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SPANISH influenza, the popular name of what the local papers continue to call grippe, has naturally reached Ithaca and Cornell, often hitherto twin sharers in misfortune. The spread of the disease has not been such as to cause any very marked manifestations of alarm. No places of public gathering have been closed. Some new ones have been opened in order to accommodate the sick. Cascadilla is now in use as an auxiliary to the overflowing Infirmary; and Masonic Hall on Tioga Street is used likewise in connection with the City Hospital. In the University community there have been three deaths. Most of the cases are among S. A. T. C. men; there being but two in the School of Aviation. Officials both of the city and of the University think that the period of greatest danger has passed. The situation in Ithaca has been especially bad because of the lack of doctors and nurses, so many of both having gone into Army service.

REGISTRATION FIGURES, up to last Friday, show a falling off of 328 compared with the same relative date last year. It is thought that late registrations may bring the final figures up to those of last year. There is an increase in new students of 231, and a decrease in old students of 559. The totals on Friday were: new students, 1,338; old students, 1,689; total 3,027, of whom 1,250 have been inducted into the S. A. T. C.

AN AUTOMOBILE REPAIR SHED has been erected east of the Sibley foundry for the use of men in the vocational section of the S. A. T. C. Although it has been the policy of the University, chiefly on artistic grounds, not to put any additional buildings on the bank of Fall Creek, present necessities have prevailed over other considerations: a place is needed where work may readily be carried on under shelter and near the machine shops. The shed is presumably only temporary. The work of building was done by the "mechanics" themselves.

THE TRAINING OF THESE vocational soldiers is not confined to routine work in the shops. In the practice of carpentry and joinery, they have built some

garages on the campus. They have had steady employment in repairing, inspecting, and testing automobiles, not only those of Ithaca but those often from places as distant as Cortland, Auburn, and Syracuse. The scarcity of workmen in garages has thus been turned to advantage in the practical technical training of these men. All of this work is done gratis, a charge being made only for materials actually used.

FORMER CORNELLIANs WILL HEAR with varying emotions of the passing of another custom of their good old days. Ithaca merchants do not now give credit to students. If the student wants anything, he pays for it; if he doesn't pay, he goes without. The uncertainties of residence at the University are said to have led to this reform.

NIGHT LIFE on the campus reflects the new regime. All the approaches are patrolled until midnight, and passers-by are halted until they explain their errands. Some professors on their way to their offices or to their homes have been thus held up. The challenges of the sentries, "Halt! who is there?" and the cries of the guard, "Eleven o'clock and all is well," at first so disturbed some members of the teaching staff at the University Club as to cause a regret that 3 Central Avenue is near to the Armory. All this, however, is but another reminder that the fiftieth anniversary of its opening finds the University a great military institution. It has not yet been announced whether armed guards will escort the women students, singly or in groups, from the Library to the barracks in Sage and Risley.

THE NEW MESS HALL lately authorized by the Trustees is now nearing completion, a substantial one-story frame structure, having a capacity of nine hundred. It stands southwest of the dormitories, about midway between West Avenue and Stewart, the south end cutting one of the timeworn paths across the cow lot. This location is such as not only to accommodate occupants of the dormitories—at present the vocational section of the S. A. T. C., and the radio-engineers—but also to interfere in no way with further additions to the group

of residence halls. It seems likely, therefore—at least it is something to be hoped for—that the building may be retained after the war, for a time at any rate, as commons for regular students. Such use would help toward solving the problem of adequate eating places, a matter of increasing difficulty, as the University grows.

THE STATUE OF EZRA CORNELL will probably be unveiled on November 9. It is now completed and ready for the unveiling, which is likely to be at the time of the meeting of the University Trustees.

THE VOCATIONAL SECTION of the S. A. T. C. receives this week its third group of new men since its opening in June. The section comprises three hundred and fifty grammar school graduates from the State of New York.

THE UNIVERSITY CHIMES is one of the few local institutions not as yet affected by the war. It is thought, however, that a slight rearrangement of their hours will be made to conform with the schedule of the S. A. T. C.

