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**L**ITTLE but routine business was transacted by the Trustees at the Board's regular fall meeting on November 10 and the work was completed in one morning session. The Trustees had luncheon at Risley Hall, and they had as their guests there all the commissioned officers of the Army who are detailed to duty in Ithaca—ten in all—including Colonel Frank A. Barton '91, professor of military science and tactics, and Major D. M. Cheston, jr., commandant of the U. S. Army School of Military Aeronautics at Cornell. During the day several members of the board visited the School of Aeronautics in the new drill hall. At its meeting the board received the annual reports of the President and the Comptroller.

THE MEMBERS of the board who attended the meeting were President Schurman; the president of the state agricultural society, Fred W. Sessions of Utica, and the following trustees: Henry H. Westinghouse, Franklin Matthews, J. DuPratt White, Henry W. Sackett, Ira A. Place, Henry R. Ickelheimer, James H. Edwards, Frank H. Miller and John C. Westervelt from New York City; Chief Judge Frank H. Hiscock and Judge Cuthbert W. Pound of the State Court of Appeals, from Albany; C. Sidney Shepard from New Haven, Oswego County; George J. Tansey, St. Louis; Henry J. Patten, Chicago; Ex-Governor Horace White, Syracuse; Herbert D. Mason, Tulsa, Oklahoma; Mrs. Harriet T. Moody, Chicago; Thomas B. Wilson of Hall and W. F. Pratt of Batavia, N. Y., and Andrew D. White, Mynderse VanCleeef, Roger B. Williams, J. T. Newman, R. H. Treman, C. E. Treman and C. H. Blood of Ithaca. The three faculty representatives, Professors Walter F. Willcox, Dexter S. Kimball and J. H. Comstock, were present.

The Trustees on November 10 granted leave of absence to two members of the Faculty for emergency work on account of the war. They are Professor W. D. Bancroft of the department of chemistry, who had gone to Washington to act as general adviser in war research work of the U. S. Bureau of Mines, and Professor Howard E. Babcock of the

College of Agriculture, who had been appointed director of the bureau of conservation of the State Food Commission. A leave of absence for the rest of this academic year was granted to F. R. Georgia, an instructor in chemistry, who has won a commission in the Army, and James F. Kennedy was appointed an assistant to take his place at Morse Hall. Another vacancy in the chemistry staff was filled by the appointment of John T. Chappell as an assistant.

THE Board of Trustees last Saturday formally approved in principle the report of its special committee, Franklin Matthews, R. H. Treman, and J. DuPratt White, outlining a plan for the more adequate support of the General Alumni Association. This plan contemplates a system of pro-rata contribution by the clubs of the various centers of the country to pay the expenses of the association. It was described in the NEWS last week.

IN HONOR of Mr. White's 85th birthday, Professor Quarles substituted a special program, which Mr. White himself had selected, for the regular program of the 587th organ recital, in Bailey Hall on November 9. It was composed of Mendelssohn's third sonata, Tschaiakowsky's Andante Cantabile, the overture to "Der Freischutz," Handel's Largo, and the "Finlandia" of Sibelius.

DR. L. H. BAILEY was elected president of the American Pomological Society at a recent meeting in Boston. This week Dr. Bailey presented a paper before the Society for the Promotion of Agricultural Science in Washington on "Permanent Agriculture and Democracy (suggested by the situation in China)."

THIS WINTER there will be no Junior Week. A final decision to that effect was made by the Interfraternity Association on November 8. Alumni and upper-classmen of the fraternities, in informal conference called by the chairman of the Committee on Student Affairs, had already recommended that there be no festivities of the customary sort this year, and that recommendation had been seconded by the Student Council. The Interfraternity Association ordered not only that the general dances be omitted

but also that no fraternity house parties be held in the period between midyear examinations and the beginning of the second term. The vote in the association was unanimous.

OFFICERS of the Interfraternity Association have been elected for this year. They are: President, Lee H. Clark '18, Brooklyn, Psi Upsilon; vice-president, Charles Wellington Elmer '19, Ithaca, Beta Theta Pi; treasurer, J. H. Cable '18, Lima, Ohio, Delta Tau Delta; secretary, William M. Kendall '19, Buffalo, Delta Upsilon; other members of the executive committee, W. E. Blewett '18, Glen Ridge, N. J., Phi Kappa Sigma; T. M. Malcolm '18, Ithaca, Sigma Phi Epsilon; J. M. Hogan '19, Taylorville, Ill., Kappa Sigma, and Sherman Trowbridge '19, New York, Kappa Alpha. A faculty advisory committee which has been in existence for more than a year was retained for this year. It consists of Professor Kimball, Professor Hammond, and Mr. Hoy.

A CANVASS will be made next week to raise Cornell's share of the national fund for the war work of the Y. M. C. A. More than a hundred students will do the work under the direction of a committee of the Cornell University Christian Association. On that committee are Dr. A. H. Sharpe, chairman; Professor Jacoby, Mr. Fetter, the acting secretary of the association; Harold Flack, secretary of the Cornellian Council, and E. P. Tuttle, president of the association. A mass meeting in Bailey Hall on Sunday afternoon will be addressed by C. W. Whitehair, general secretary of the association, who recently returned from France and is now engaged in the national Y. M. C. A. campaign. The raising of funds for the support of the University Christian Association's own work will also be done next week.

TWO intercollegiate contests are to be arranged this winter by Cornell's debaters. One will be a dual argument with representatives of the University of Pennsylvania, in Philadelphia and Ithaca, and the other will be a disputation with a Colgate team, in Binghamton. Last year the Colgate-Cornell meeting was held in Utica. D. T. Gilmartin, jr., '18, of Westfield, N. J., is the president of the Debate Council this year.

### Walter P. Cooke '91 a Trustee Buffalo Alumnus Elected By the Board to Fill a Vacancy

The Board of Trustees on November 10 elected Walter Platt Cooke, LL.B., '91, of Buffalo, to fill the vacancy in the Board which was left by the death of Mr. George C. Boldt. The term of office will expire in 1921.

Mr. Cooke is a respected and powerful citizen of Buffalo and is already deeply



WALTER P. COOKE '91  
From a photograph by Pirie MacDonald

interested in Cornell. He is the actual head of the law firm of Kenefick, Cooke, Mitchell & Bass; chairman of the board of the Bankers Trust Company of Buffalo; member of the board of directors of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company; vice-president and member of the board of directors of the Marine National Bank of Buffalo; president of the Great Southern Lumber Company, of the New Orleans Great Northern Railroad Company, and of the Buffalo Steamship Company, which operates a line on the Great Lakes; member of the board of directors and secretary of the Buffalo General Electric Company, and a director of the Iroquois Natural Gas Company of Buffalo. He was executor of the estate of the late S. H. Knox and of the estate of the late Frank H. Good-year, both citizens of Buffalo. He is a trustee of the Buffalo Homeopathic Hospital, the Buffalo State Normal School, the Buffalo Seminary, and the Westminster Presbyterian Church. He has been vice-president of the Buffalo

Fine Arts Academy and of the Buffalo Public Library, and he is a member of the board of managers of the Buffalo State Hospital.

