				
x-Young	0	0	0	0	0	0				
Totals	37	11	13	27	12	5				

CORNELL (2)										
	AB	R	H	PO	R	E				
Maiorana, cf.	2	0	0	1	1	0				
Habicht, 2b.	4	0	1	4	1	1				
Smith, rf.	4	1	1	2	1	2				
Handleman, ss.	4	1	1	7	5	3				
Kappler, lf.	3	0	1	2	0	1				
Goodman, 3b.	4	0	0	0	3	0				
Hatkoff, 1b.	3	0	0	5	1	0				
George, c.	4	0	0	3	0	0				
Sereysky, p.	2	0	0	0	1	0				
Schultz, p.	2	0	1	0	1	0				
Totals	32	2	5	24	14	7				

x-Ran for Hewitt in 1st.

Score by innings:

Cornell	000 200 00—2
Columbia	000 740 00X—11

Two base hits, Hewitt, Stelljes; three base hits, McCoy; sacrifice hits, Hatkoff; double plays, Balquist to Siergiej; Handleman to Habicht to Hatkoff, Handleman to Hatkoff; left on bases, Columbia 5, Cornell 8; base on balls, off White 3, Sereysky 3; hits off Sereysky, 9 in 4½ innings; Schultz, 4 in 3½ innings; hit by pitcher, by White (Kappler); struck out, by White 7, Sereysky 1; wild pitch, White; time of game, 2:08; umpires, Doolan and Eagn.

### YALE WINS AT LACROSSE

The lacrosse team lost to Yale at New Haven May 2, 8 to 2, its first defeat in three starts.

Stevens, first attack, led the Elis with three goals and assisted in the scoring of three others. Yale led at the half, 3-1, but early in the second half, Cornell cut the lead. A final outburst of scoring by Yale, however, added three goals.

Hunt and Tullar, Cornell defense, played well. Hubbell and Boschen scored Cornell's two goals.

The line-ups:

CORNELL (2)		Pos.	YALE (8)
Ives	G		Draper
Hunt	CP		Fields
Walker	P		Harper
Tullar	1D		Flygare
Youmans	2D		Glick
Boschen	3D		Mallory
Cruickshank	C		Smith
Erda	3A		Devaney
Winslow	2A		Beggs
Matthews	1A		Stevens
Hubbell	OH		A. Weber
Guthrie	IH		Gaston

Goals: Yale—Stevens 3, Beggs 2, Baker, DeVaney, Smith. Cornell—Boschen, Hubbell.

Substitutions: Yale—Hall for Harper, Jones for Glick, Nelson, for Mallory. Bullard for Smith, Henderson for Devaney, Baker for Beggs, Jordan for Baker, Isleid for Stevens, F. Weber for A. Weber, Quayle for Gaston, Mariner for Bullard, Howell for Fields, Rust for Flygare, Scranton for Jones, McKeon for Nelson. Cornell—Caldwell for Youmans, Cornell for Caldwell, Cosgrove for Cruickshank, Shulman for Matthews, Marquart for Guthrie, Mason for Marquart.

### TWO DEFEATS IN TENNIS

The tennis team lost to Princeton and Harvard in team matches at Princeton and Cambridge May 1 and 2, failing to win a single individual match in either encounter. The score in each match was 9-0.

The team has yet to win an individual match, as it lost, 9-0, to Ohio State two weeks ago.

Cornell was represented on the two-day tour by Weltner, Miles, Vaughan, Oppenheimer, Coppage, and Schoen in singles and by the doubles teams of Oppenheimer and Coppage, Vaughan and Weltner, and Miles and Schoen.

### FRESHMAN BASEBALL

The freshman baseball team lost to Cortland Normal School, 12-11, in ten innings May 1 and to Pennsylvania freshmen, 9-7, May 2. Both games were played on Hoy Field.

Against Cortland, the yearlings started strong, piling up a 6-1 lead in the first three innings, but Cortland tied the score in the eighth. In the extra frame, Cortland scored three runs, two of them on a wild pitch by Tomaselli. Cornell got two runs in its half.

In the Pennsylvania game, both teams played poorly, Cornell errors giving the Quakers four unearned runs. Pasto pitched well, allowing nine hits, while his teammates gathered thirteen from two Pennsylvania hurlers. Pasto was given poor support.

### BUT THE GOLFERS CAME THROUGH

The newly-formed Cornell Golf Club defeated Colgate University's golf team, 5-4, on the Country Club of Ithaca course May 2. The teams divided six individual matches, but Cornell won by winning two out of three best-ball four-some competitions.

Cornell was represented by Bliss, Loetscher, Basile, Persons, Pierson, and Carver.

### AND THE YEARLING TENNIS TEAM

The freshman tennis team, composed of Kronman, Uright, Sklansky, Stein, and Thorne, defeated Manlius, 6-0, on the Baker Courts May 2, winning four singles and two doubles matches.

ROBERT C. KENNEDY '21 C.E., is co-author of *The Design of Dams*, by Hanna and Kennedy. The book is published by the McGraw-Hill Company, New York City.

## Cornell Benefactor Dies

*George F. Baker gave Chemistry Laboratory and Residential Halls to University—Also Founded Chemistry Lectures*

George Fisher Baker, banker and philanthropist, to whom Cornell owes much, died on Saturday, May 2 at his home in New York City, only about a month after he had passed his ninety-first birthday.

Although not a college graduate he was throughout his lifetime keenly interested in the developments and betterment of university instruction and in facilities for improving existing conditions in educational institutions.

In the case of Cornell his benefactions have been many. In 1924 he created and endowed the Harvard School of Business administration, but his donations to Cornell date back to 1912 when he gave to the New York Hospital a sum large enough to make possible a partnership between that hospital and the Cornell University Medical College. This arrangement was the one thing which was needed to enable the College to take a place among the foremost schools of its kind. Mr. Baker was at that time a member of the Board of Governors of the New York Hospital and had become convinced that much greater efficiency for both institutions was to be attained through coalition.

Mr. Baker's interest in Cornell was strengthened through his friendship with the late George C. Boldt, chairman of the Board of Trustees who was actively interested in the development of residential halls. Mr. Baker's gifts for the residential halls totaled \$335,000. The first was for \$100,000, announced in May, 1914. It was to provide for the erection of the first building of the contemplated group. In July, 1914, he increased the initial sum by \$50,000 so that it might cover the cost of the large tower building at the northeast corner of the plot, the one now known as Baker Tower. A further gift of \$100,000 for the present South Baker Hall was announced in January, 1915. In May, 1915 came the announcement that the same donor had given \$85,000 for what is now North Baker Hall. The University built a fourth hall by appropriating a part of the Alumni Fund.