THE LIBERTY BLOCK, the north side of State Street between Tioga and Aurora, is creating considerable interest this week. All the shop windows are decorated and all available posts are wrapped in bunting. The art staff of the *Widow* and the College of Agriculture are collaborating on the work. Professor Midjo contributed a portrait of Lincoln, and a study representing the lamentation of Belgium. Professor Brauner has a picture of Christ turning a barbarian from his course of destruction. Models of desolated Belgian villages, a gory-handed devil murdering a child, another Belgian child, bloody and with one hand cut off, and numerous caricatures of the Hun aristocracy, all serve to bring to the passerby reasons for subscribing to the Fourth Loan.

LOUIS A. FUERTES '97 is the designer of a huge Liberty Loan banner which is suspended between the Ithaca Hotel and the offices of the ALUMNI NEWS. An airplane in full flight through the central blue emphasizes the exhortatory legends, "Smash the Altitude Record," "Also Speed the Limit."

ARMY AND NAVY

Howe '16 Severely Wounded

First Lieutenant Maurice Wilton Howe has been severely wounded in action, according to the casualty list published on October 9.

Lieutenant Howe, better known as "Sam," was editor-in-chief of *The Cornell Daily Sun* in his senior year, and is the third *Sun* man to appear in the casualty lists, Lieutenant Leslie H. Groser '13, of the Infantry, and Lieutenant Edward F. Graham '14, of the Field Artillery, having been killed in action. He attended the First Officers' Training Camp at Plattsburg, where he was commissioned a first lieutenant in the Infantry Reserve Corps. He went to France last spring, and was attached to Company I, 167th Infantry.

Wilhelm '09 Seriously Wounded

The casualty list of October 5 contains the name of First Lieutenant Karl Edward Wilhelm '09, of Buffalo, as severely wounded in action.

Wilhelm attended the Second Officers' Training Camp at Fort Niagara, and was commissioned a first lieutenant in the Infantry Reserve Corps, and assigned to Company E, 308th Infantry.

Fox '17 Wounded in Action

First Lieutenant William Alexander Fox, of Brooklyn, is reported as wounded in action. The extent of his injuries has not been determined.

Lieutenant Fox received his commission at Plattsburg, and before going across was with Company L, 310th Infantry, at Camp Dix.

Roger W. Hitchcock '10 Missing

Lieutenant Roger Wolcott Hitchcock '10, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ripley Hitchcock, of New York, is reported missing in action. Before entering the Army, Hitchcock lived in Los Angeles, Calif.

Foster '16 a Prisoner

First Lieutenant Frederick Vernon Foster, of the Aviation Service, who has been missing since September 4, is a prisoner in Germany, according to a message from the War Department received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Seward Foster, of East Orange, N. J. It is not known at which camp he is being held.

Foster went to France more than a year ago, and received his commission

as first lieutenant on January 11. He had been in charge of a squadron of six air pilots attached to the 91st Aero Squadron, and had left an airdrome for a flight over the German lines.

Katz '18 Goes Over the Top

Frederick L. Katz, a private in Company D, 39th Infantry, went "over the top" on July 18. He says of his experience:

"I received a bruised and sprained right ankle, a bruised right eye and face, the loss of two teeth, and a piece of shrapnel near the shoulder blade. You can judge of the seriousness of these 'wounds' when I tell you that I got the first two three days before the piece of shrapnel lodged in me and that I had that over an hour and traveled on foot and manipulated a rifle and bayonet for that time before I knew that I had been hit, and then kept on going four hours more, and would have been going yet had I not been forcibly sent back."

Private Katz was also gassed, and after spending a month at Base Hospital No. 9, has now been transferred to the Sick Company, as his heart is slightly affected.

His address is Military Specialist Company, A. P. O. 727, American Expeditionary Forces.

Engineers Repair Pipe Organ

The Stars and Stripes for September 13 tells this story of how two American privates, one a Cornell engineer, lifted the morale of an entire French village without firing a shot.

The story developed when two American officers passed through the town in question. They dropped in to see the cathedral, one of the oldest and most beautiful in France. Much to their surprise, they heard the strains of an old American love song filling the cathedral as they stepped inside. And the next thing they saw was a Yankee private at the organ playing for all he was worth.