In the second Liberty Loan campaign, Mr. Cooke was general chairman of the committee in Buffalo, and Buffalo was one of the cities which sold more than one hundred per cent of its maximum allotment of bonds.

Mr. Cooke has been a leader among the Cornell alumni of Western New York. He has been president of the alumni association of that district and has been unceasingly of service to the association. Last year he served as chairman of the local campaign committee of the Cornellian Council which made Buffalo a generous contributor to the Alumni Fund.

### Tribute to Professor Church Alumni Give a Portrait and a Fund for the Purchase of Books

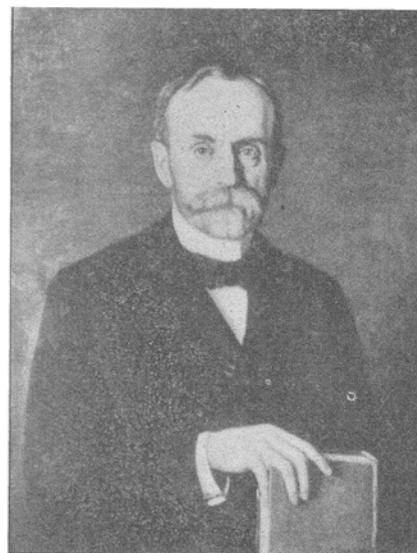
The College of Civil Engineering paid a tribute of affection and respect to the emeritus professor of applied mechanics and hydraulics, Irving Porter Church '73, on November 9. Alumni of the college presented to the University a portrait of Professor Church and the sum of \$2,500 in Liberty Bonds to form the Irving P. Church Fund, the income of which is to be devoted to the purchase of additions to the library of the college.

A simple ceremony of presentation took place at noon in the auditorium of Goldwin Smith Hall. Among the persons assembled were Mr. White and Professors Law, Hewett, Comstock, and Gage—men whose terms of service in the Faculty are comparable in length to that of Professor Church; Mrs. Crandall; the members of the Faculty of Civil Engineering, and a number of other professors.

On the rostrum, veiled, was the portrait lately completed by J. Campbell Phillips. Dean Haskell expressed the pleasure of the Faculty of Civil Engineering in taking part in this tribute to a beloved teacher, and introduced William D. Kelley '80, the representative of the alumni committee which the Cornell Society of Civil Engineers had appointed to provide the double memorial. Mr. Kelley gracefully expressed the affection of the old students for Professor Church and their sense of his great services to the college and to engineering science during so many years. The contributions to this testimonial, he said, had come from Cornell engineers in all parts of the world. He unveiled the portrait

and presented it to the University. Then he took from his pocket the Liberty Bonds constituting the Church Fund and handed them to President Schurman.

The President accepted the gifts in behalf of the University. He congratulated the alumni of the College of Civil Engineering on the value of their testimonial and still more on the propriety of their gift. What other offering, he asked, could be more grateful to a teacher than this double memorial?



PROFESSOR I. P. CHURCH '73  
From the painting by J. Campbell Phillips

The whole University, he said, would be forever in debt to Professor Church's character and scholarship.

Everybody rose as Professor Church advanced to the front of the platform. He apologized for his presence there. What need for him to talk, he said, when a speaking likeness was there to represent him. He accepted gratefully the tribute of his old students, and spoke for a few minutes of his reminiscences of the forty-eight years he had spent at Cornell.

The Board of Trustees next day adopted this resolution: "First, that the communication of Mr. F. W. Scheidhelm, chairman of the committee, be spread on the minutes of this board; secondly, that the sincere thanks of the Trustees be tendered to the committee in charge and to all the Cornell men who have contributed to the gift for this admirable and appropriate tribute to Professor Church; and, thirdly, that it be referred to the Dean of the College of Civil Engineering to hang the portrait in a suitable place."

**Commencement on May 22  
Faculty Votes to Omit Holidays and  
Add Four Weeks to the Long Vacation**

The University Faculty on November 14 voted, if the Trustees approve, to make a considerable change in the University calendar for this year. By means of the change the year's work will be closed four weeks earlier, and Commencement Day will fall on May 22 instead of June 19. The year is to be compacted by reducing the Christmas recess, disregarding Founder's Day, omitting the spring recess altogether, cutting the two term examination periods from nine to six days each, giving up the two day rest between terms, and conferring degrees immediately after the end of final examinations in the spring. The Christmas recess will extend from December 22 to January 1 (both days inclusive). From January 2 until Commencement on May 22 the work of instruction will be unbroken by any holiday.

The Faculty's resolution will be submitted to the administration committee of the Board of Trustees at the committee's next meeting on December 15.

This is the resolution which the Faculty adopted:

"Whereas, it is a patriotic duty to economize all the resources of the nation at the present time, and

"Whereas, without loss of days regularly devoted to instruction, the University can and should, by the reduction of its vacation periods, gain time which its members may devote to the national service, therefore,

"Resolved, that, as a war emergency and with the consent of the Trustees, the University calendar for the current year be modified as follows: Christmas recess December 22 to January 1 (both days inclusive); restoration to the calendar of January 11, February 7 and 8, and April 4 to 10; reduction of Block Week in both terms to six days each; Commencement on May 22 instead of June 19."

In adopting the resolution, the Faculty took action contrary to the expressed wish of a majority of undergraduates, to whom the question had been formally referred on November 13. The first public notice of the proposed change was given in the *Sun* on the morning of the 13th, in the announcement that on that day a poll of the undergraduates would be taken on a resolution to omit holidays so as to add four weeks to the length of the summer vacation of 1918. The *Sun* explained that such increment

of the long vacation would correspondingly increase the ability of students to render agricultural, industrial or military service during the summer—that it would be equivalent to many thousand weeks of work if every undergraduate found employment.

This proposition was put: "Resolved, that the undergraduates of Cornell University recommend to the University Faculty the shortening of Christmas vacation, the giving up of Founder's Day, the abandoning of the two day vacation between terms, and the abandoning of the spring recess in order that the University may end its instruction earlier in the spring. Resolved, further, that this action be taken for the academic year of 1917-18 only, as a measure necessitated by war conditions."

To get the student opinion on the resolution, polling places were provided at the Library Arch and at Roberts Hall on Tuesday. The students of the College of Agriculture, who voted at Roberts, were in favor of the plan by a majority of nine—289 to 280. But the vote at the Library was overwhelmingly against it. The total undergraduate vote was 2,260, of which 1,533 ballots were cast against the plan and only 727 in favor of it.

**FOOTBALL**

**Michigan 42, Cornell 0**

The Cornell eleven was decisively outscored by the Michigan team at Ann Arbor on November 10. The Michigan backfield was the principal reason why the score was so large. Weston and Sparks had all kinds of speed and excellent interference.