It was at Mr. Baker's own request that his name was withheld, and only after a good deal of persuasion both by personal solicitation and through formal resolution of the trustees, did he allow the University to proclaim him donor and later to use his name for these units of the residential halls which his generosity made possible.

During the period of construction of the halls Mr. Baker came frequently to Ithaca to watch their progress. These

visits were made quietly and few persons suspected that he was responsible for the dormitory units. His name as donor was not announced until November, 1915.

### THE CHEMISTRY GIFT

In June, 1919, on the occasion of the Semi-Centennial celebration of the University, President Schurman announced the gift of an anonymous donor which would make it possible for Cornell "to have the largest and best equipped" chemistry building in the country. This gift was for \$1,500,000. Not until October 20, 1921 however, was it revealed that Mr. Baker had again made further scientific progress for Cornell assured, when he came to Ithaca to attend the laying of the cornerstone of the new chemistry building, now Baker Laboratory. At this time he made one of the few public speeches of his long life. It was a single sentence: "I am glad that my offering is welcomed, and I hope it will be useful." At that time he also allowed himself to be photographed.

In connection with his gift for the Chemistry building, Mr. Baker also gave a fund of \$250,000, the income of which is used for the establishment of the George Fisher Baker non-resident lectureship in chemistry. This provides for one visiting lecturer each term.

Many Cornellians will forever hold in their memory the impressive figure of this man as he stood at the cornerstone laying, visibly moved by the enthusiastic applause lasting almost five minutes, of those present to honor him for his thought of their University.

MAX SLANSKY '32, College Point, was elected editor-in-chief of *The Cornell Columns* last week. Other board members named were Louis T. Pentlarge '33, Brooklyn, managing editor; Wallace J. Zwisohn '33, New York, business manager; Howard R. Joseph '33, Chicago, circulation manager; Jack Norden, Jr. '33, Lawrence, advertising manager; Rose Cohen '32, Malone, and Henry B. Dubins '32, Brooklyn, associated managers, and Ira J. Wallach '34, New Rochelle, and Malvine Gescheidt '34, Brooklyn, associated editors.

EMANUEL FRITZ '08 M.E., last year exchange professor of forest utilization at Cornell, since his return to the University of California has been appointed editor-in-chief of the *Journal of Forestry*. This was founded in 1902 by Professor Bernhard E. Fernow who was then head of the school of forestry at Cornell.

## BOOKS

### FOR FATUOUS PARENTS

*Your Son and Mine.* By John T. McGovern. New York. Frederick A. Stokes Company. 1931. 19 cm. Price \$2.00.

Lawyer, artist, sociologist, and international sportsman, John T. McGovern '00 has now written a noteworthy book out of the richness of a variegated experience and a sound, though whimsical, philosophy.

It's his thesis that a boy's own tastes and interests furnish the safest guide to the selection of his environment and life work, and that when parents and others undertake to shape his education contrary to those tastes and interests they're apt to make a mess of things. The sight of fond, though fatuous, parents hounding Junior through the Calculus in order that he may take his place in the family factory, when Junior hates bicycles but loves butterflies and wants to be a naturalist of sorts, forces McGovern to seize his many weapons and make effective war. He sustains his thesis with biographical sketches of twelve boys, which ring so true that one suspects he's drawn his material less from his inventive powers than from his intimate acquaintance with a vast number of people.

Guy Potter's mother wanted him to become a social climber by the route of college athletics. He died a fat acrobat in a circus. Young Lynch's father so ardently desired him to become a stone carver that Spindles himself had to run away from home in order to become eventually a Justice of the Supreme Court.

If you're a doctor and you're worried because young Elmer whom you hope will one day take over the practice is interested in nothing but aviation, you ought to read this book aloud to your wife once a month for the next year or two.

There is a foreword by Mr. Franklin P. Adams (F. P. A.) and a preface by Dr. Howard J. Savage of the Carnegie Foundation. They both think McGovern's book is important. I think so too. R. B.

### HARVARD DAY

The Cornell Club of Washington called its March meeting "Harvard Day". It was the first of a series of luncheons designed to help the Cornell alumni to get better acquainted with other alumni groups in the city. The luncheon was designated Harvard Day as each member was asked to bring a Harvard man as a guest and the guest of honor was Judge Walter I. McCoy, president of the Harvard Alumni Society of Washington, and retired chief justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

## Elected to Academy

*Margaret Floy Washburn, Ph.D. '94, Second Woman thus honored by National Academy of Science*

Margaret Floy Washburn, Ph.D. '94, professor of psychology at Vassar College, has been elected to membership in the National Academy of Science. She was warden of Sage College from 1900 to 1902.

Dr. Washburn is the second woman ever to be elected. Her predecessor is Dr. Florence Sabin of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research. Membership in the academy is limited to 300.

In 1927 colleagues in the field of psychology honored Professor Washburn by issuing the Washburn Commemorative Volume of the American Journal of Psychology in recognition of her thirty-three years of distinguished service.

The volume was edited by Professor Karl M. Dallenbach, Ph.D. '13, Professor Madison Bentley, Ph.D. '98, and Professor Edwin G. Boring of Harvard.

Dr. Washburn has been professor of psychology at Vassar since 1908. She is a Vassar graduate. She taught at Wells College and the University of Cincinnati before returning to her alma mater as assistant professor of psychology in 1903.

She is a member of the American Psychological Association, of which she was president in 1921, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, of which she was vice-president in 1927, and of Sigma Xi.

## THREE NEW ASSISTANT PROFESSORS APPOINTED

The appointment of three new assistant professors to the Department of Economics and the Sage School of Philosophy were announced last week, along with the appointment of Professor Edwin A. Burt of the University of Chicago as professor of philosophy to take effect in the fall of 1932 and the promotion of five Cornell assistant professors to full professorships.

Edgar A. J. Johnson of George Washington University and Frank A. Southard, Jr., of the University of California, were named assistant professors of economics, and Ralph W. Church of Oxford University was appointed assistant professor of philosophy.

The full professorships were given to Benton S. Monroe '96, Frederick M. Smith, and Leslie N. Broughton, Ph.D. '11, all of the Department of English, Albert LeR. Andrews of the Department of Germanic Languages, and Herbert A. Wichelns '16 of the Department of Public Speaking.