The private had been an engineering student at Cornell, but he had also taken a deep interest in music, with pipe organs as a specialty. When he and a friend, another engineer private, came to the town, they found the cathedral and the unused organ, over a hundred years old but out of repair for fifteen years, much to the sorrow of the curé and the town folk, who had once known the beauty and inspiring effects of the instrument.

The two Yanks at once secured permission to try to reestablish the ancient instrument, and when it was gladly given they went to work. In starting their enterprise they found over 3,000 pipes, some of them 20 feet high and a foot in diameter, that required cleaning and other adjusting, a job for a platoon. Their only opportunity for work on the big organ was after 5 p. m., at the end of a hard day's engineering grind, but they stuck to the job.

Before they had finished they had removed from the different pipes a dozen ancient birds' nests, vast quantities of plaster and other débris, and all the known varieties of dirt. By employing a sulphuric acid process, equally applied to each of the 3,000 pipes, they got the organ completely ready for use.

No one in the town had believed there was even the remotest chance that the organ would ever play again. But one day the two Yanks told the curé that a concert would be given on a certain Sunday afternoon, and at the appointed hour the entire village gathered, most of them still doubting that any such miracle would ever take place. But the miracle did take place, and the organ to-day is one of the leading features of village life.

"I can't understand it," the curé remarked to one of the visiting officers. "We had made many attempts to have the organ repaired, but without effect. And then here come two privates from your Army, and not only make complete restoration during their off hours, but in addition are able to play as wonderfully as they build and fight."

COLONEL BARTON LEAVES

Lieut. Col. Frank A. Barton, head of the Military Department and commandant of the Students' Army Training Corps has been appointed inspector of Students' Army Training Corps of the Department of the East, and has already left Ithaca to take up his new duties. Most of the big universities and colleges of the East have Students' Army Training Corps. Colonel Barton will supervise the work of all of these organizations.

The University authorities have expressed disappointment that he is forced to leave his work here, the organization of which he completed so efficiently, and President Schurman even telegraphed the War Department asking that his headquarters might remain here. The reply assured him that this was impossible,

but that an experienced officer would be detailed in the near future to take his place.

The Department of the East comprises the states of New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, and the District of Columbia.

Lieut. Col. Barton, a graduate of Cornell in the class of 1891, was stationed here in 1904-9 as commandant of the Cadet Corps. After honorable service in the Regular Army, he was placed on the retired list two years ago, and was appointed commandant in the summer of 1917.

Where They all Eat

Ample Accommodations for Military Men. Civilians Must Eat Themselves

It is publishing no military secrets to say now that the men of the military units connected with the University are eating three meals a day. It is probably giving no valuable information to the enemy to record here the general plans for feeding the soldiers.

On the whole the military men have had satisfactory arrangements made for them. The women of the University too have places where they can eat in comfort. Those persons who belong to other classifications than these must shift for themselves. The only public restaurant on the Hill, that is open to them is the Sibley Dog.

It is supposed, in the absence of exact figures, that there has been a considerable increase in the registration of women students. They, however, may eat at the Sage and Risley dining rooms, which can be made to accommodate the entire body of women.

The "Ag. Caf." has been taken over for the men of the Students' Army Training Corps and of the Naval Unit, and is no longer open to civilians.

Cascadilla Cafeteria, which has been used by the Vocational School since June, will now be used to feed over four hundred members of the S. A. T. C.

The Dryden Road Cafeteria, a privately owned restaurant, accommodates a hundred and fifty men of the Naval Training Unit.

Until the new mess hall southwest of Baker Court is ready, the mess hall of the Drill Hall will accommodate the men of the School of Military Aeronautics, the radio-engineers, and the vocational men. The new mess hall is beginning to take form now and will soon be ready for use. It will seat nine hundred.

Thus every public dining facility on

the Campus is in active daily use. There are several places on College Avenue where meals are still served to civilians. The old time dog-wagon, open all night, and ready to serve hot stuff for the hungry student when he studied or came up from a show, is at present, entirely absent. The nibbler must carry his own or go downtown for it.