<i>Cornell</i>	<i>Michigan</i>
Colvin.....	left end.....Goetz
Ackerknecht.....	left tackle.....Goodsell
Straus.....	left guard.....Culver
S. Trowbridge.....	center.....Lambert
Swanson.....	right guard.....Fortune
Herriman.....	right tackle.....Weske
Harris.....	right end.....Boyd
Nethercot.....	quarterback.....Weston
Cross.....	left halfback.....Sparks
Hoffman.....	right halfback.....Hanish
Pendleton.....	fullback.....Wieman

Substitutions—Cornell: Eisenbrandt for Harris, A. B. Trowbridge, jr., for Ackerknecht, Carry for Hoffman, Hoffman for Pendleton, Pendleton for Hoffman, Hoffman for Carry, Minier for Pendleton, Carry for Hoffman, Hoffman for Minier, Spiegelberg for Eisenbrandt, Petrie for Colvin, Schmidt for Herriman; Michigan: Froemke for Sparks, Cruze for Froemke, Froemke for Cruze, Cartwright for Goetz, Morrison for Weske, Cohn for Hanish, Genebach for Wieman. Touchdowns—Weston 3, Sparks, Hanish, Cohn. Goals from touchdowns—Wieman 5, Cohn. Referee—Mr. Eckersall, Chicago. Umpire—Mr. Holderness, Lehigh. Field Judge—Mr. Evans, Williams. Linesman—Mr. Haines, Yale.

**The Comptroller's Report**

**During 1916-17 the Accumulated Deficit  
Was Reduced by \$70,000**

In his report to the Board of Trustees for the fiscal year, July 1, 1916, to June 30, 1917, the Comptroller, Mr. E. L. Williams, says:

"The total income applicable to the payment of current expenses for the year, including gifts for Residential Halls, etc., and excluding the state colleges, amounted to \$1,867,262.85, of which there was expended \$1,829,659.80, leaving an excess of income over the amount disbursed for the year of \$37,603.05. Allowing for an increase of \$4,794.95 in the amount of income due special purposes and not available for general expenses, and for a reduction of \$36,309.64 in the reappropriations necessary to meet obligations already incurred, including that portion of the Morse Hall insurance not appropriated for replacing apparatus and supplies and repairing the building for temporary use, the net surplus for the year was \$69,117.74. This surplus resulted from the excess of items of income over the estimates on which the appropriation was based, of which the larger were the receipt from the State of \$29,250 under the emergency appropriation to cover the cost of tuition of agricultural students for work done in the College of Arts and Sciences in excess of the amount provided in the appropriation bill, fees from students \$7,098, Summer Session of 1916, \$6,305, Residential Halls, \$9,090, and from interest on invested funds, \$5,646. There was also a saving of approximately \$11,000 in appropriations unused and allowed to lapse.

"Deducting this surplus from the \$157,891.74 deficit of July 1, 1916, accumulated during the preceding years, including \$34,894, in 1916 due to the change of the University fiscal year from August 1st to July 1st, reduces the accumulated deficit of current income to \$88,774.

"The income of the New York State Veterinary College amounted to \$89,045.50 and the expense to \$93,651.97. The State College of Agriculture received during the year from appropriations from the state and from student's fees and sales of products \$1,161,465.26. The expense of the College aggregated \$1,095,480.23. A large part of the excess of income over expense was due to the reimbursement of the University by the State of over \$40,000 for vouchers, payment of which had been advanced by the University."

## President's Annual Report Deals with War Conditions

**I**N his annual report for the year 1916-17, President Schurman confines his review of the year to a single theme—the effects of the war upon Cornell University and the services which the University has been able to render in the work of strengthening the nation. Those services have been of two kinds—regular work of the University whose immediate value stood out in relief in the light of war, and special or emergency services. The former kind of service includes the work of the University's military department, and to that work the President devotes some space. He tells of its organization and personnel, the establishment of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps, the annual inspection, and the designation by the War Department of this University, for the fourth successive year, as a distinguished college because of excellence in military work. Two photographs of the inspection of last May are made a frontispiece to the President's report.

### The School of Aeronautics

Among the special services which the University has been able to render the Government, President Schurman gives prominence to the School of Aeronautics. He says:

"Perhaps the most important of the war-time activities in which the University is directly engaged is that of conducting in the very heart of the campus the United States Army School of Military Aeronautics. It is termed a 'ground' school and no instruction in actual flying is given. The curriculum includes instruction in about thirty subjects in the following main groups: military studies, engines, airplanes, aids to flight, aerial observation, gunnery, signaling, and radio. The course extends over a period of eight weeks, a group of cadets graduating and a new group being received every week. The cadets are carefully selected after physical and mental examinations, and they are keen for the work. Courses are made as strenuous and intensive as possible, not only to give the maximum amount of instruction in the time available, but also to eliminate all but the best of the candidates. The school opened on the 21st of May and soon had an enrollment of two hundred. This attendance has been rapidly and steadily increased, and the weekly admissions arranged to take effect in November will raise the enroll-

ment to about six hundred. The teaching staff consisting of teachers actually appointed or already authorized numbers forty-seven persons, and in addition there is a reasonable force of clerks, stenographers, and other assistants. The teaching staff contains a considerable number of men who have been detailed exclusively to this service from the faculty of Cornell University, and a large proportion of the remainder are Cornell graduates who have been drawn from other vocations.

"From the time of the opening of the school in May until September the cadets were housed in Schoellkopf Hall, which had been granted for this purpose by the Athletic Association, and they messed in the Cascadilla and Sage dining halls, while they received their instruction in various buildings on the university campus. As the numbers increased, it became necessary to use a portion of the old armory as additional barracks. It was, of course, recognized at the outset that these buildings would not be available for the use of the school when the regular work of the University opened in September. And the problem of finding a suitable local habitation for the school was rendered more difficult of solution by the fact that experience had shown the desirability, both from the point of view of economy of time and effectiveness of military discipline, of housing the school under a single roof. The only building on the campus which met the conditions was the new armory or drill hall, the construction of which was completed during the holidays. Although the military department of the University had planned to take possession of this building in September, 1917, it was, with the exception of a portion of the basement, turned over to the United States Army School of Military Aeronautics.

"In order to adapt the building to the special needs of the school the main drill hall was provided with a temporary wooden floor and was partitioned off into numerous compartments to provide a mess hall, sleeping quarters, and laboratories for instruction in engines, machine guns, aerial observation, and airplanes. The rooms in the towers and between the towers were set aside for class rooms and offices. Before these changes were completed a further increase in the number of cadets made it necessary to provide a separate temporary mess hall,

which is being erected just south of the new drill hall on what will ultimately be the alumni baseball field, and also to construct additional lavatories, an engine test house, and a shooting range for machine gun practice. Towards defraying the cost of these special temporary constructions for the use of the School of Aeronautics the Trustees have already appropriated out of the treasury of the University the sum of \$32,000, and additional appropriations of a considerable amount will be necessary from the same source to provide for their completion.

