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REGISTRATION BY COLLEGES.

Large Increase in Agriculture and Fewer Students in Engineering.

Below is a table showing the registration of new and of old students in the several colleges as compared with the corresponding figures at about this time last year:

| ENROLLMENT OF NEW STUDENTS. | | | | |
|-----------------------------|------|------|-----|------|
| | 1909 | 1910 | Inc | Dec. |
| Arts | 315 | 329 | 14 | .. |
| Law | 124 | 116 | .. | 8 |
| Medicine | 7 | 12 | 5 | .. |
| Veterinary | 38 | 44 | 6 | .. |
| Agriculture | 264 | 321 | 57 | .. |
| Architecture | 45 | 31 | .. | 14 |
| Civil Eng. | 193 | 149 | .. | 44 |
| Mech. Eng. | 340 | 270 | .. | 70 |

| ENROLLMENT OF OLD STUDENTS. | | | | |
|-----------------------------|------|------|------|------|
| | 1909 | 1910 | Inc. | Dec. |
| Arts | 533 | 627 | 94 | .. |
| Law | 131 | 147 | 16 | .. |
| Medicine | 9 | 2 | .. | 7 |
| Veterinary | 56 | 57 | 1 | .. |
| Agriculture | 245 | 367 | 122 | .. |
| Architecture | 97 | 99 | 2 | .. |
| Civil Eng. | 376 | 387 | 11 | .. |
| Mech. Eng. | 820 | 790 | .. | 30 |

The College of Agriculture shows a striking gain in the number of both new and old students. The total number registered in the college on October 6 was 688. On October 25 of last year there were 509, so that the increase is 179, or more than 35 percent. In an address before the Agricultural Assembly last Friday Director Bailey said that before the close of this year the registration would be in the neighborhood of 800, and that the winter-course enrollment would probably make a total registration in the college of about 1,200. Last year the total was about 870, and it was a serious problem to find room for instructing them all.

The figures given above for Sibley College of Mechanical Engineering are approximate only. They show a large decrease in the number of students, chiefly in new students. This may be accounted for, at least in part, by the fact that the Sibley faculty has held very rigidly this year to the entrance standard and many applicants have been rejected who last year would have been admitted with conditions. Also the establishment of the new five-year course leading to the degree of M. E., in

which students are registered in the College of Arts and Sciences for two years, has resulted in the registration of a number of men who are candidates for the M. E. degree but who do not appear in the registration in Sibley College. The like causes may explain the decrease of 44 in the number of new students in the College of Civil Engineering.

In the case of the College of Arts and Sciences, the figures for this year are of October 7, and those for last year are of October 2, nearly a week earlier. The figures for October 7, 1909, if available, would probably show that this year there are in the college about 15 fewer new students and about 70 more old.

The 1909 figures of the College of Law are of October 12, about a week later than the figures for 1910.

In the Medical College at Ithaca the large falling off in the number of old students is caused by the fact that within the year the instruction in second-year work has been transferred to New York, and only the first-year work is now given at Ithaca. The two old students are (1) spreading the first two years of medicine over three years and (2) an assistant in biochemistry taking part of the second-year work. Eight of the 12 new students are "arts medics"; last year only 3 of the 7 were of this class.

'94 Memorial Prize.

Largely through the efforts of E. E. Bogart, H. L. Fordham and A. F. Weber, the amount of the Ninety-Four Memorial Prize in Debate is to be increased. Since the foundation of the prize it has had an annual value of about \$25. Within the near future it is the purpose of the class to increase it to \$94. A considerable sum has been subscribed for this object, and already the prize has been increased in value. Beginning with the year 1911-12 the full amount of \$94 will probably be awarded. The class has requested that from now on the contest be not used as a trial for the intercollegiate debates and that the speakers be chosen only from the two upper classes. These requests will undoubtedly be complied with.

GRADING VARSITY FIELD.

Ground Now Being Put in Shape For Building to Begin.

About twenty teams are now at work grading that part of Alumni Field which is to be used for the varsity games. It lies at the extreme eastern end of the grant and is the only part, with the exception of Kite Hill, not yet graded. This area, the varsity field, consisting of 12.57 acres, will be a few feet higher than the practice field adjoining it, and will contain separate football and baseball ball fields, with a running track surrounding the former, suitable grandstands for both these fields, and also a straightaway of 220 yards. The field for paid athletics will be enclosed and will be provided with convenient entrances. Including the practice field, the total playground area will be 30.71 acres.

There is now a terrace between the playground and the practice field, and there will be a similar terrace between the practice field and the varsity field. On this latter terrace will be located the training house, with team rooms, lockers, shower baths, etc.

The final report of the committee which solicited subscriptions for the field has recently been published. It shows that a total of \$161,399.81 has been subscribed, of which \$106,405.90 was pledged for equipment. The committee had over \$28,000 in cash on June 22 last. George W. Bacon '92, who signs the report as chairman, says that the committee hopes the funds now pledged will be sufficient to enable them to provide lockers and showers for all who may utilize the playground and practice field as well as for the varsity players.

Nine tennis courts have been constructed on the slope of Kite Hill, and four of them are to be made ready for use at once. These courts are a part of the playground and will be for the free use of undergraduates.

The Macmillan Company has just published a new and revised edition of "Economic Geology," by Professor Heinrich Ries.

Recent Explorations in Egypt.

Cornell Receives Through a Friend Part of a Valuable Consignment of Relics—Building of Great Dams Will Soon Put a Stop to Exploration in a Fertile Field of Archaeology.