The downtown restaurants are receiving the overflow. Conditions here are improving with the opening of the mess halls. From October 1, when the men arrived to register for the S. A. T. C., until October 10, when the mess halls for them were opened, the solution of the problem of obtaining food required considerable ingenuity. The situation, of course, was complicated by the fact that none of the fraternities, except the six or eight sororities that occupy houses out of Sage and Risley, made any attempt to open their dining rooms, knowing that they should have to close as soon as the houses were taken over for barracks. Presumably the fraternities kitchens would feed the men in too small units to be economically feasible, and the sixty kitchens thus abandoned will probably remain in disuse until the war is won, unless additions to the military units here, not now contemplated, force their use for small groups until additional mess halls can be built.

SIBLEY JOURNAL SUSPENDS

The ALUMNI NEWS recently chronicled the suspension of several Cornell publications for the period of the war, in consequence of the institution of the S. A. T. C. To this list is now to be added *The Sibley Journal of Engineering*, which announces that with the November issue it will cease to appear until the resumption of normal University conditions. All subscriptions paid in advance of the November issue will be refunded.

The *Journal* began in 1886, as *The Crank*. Its name was changed to its present form in 1890.

CHANGE IN BOSTON LUNCHEON

The Cornell Club of New England is now holding its weekly luncheons in the Grill Room of the Bellevue Hotel, Boston, every Monday at 12.30 o'clock instead of on Thursday as in the past.

The first luncheon was held on October 7, and George H. Young '00, who played quarterback on the 1898 football team, and made the winning point which defeated Princeton for the first time in

the history of Cornell, was the guest of the Club.

Lord Charnwood Lectures English Politics, Literature, and Education—On the Schiff Foundation.

Baron Charnwood began on Monday his lectures on the Jacob H. Schiff Foundation, taking as his general subject "The Contributions of the British Empire to Civilization." There will be in all fifteen lectures, the subjects and dates of which follow:

"The British Empire and the United States of America, Their Community of Origin and Tradition; How They Parted," Monday, October 14.

"The British Empire of To-day; Its General Structure, and the Self-Governing Dominions," Tuesday, October 15.

"The British Empire of To-day; India, Egypt, etc.," Wednesday, October 16.

"The British Empire of To-day; the United Kingdom; the Irish Question," Thursday, October 18.

"The League of Nations," Friday, October 18.

"The Modern British Constitution," Monday, October 21.

"Political Parties in Great Britain," Tuesday, October 22.

"Democracy in England and the United States," Wednesday, October 23.

"Social and Industrial Questions in England," Thursday, October 24.

"The Political Problems Arising Out of the War," Friday, October 25.

"The English Political Poet, Wordsworth, the Light Which His Comprehension of our Present Crisis Throws upon Present Issues," Monday, October 28.