Professor Burt, who will teach the philosophy of religion, has been associated with the University of Chicago

since 1923, when he was appointed assistant professor of philosophy there. He has held a full professorship for the past three years.

He is a graduate of Yale, A.B., 1915, and holds advanced degrees from Columbia and Union Theological Seminary.

## THREE CORNELLIANs HONORED BY NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Three Cornellians were elected to offices in two national organizations at recent meetings. Louis C. Boochever '12, director of public information, was named president of the American College Publicity Association at the annual meeting at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill April 25. Boochever presented a paper at the meeting.

Harold Flack '12, executive secretary of the Cornellian Council, was elected vice-president in charge of alumni funds of the American Alumni Council at its annual meeting at Atlanta, Ga. R. W. Sailor '07, editor of The Cornell Alumni News, was re-elected editor of the Council.

Foster M. Coffin '12, alumni representative, presided at a round table discussion on "The alumni problems of co-educational institutions. Sailor presented a paper on "Adult education." Flack read a paper prepared by Boochever on "The relation of university publicity to alumni fund raising."

## RAVEN AND SERPENT ELECTIONS

Raven and Serpent, junior women's honorary society, has elected ten sophomores to membership. They are Ethel M. Cox, Brooklyn, Elinor A. Ernst, Larchmont, Marion E. Ford, Oneonta, Marion I. Glaeser, Buffalo, Eileen S. Kane, Far Rockaway, Adele Langston, Wenonah, N. J., Carleen Maley, Montclair, N. J., Harriet A. McNinch, Ithaca, Elizabeth Paine, Ithaca, and Marian F. Saunders, Maplewood, N. J.

## BUSINESS HEADS OF ANNUALS

The Annuals business department heads elected are Samuel L. McCarthy '32, Altoona, Pa., circulation manager; Wilfred E. Huelsenbeck '32, South Orange, N. J., assistant business manager; Walter W. Klaus '33, Richmond, Va., Roger Haskell '33, Brooklyn, William J. Lauer, Jr. '33, Wayne, Pa., John A. Northridge '33, Brooklyn, Morris H. Reisen '33, Newark, N. J., and Charles B. Moss '34, New York, associate business managers.

JACOB GOULD SCHURMAN, former ambassador to Germany and president of the University, has been elected honorary president of the Dalhousie University Club of New York. Dr. Schurman graduated from Dalhousie University in 1885.

## MR. TAYLOR'S ADDRESS

*New Law School Embodiment of Ideals and Home of Very Sacred Inspiration*

In April 23d's issue The Alumni News printed an account of the dinner in honor of Myron C. Taylor '94, donor of the new Law School building, and University Trustee, by 250 members and guests of the Cornell Law Association in the Cornell Club in New York on April 17. Mr. Taylor's address on that occasion has since become available and is printed herewith:

It is most flattering and inspiring to be a guest of honor upon this occasion, and to feel a renewal of that fraternal spirit which binds fellow Cornellians together. I am deeply mindful of your friendship and your generous kindness.

I was not aware, however, that it was the function of a guest of honor to provide any part of the entertainment. Until now I have reposed in blissful enjoyment of these happy surroundings, in anticipation, and thus far in the realization, of a desire to be most agreeably entertained. But now that I am called upon to take some part in the exercises, and although not given to story telling, I am reminded of a story that was told me, on the occasion of the visit of the British Bar to America, by Lord Dunedin, Lord of Appeal of Great Britain, whom we were pleased to entertain upon that occasion.

He indicated that on a certain occasion in London, where conventional practices are quite rigidly observed in all social matters, they were honored with a visit from our distinguished former Senator Depew; and he was persuaded by an Englishman, who perhaps was not quite so observant of the courtesies that are ordinarily extended to visiting guests of honor, to attend a dinner at one of the clubs. After the dinner, quite contrary to custom, the host arose and announced that it was a great pleasure to have as guest of the evening a distinguished American, Senator Depew, who was renowned as an after-dinner speaker and a teller of stories; and he called upon Senator Depew to respond. The more conservative of those present felt embarrassed that their guest should be called upon to speak, but Senator Depew promptly relieved them of that embarrassment, for he arose, and, after expressing his gratification at being present, said that his position as guest of the evening and in being called upon to speak, reminded him of an incident that occurred in a London theater, when a group of people seated in the first row endeavored to weather a very poor play. During several scenes of the first act, their murmurings of disapproval became more and more pronounced, until at the end of the act they were quite open and general.

It appeared that one man seated in the middle of the first row, and a stranger to the theater party, voiced no feeling whatever with respect to the quality of the production, and by his calm and reserved manner excited the attention of the gentleman seated next to him, who asked how it was possible that he could restrain himself from exhibiting his disapproval of such a miserable production.

His reply was, "I don't mind telling you that I am here as a guest. I came in on a pass. But, my dear friend, I will say to you that if the second act is as bad as the first, I am going out and buy me a ticket and when I come back I am going to raise Hell!"

Now you would not expect me to be guilty of drawing a moral (here Mr. Taylor was interrupted by the laughter of his hearers).

There is a subtle atmosphere about a meeting of this character that touches most deeply



chords of recollection and quickens one's interest in the present-day activities of that Alma Mater to which we all owe such very great obligation. You have this evening referred in terms of greatest kindness to an act of mine which has to do with the building of a new College of Law. That is a very personal matter, and it is one about which it is quite embarrassing for me to speak. But I feel that there is an aspect of it of which I may speak and of which perhaps I should say a word to you at this moment.

#### THE IDEAL OF THE LAW COLLEGE

I am not now referring to the Cornell Law College in terms of physical wealth, nor as a physical property, but rather as an ideal, and as representing an opportunity, a duty, an obligation, a service. To me therefore it is a privilege to have been able to take advantage of that opportunity to serve.

This thought causes me to dwell for a moment upon a chapel I once visited that was built long years ago in a far off land along an old and tortuous road by the inhabitants of that country, who, having no means, provided the stone for the chapel with their hands; and every member of that colony took it upon himself or herself to carry upon his back at least one stone over the long and tortuous way, to be placed in the walls of the building. That structure slowly rose to the heavens, and became a sanctuary to house their worship. It represented an ideal and an inspiration, and it grew and served to embody a very great spiritual impulse of that people.