"The authorities of the University have not hesitated to perform what they regarded as a high patriotic duty, even though it should result in a financial loss to the University,—a consummation, however, which they will use every effort to avert. They feel that the training of officers for the Aviation Section of the Signal Corps of the United States Army is one of the most important fields of endeavor which the University could enter at the present time. Every effort is being put forth to make this school at Cornell the best of its kind in the country. And there is the most reliable evidence for stating that the War Department has a high appreciation of the prompt, generous, and effective cooperation which it has received from the authorities of Cornell University."

### Enrollment and Revenues

The President gives the student enrollment of November 1, 1916, and November 1, 1917 (see the table on the opposite page), showing a diminution of 1,405 in the number of students. And he says:

"This decline in the attendance, considerable as it is, is smaller than was anticipated when the budget for the year 1917-18 was adopted by the Board of Trustees at their meeting in June. That budget, indeed, was ready for final adoption by the Board at their meeting on April 21, 1917. But the entrance of the United States into the great world-war a few days earlier led to a postponement of action on the budget until the June meeting. In the interval the expenditures proposed were cut down in view of the anticipated decline in the attendance in 1917-18. As the expenses of operation of the University as a physical entity could not be reduced but would rather be increased by the war, it was not possible to make any diminu-

tion in the items specified for that purpose. Some proposed and greatly needed improvements were, however, postponed, but the principal reduction in the budget was due to the decrease in the number of the instructing staff who were to continue in active service throughout the year 1917-18. A good many instructors whose terms expired in June entered the Army or Navy or other branches of the public service and their places were not filled, and leaves of absence were given to a number of professors and assistant professors for the same purpose. Of course no reductions in the instructing staff in any department were permitted which would bring it below the requirements of the estimated attendance of students for 1917-18. And, although that estimate was more or less of a guess, it coincided to a very remarkable degree with the actual registration figures of September.

"After all these reductions in the budget had been made, it seemed probable that the Trustees, at the close of the year 1917-18, would be confronted with a deficit on the year's operations of considerably more than \$100,000. My recommendation, however, was that all university work should go on during the war as in the past, and in this view the Trustees and also the Deans, who had been brought into consultation, unanimately concurred. It was the universal conviction that the University owed it to the Republic and to the rising generation to keep trimmed and burning the lights of learning and science, no matter how great the sacrifices or how large the debt incurred. If, in loyal devotion to its duty, it became necessary for Cornell in this great emergency to run in debt, the American public, it was believed, would not allow the University's activity permanently to languish for lack of additional funds. Patriotism demanded the full measure of service of every individual and every institution, and the education of young men and women was a high service incumbent upon our universities. Whatever actual deficiency the Treasurer's books may show in June, 1918, must be accepted as a part of the cost of the war to the University.

"Already the faith of the authorities of the University has been justified by the results. The registration of students for the first term is now practically finished, the instructing staff is complete, and the work of the year is in regular running order. Nothing has happened to vary the estimate made last spring of the probable income of the University

	Nov. 1, 1916			Nov. 1, 1917		
	Men	Women	Total	Men	Women	Total
Graduate.....	317	50	367	186	42	228
Arts and Sciences.....	1048	358	1406	808	408	1216
Agriculture.....	1182	280	1462	728	287	1015
Medicine.....	149	29	178	138	36	174
Law.....	237	10	247	174	12	186
Veterinary.....	155	0	155	103	0	103
Architecture.....	154	7	161	82	7	89
Civil Engineering.....	398	0	398	230	0	230
Mechanical Engineering.....	937	2	939	641	2	643
	4577	736	5313	3090	794	3884
Duplicates.....	40	9	49	20	5	25
Total.....	4537	727	5264	3070	789	3859

from other sources than fees from students, and the fees already collected or due for the first term now make it possible to estimate with considerable accuracy the receipts to be expected from this source during the year. A fresh investigation of all the facts of the financial situation has at my request been made with great care by the Treasurer of the University, and from his report, dated November 1, which is now before me, it appears that the financial outlook for the year is better than was anticipated in June, and the deficit on the year's operations will in all probability be considerably less than \$100,000. Whatever the amount, there are surely friends of the University and patriotic citizens who would esteem it a privilege to make up this deficit to an institution which has rendered such whole-souled and effective service to the Republic in the present emergency.

**The Financial Showing for 1916-17**

"Fortunately the financial showing for the year 1916-17 was a good one. Payments of arrears (more particularly \$29,250 from the State for instruction furnished by the University to the State College of Agriculture) and unexpected increases of receipts from sundry sources (fees, \$7,098.79; residential halls, \$9,090.12; summer session, \$6,305; invested funds, \$5,646.41), along with the lapsing of some appropriations and miscellaneous receipts combined to increase the income actually received by the University over the estimate and to make a surplus for the year 1916-17 of \$69,117.74.

"In the year 1915-16 the change by the University of the close of its fiscal year from August 1 to July 1 had (July being a month of large income and small

expenditures) converted a twelve months' actual surplus of almost \$5,000 into an eleven months' book deficit of \$34,894.59. This book-keeping shortage of nearly \$40,000 had raised the total university indebtedness to \$157,891.74—a deficiency otherwise accumulated by paying out of income for additional lands and new buildings and other permanent improvements. The surplus of \$69,117.74 for the year 1916-17 left the total deficit on June 30, 1917, at \$88,774.00. It will be seen that nearly half of this deficit is due to the above mentioned change of fiscal year in 1915-16."

**Problems of the Time**

The year 1917-18, President Schurman says, should be a good year for university work, and also a good year for university reforms. "Certainly today is not the time, and Cornell was never the place, for the congregation of young men who are idlers and drifters." "Next to raising the intellectual tone and vitality of American colleges and universities," he believes, "no reform is more necessary than the regulation and control of athletics, which are a constant menace to the intellectual and scholarly life and spirit of those institutions. It may not be necessary to abolish all intercollegiate athletics; indeed, the President of the United States has recently declared in favor of their continuance and few men know better the problems to which they give rise."

President Schurman says that the year 1917-18 is "likely to test severely the academic belief in and devotion to the doctrine of academic freedom of thought and speech," and he continues: "Perhaps no institution in the land has insisted on it more strenuously than

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**W**HEN the announcement was made in September that Cornell would play football this fall, the warning was given that some defeats were to be expected. Attention was called to the fact that almost without exception the regular Cornell players who would have been eligible this fall had entered military service. Without those men, it was explained, a team of the usual skill could not be developed. And notice was given that Cornell would measure its success in football this fall, not by the ordinary standard of victory or defeat, but by the training which football playing might afford some of its students. No complaint was heard until after the Michigan game, when some undergraduates thought things were not going well and raised the old cry that the community ought to "get behind the team." Their feeling found expression through the *Sun*. Dr. Sharpe

replied in a letter to the editor of the *Sun* in which he made these observations:

"I should like to state as a cold fact and as no reflection on any college or university that wherever there is in this country a football team whose record can be compared to the record of that team in former years in a favorable manner such a college or university has not suffered from the war as far as its football material is concerned, in any appreciable manner, and that there is no team playing to-day that is making a good record that has not either veteran or experienced material around which to build. Can you conceive of Harvard, Princeton, or Yale producing a team this year that could compare with their teams of former years? Well, the only difference between those teams and Cornell is that Cornell is playing and they are not.