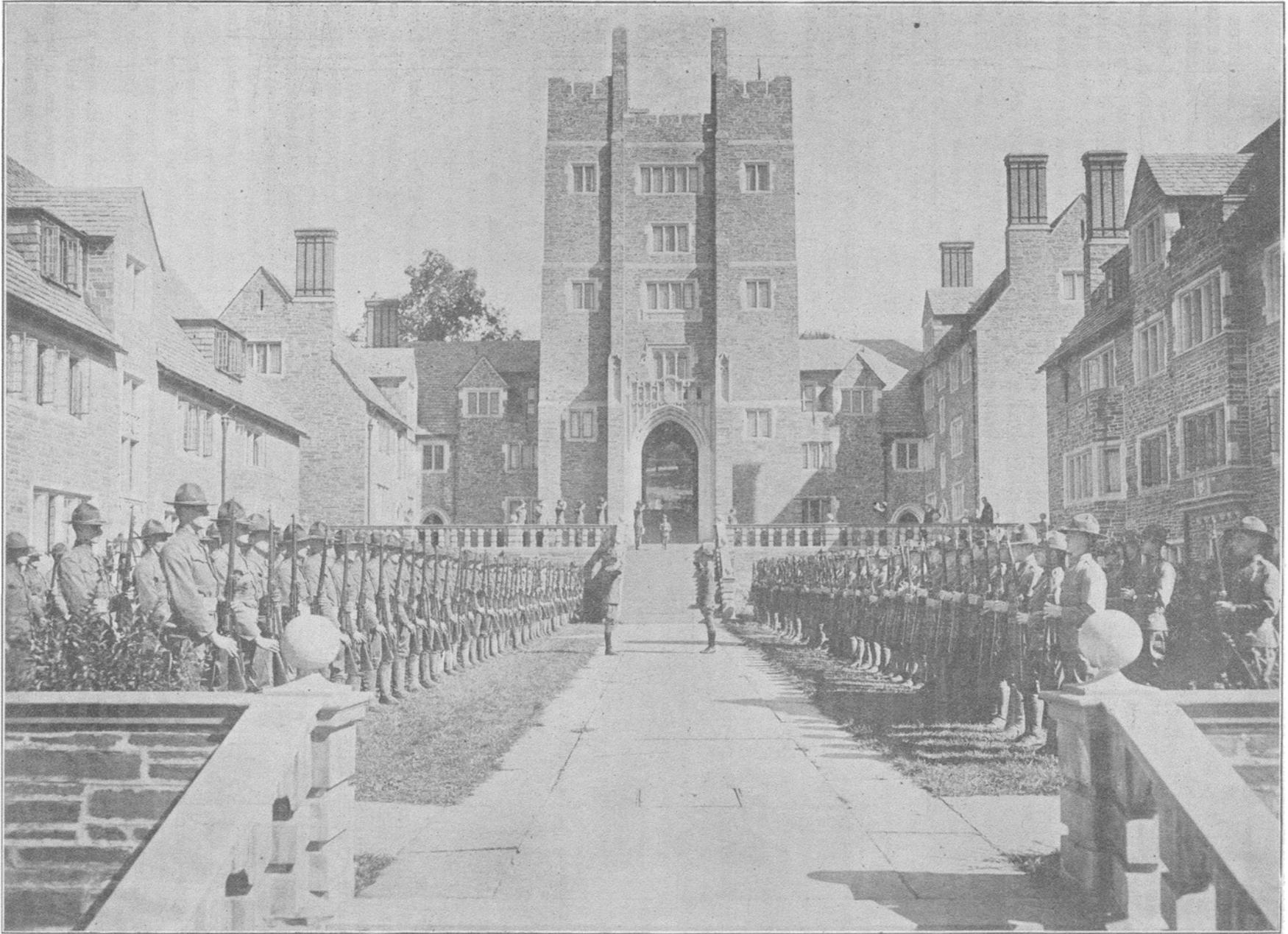
"English Higher Education, Especially the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge and their Service to the Nation," Tuesday, October 29.

"Greek Thought in Modern Life, the Reasons of Its (in Some Ways Increasing) Influence; the Standing Question of Aristocracy on this Question; the Dream of a Philosopher-King and of the Education Which Should Produce Him," Wednesday, October 30.

"An Actual Philosopher-King, Abraham Lincoln, his Self-education and Achievement; the Permanent Lessons to be Drawn Therefrom," Thursday, October 31.

The final lecture of the course will be given on Friday, November 1.

All of the lectures are to be given at 7.30 p. m. in Goldwin Smith B.



BAKER HALL, THE BARRACKS OF THE VOCATIONAL SCHOOL

The Vocational Students are shown on the terrace southwest of Baker Tower. The bugler is playing "Go the Colors".

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DIED IN THE SERVICE

Charles B. Hagadorn '86

Colonel Charles Baldwin Hagadorn '86, of Elmira, N. Y., committed suicide in his quarters at Camp Grant, Ill., on October 8. His act is attributed to worry over the influenza epidemic in the camp.

He entered Cornell in 1882, in the course in civil engineering, remaining until 1884, when he went to West Point. He received his commission in 1889, and was assigned to the Twenty-third Infantry. He served in the Spanish-American War, was military attaché of the American legation in Petrograd, was chief of staff in the Canal Zone, and was for fourteen years an instructor in drawing at West Point. He became a colonel in 1917.

Colonel Hagadorn was ordered to Camp Grant from New York about a month ago to take command of the Central Officers' Training School, an assignment which placed him in charge of a post numbering more than forty thousand officers and men. He had been a victim of nervous insomnia, and it is said that he had been showing the strain imposed on him by the epidemic of influenza, which has caused more than six hundred deaths in the camp.