The Egypt Exploration Fund of England and the United States has forwarded to its headquarters in Tremont Temple, Boston, a valuable consignment of antiquities to be divided among museums contributing to the Society's excavations in Egypt. These objects were displayed in King's College, London, during the exhibition recently closed, and represent the result of last winter's work conducted at Abydos, Ehnasiya and Sidmant.

Of the antiquities consigned to the United States this year, a part has been apportioned to Cornell University. The University owes this gift to the generosity of a special friend of our institution who wishes to be unknown. Having made an unusually large contribution to the Fund's work, a considerable number of objects were assigned to him, according to the method of distribution adopted by the trustees. These he turned over to the University, and they have now been received. Professor Schmidt has examined the collection and is greatly pleased with it. It consists of forty separate articles. Among them there are fourteen jars of various sizes and different ages. Two cylindrical vases from pre-dynastic tombs are particularly interesting. There are also two large earthen bowls, a painted stele of the Persian period, a mummy case, little porcelain statuettes called ushabtis, ivory pins, an ivory spoon, a winged scarab and other scarabs, terra cotta figurines, a finely executed doll's head, an exquisite kohl-pot with its lid in which some Egyptian lady kept her cosmetics, beads from pre-dynastic tombs, and other trinkets. The collection is at present in Professor Schmidt's seminary room, and will be used during the first term of this year to illustrate his lectures on Egyptian history.

Abydos has proved an especially valuable site for exploration. Here Osiris and Isis had their chief altars, to which offerings were brought from the farthest borders of Egypt during

the period of ever lengthening centuries from the XVIIIth to the XXXth dynasties. At the same time, Abydos is a huge cemetery where the Egyptians liked to be buried from the earliest times down to the days of the Roman emperors. The predynastic era, the Ist, VIth and XIIth dynasties, the New Empire and the Ptolemies—every time is represented here.

The main work which was carried out under the general direction of Professor E. Naville, consisted of an attempt to clear finally the Royal Tombs of the Ist and IIInd dynasties; but much still remains to be done at this site and good results are expected from the continuation of the work next season. A great deal has been accomplished in the North and South cemeteries at Abydos. In the South cemetery the earliest graves found were those of the predynastic period. They had been afterwards disturbed by the sinking of shaft graves of the VIth dynasty over the same area. Further confusion was also introduced by the building above these of vaulted tombs of brick, probably in the XXXth dynasty.

From these excavations are slate palettes, jars and vases; ornaments of glaze, wood, stone, carnelian, amethyst and flint; flint razors, ivory carvings, beads and pottery. The last may be arranged in general chronological order according to its shape and perfection, for it ranges from the rudest kind of unglazed ware to bowls of rock crystal which bear traces of having been engraved with delicate tools.

The pottery of the predynastic Egyptians was made without the help of the potter's wheel, of which they had no knowledge, and the materials employed by them were Nile mud and clay. The sequence in predynastic pottery illustrating the development of the art is very complete in the specimens received for universities and museums. A full line of this pottery will have a place in the Commercial History Exhibit now in pre-

paration in Philadelphia. It is extraordinarily interesting to follow the evolution of this ancient industry from the first rude, heavy unglazed type through the black-topped variety to the smooth red glazed ware.

Among the most interesting vases received were those of cylindrical shape, covered with a coat of whitish unbaked paint; they have waved ledge handles at the sides and were originally filled with scented fat, an unguent offered at the graves. From Abydos, Ehnasiya and El Mahasna alike come many miniature pots and vessels for pomades, ointments and salves made with honey; some however from their shape were plainly used in supplying the provisions for the tomb, as being less costly than full-sized vessels, while their great number would make a generous numeration. The more elegant of these small jars, both in the usual clay and in diorite, were made for suspension by means of a pierced handle worked on both sides in one piece with the vase.

The almost innumerable ivory and wood carvings are not only evidence of the artistic capacity of the early Egyptians, but indicate that the Egyptians had commercial relations with distant places. The figures of animals and human beings produced by these expert wood-carvers are as exact and realistic as art could make them.

These rare objects are ample proof that Abydos is by no means exhausted. Towards the end of the season, in widening the cemetery at the tomb of Zer, second king of the Ist dynasty, a number of finely made figures in mud were found. These figures represent Osiris as a mummy. They lay in a bed of hard sand not far from the tomb of Zer, which we know was in later times worshipped as the tomb of Osiris. In this tomb was found the famous bed of Osiris, now in Cairo. The figures all lay face upward, with the head to the west; two

of them had blue glazed beads round the neck. Considerable light is thrown upon this curious find by the following reference to this very ceremony in the *Book of the Dead*, "He who is on the sand." This refers to the dead Osiris, who has been killed by Set. The god has been mummified, his body placed in a coffin and deposited as usual in a sand-hill. The reading is found in hymns in which Thoth addresses Osiris and restores him to life by his "words of power."

A little more than a day's sail up the Nile from Cairo, just abreast of Beni Suef and ten miles from the river, is the site of the Roman Heracleopolis—Ahnas el Medineh or Ehnasiya. The Arabs call the remains of the old town Umn el-Kimam, or "mother of rubbish heaps." Yet from that rubbish there have come many priceless relics. In 1904, ten years after the preliminary investigation of this site, the Fund unearthed at this spot a gold statuette of the tutelary divinity, Hershef, the figure of a man with a ram's head and the head-dress of Osiris. It is valued at \$1,500; the Boston Museum of Fine Arts became its fortunate possessor. The work at Ehnasiya last season resulted in the discovery of glazed ware, lamps (among them one with a representation of St. George and the Dragon), wooden combs, sandals, late Roman and Byzantine glass, carved bone, shells, coins, pieces of embroidery, toys and parts of dolls, the handle of an amphora inscribed BAION, gold, bronze and iron rings and bronze implements.