"It would be very easy to avoid such scores as 42-0 by simply not playing; but if the value of intercollegiate athletics is what the United States Government and what our Council think it is, Cornell will continue to build men for future service regardless of scores.

"It is not a question of winning as much as being trained to play the game as if you were winning.

"Let us hope our Cornell teams will continue to do that, and our undergraduates will back them in the same spirit."

#### WEBSTER '02 ELECTED—A DINNER TO BE GIVEN IN HIS HONOR

Richardson Webster '02 was elected Register of Kings County on November 6. His fellow members of the University Club of Brooklyn have arranged a dinner in celebration of the event, to be held at the clubhouse, Lafayette Avenue and South Oxford Street, on the evening of Saturday, November 24. Webster's classmates and other friends are invited to join with the club members in subscribing to the dinner.

#### 588th ORGAN RECITAL

Sage Chapel, Friday, November 16, 5 p.m.

Professor James T. Quarles, Organist

Sonata Appassionata (Opus 57) . . . *Krygell*

Andante, allegro appassionata

Andante doloroso

Vivace maestoso

Gavotte from "Iphigenie en Aulie"

*Gluck*

Canon in B minor . . . . . *Schumann*

Deep River (Negro folk-song)

Coronation March from "Le Prophète"

*Meyerbeer*

#### Third Training Camps

##### New Ruling Affects College Men Now in Military Service

An important ruling has been made by the Secretary of War with regard to the selection of college men for the third series of officers' training camps. The effect of the ruling is to permit a graduate who is already in the military service, either enlisted or drafted, to be designated by his university to attend one of the camps.

The third training camps will open on January 5. They are designed primarily for enlisted men. The number of college men admitted will be limited to 2,490. Cornell's quota is fifty-two and the University may designate fifty-two alternates also. Applications are received until December 1st. Applicants must apply on blanks provided for the purpose and must forward the completed application to "the Instructor in Military Tactics" of the institution from which the applicant graduated.

A copy of a circular letter has come to Col. F. A. Barton, professor of military science and tactics at Cornell, from the Adjutant General of the Army, announcing the new ruling, as follows:

"1. Letters have been received from a number of the examining officers, indicating that they desired to consider the applications of graduates now in the military service, either enlisted or drafted, This is authorized.

"Should you select and designate any such men for attendance the procedure will be as follows:

"(a) Such men need not be called for personal or physical examination.

"(b) Inform the Division Commander (in the case of men in National Guard and National Army Divisions) or the Commanding General of the Department in which the man is serving (in the case of men in Regular Army) that you have designated the man to be admitted as part of the quota from your institution and request that he be ordered to report to the Division training school (if National Guard or drafted) or to the proper training school (if irregular army.)

"2. Where you designate a drafted man not yet in service the procedure should be as follows:

"(a) Report to the man's Local Board and to the Adjutant General of the State in which the man registered for the draft, the fact that you have selected him to attend.

"(b) Make the same report to the Commanding General of the Department which includes the man's State."

**Resolutions of Sorrow**

**The Trustees Record the Services of Four Men Recently Departed**

Resolutions were adopted by the Trustees on November 10 expressing their sorrow at the deaths of Col. Oliver H. Payne, the benefactor of the Medical College; Dr. Lewis A. Stimson of the Medical Faculty; Librarian Emeritus George W. Harris, and Secretary Harry A. Hitchcock.

**Col. Oliver H. Payne**

The death of Colonel Payne was the subject of this resolution:

"The Board of Trustees, at this their first meeting since the death of Colonel Oliver Hazard Payne, put upon record an expression of their sense of the great loss which the University has sustained through the death of this munificent benefactor. The Cornell University Medical College, which Colonel Payne founded and endowed, but with which he modestly refused to connect his name, will perpetuate for all time his interest in the alleviation and prevention of human suffering and his devotion to the advancement of medical science and the improvement of medical education."

**The Loss of Dr. Stimson**

Of Dr. Stimson's death the following was recorded:

"Resolved, That the Board of Trustees of Cornell University, assembled at their first meeting since the June Commencement, express to Mr. Henry Lewis Stimson and Miss Candace Stimson their sincere sympathy with them on the death of their father, Dr. Lewis Atterbury Stimson.

"Dr. Stimson was known personally to many members of the board. All recognized his devotion to the Cornell University Medical College, in the founding and upbuilding of which he was so large a factor, as the Trustees have already recognized in giving his name to the new hall occupied by the Ithaca division of the college.

"Dr. Stimson was already one of the foremost surgeons of the country before the Cornell University Medical College was founded, and he occupied the chair of surgery in the college from the beginning to the day of his death. His scientific knowledge, his practical skill, and his high professional reputation were a most valuable asset to the Faculty. He was during all this time a member of the Medical College Council, and his interest in the institution, his solicitude for its advancement, and his services on its behalf were as unremitting as they were great and invaluable.

"Dr. Stimson had a genius for friendship. Warm-hearted, constant, loyal in his attachments, he loved his friends and stood by them under all circumstances; yet no man was less given to the expression of sentiment, about which indeed he was peculiarly reticent.

"The great world-war stirred him deeply. Pro-Ally from the beginning of the conflict, he saw the danger to America long before our Government took official action. And when finally the nation took up the gauntlet which the aggressor had thrown down no patriot in the land felt deeper and more unalloyed satisfaction. With America's entrance into this world-war for security and freedom he could say with a truthfulness no American could surpass: 'Now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace.'"

**Mr. Harris's Life of Devotion**

The Trustees recorded this tribute to the memory of Mr. Harris:

"The Trustees of Cornell University desire to place on record their appreciation of the character and services of the late Librarian Emeritus, George William Harris. Mr. Harris came to the University as an undergraduate in 1869 and from that date until his death on October 11th, 1917, his connection with this institution was unbroken by ill health or leave of absence. Scarcely a parallel to this continuous residence of almost half a century can be found in the annals of the University. \* \* \*

"He was a wise administrator, sparing no toil in devising means to secure for the Library the maximum of usefulness in the academic community, a careful guardian of the expenditure of funds, and a resourceful adviser of scholars who sought bibliographical information. He had an ardent affection for the Library, of which to a certain extent he was the creator, and a profound loyalty to the University in general. The University loses in him an inspiring example of devotion to duty, of punctual and punctilious methods of labor, and of self-sacrificing service."