He was unmarried, and his only known relative is a sister, Mrs. Charles A. Bowman, of Elmira.

Leslie K. Chapman '13

Leslie Kellogg Chapman '13, of Auburn, N. Y., was killed in action on September 1.

Chapman entered Cornell in 1910, from the Union School, Schenectady, and received the degree of Bachelor of Science in 1913. He was a member of Helios and Sphinx Head. In his junior year he rowed number 3 on the varsity four-oared crew, and in 1913 on the varsity eight-oared.

He was formerly a member of Company M, 108th Infantry, when that unit was a part of the National Guard, and served for several months on the Mexican border. Upon his return he was honorably discharged. He left Auburn on November 23, with a draft contingent, for Camp Dix, and went to France in February, as a member of Company D, 128th Infantry. He served for a time in Alsace-Lorraine, but was later transferred to another section of the front.

He leaves his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lee Chapman, one sister, Miss Grace

E. Chapman, of Auburn, and one brother, Paul A. Chapman, who is a member of the Students' Army Training Corps at Cornell. He was twenty-nine years old.

Lawton B. Evans, jr., '14

First Lieutenant Lawton Bryan Evans, jr., '14, of the Air Service, was killed in an airplane accident at Brooks Field, Texas, on September 30.

Evans was born on October 10, 1892, the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Evans, of Augusta, Ga. He graduated from the Georgia School of Technology in 1913, with the degree of B.S. in M.E., entering Cornell in the fall. He remained only one year. He was a member of Chi Phi, and of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

Before entering the service, Evans was employed in the production engineering department of the Buckeye Steel Castings Company, of Columbus, Ohio. He attended the School of Military Aeronautics at the University of Illinois, and was sent from there to Park Field, Tenn. On April 1 he received his commission and was assigned to Brooks Field, San Antonio, Texas.

Charles P. Hubbard '15

Corporal Charles Pitcher Hubbard died of pneumonia at Camp Humphreys, Va., on September 30.

Hubbard was born on January 22, 1893. He prepared for college at the Cheltenham High School, Elkins Park, Pa., entering Cornell in 1911, and receiving his M. E. degree in 1915. He played on the freshman football team, and in his junior and senior years was a member of the varsity football squad. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

For a year following his graduation he was connected with the C. H. Wheeler Manufacturing Company, of Philadelphia, and on October 7, 1916, sailed for Japan, where he was engaged in power plant construction, with headquarters at Tokio.

He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Hubbard, of Wyncote, Pa.

Horace Wyman '16

The list of casualties published on October 12 contains the name of First Lieutenant Horace Wyman '16, as having died of disease.

Wyman was twenty-five years old. He prepared for college at the Milton Academy, Worcester, Mass., and entered Sibley College in 1912, receiving his degree in 1916. He was a member of Kappa Alpha, Beth L'Amed, Book and Bowl, and the Sunday Night Club. He

played on the varsity golf team in his junior and senior years.

Lieutenant Wyman was attached to the 303d Regiment, Field Artillery. His home was in Worcester, Mass.

John T. Eilenberger '18

First Lieutenant John Thomas Eilenberger '18 died on October 5 at West Point, Miss. The cause of his death was pneumonia.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Eilenberger, of Middletown, N. Y., and was twenty-three years old. He attended the Middletown schools and entered Cornell with the class of 1918 in the course in mechanical engineering. He was a member of Sigma Phi Epsilon. He played on the 1918 freshman football team, and as a senior was a member of the varsity football squad.

Eilenberger entered the Officers' Training Camp at Madison Barracks, and upon completing his course was commissioned as first lieutenant of infantry and assigned to the 156th Infantry, stationed at Camp Dix. He was transferred, at his own request, to the Aviation Section, and received his training at Kelly Field and San Francisco. He had expected to sail soon.

Lieutenant Eilenberger was a brother of Charles F. Eilenberger '16.

Maury Hill '17

First Lieutenant Maury Hill '17 was killed in an aeroplane accident in France on October 7.