From the necropolis of Sidmant on the other side of Bahr Yusef, the great canal, we have advance information of many interesting finds. There are wreaths from the heads of mummies, garlands from their breasts, fragments of a carved wooden couch, a wooden statuette of Osiris, a coffin with mummies and linen cartonnages, a bow, pottery and sherds inscribed in demotic and ornamented with rough drawings. Then there are baskets from Roman graves, always found in the filling of a tomb. At the present day the baskets used in the digging of a grave are thrown in before the grave is filled up. It is believed that if they were brought back to the house, they

would cause the death of the occupants.

It is a significant fact that many of the discoveries of the past year are injured by dampness, because they lie so near the area of cultivation. The wide extension of agricultural Egypt, resulting from the building of the monster dams at Assiout and Assouan, has not been an unmixed blessing. Many of the noblest monuments have been injured and will ultimately be overthrown by the encroaching waters. The relics of the past that have lain safely in the dry sands of Egypt are already beginning to decay at the touch of the infiltrating waters. It behooves those who have an interest in securing the records of our most ancient civilization to move quickly. A few years more and the excavator will find nothing of value in places that are now rich fields for archæological research. The part of the soil of Egypt to be submerged by the Assouan Dam should be dug to bed rock and passed through a sieve during the next two years. With the flooding during the winter months of ten temples and three fortresses, Lower Nubia utters the warning cry for 1912: "Après moi, le déluge!"

Through the munificence of one of its friends, the University, a few years ago, came into possession of the very valuable library of Professor August Eisenlohr, the famous Egyptologist. The need of antiquities as illustrative material and for scientific study has long been felt, and the University is grateful to the donor of this collection. He suggests that if a group of alumni and friends were willing to subscribe to the Egypt Exploration Fund and turn over the objects consigned to them to the University, the collection of Egyptian antiquities at Cornell would annually increase and additional means would also be furnished to the Fund for a work that must be done in the immediate future, if invaluable treasures are not to be lost forever through the great dams. Friends who would like to know more about the work of the Fund, the subscriptions, and the methods of distribution are cordially invited to correspond with Mrs. Marie N. Buckman, 527 Tremont Temple, Boston, Mass.; with Professor Nathaniel Schmidt, or with Treasurer Emmons L. Williams, Ithaca.

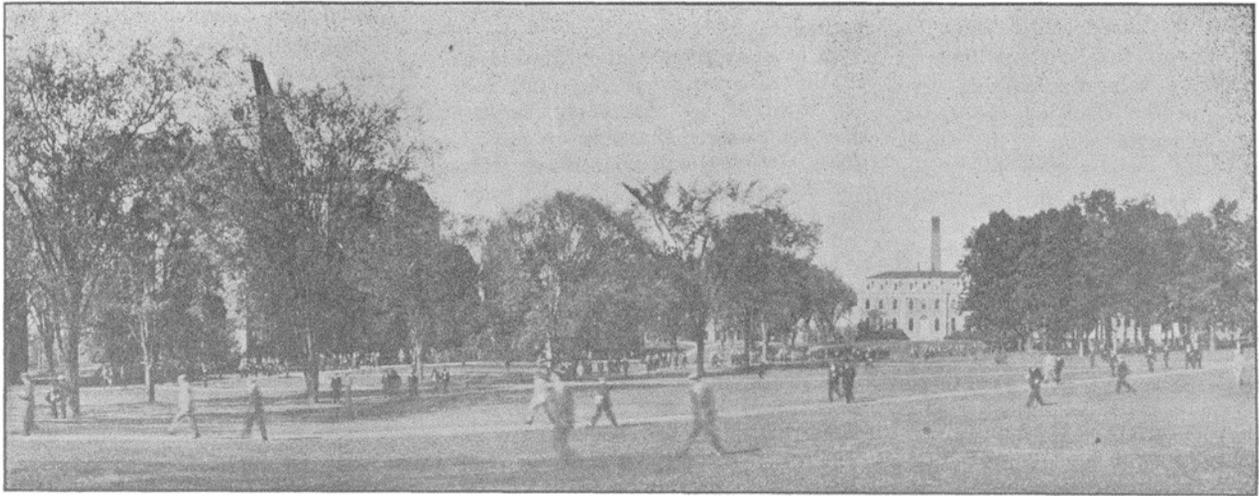
Cornell Man Governor of New York.

Upon the resignation of Governor Hughes last Thursday to take his place upon the bench of the United States Supreme Court, Lieutenant-Governor Horace White '87, of Syracuse, became Governor of the State of New York, and at once took the oath of office. Governor White will hold office till January 1. He is a nephew of Dr. Andrew D. White.

Faculty Appointments.