**Mr. Hitchcock's Death**

The recent untimely death of the Secretary of the University was made the subject of this expression of sorrow:

"Resolved, that the Board of Trustees express to Mrs. Hitchcock their sincere sympathy with her on the death of her husband, Mr. Harry Alton Hitchcock, and record at the same time their regret that the University loses so prematurely the able and generous service on which he entered in 1916 as Secretary."

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Cornell. On that account it is especially incumbent on the Cornell community, while continuing to adhere inflexibly to their views on academic freedom, to recognize the duties and proprieties which the just assertion of this fundamental right necessarily involves especially in time of war. It cannot of course be reconciled with treason or sedition. If it be urged that the abstract right reaches to everything beyond that forbidden area, it is proper to point out that the duties of good citizenship may fairly impose voluntary limitations upon the exercise of the right. There is a presumption in war time in favor of not embarrassing the Government by criticism even when one's private opinion may not coincide with the policy which the Government pursues; for the Government represents for the time being the will of the Nation, and criticism tends to paralyze volition and action. Certainly the Nation has a right to expect that every critic shall make it clear that he is for America and not for the enemies of America and that he is not indifferent to the issues for which America contends by force of arms. Yet minorities must be heard, and views must not be suppressed solely because they are unpopular: otherwise moral and intellectual progress would be impossible. Abuses of academic freedom are not anticipated at Cornell, but should they unfortunately occur the policy of professorial representation on the Board of Trustees, which has justified itself so thoroughly by the experience of the year, is likely to enable the authorities to deal more justly and wisely with the matter than would seem to be possible in the case of universities in which the board of trustees or governing body is absolutely divorced from the faculty."

### Problems of the Future

The concluding paragraph of the report is entitled "Problems of the Future." In it the President says:

"There is an old saying that in time of peace we should prepare for war. It is equally important in time of war to prepare for peace. And the universities, as the intellectual organs of the Nation, should be scanning the future and forecasting the nature of the problems which will devolve upon them after the close of the war. I do not pretend to the gift of prophecy, but it is obvious that after this world-war neither America nor any other country will go on as though the war had never been. Men and women

in all the warring nations will have new problems, interests, and needs. They will have a broader horizon than ever before, for the war has introduced them to the world. The war, too, has developed and fostered material inventions and scientific discoveries and modes of economic and political organization which are likely to prove useful to societies under conditions of peace. And as to-day in war, so to-morrow in peace, the organization of international relations will claim an attention which that problem never before received. To these and other great problems which the war has created or accentuated university men should be looking forward as the challenge and opportunity which the future, the immediate future, holds out to them. Their manner of dealing with those problems—scientific, economic, social, and international—will test, as they have never before been tested, the capacity of American colleges and universities for the intellectual leadership of the Nation. If Cornell University is to rise to this high occasion there must be vision and devotion to the public welfare in her scholars, investigators, thinkers, and leaders, and she must enjoy the confidence and support of the citizens of the Republic and especially of the State of New York."

### Conference Committees

A list of the members of faculty conference committees is printed below. Each of these committees consists of the dean of a college and two members chosen by the faculty of that college. Any of these committees may confer with committees of the Board of Trustees on matters affecting the welfare of its college. The members are chosen for varying terms. For this year they are the deans and these professors:

Graduate School.—C. H. Hull and E. L. Nichols.

Arts and Sciences.—W. A. Hammond and M. W. Sampson.

Law.—C. T. Stagg and O. L. McCaskill.

Architecture.—A. C. Phelps and O. M. Brauner.

Civil Engineering.—H. S. Jacoby and H. N. Ogden.

Mechanical Engineering.—Herman Diederichs and D. S. Kimball.

Faculty of Medicine at Ithaca.—Secretary Kerr and Professors S. Simpson and B. F. Kingsbury.

Summer Session.—Director Bristol and Professors A. W. Browne and V. Snyder.

## OBITUARY

### Oscar L. Taylor '81

Oscar Livingston Taylor '81, of St. Paul, Minn., died on November 6 at his home after a brief illness of heart trouble.

Mr. Taylor was born at Freeport, Ill., on September 1, 1858, the son of Oscar and Martha Malvina (Snow) Taylor. He studied at the Freeport High School, and entered Cornell in 1877. After his graduation with the degree of Bachelor of Science in 1881 he settled in St. Paul and was there engaged in the real estate business until his death. During the many years of his residence there he was a public-spirited and a useful citizen. He was identified with the Associated Charities of the city and with a state anti-tuberculosis campaign. After leading in the organization of the St. Paul Athletic Club he was elected to be its first president, and he was chairman of the building committee which subsequently had charge of the erection of a new clubhouse. He was president of several business corporations and belonged to various clubs.

He married Miss Nora Tilghman West of Edwardsville, Ill., in 1885. She survives him, with two sons, Donald West Taylor, '08 who is now in the army aviation service, and Gilbert Morris Taylor '16, a second lieutenant in the Engineer Reserve Corps.

Mr. Taylor was a member of the Alpha Delta Phi fraternity. During his undergraduate days he was distinguished as much for his all-around interest and activity as for his love of pranks. He belonged to the Christian Association, the Tom Hughes Boat Club, and the Glee Club. Years afterward, at a class reunion, he confessed that it was he and Frank S. Washburn '83, later a Trustee of the University, who purloined from the Library, one March night in 1881, the bust of Vice-President "Billy" Russel and hung it aloft on an arm of the old weather signal pole. That incident was chronicled with illustrations in the *Cornelian* of 1881. Mr. Taylor never lost a warm interest in the University's welfare. He often returned to Ithaca, and he was an active member and a past president of the alumni association of St. Paul.

THE STATUE of Ezra Cornell which Herman Atkins MacNeil is executing will be placed between Morrill and McGraw Halls, facing the Quadrangle. The Trustees so determined at their meeting last Saturday.

## ALUMNI NOTES

'95, C.E.—Captain Norman B. Livermore, Corps of Engineers, U.S.R., is probably "somewhere in France." Livermore was president of N. B. Livermore & Company in San Francisco. He applied for a commission and was made a captain. He took four days to arrange his business so that he could leave it, went to a training camp, and, at the end of six weeks, was ordered by telegraph to report at once in an Atlantic port ready to sail for abroad.

'95, B.L.—William F. Atkinson of Brooklyn was chairman of the Life Insurance Agents Committee in the second Liberty Loan campaign. The committee had about a thousand agents working in an office-to-office canvass and sold \$2,410,000 worth of the bonds. The chairmanship of the committee was given to "Billy At" because he is president of the Life Underwriters Association.

'99, M.E.—Captain Robert H. Hazeltine, New York Coast Artillery, is stationed at Fort Wadsworth, New York.

'04, C.E.—Newton C. Fassett, of Spokane, Wash., formerly of Elmira, has enlisted as a private in the U. S. Army Ambulance Corps and is under orders to proceed to the training camp at Allentown, Pa.