And so the stones that go into the structure that we are considering are symbolic stones, and represent not a little of painstaking effort and devotion to duty over many years of service, and are offered that they may form a part of a structure that will be the embodiment of an ideal and the home of a very sacred inspiration.

#### LAW DORMITORIES COMING

In furthering the advance of the Cornell College of Law, Dean Burdick, fostering the

spirit which must dwell within it, has plans which will germinate and ripen into the perfect home for those students who will give themselves up to its care and teachings. Some day his ambition to see a connected building, housing the law students' dormitories will bring the student body under his care and guidance, and the care and guidance of his faculty, both during their study hours and during their hours of relaxation. This should be a fine assurance of their broad development and culture. All of these things can be brought to full realization—and they must be brought to full realization.

Again may I say that I am deeply appreciative of the kindness and generosity which prompts your friendly greeting this evening. In retrospect, we can look back with great emotion and gratitude to those rolling hills, that fair lake, those starlit skies, that made so beautiful a setting for our college days. Under its spell we can on this occasion reaffirm our faith in and our love for it, and gain courage and strength and new inspiration in our lives because of it.

May I wish you God-speed and all happiness in the days to come!

#### LAW SCHOLARSHIPS CREATED; PRIZES, AND BOOK GIFTS

Under the terms of the will of the late Colonel Henry W. Sackett '75, three scholarships in the Law School are to be made available at the beginning of the next academic year. They will each carry an annual stipend of \$400 and will be awarded by the Faculty.

The exact amount available for the Sackett Law School endowment fund, created by the will, is not yet known.

A memorial prize of \$50 in chemistry and an annual gift of \$500 for the pub-

lication of reprints of Elizabethan works have also been established.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar F. Lovenberg of Summit, N. J., have established the chemistry award in memory of their son, Harold Adlard Lovenberg '25. He died in 1926 while pursuing graduate work in the Department of Chemistry. The first award will be made this year, based on the results of a competitive examination.

The publication has been established by Leon Mandel II '23 of Chicago. The fund is to be administered by Professor Joseph Q. Adams, Ph.D. '06 of the department of English.

#### LAW CALENDAR CHANGED

The Law School, beginning the academic year 1931-32, will operate under a new calendar, different from the general university calendar. The changes were made to permit students to prepare for the New York State bar examinations.

Registration in the Law School will begin Saturday, September 19, instead of Monday, September 28. Final examinations will end June 2, 1932, instead of June 14.

The new calendar retains the Thanksgiving, Christmas, and spring recesses as provided in the general calendar, but omits the mid-year recess in February, 1932, and Spring Day, May 28, 1932.



THE LAW SCHOOL BANQUET

In the back of the room at the speaker's table just under the mantel piece may be seen Mr. Taylor, Judge Davis, President Farrand, J. DuPratt White, and Dean Burdick.

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### CORNELL LOSES A MODEST AND GENEROUS BENEFACTOR

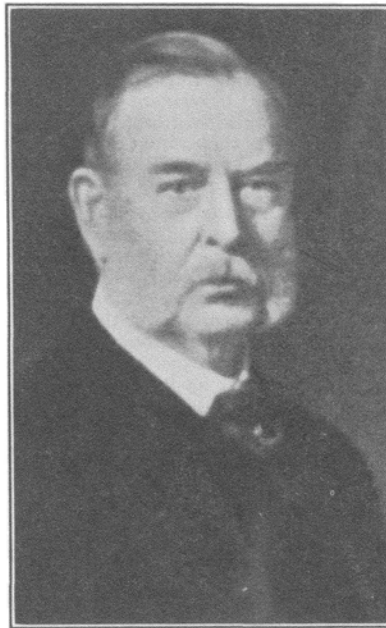
GEORGE FISHER BAKER, standing high on the list of Cornell's benefactors, and generous to the cause of higher education and student welfare generally, has died at the age of ninety-one, having outlived his generation.

Mr. Baker's earliest association must have been with Cornell's early benefactors, for his father was a friend of Russell Sage and Horace Greeley, friends of the Founder and affiliated with the University in its formative period.

His gifts to Cornell were more or less directly the results of his contacts with the late George C. Boldt, and his increasing appreciation of the University will be perpetually before Cornellians for ages because of the beautiful tower and dormitory units bearing his name and forming the cornerstone of Mr. Boldt's favorite project.

To this noteworthy gift were added the Laboratory of Chemistry and the Non-Resident Lectureships in Chemistry. All given anonymously, they bear the name of their modest donor, because

of the University's wish to pay tribute to his name, and in spite of his own desire to remain anonymous.



GEORGE FISHER BAKER

### CORNELL DRAMATIC CLUB GIVES LADY WINDEMERE'S FAN

The Cornell Dramatic Club last week gave an intelligent and interesting interpretation of Oscar Wilde's comedy-drama, "Lady Windemere's Fan."

Chief honors in acting go to Jean McKinlay '31 as the unpleasant Duchess, Elizabeth Paine '33 as Lady Windemere, Catherine Hill '31 as Mrs. Erlynne, and J. L. Niles '32 as Lord Darlington. To Miss Hill and Mr. Niles in particular commendation is due for the restraint with which they played parts which can easily be made ridiculous.

Oscar Wilde's drama was first produced in 1892. It portrays the manners and modes of the end of the 19th century. A good deal of credit should be given to the work of Aristide d'Angelo, chief of directors, and his helpers. To one who has seen successive years of Dramatic Club productions this was, although not so heralded, a fine example of "laboratory work, the actors managing by means of fine composure and careful enunciation to put over the footlights not only the actual lines but also the atmosphere of the play—difficult of interpretation by a different generation.

TWO SOPHOMORE and two junior women have been elected to the board of The Cornellian. They are Rhoda Linville '32, Long Island City, women's editor; Donna E. Wilcox '32, Bainbridge, associate senior women's editor; Angela M. Donnelly '33, Avon, and Cecile Gilman '33, New York, junior women's editors.

## COMING EVENTS

### FRIDAY, MAY 8

"Hotel Ezra Cornell"—Sixth Annual Opening. Willard Straight Hall.

Cornell Dramatic Club. Three prize one-act Kermis plays. "The Catalogue," by T. M. Morrow; "A Light on the Crossroads," by C. Elta VanNorman; and "This Ghost Affair," by Ruth E. MacDussee. University Theatre, 8:15 P. M.

### SATURDAY, MAY 9

Baseball, Princeton. Hoy Field, 3 P. M.