At the latest meeting of the executive committee of the Board of Trustees, the following appointments were made: Seymour S. Garrett '04, assistant professor of mechanics of engineering; John A. Wheeler '03, assistant professor of mechanics of engineering; F. W. Buck '09, instructor in machine design; C. E. Townsend '07, instructor in machine design; C. W. Davis '07, instructor in machine design; L. Hooper, foreman of wood shop; C. H. Sweet, assistant in wood shop; J. F. Stephens, instructor in electrical engineering; D. S. Cole, instructor in electrical engineering; H. McClure, instructor in mechanics of engineering; J. F. Brauner, jr., '05, instructor in civil engineering; A. H. Forman, instructor in physics; A. H. Smith, assistant in physics; S. S. Rathbun '09, assistant in physics; J. M. Kellogg '09, instructor in architecture; J. K. Plummer, assistant in chemistry; C. M. Sherwood, assistant in chemistry; J. A. Stevenson '10, assistant in ancient history; E. L. Palmer, assistant in botany; C. D. Learn, assistant in botany; Miss A. H. Morgan '06, assistant in biology; M. J. Dorsey, assistant in plant breeding; E. E. Barker '10, assistant in entomology; L. H. Schwartz, student assistant in poultry husbandry; E. W. Benjamin, student assistant in poultry husbandry; R. D. Anthony, instructor in pomology; S. W. Brown, hospital interne in the Veterinary College; V. G. Kimball, assistant in comparative pathology and bacteriology; R. R. Birch, instructor in experimental pathology; J. F. Mitchell, student assistant in diagnosis.

Provision has been made by the trustees for a department of farm forestry in the College of Agriculture. Instruction will probably be given during the coming year.



Noon in the Quadrangle. From a panorama photograph by S. L. Sheldon.

VARIOUS NOTES.

Practice has begun for the intercollegiate crosscountry meet which will be held at Princeton on November 12.

President Schurman delivered an address at the opening of an industrial exposition in Rochester on Saturday evening.

The trustees will place in Goldwin Smith Hall a tablet on which will be inscribed the clauses from Professor Goldwin Smith's will relating to his bequest to the University.

The executive committee of the I. C. A. A. A. has accepted the record of 9 minutes 26 3-5 seconds in the two mile run made by T. S. Berna '12 in the Penn-Cornell meet last May.

During the week the marble exedra built by their father as a memorial to F. L. Sheldon '92 and C. L. Sheldon '01 was completed. It stands near the south entrance of Goldwin Smith Hall.

The report of E. C. Heg, chairman of the 1910 Spring Day committee, shows that last spring's carnival cleared \$1,824.19 for the Athletic Association. The total receipts were \$2,486.10 and the expenses were \$661.91.

Henry L. Stimson, the Republican candidate for Governor of the State of New York, is the son of Dr. Lewis A. Stimson, professor of surgery in the Cornell University Medical College. Stimson Hall, on the campus at

Ithaca, was named for Dr. Stimson, in recognition of his valuable aid in the establishment of the Medical College.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt is expected to be in Ithaca on October 24. He is coming for the purpose of inspecting abandoned farms in Tompkins, Tioga and Broome counties. He will be entertained at breakfast by Professor L. H. Bailey, and will then make his tour of inspection by automobile, accompanied by Professor Bailey and Congressman Dwight, arriving at Binghamton in the evening.

Rhodes Scholarship examinations will be held at Cornell University, as in other universities in each state and territory of the United States, on Tuesday, the 25th, and Wednesday, the 26th of October. Papers for these examinations will be sent to Oxford University to be marked, and all those who pass are then eligible to appointment as scholars. One scholar is appointed from each state and territory.

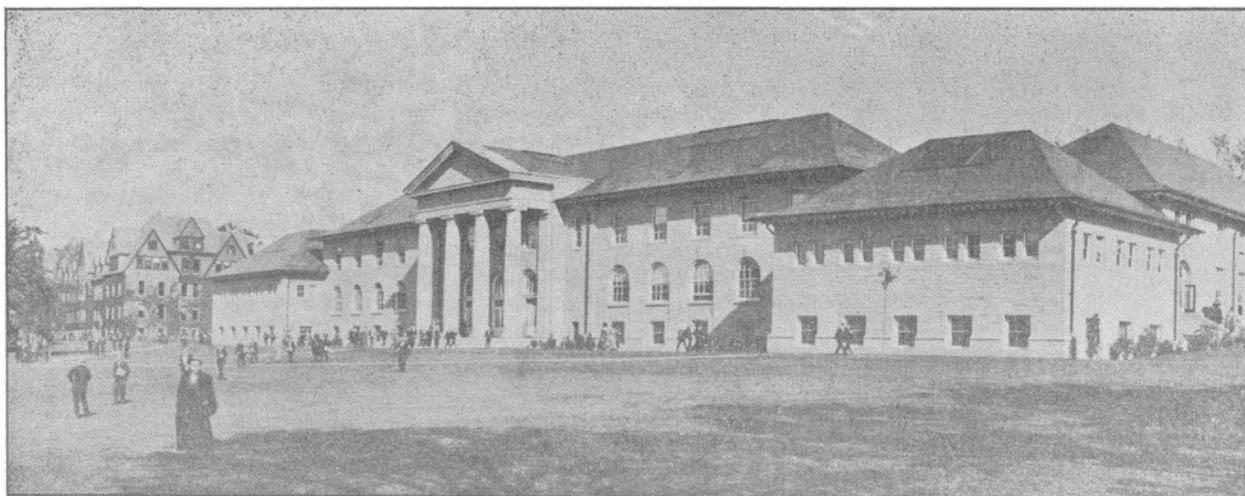
LeRoy Pierpont Ward, of Middletown, Conn., has been elected head cheer leader for the year. He is a senior in the College of Architecture and a member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity and the Savage Club. The other nine seniors elected cheer leaders are R. W. Post, C. H. Davidson, F. H. Crassweller, C. M. Thiele, C. H. Cull, W. P. Rose, M. H. Corbin, W. H. Kennedy and H. B. Bole.

The senior class elections are being held to-day. There are four candidates for president—L. D. Simson, of Tonawanda, captain of the football team; James Eugene Bennett, of Youngstown, O., captain of the basketball team; C. R. Hugins, of Binghamton, a member of the intercollegiate debate team, and S. F. Nixon, of Westfield, a member of the track team.