'04, M.E.—Captain Samuel H. McLeary, Coast Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, has been relieved from duty in the Philippine Islands and assigned to the coast defences of New Orleans.

'05, M.E.—Captain Robert M. Falkenau, Quartermaster Corps, U.S.R., is with the American Expeditionary Forces.

'06, M.E.—William H. Carden, 426 Belmont Avenue, Chicago, has been a captain in the Engineer O.R.C. since June 28. He is now on duty at the engineer officers' training school, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

'07, A.B.—Theodore K. Bushnell, of Denver, graduated from the first training camp at Fort Riley in August and received a commission as second lieutenant of infantry in the National Army. He embarked on September 6 and landed on September 23 "somewhere in France." He was assigned to a school of military instruction in France, expecting to be ordered to active duty after November 7.

'09, M.E.—Rodman M. Cornell, first lieutenant, Signal Corps, U.S.R., is now stationed at Little Silver, N. J.

'09, M.E.—T. W. Eustis, jr., formerly with the General Electric Company at

Butte, Montana, is now a first lieutenant in the Signal Corps, U. S. Army. His address is Hotel Continental, Washington, D. C.

'09, M.E.—After a residence of two years in San Juan, Porto Rico, "looking at the foreign bunkering game," Roy H. Cunningham is returning to his home at 1520 Kanawha Street, Charleston, W. Va., to take charge of his own coal mining company. His daughter and first child, Florence Gloria Cunningham, was born at San Juan on October 1st.

'10, M.E.—John P. Brooks of Elyria, Ohio, is in the Signal Enlisted Reserve Corps of the Army and is now in training at San Diego, Cal.

'10, M.E.—Reid Jones of San Antonio, Texas, has received a commission as captain in the Corps of Engineers, U.S.R., and is attending the training school at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

'10, C.E.—E. F. Hettrick is president of the E. F. Hettrick Engineering Company, Empire Building, Birmingham, Alabama. He announces the birth of a son, Stephen William Hettrick, on June 13, 1917. He has a daughter two years old. Hettrick at present has a contract with the R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Company for the erection of a large plant at Maysville, Ky.

'10, A.B.—A son, Nixon Griffis, was born on October 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Griffis of New York.

'10, M.E.—Edward S. Crosby, of Trenton, N. J., has received a commission as captain in the Ordnance Department, Reserve Corps.

'10, M.E.—Felix Thomas, of New York City, has received a commission as first lieutenant in the Ordnance Department, Reserve Corps.

'10, B.Arch.—Bertram P. Floyd, who is a superintendent with the Aberthaw Construction Company of Boston, is in charge of the building of a new boiler plant for the Government, in connection with the destroyer program. Linton Hart '14, who is New England manager for the Raymond Concrete Pile Company, also is interested.

'11, A.B.—Edwin E. Sheridan has received a commission as ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve and is now in the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis for a special course of four months preparatory to sea duty. Clarence H. Cull '11 is a member of the same class at the Naval Academy.

'11, M.E.—Henry Webster Ford is vice-president and superintendent of the

Agar Mfg. Co., manufacturers of corrugated paper products, Bush Terminal No. 20, Brooklyn, N. Y.

'11, M.E.—Arthur Meredyth ("Mary") Roberts, of Birmingham, Alabama, has graduated from the U. S. Army School of Military Aeronautics at the Georgia School of Technology and has been ordered to Mineola.

'11, M.E.—Donald C. Oliphant is a first lieutenant in the Ordnance Department, U.S.R., and is assigned to the motor section.

'11, A.B.—Charles C. Marshall, treasurer of the Hope Webbing Company, Providence, R. I., is in the Aviation Section, Signal Enlisted Reserve Corps, U. S. Army.

'12, B.S.—A daughter, Jane Mary, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Dibble of Lima, N. Y., on September 16, 1917.

'12, M.E.—Theodore C. Braun is engineer for the Dixie Chemical Corporation, Petersburg, Va., engaged in the recovery of potash salts from wood ashes.

'12, B.Arch.—George Bain Cummings of New York has a commission as first lieutenant in the construction division, Aviation Section, Signal Corps, U. S. Army.

'12, M.E.—Joseph F. Matthai is a lieutenant in the 319th Infantry, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va.

'12, M.E.—Guy T. Morris is an assistant examiner in the U. S. Patent Office and lives at 2625 Garfield Street, Washington, D. C. He received the degree of M.S. from George Washington University last June. He is now part-time instructor in electrical engineering at the same university, taking some of the courses of C. W. Mortimer '07, the former incumbent, who resigned recently to join the patent department of The Barrett Company, 17 Battery Place, New York.

'12, B.Arch.—Ben C. Bloch, 526 Eighth Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., is a sergeant in the Quartermaster Corps, with station at Governors Island, New York.

'12, C.E.—A son, Edmund Lynch, jr., was born on September 17, 1917, to Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Lynch, 1408 South Arch Avenue, Alliance, Ohio.

'13, A.B.—Joseph A. Carr is in the officers' training camp at the Presidio of San Francisco.

'13, LL.B.—Dudley S. Ingraham of Bristol, Conn., enlisted as a private in the medical corps of the regular army, was sent at first to Fort Ethan Allen,

Vermont, and is now at Camp Hancock, Augusta, Ga., where he is wardmaster of the officers' ward at the base hospital. Before he enlisted he was adjutant-major of the Connecticut Home Guard and was employed in visiting and training companies of the guard, and he also helped to train the high school boys at his home.

'13, A.B.; '14, B.S.A.; '17, M.S.A.—Leon E. Cook is assistant professor of vocational education in the North Carolina State College of Agriculture and Engineering, West Raleigh.

'13, C.E.—A daughter, Sylvia, was born on October 25 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Macy at Pittsford, N. Y.

'13, B.Arch.; '14, M.Arch.—John N. Tilton, jr., of La Grange, Ill., has received a commission as second lieutenant

in the construction division, Aviation Section, Signal Corps, U. S. Army.

'13, A.B.—A. F. Eggleston of Meriden, Conn., has been called to the National Army.

'13, B.S.—Bertram W. O'Donnell of Medina, N. Y., is in Company E, 10th Engineers (Forestry), American Expeditionary Force.

'13, M.E.—A. D. Couch is assistant to the superintendent of power, Hercules Powder Company, Kenvil, N. J. His address is 31 Hinchman Avenue, Dover, N. J. He was married to Miss Lilley Northcott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Northcott, at Dover, on October 18.

'14, C.E.—Lieut. R. D. Burdick, Coast Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, is at Fort Canby, Wash.

'14, A.B.—Hays Matson, second lieutenant, Infantry O.R.C., is with the 63d Regiment at the Presidio of San Francisco.

'14, C.E.—O. M. ("Nig") Clark has a commission as second lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, U.S.R., and is in training at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

'14, B.S.—G. R. Attride has resigned the superintendency of the Appalachian Apple Orchards and is now employed as county agricultural agent for Bath County, Virginia, with headquarters at Warm Springs, Va.