Varsity Tennis. Syracuse at Ithaca.

Lacrosse. Hobart at Geneva.

Freshman Baseball. Cook Academy at Montour Falls.

Cornell Dramatic Club. Three plays repeated from last night. University Theatre, 8:15 P. M.

### SUNDAY, MAY 10

The Rev. Charles W. Gilkey, D.D., Dean of the Chapel, University of Chicago. Service at 11 o'clock.

### DR. S. H. GAGE ELECTED

#### TO PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY

Dr. Simon Henry Gage '77, professor emeritus of histology and embryology, was one of twenty-seven new members elected to the American Philosophical Society at its meeting in Philadelphia last week.

The society is one of the oldest scientific bodies in the United States.

PETER J. McMANUS '32, Milton, was elected president of the Agricultural-Home Economics Association last week. Other officers named were Kate G. Rogers '32, Tompkins Corners, vice-president; Stanton S. Allen '32, Stuyvesant Falls, secretary; James E. Rose '32, Hobart, treasurer; Arthur H. Adams '33, Marathon, assistant manager of agricultural athletics, and Frank T. Vaughn '32, Plattsburg, Alan W. Rand '34, New Hartford, and Susan D. Koetsch '33, North Tonawanda, members of the honor council.

WILLIAM M. ANDERSON, JR. '32, Oneonta, has been elected president of Chi Epsilon, honorary scholastic society in civil engineering. Other officers for next year are Charles E. Ward '32, Moriah, vice-president; William S. Roberts '32, Mount Vernon, secretary-treasurer, and Alfred V. Morin '32, Brooklyn, corresponding secretary.

NEW MEMBERS elected last week were Frederick B. Ferris '32, Stamford, Conn., James S. Goff '32, Hyannis, Mass., Nils I. Nilsson '32, Brooklyn, George H. Matthew '32, White Plains, and William C. Pfaff '32, Buffalo.



## THE WEEK ON THE CAMPUS

**T**HE GIFT of Leon Mandel '23 to the University is the sort of thing that fills silly old professorial noddles with all sorts of pink and fragrant dreams. Mandel, as an undergraduate, took Professor J. Q. Adams's courses in Elizabethan literature, and found in such study the kind of non-serviceable unpractical, useless intellectual pleasure, which, according to the old-timers, is the chief end of higher education. On graduating, he went into the family department store in Chicago. His studies of Elizabethan drama seem to have fitted him for business about as well as courses in Art Window Dressing and Bargain Basement Technique would have done. At any rate, he has now established a fund making available \$500 annually for the publication of reprints of Elizabethan works, in memory, apparently, of his own mental adventures in a world far off in time and space, and in tribute to his teacher who could rouse that world to life.

THE LOVENBERG memorial prize in Chemistry is noted elsewhere in these pages. The suggestion has also been made that the University will profit largely by the will of James Parmelee '76 of Cleveland, who died recently. The residuary estate is to be divided between Cornell, Western Reserve University, the Protestant Episcopal Foundation, the Corcoran Art Gallery and the Lakeside Hospital of Cleveland. It is reported that this fund will be particularly welcome since it is unrestricted. Mr. Parmelee was the law partner of the late Ambassador Myron T. Herrick.

THE SUDDEN DEATH of Mrs. John F. Moakley was a shock to the entire community, which extends its deepest sympathy to Mr. Moakley and the remainder of her family.

CHARLES E. CURTIS '85, Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds since 1914, will retire at the end of this school year. In those seventeen years, probably our period of greatest physical growth, he has ably performed an excessively difficult job. Difficult because he has been assailed from every quarter to do twice as much as his appropriations would permit. The task of Conant Van Blarcom '08, the new superintendent, will be lightened by the Sackett gift for the upkeep of the University grounds.

ALL THE ACTIVE alumni know Van Blarcom, former president of the Cornell Alumni Corporation. There must be something about this place after all, if it can attract, with so little of the normal

means of temptation, people of Mr. Van Blarcom's standing and achievement.

DEALING WITH personalities, as we seem to be, we may well continue by noting that Professor Harold L. Reed Ph.D. '14 of the Department of Economics addressed the United States Chamber of Commerce at Atlantic City, concerning the operation of the Federal Reserve Banks. He was on the program with Senator Carter Glass and the comptroller of the Currency, Mr. Pole \* \* \* Professor Karl M. Dallenbach Ph. D. '13, of the Department of Psychology, now on leave to Columbia University, appeared in the news last week when a co-worker and scholar assailed him with his fists. The assailant was carried off to Bellevue for observation as to his mental condition. Professor Dallenbach was a celebrated wrestler in his time and is still a mighty man \* \* \* Elbridge T. Gerry '24 has been appointed to the staff of District Attorney Medalie of New York City \* \* \* Jay Fassett '12, now knocking them cold as the lead in "As Husbands Go," will give a concert in the John Golden Theatre, 202 West 58 Street, on Sunday, May 17, at 8.45. Mr. Fassett (or simply "Jake," even to total strangers) has developed a voice of operatic quality and an impressive stage presence. But don't ask for the ventriloquist story. Sunday, May 17, at 8.45.

THE UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA gave its annual concert under the Hinckley Endowment. It was held to be one of the most completely successful on its record. George L. Coleman '95 receives our plaudits for his excellent work as impresario. Miss Mildred Kreuder, contralto, of the Temple Emanu-El of New York, was the soloist.

THE DRAMATIC CLUB put on Wilde's "Lady Windermere's Fan." For more details see page 330.

DEFERRED RUSHING was argued at a public debate in Willard Straight. The audience voted in favor of deferring.

THE SOPHOMORE SMOKER was addressed by Judge Frank H. Hiscock '75 and Maxwell M. Upson '99, both members of the Board of Trustees.

THE BILLIARD CHAMPION of the University is Bradford N. Craver '32 of Auburn.

THE BOWLERS OF ITHACA do not accept the common view that the professor is a dreamy weakling, baffled by the concrete phenomena of the material world. The Faculty Bowling Team, consisting of Professors Rollins A. Emerson '99 spec., Joseph R. Livermore '12, Roy G. Wig-

gans '15, Romeyn Y. Thatcher '09, and J. J. McAllister, is the champion of Ithaca. Rym Berry, commenting last year on the victory of the Faculty over the Veterans of Foreign Wars, made some very pat reflections which I did not preserve. Sorry.