From the Japanese Commission.

Through President Schurman, the University has received from the Japanese commercial commission, which made a tour of this country and visited Cornell a year ago, a silk banner in which is woven, in Japanese, the following message:

"The Honorary Commercial Commissioners of Japan, who, at the invitation of the Associated Chambers of Commerce of the Pacific Coast, made an extensive tour through the United States in the latter part of 1909, occupying three months and covering 11,000 miles and fifty-three cities, desire to place on record their most grateful recognition of the courtesy and hospitality uniformly extended to them both by the officials and people of the United States. They believe that this visit has materially contributed to the consolidation of the bonds of amity and good understanding and the development of trade relations between the two nations, whose continued welfare and prosperity will always be the object of their sincere solicitude."



Schenectady Men Organize.

Nineteen Cornell men met at the New Vendome Hotel in Schenectady on Monday evening, October 3, for the monthly dinner and meeting of the local association. At the close of the dinner a permanent organization was formed. It will act as a sub-organization of the eastern district, which has its headquarters at Albany, and comprises the territory north of Poughkeepsie and east of Utica. It was thought that the work could be carried on with greater advantage by having a separate organization in this city. The following officers were elected: President, S. B. Fortenbaugh '90; vice-president, M. Webb Offutt '02; secretary, Nelson J. Darling '07; treasurer, J. C. Close '05. It was decided to make an effort to have the annual dinner of the eastern district held in Schenectady this winter and steps will be taken immediately to bring about this result. The last annual dinner of the Cornellians of the eastern district held in Schenectady was in 1907. The Schenectady men will meet together for dinner on the first Monday of every month this year. Those present at the meeting were H. C. Pease '97, C. G. Rally '02, A. L. Johnston '04, J. C. Close '05, I. B. Simonton '06, E. J. Gregson '06, W. L. Tryon '07, W. G. Moorman '08, R. D. Glennie '08, G. N. Frisbie '08, H. A. DeWitt '09, J. H. Ryan '09, W. A. Moore '09, H. O. Stanton '10, T. E. Orbison '10, John Kirkman '10, W. M. Keppel '10, H. C. Bros '10, and S. P. Nixdorff '10.

Declines State Chairmanship.

Charles E. Treman '89, of Ithaca, would have been elected chairman of the Democratic State Committee if he had been willing to accept the office. The committee met in New York last Thursday to select a chairman. A consultation was held before the meeting was called to order, and efforts were made to persuade Mr. Treman to accept the chairmanship. He declined to do so because the state of his health would not permit him to undertake the labor which the management of the campaign would involve. Mr. Treman is a member of the Democratic state executive committee.

OBITUARY.

LOUIS H. KILBOURNE '95.

Louis Hiram Kilbourne, a first lieutenant in the Ninth Calvary, U. S. A., died at Fort Omaha, Neb., on October 4, of typhoid fever, after an illness of one week. Lieutenant Kilbourne was born in Wellsboro, Pa., on March 26, 1874. He entered the Cornell law school in 1893 and graduated in 1895. He returned to receive the degree of LL. M. in 1897. When the Spanish war began he was practicing law in Wellsboro and he enlisted as a private in Company K, Fifth Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry. He was mustered out after the war as first sergeant of the company and resumed his law practice. In 1901 he received a commission as second lieutenant in the regular army and was assigned to the Eighth Cavalry. With this regiment he served a tour of duty in the Philippines. He was promoted to a first lieutenantcy in the Ninth Calvary last March. At the time of his death he was assistant to the quartermaster of the Department of the Missouri and was acting judge advocate of the same department. He leaves a widow and one son.

Cornell Women's Club of Cleveland Enrolls in Federation.

The Cornell Women's Club of Cleveland, now numbering twenty-two members, met on September 30, with its president, Mrs. Charles R. Miller '80. The club adopted a constitution presented by a committee and then formally accepted the constitution and by-laws of the Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs, which was acted upon by the Federation at its annual meeting in Ithaca last June.

There were sent out from the Registrar's office last year 21,200 pieces of first class mail and 10,700 pieces bearing one-cent stamps. Besides these, there were mailed, at second-class rates, 18,000 copies of the *University Register* and more than 3,000 circulars.

The office of Public Roads of the United States Department of Agriculture has recently published in circular No. 92, a detailed description of the experimental roadway which has been constructed, in co-operation with the University, on the Forest Home Drive.



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A FEW YEARS MORE may determine whether the growth in student attendance at Cornell and other large universities is to go on indefinitely or whether it is now at the flood. The falling off this year in the number of new students is likely to increase the efficiency of instruction at Cornell. The department of mathematics, for one, reports that the freshman sections are decidedly smaller than last year, and the amount of instruction per capita will be correspondingly greater.

THE ANNUAL SCRAMBLE for freshmen by the thirty fraternities here has practically ceased to be a scramble. This fall it was conducted so quietly under the new rules that the University community hardly knew that any "rushing" was going on. Perhaps the

rule that causes the greatest change from former methods is the one forbidding the meeting of freshmen at trains. The innocent newcomer no longer alights at the station to be surrounded by a swarm of over-cordial students who thrust their hospitality upon him. He is not asked to make any "dates" at all until the evening of the day following the last day of freshman registration. By this time he has had opportunity to get settled in his new quarters and to get his bearings. "Dates" may be made in the freshman's room and at no other place. If several fraternities desire to make engagements for the entertainment of the same man, a chance must first be given him to select one or more of them, if he has any preferences, and the rest decide their order of precedence by lot.