'14, LL.B.—John B. ("Pete") Putnam, of Cleveland, is in the 4th infantry company at the officers' training camp, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

'14, C.E.—F. L. Rockwell is employed in the Fore River Plant of the Bethlehem Shipbuilding Company, Quincy, Mass. His address is 100 Phillips Street, Wollaston, Mass.

'14, B.Arch.—Captain S. Bruce Ellwell, Infantry O.R.C., is with the 301st Ammunition Train, Motor Truck Company 3, Camp Devens, Mass.

'14, B.S.—Frank S. Hamnett's address is Medical Department, 319th Infantry, Camp Lee, Virginia.

'14—Frederic R. Mason, who took his degree in medicine at the University of Pennsylvania in 1916 and who has been an interne at the Post-Graduate Hospital, New York, is now a first lieutenant in the Medical Reserve Corps and is with the 107th Infantry at Camp Wadsworth, Spartansburg, S. C.

'14, M.E.—R. M. Weiser of Holyoke, Mass., has enlisted and is now in foreign service.

'14, M.E.—Arthur F. Toussaint is a

first lieutenant in the Ordnance Department, U.S.R., and is now at the Watervliet Arsenal.

'14—Henry Wiseltier is in the 306th Infantry at Camp Upton, L. I.

'15, B.S.—F. F. Sullivan, 87 Claremont Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., is commissioned as second lieutenant of cavalry, U.S.R., and is attached to the 109th Machine Gun Battalion, Camp Hancock, Augusta, Georgia.

'15, A.B.—J. Richey Horner, jr., is in the medical service of the Army and is attached to General Hospital No. 9, in France.

'15, C.E.—James R. Rosenfeld, second lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, U.S.R., is assigned to duty with the Constructing Quartermaster at Camp Merritt, N. J.

'15, A.B.—Lieut. H. G. Nichols, stationed at Camp Meade, Md., with the 316th Infantry, N. A., as physical and bayonet instructor, was married to Miss Dorothy A. Mack of Washington, D. C., on September 29, 1917. His address is Northbrook Courts, Washington.

'15, A.B.—Kenneth H. Kolpien graduated from the Fort Sheridan training camp with a commission as second lieutenant in the Infantry O.R.C. and has been on duty as an instructor in the second camp at Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind.

'15, B.S.; '16, M.L.D.—Frederick A. Davis, jr., is a corporal in Company E, 303d Infantry, Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass.

'16, A.B.—Leon G. Ruth of Buffalo is in the 2d Battery at the officers' training camp, Fort Niagara.

'16, A.B.; '16, Ph.D.—Mr. and Mrs. Stephen J. Lyon announce the marriage of their daughter Katherine to Arthur Jackson Mix on November 5 at Hudson, N. Y. Dr. and Mrs. Mix will be at home after December 1st at Lawrence, Kansas.

'16, B.S.—F. Vernon Foster of East Orange, N. J., is with the American Expeditionary Force in France.

'16, B.S.; '17, M.F.—Second Lieutenant Gilbert Morris Taylor has been assigned to the 508th Service Battalion (Engineers) and is now at Camp Pike, Arkansas.

'16, M.E.—L. R. Grumman of Huntington, L. I., is in the U. S. Naval Reserve Force.

'16, B.S.—Ralph L. Krohn is teaching elementary agriculture in the high school at Englewood, N. J. Last summer he

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'16, LL.B.—B. R. Gardner is in Battery E, 109th Pennsylvania F. A., Camp Hancock, Augusta, Georgia.

'16, B.S.—Stuart Wilson is a sergeant in Company C, 112th Engineers, Camp Sheridan, Alabama.

'16, A.B.—William A. Prescott is a private in the 105th U. S. Infantry, Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C.

'16, M.E.—Second Lieut. D. L. Barbour, Coast Artillery Corps, U. S. Army, is now stationed at Fort Howard, Maryland.

'17, M.E.—Stanley O. Law, having received a commission as second lieutenant, Field Artillery O.R.C., at the first Fort Niagara training camp, is now reconnaissance officer of the 151st Field Artillery, 42d Division, American Expeditionary Force.

'17, C.E.—The address of Leroy P. Raynor of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey is Bayou la Batre, Alabama.

'17, B.S.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brister of Auburn, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter Marjorie to William C. Kreuzer '17, of 304 Court Street, Syracuse, N. Y.

'17, B.Arch.—Armin C. Frank is a second lieutenant in the 2d Battalion, 107th Engineers, at Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas.

'17, LL.B.—Mario Lazo is in the 11th Company, P. T. R., Plattsburg, N. Y.

'17—Alma W. Richards is in the officers' training camp at the Presidio of San Francisco.

'17—Ellwood Wilson, jr., of Grand Mere, Quebec, spent two years at Cornell and one at McGill University. He joined the Canadian overseas forces and has been in the service since March, 1917. A letter addressed as below will reach him: Sergeant Ellwood Wilson, jr., No. 1,049,344, A Co., Can. Eng. and D., Army P. O., London, England.

'17—F. W. Banks is testing engineer in the steam engineering department of the Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company, Youngstown, Ohio.

'17, A.B.—The address of Bertram F. Willcox is in care of Morgan-Harjes, Boulevard Haussman, Paris, France.

'17, B.Arch.—James de G. Graves has received a commission as second lieutenant in the Coast Artillery Corps,

U. S. Army. He graduated from Plattsburg and Fort Monroe. He is stationed at Fort Washington, Maryland.

'17, B.S.—Donald E. Maclay is a sergeant in Company H, 309th Infantry, Camp Dix, N. J.

'17, A.B.—Geoffrey E. Maclay has received a commission as ensign in the U. S. Naval Reserve. He is at present assigned to the U. S. S. Toxaway.

'17, B.S.—P. G. Drabelle, of the U.S.N.R.F., is now in the radio school at Newport. His address is Naval Reserve Barracks, Y. M. C. A., Newport, R. I.

'17, B.S.—L. D. Hildebrand of York, Pa., has been called to the National Army and ordered to Camp Meade, Maryland.

'18—Robert Fletcher Phillips of La Junta, Colorado, has been accepted for

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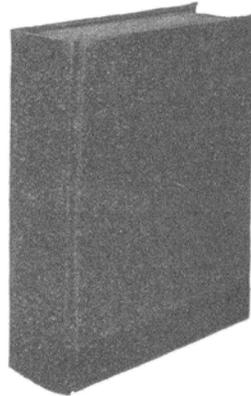
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the Aviation Section, Signal Corps, U. S. Army, and has been ordered to the ground school at the University of Texas.

'18—Morton Wakeley of Omaha is attending the officers' training camp at Fort Snelling, Minn.; he is in the artillery division.

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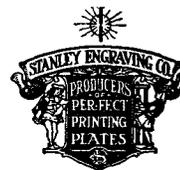
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