"TO THE EDITOR of the Cornell Daily Sun, Dear Sir: I am doing some writing concerned with modern campus life, and would like to get the proper colloquialisms, or what are commonly called 'Wise-cracks,' which are peculiar to your school, as it is recognized as a very up to date and progressive institution. Thinking that you would be familiar with the Campus slang, I felt that you might be able to supply this information. The fact that I am a clergyman need not in any way restrain your frankness in giving me all the the snappy phrases which are popular in your conversation. This need not be exhaustive, but I would appreciate some suggestions. Gratefully yours, Rev. J. Lester Razey."

JUDGE IRVING G. HUBBS '91, Associate Justice of the New York Court of Appeals, thinks that the tendencies of the law schools to raise their scholastic standards has gone far enough. "Many persons question the advisability of making the profession of law a class profession limited to those who are able to comply with a high standard of scholarship before entering upon the study of the law \* \* \* There has been an effort \* \* \* to examine students before their admission to the bar to ascertain their general fitness to enter upon the general practice of the profession. My own idea is that the standing of the bar must be elevated along those lines. The emphasis must now be placed more upon character than upon educational attainments"

"AS A HISTORIAN . . . I find certain trends in the past century . . . These trends are substitution of self-expression for self-discipline; of the concept of prosperity for that of liberty; of restlessness for rest; of spending for saving; of show for solidity; of desire for the new and novel in place of affection for the old and tried; of dependence for self-reliance; of gregariousness for solitude; of luxury for simplicity; of ostentation for restraint; of success for integrity; of national for local; of easy generosity for wise giving; of preferring impressions to thought, facts to ideas; of democracy for aristocracy; of the mediocre for the excellent."—James Truslow Adams in The Forum.

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## OBITUARIES

### JAMES PARMELEE '76

James Parmelee, formerly a business associate of the late Ambassador Myron T. Herrick, and well known connoisseur of art, died on April 19 at his home in Washington, of an illness resulting from a fall about a year ago, at the age of seventy-five. He received the degree of B.S. and was a member of Alpha Delta Phi. He was a member of the executive committee of the Union Carbide and Carbon Company, a trustee of the Carnegie Institute and the Corcoran Art Gallery in Washington, and a member of the building committee of the Washington Cathedral. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alice Maury Parmelee, a sister, Mrs. Helen Parmelee Shoemaker, and a brother, Robert M. Parmelee '81.

### ARTHUR S. MARTIN '10

Arthur Stennett Martin, head of the Firthite and engineering departments of the Firth Sterling Steel Company of McKeesport, Pa., died on April 21 at the Homeopathic Hospital in Pittsburgh. He was born in Elizabeth, N. J., forty-six years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Martin. He received the degree of M. E. and was a member of Theta Xi. His parents, his wife, Mrs. Adeline Moyer Martin, two daughters, a sister, and a brother, Norman G. Martin '18, survive him.

### EVELYN THORP MINTER '16

Evelyn Louise Thorp (Mrs. John R.) Minter was killed by an automobile in Concord, Mass., on April 20. She was born in Edgewood, Pa., in 1894, the daughter of Charles M. Thorp '84 and Mrs. Thorp (Jessie M. Boulton) '83. She was at Cornell from 1911-'14 and 1914-'16, receiving the degree of A.B. She was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. After graduation Mrs. Minter became a research assistant in the Rockefeller Institute

Hospital in New York. During the War she served overseas with the Women's Overseas Hospital, taking care of French refugees. After the Armistice she joined an entertainment troupe under the Y.M.C.A. and travelled to American army camps in many parts of France and the occupied German territory. She was married in 1920 to John R. Minter of Baltimore, a member of the Consular service. She lived three years in South Africa, three years in Germany, two years in Brazil, two years in New York, and was living in Washington at the time of her death.

Besides her husband she is survived by a daughter, Nancy; her father; three sisters, Mrs. W. Denning Stewart (Margaret B. Thorp '12), Mrs. E. W. Fiske, Jr., and Mrs. W. F. White, and two brothers, George B. Thorp '14 and Charles M. Thorp, Jr., '16.

### MRS. MOAKLEY DIES

#### SUDDENLY OF STROKE

Mrs. Theresa Crowley Moakley, wife of John F. Moakley, track coach, died suddenly May 1 of cerebral hemorrhage. She was sixty-three years of age, and had been in poor health for some time.

Besides Mr. Moakley, she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Thomas S. Kraft (Helen T. Moakley) '14 of Boston and Mildred Moakley '18 of Ithaca.

The funeral was held May 4 at the home, 201 Willard Way, and at the Church of the Immaculate Conception. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery, Ithaca.

### WOMEN'S GLEE CLUB OFFICERS

Margaret Wilkinson '32, Ithaca, was elected president of the Women's Glee Club last week. Other officers named are Marion L. Emmons '32, Spencer, vice-president; Hazel A. Ellenwood '33, Ithaca, treasurer; Frances E. Staley '33, Washington, D. C., secretary, and Christine A. Heller '33, Utica, librarian.

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'05 ME—Charles L. Williams is interested in all branches of archery, including manufacturing, teaching, and conducting ranges. During the summer he is instructor in archery at the Lake Placid Club. His address is 11 Brookes Avenue, Burlington, Vt.

'05 AB—Jessamine S. Whitney, statistician of the National Tuberculosis Association, has just returned from Porto Rico where she has been assisting Governor Roosevelt and island health officials in organizing anti-tuberculosis work. Porto Rico according to Miss Whitney has the highest death rate from tuberculosis in the civilized world.

'08 CE—Robert E. Swinney is senior member of the firm of Swinney and Coleman, contractors and engineers in Louisiana, doing chiefly levee, state highway, and drainage work. He lives in Opelousas.

'09 MD—Luvia M. Willard, who is a physician with offices in the Chamber of Commerce Building in Jamaica, N. Y., was elected an honorary member of Alpha Omega Alpha, the honorary medical fraternity, at the Cornell Club on April 6. She is an instructor of pediatrics at the Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital in New York, and director of the department of pediatrics at the Jamaica Hospital. She is a Fellow of the American College of Physicians.

'10 CE—Amos O. Nisenon is a surveyor in Newark, N. J. His address is 9 Clinton Street. He has recently published a book, *How to Read and Plot Surveys or Land Descriptions*.

'10 AB—Llewellyn M. Buell, after four years as executive secretary at the University of California, is returning to teaching in the department of English there. His address is 405 Hilgard Avenue, Los Angeles.