THESE RULES RELIEVE the much-recommended freshmen from harassment, and there is another new rule which is a boon to the entertainers. The fraternities themselves have never pretended to enjoy the "rushing" period and have always heaved a big sigh of relief when it was over. The rule which they seem to welcome most is one which forbids the entertainment of freshmen after 8 o'clock in the evening. This eliminates "rush parties" at the theater and saves considerable expense. There are only three "rushing dates" permitted—the luncheon date, 1 to 3 p. m.; the afternoon date, 3 to 5:30 p. m., and the evening date, 5:30 to 8 p. m. Under this arrangement it is perfectly proper and even compulsory to tell the freshman when it is time for him to go home. No fraternity can have more than four "dates" per week with one man, and not more than two consecutive dates per man. There can be no "rushing" and no "pledging" except between 1 o'clock and 8. Fraternities are increasing in number here, and the manner in which students are solicited to join them is a matter of considerable importance to the undergraduate body. The new way is the better. The newer fraternities here, some of which do not even take Greek names, are essentially boarding clubs, and even the older Greek-letter organizations are essentially that nowadays. In the absence of dormitories, they afford many students an escape from the pettiness of the boarding-house.

TO A HILL-TOWN.

Thomas S. Jones, jr., '04, in the Boston Transcript.

This to you across the swift years
that gather,
This to give for ways that were filled
with gladness,
Ways hill-girt and under the Spring's
first sunrise—
Paths that were golden.

Here they lie in memory's early
keeping,
Wind-swept hills dim-misted with
purple vapor—
One lone hill and three lonely pine-
trees tossing
Black on the sky-line.

For these most—yet dusk on the
lake's still edges,
Dusk and moonlight sweeping a wash
of silver,
Chime of bells and softly an organ's
throbbing
Music and moonlight.

And for them, long gone from the
hills of morning,
Song and laughter, voices that faintly
echo
All to you, who made as a dream of
beauty
Youth's little Springtime!

ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE CORNELL CLUB OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA will hold a smoker on Saturday night, October 15, at the University Club of Pittsburg. All Cornellians in the vicinity of Pittsburg are cordially invited to be present. Plans for the Musical Clubs concert to be given in Pittsburg this winter will be discussed and it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

Notices have been sent to those whose addresses are on the secretary's present address list. If you are residing in the vicinity of Pittsburg and are not receiving these Cornell Club notices from time to time, it is because your name and address are not on the list. If such is the case, please send your name to the secretary, R. R. Lally, 605 North Negley avenue, Pittsburg, Pa.

The Deutscher Verein plans to present "Wilhelm Tell" early in December.

The Cornell Aero Club is engaged in building an aeroplane.

UNIVERSITY CALENDAR

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13.

Sanitary Science and Public Health—"State Control of Certain Insanitary Conditions," Dr. E. H. Porter, New York State Commissioner of Health, Albany, N. Y. Goldwin Smith Hall, Room A, 12 m.

Intercollege Football Association—College of Law vs. College of Architecture. College of Agriculture vs. Veterinary College. Playground, 5 p. m.

Deutscher Verein—Address by Professor A. W. Boesche, "Der deutsche Einheitstraum und seine Erfu'lung." Barnes Hall, West Dome, 8 p. m.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 14.

Faculty Meetings—University Faculty. Boardman Hall, Room C, 4 p. m.

Faculty of the Graduate School. Boardman Hall, Room C immediately after the adjournment of the University Faculty.

Organ Recital—Sage Chapel, 5 p. m.

Cornell Bacteriological Association—Meeting. "Qualitative Bacteriological Methods, with Particular Reference to Soil Investigations," by Mr. H. J. Conn. Room 152, Agronomy Building, College of Agriculture, 8 p. m.

Intercollege Football Association—College of Arts and Sciences vs. Sibley College. College of Architecture vs. College of Civil Engineering. Playground, 5 p. m.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15.

Freshman Football—Wyoming Seminary vs. Cornell Freshmen. Percy Field, 1:30 p. m.

Football—St. Bonaventure vs. Cornell. Percy Field, 3:15 p. m. Admission to both events 75 cents. Admission to St. Bonaventure game alone 50 cents. Reserved seats, steel and covered stands, 25 cents. Season tickets good for admission.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16.

Sage Chapel—The Rev. William L. McEwan, D. D. Third Presbyterian Church, Pittsburg, Pa. Morning service at 11 o'clock. Vesper service at 3:15 o'clock.

Organ Recital.

The following is the program of the weekly organ recital to be given by Mr. Edward F. Johnston in Sage Chapel at 5 o'clock next Friday afternoon:

- Fugue (in the style of Handel) *Guilmant*
- Adagio (from Sonata I) *Mendelssohn*
- Feirlicher Einzug (new) *Strauss-Reger*
- Andantino in D flat *Lemare*
- March for a Church Festival . . *Best*
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FOOTBALL.

Varsity Unable to Score on Oberlin—Good Men Added to the Squad.

The varsity eleven was perhaps a little too confident last Saturday, and its failure to score on Oberlin may do it good. That team from Ohio should not have been underrated. It had crossed Cornell's goal line every fall for three years, scoring, in that time, 21 points to Cornell's 61, last season's score being 16 to 6. The visitors started off with a rush, and had the ball on Cornell's 6-yard line before the men in red jerseys had really begun to play. In the third period Cornell reached Oberlin's 2-yard line only to be held for downs. Butler made an unsuccessful attempt at a field goal. It was the first time this year that the team had met a really strong defence, and the game developed weakness in Cornell's interference. End runs almost invariably resulted in no gain.