'11—Donald G. MacVicar is eastern sales manager of the Malleable Iron Company. His address is 561 North Church Street, Naugatuck, Conn. He has one son.

'11 BChem—William J. O'Brien, who is vice-president in charge of manufacturing of the Glidden Company, has moved from Baltimore to 3333 Norwood Road, Cleveland.

'11—Diederich H. Ward is with Charles P. Knight, Inc., agency at 225 Broadway, New York, of the Union Central Life Insurance Company.

'11-'12 Gr.—Waldemar Westergaard, who is professor of history at the University of California at Los Angeles, has recently returned from a sabbatic leave, spent mostly in the Baltic lands in search of historical Mss. throwing light on the fifteenth and sixteenth century history of Denmark, Sweden, Hansa towns, and the Livonian Order. His address is 405 Hilgard Avenue, Los Angeles.

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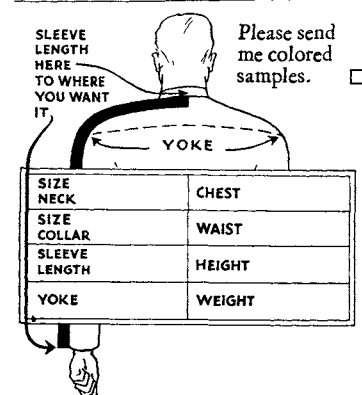
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'13 BS—J. Slater Wight, who is a nurseryman and pecan grower in Cairo, Ga., is president of the Southern Nurserymen's Association and of the Georgia-Florida Pecan Growers Association.

'13 CE—Wallace D. DuPre is in the automotive supplies and shop equipment business in Spartanburg, S. C.

'13 LLB—Godfrey Cohen is a lawyer at 10 East Fortieth Street, New York.

'14 ME—Willis Shackelford is plant manager of the DuPont Rayon Company in Richmond, Va. His address is Box 1477.

'14 BS—E. Grant Perl, who is a landscape architect and realtor in Minneapolis, has just returned with his wife from a trip to Morocco, Algiers, Italy, France, Switzerland, and England. His address is 2938 Ewing Avenue, South.

'14 AB—Laurence G. Meads is a partner and head of the marketing department in the Blackman Company, advertising agency at 122 East Forty-second Street, New York.

'15 Gr.—Cary A. Rowland has been for many years with the Charles Advertising Service in New York. He lives at 33-16 153d Street, Flushing, N. Y. From 1926 to 1928 he served as first reader at the First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Flushing.

'15 AB—Walter G. Seely is a lawyer in Port Chester, N. Y. He is council to the Town of Rye, N. Y., secretary of the Port Chester Chamber of Commerce, and commissioner of Boy Scouts of Port Chester. His address is 125 North Main Street.

'16, '15 BS—Abraham B. Margulis, who is a physician at 881 Lafayette Street, Professional Building, Bridgeport, Conn., has recently returned from Europe where he took post graduate work in the diseases of the ear, nose, and throat, in which he is specializing.

'16 MD—Emir A. Benner left in March for a year of graduate study abroad. He is a physician and surgeon at 27 San Mateo Drive, San Mateo, Calif. His wife and two sons are abroad with him.

'17 ME—Herbert C. Schneider in January was transferred by the General Tire and Rubber Company from Harrisburg to Philadelphia, where he is branch manager. He was married last June to Jane Sutton Wettling of Indiana, Pa. They live at 228 West Montgomery Avenue, Haverford, Pa.

'17 BS—Frank C. Snow is teaching science in the Bennett High School in Buffalo. He lives at 589 Minnesota Avenue.

'24 AB—A. Fiddis Clark is school nurse in Corning, N. Y. She lives at 26 East Third Street. She is a graduate nurse from the Johns Hopkins Hospital and received her M.A. from Teachers College, Columbia, in '29.

'24—Edith J. Beasley is teaching physical training at the Harley School in Rochester, N. Y.

'25 AB, '30 MD—Lillian H. Hellstrom is an interne at the New York Infirmary for Women and Children.

'25 BS—Leland T. Pierce is a member of the United States Weather Bureau's first class in forecast training. He spent five months in Washington and now is in Chicago where he will be at least six months. He was married in September to Dorothy M. Parshall of Berea, Ohio.

'25 CE—David W. Punzelt on February 1 was promoted from subway inspector to conduit construction engineer with the Southern New England Telephone Company. He lives at 300 Winthrop Avenue, New Haven, Conn.

'26 BS—Hilda R. Longyear '26 and Brandon Watson were married on September 19 at Stanford Memorial Church. Prior to her marriage Mrs. Watson was assistant director of dining halls at Stanford. Mr. Watson, a Stanford '26 man, is food controller for the Hotels Whitcomb and William Taylor. His father, William Watson, is the owner of the Shasta Springs, Calif., Hotel.

'26 MD—Janet G. Travell is a physician at 9 West Sixteenth Street, New York, and instructor in pharmacology at the Cornell Medical School. She was married two years ago to John W. G. Powell, a graduate in '19 of the University of North Carolina.

'26 CE—Henry L. Schmeckpeper is a construction engineer with the Arthur A. Johnson Corporation at Third Street and West Avenue, Long Island City, Long Island. He lives at 60-51 Linden Street, Ridgewood, Brooklyn.

'27 ME; '27 AB—Twin sons were born on April 18 to George M. Trefts, 3d., '27 and Mrs. Trefts (Dorothy L. Sharpe '27).

'27 PhD—Leva B. Walker is associate professor of botany at the University of Nebraska.

'27 BS—Alfred J. Van Schoick last summer was transferred from the rural service division of the New York Power and Light Corporation to become sales supervisor of the office in Hudson, N. Y. He lives at 453 East Allen Street.

'28 AB—Mr. and Mrs. George Muirhead Hough of Chicago have announced the engagement of their daughter, Isabelle, to Robert S. Betten '28, son of Dean Cornelius Betten, Ph.D. '05, and Mrs. Betten. Miss Hough will graduate in June from Chicago. The wedding will take place in the fall.

'28 MS—Ella M. Cushman is an extension specialist with the College of Home Economics. She lives at 101 Eddy Street.

'28 AB—William B. Willcox is studying architecture at the Yale School of Fine Arts. He lives at 84 Howe Street, New Haven.

'28 AB—Madge Marwood is teaching mentally handicapped students in Uniontown, Pa. Her mailing address is 247 Grant Street, Franklin, Pa.

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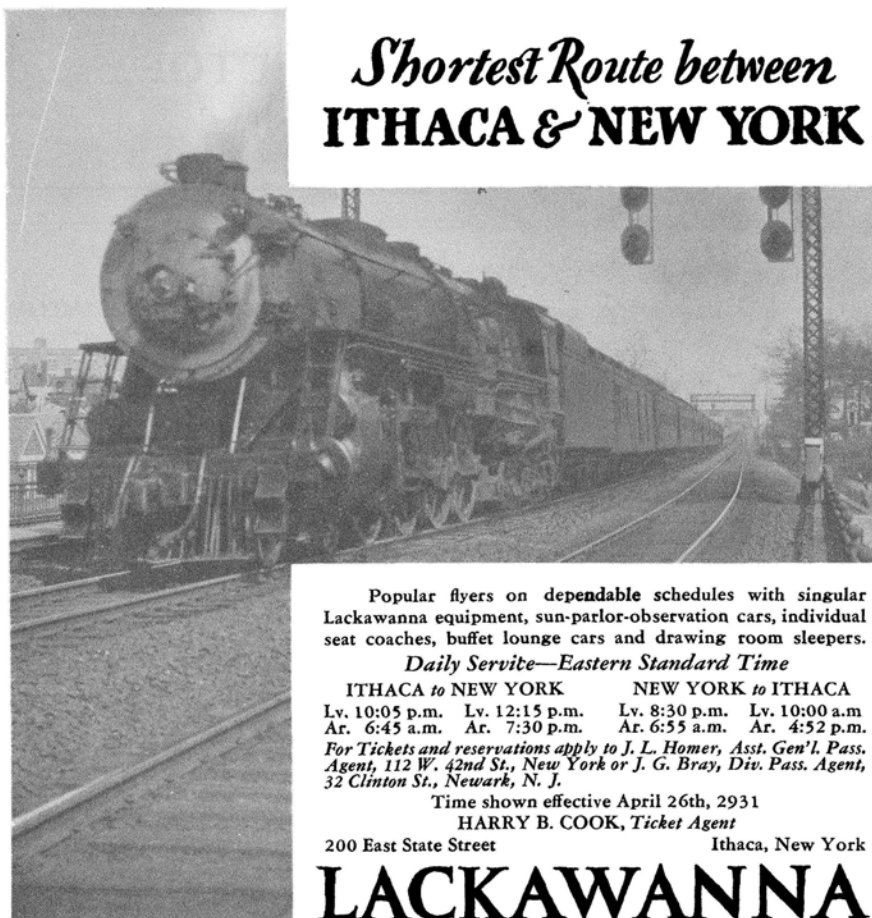
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'29 BS—Hermine Stewart '29 was married last April to Elmer Smith Jorgensen. They live at 649 Castle Street, Geneva, N. Y. A daughter, Margaret Anina, was born on February 15.

'29, '30 BS—Mary K. Quigley is taking the student dietitian's training course at the Buffalo City Hospital.

'29 BS—Maybelle Curtiss is teaching home economics in the Olean, N. Y., High School. She lives at 229 North First Street.

'29 BS—Eleanor F. Pease is teaching home economics in Athens, Pa.

'29 AM—Shelton L. Beatty, formerly dean and acting-president of Bethel College, is now dean of men and assistant professor of English at Grinnell.


'30—C. Cornell Remsen, Jr., is a junior patent examiner in the United States Patent Office, and is studying law at George Washington University. His address is 2202 Cathedral Avenue, Washington.

'30 BS—Mildred A. Pratt was married in October to A. H. Barter. They are living at 8 Chestnut Road, Verona, N. J.

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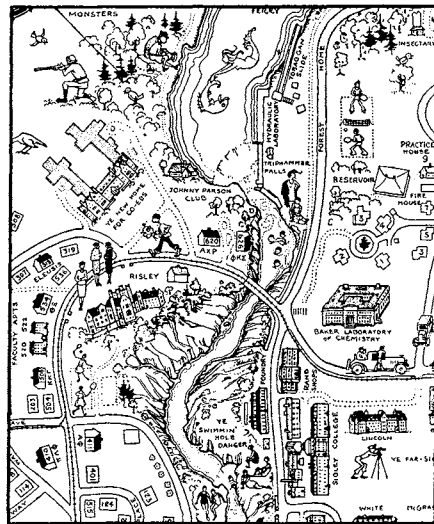
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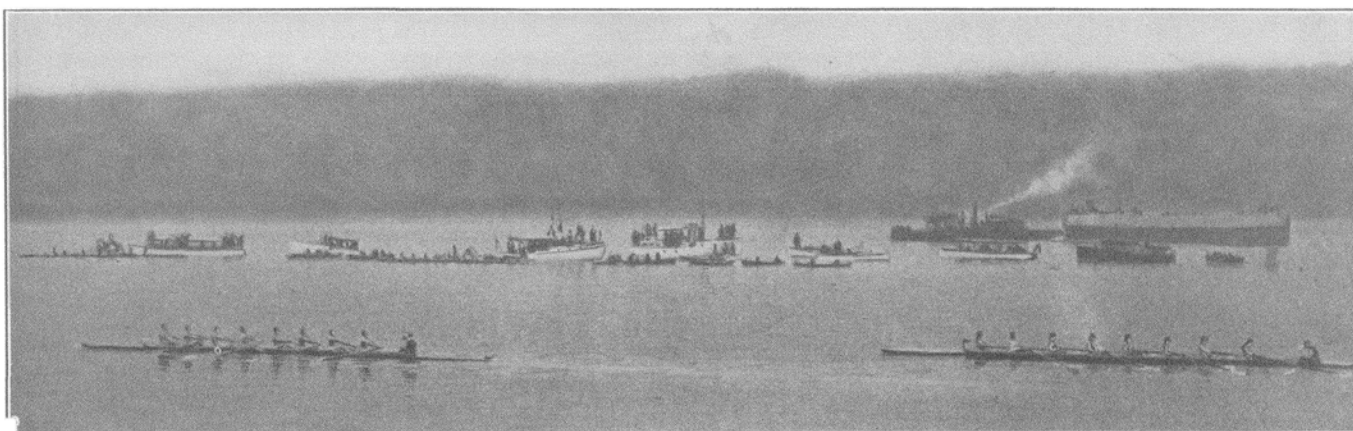
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