During the week Seagrave, Eyrich and Pitcher established good academic standing. Coach Reed was heard to say that these three men were worth six ordinary players. Seagrave has had a year's experience at center, and Eyrich and Pitcher were the freshman ends last fall. Eyrich will probably not be worked hard for a while because examinations have kept him out of practice and he is under his normal weight.

The only scrimmage of the week was held on Thursday afternoon in a driving rain. Several varsity men were out of the line-up. Robb and Simson were lame and were not allowed to play. The Reds scored five touchdowns on the Blues.

Coach Reed is still finding difficulty in picking enough men for a good second team, because afternoon work on the hill interferes with a regular attendance at the field by some of the scrubs. When the squad gets on Alumni Field, as it hopes to do this week, this difficulty may be partly overcome.

OBERLIN 0, CORNELL 0.

Cornell carried the contest into Oberlin's territory early in the first period, but two penalties for offside play compelled Butler to punt. He had an advantage here, but the visitors regained so much ground by rushing that they soon had the ball in midfield. From there they carried it

in two plays to the 15-yard line. At that point Seagrave was sent in to stiffen up the center of the line, and Cornell finally held on the 6-yard line. Captain Simson then replaced Collins. Throughout the second period the ball was in Oberlin's territory, but the Cornell backs could not make their distance. Just as the first half ended Oberlin held for downs on the 20-yard line.

Two fumbles by Oberlin enabled Cornell to get the ball inside the 20-yard line soon after the third period began, but a poor pass from center lost a dozen yards, and with fifteen yards to gain on the third down, Butler tried a field goal. The ball missed the goal by a narrow margin. Oberlin failed to gain from the 25-yard line, where the ball was put in play, and a weak punt gave the leather to Cornell at the same line. Nichols, Simson and O'Connor carried it to within two yards of the Oberlin goal, only to lose it on downs. From then on the game was played almost entirely between the 25-yard lines.

Munk's tackling was a feature of the game, the left tackle getting down the field with the ends several times. Butler's punting was good. The score:

| Cornell | Oberlin |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Whyte, J. S. | left end Pyle |
| Munk | left tackle Kinney |
| Champaign | left guard Curtis |
| Stimson | center McDaniel |
| Hale | right guard Hubbard |
| Austin | right tackle Metcalf |
| Pitcher | right end Kerr |
| Butler | quarterback Nichols |
| O'Connor | left halfback Simson |
| Bates | right halfback Bird |
| Collins | fullback Martin |

Referee—Hackett, West Point.
Umpire—McCarty, Georgetown. Field judge—Evans, Williams. Head linesman—Young, Cornell. Time—Two 12 and two 10 minute periods. Substitutes—Cornell—Eyrich for Whyte, Seagrave for Stimson, Baker for Pitcher, Pitcher for Baker, Nichols for Bates, Bates for Nichols, Simson for Collins. Oberlin—Gray for Pyle, Henderson for Nichols, Nichols for Bird, Bird for Nichols.

The Football Schedule.

(Cornell's score given first).

- Sept. 28. Hobart, 50-0.
- Oct. 1. R. P. I., 24-0.
- Oct. 8. Oberlin, 0-0.
- Oct. 15. St. Bonaventure at Ithaca.
- Oct. 22. Vermont at Ithaca.
- Oct. 29. Williams at Ithaca.
- Nov. 5. Harvard at Cambridge.
- Nov. 12. Chicago at Ithaca.
- Nov. 24. Penn at Philadelphia.

Football Bonfire.

A football mass meeting was held on the library slope last Wednesday night. A big bonfire lighted up the hill. Captain Simson and Coach Reed spoke, and both said that a larger football squad was needed. Reed said that the team was doing better than at any time last year. He was quoted by the *Sun* as follows:

"I have passed the stage when any one in this University can bust me and I intend to strike straight from the shoulder and say what I mean. If football is bad and dangerous to the student body, the only honorable thing for the Faculty to do is to abolish it. But if it is worthy of recognition we should all get behind it and boost it. All the deans of the colleges and most of the professors have their shoulders to the wheel, but there are a few that I could lay my finger on that are not doing their best to help us. We coaches have come back here to give the best we have in us to produce a winning team, and wish to thank the deans of the colleges and the President for the good they have done us. Just recently three players have been released to join us at the field and these men are worth five or six to us. We have been trying our best to play fair with the faculty, and

have kept men from the field when they were short in their examinations, but it does not seem necessary to follow out the rules strictly to the letter. Football will not hurt a man who weighs two hundred pounds and eats four hearty meals a day."

Freshmen Defeat Starkey.

In its first game of the season, the freshman football team defeated the Starkey Seminary eleven on Saturday 47 to 0. More than sixty men turned out for the 1914 team and the squad is coached by S. G. Hoffman '10. It includes a lot of rangy youngsters, and the varsity coaches speak well of them. They had had only two scrimmages before the Starkey game. They made free use of the forward pass, succeeding in six out of nine attempts for average gains of twenty-five yards. Hill, right halfback, made long gains around the ends and kicked seven goals from touchdowns, missing only once.

More than a hundred and forty men have registered for the freshman crew. Fall practice was begun on the machines last Friday, under Mr. Courtney's supervision.

Fall baseball practice has begun on the playground.

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'81.—Myron N. Tompkins, of Ithaca, is the Republican nominee for Member of Assembly from Tompkins county.

'84, B. S.—Franklin A. Coles, of Glen Cove, N. Y., is the Republican candidate for surrogate of Nassau county.

'98, LL. B.—John F. Murtaugh, of Elmira, is the Democratic nominee

for state senator for the Forty-first senatorial district.

'98, LL. B.—Frederick P. James, an attorney at Lockport, N. Y., has received the Republican nomination for Member of Assembly for the First Assembly District of Niagara county. Mr. James graduated from Yale in the class of 1895 and from the Cornell law school in the class of 1898. He was a member of Phi Delta Phi and was on the Cornell Glee Club. While at the law school here he organized and was president of the Yale Club at Cornell.

'00, M. E.—A second son was born in July to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Will, of Rochester, N. Y. He has been named Munro. The boy's father expects that in due course he will enter Cornell about 1928.

'01, B. S. A.; '04, M. A.—A daughter was born on September 28 to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Ruggles (Bessie M. Dyer '04), of 1465 Raymond avenue, St. Anthony Park, St. Paul, Minn. She has been named Elizabeth Dyer. Mr. Ruggles is now assistant professor of entomology in the University of Minnesota and is also assistant in entomology at the experiment station.

'02, A. B.—Henry Schoellkopf has been elected a trustee of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.

'04, C. E.—The address of C. M. Reppert is changed to 304 West North avenue, North Side, Pittsburgh, Pa.

'04, C. E.—M. Arturo Monge is chief engineer in the technical bureau of the national commission of bridges and roads of the Argentine Republic. His address is Casilla Correo 998, Buenos Ayres.

'05, LL. B.—The October issue of *The Editorial Review*, a monthly magazine devoted to the discussion of legal and economic topics, contains an extended article on "The Law and the Commuter," written by William L. Ransom, of New York, attorney for the allied commercial and commuters' organizations which are resisting recent advances in commutation rates.**Take a Homestead in Montana**

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'06, A. B.—Margaret Loomis Stecker has re-entered the University as a graduate student in political and social science.

'06, M. E.—Harry R. Halloran has been promoted to the position of superintendent of the testing and standardizing departments of the municipal lighting plant of Sydney. His address is Culragie, New South Head Road, Double Bay, Sydney, Australia.

'07, C. E.—Henry W. Maynard was married on September 21 to Miss Valeria Stone Goodenow, of New York, a graduate of Vassar and daughter of the late Colonel Nathan C. Goodenow. The wedding ceremony took place at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, in New York. After November 1 Mr. and Mrs. Maynard will be at home at 1965 East Sixty-sixth street, Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Maynard is with the Brown Hoisting Machinery Company of that city.

'07, A. B.—M. L. Wilson is now principal of the high school at Mauch Chunk, Pa.

'07, A. B.—William J. Dugan was married on Saturday evening, October 8, to Miss Doris Dunbar, of Buffalo. The wedding ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harris T. Dunbar, 1247 Main street. Howard M. Rogers '07, of Indianapolis, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Dugan will be at home in Ithaca after December 1. Mr. Dugan holds the office of graduate manager.

'07, A. B.; '09, A. B.—The address of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warren Sailor is 6111 Washington Boulevard, Oak Park, Ill. Mr. Sailor is with the Heywood Brothers & Wakefield Company as city salesman at 1415 Michigan avenue, Chicago.

'07, C. E.—H. A. Patten, who has been in the office of the State Engineer of Wyoming, for a year and a half as assistant and for a year as Deputy State Engineer, has resigned to open an office for the practice of irrigation engineering in Cody, Wyoming.

'07, M. E.—William Henry Mason is in charge of the elementary drawing in the Sydney Technical School, Sydney, Australia.

'08, M. E.—Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Nellie R. McCormick of Philadelphia and R. G. Pangborn of Baltimore, Md.

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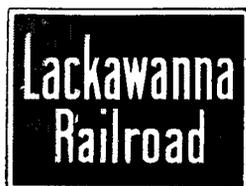
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'08, LL. B.—Howard S. Jones is managing clerk for Kenefick, Cooke, Mitchell & Bass of Buffalo.

'08, A. B.; '10, M. E.—Charles S. Humphrey is with the Bethlehem Steel Company and his address is 442 Seneca street, South Bethlehem, Pa.

'09, C. E.—A. W. Engel has moved from Ambridge, Pa., to 546 Hill street, Sewickley, Pa.

'09, A. B.—Bessie M. Blade is teaching in Campbell-Hagerman College, Lexington, Ky.

'09, C. E.—Fay H. Battey is Assistant Commissioner of Industries of the Chamber of Commerce and Manufacturers' Club of Buffalo. His address is 401-403 Chamber of Commerce, Buffalo, N. Y.

'09, A. B.—Charles Previn is musical director for Al H. Wilson, the "golden voiced singer," playing in first-class theatres in the eastern and southern states. Mr. Previn's address is 70 East Ninety-third street, New York.

'09, M. E.—Fred O. Ebeling's address is 81 Edmund Place, Detroit, Mich. He is in the employment of the Michigan Central Railroad Company.

'10, A. B.—Anna E. Biddle is teaching in the Virginia State Normal School. Her address is 209 Pine street, Farmville, Va.

'10, A. B.—The address of John D. Plant is 8 Perkins Hall, Cambridge, Mass. He is studying in the Harvard School of Business Administration.

'10,—Ralph R. Root, B. S. A. '10, is in the Harvard School of Landscape Architecture, and Llewellyn M. Buell, A. B. '10, is taking graduate work in English. The address of the two is 49 College House, Cambridge, Mass.

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'10, Ph. D.—Mitchell B. Garrett (during the past year a student at the University of Wisconsin) has been appointed assistant professor of history in the University of Mississippi. For a month or two during the past year he filled the post of professor of history at Beloit College.

'10, M. E.—M. S. Canaday's address is 752 Adams street, Gary, Ind.

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