Hill was born on July 24, 1895, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Hill, of St. Louis, Mo. He prepared for college at Smith Academy, St. Louis, and entered the Arts College in 1913, graduating in 1917, with the degree of Bachelor of Arts. He was a member of Kappa Alpha, Majura, and the Sunday Night Club.

He received his preliminary training in Chicago, and went abroad in November, as a first lieutenant in the Aviation Section. He had been serving as a pilot with an observation squadron on the front.

Lieutenant Hill was a brother of Lockwood Hill '09, of St. Louis, and Walker Hill, jr., '15, of the U. S. Naval Reserve Force.

FIFTEEN TONS OF CLOTHING for Belgium were packed and shipped by the local Red Cross committee in the recent campaign. Ithaca's quota was 8,000 pounds. The committee also sent a large consignment of linen, filling its quota.



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THE LOAN MUST NOT FAIL

When this issue reaches our readers, but a few hours will remain in which to bring the Fourth Liberty Loan up and over the top. The editors of the ALUMNI NEWS want to bring this personal message to every Cornellian who reads these lines:

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It is no idle thing to say that the over-subscription of this Loan is the *supreme duty of the hour*.

The Hun is not yet defeated. He is sparring for time. He is watching anxiously every movement of the Allied Armies, every sign of the times in the Allied countries. He has a spy at your

elbow ready to tell him whether you are squarely behind the boys or not. If you do not do your duty here, now, he will take his chances, as he did throughout the first year of America's participation in the war.

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Go to headquarters to-day and satisfy your conscience.

OUR DUTY TO THE LOAN

The Central Liberty Loan Committee for the Second Federal Reserve District has sent the following telegram to the NEWS, among other publications:

"New York has never failed the nation in a great emergency. The simple yet momentous question which every one of our citizens must answer to-day, and answer seriously, is whether or not their great city is to fail the nation in this greatest of all moments in the world's history. The citizens of this district as a whole must equally face the solemn responsibility.

"The facts are perfectly clear. The progress of the Fourth Liberty Loan up to this time is a source of grave concern to the committee. The loan is dragging beyond the point of slowness. The present rate of subscription, unless radically improved, spells failure.

"The subscriptions officially reported

up to October 10 amount to \$443,198,900. This is less than one-quarter of the total of \$1,800,000,000 assigned to this district. Nine working days remain.

"At the corresponding dates in the Third Loan campaign, that is, nine days before the end of the third campaign, \$468,279,850 was officially reported, or more than half of the total required.

"The citizens of this district must come forward with \$1,356,801,100 or 75.4 per cent, during the next nine days, or \$150,755,670 each day.

"This is a tremendous task. But compared with the task of our men in France, it can not possibly be too much to ask of us.

"Face frankly what the failure of this loan will mean to those boys over there who rely solely upon us for their support.

"Face frankly the effect upon the President's position, which will be brought about by a failure of our people to provide him with the necessary means of continuing this war.

"No one doubts for a moment the fundamental patriotism of our people. But this patriotism must be a patriotism of deeds. Our men in France are doing their job. The Fourth Liberty Loan is our job. But two-thirds of the campaign has gone and less than a quarter of the money is in hand. We here at home are squarely confronted with the first real sacrifice which has been asked of us in this war.

"The Liberty Committee, with the solemnity which the seriousness of the situation demands, now, in behalf of the Government, calls upon the people of this district. This call is specific, immediate, and final. It involves five points: (1) We must in subscribing to this loan utterly disregard personal inconvenience. (2) We must individually and collectively lend at least double the amount that we lent in the Third Liberty Loan. (3) To secure this money, it is imperative that we should, if necessary, borrow freely from our banks, which are offering every facility. (4) We must lend the way our sons are fighting, with our whole strength, with our whole heart. (5) We must do it now.

"The Liberty Loan Committee, Benjamin Strong, chairman, George F. Baker, Jas. S. Alexander, Allen B. Forbes, Walter E. Frew, Gates W. McGarrah, J. P. Morgan, Seward Prosser, Chas. H. Sabin, Jacob H. Schiff, Frank A. Vanderlip, Martin Vogel, Jas. N. Wallace, Albert H. Wiggin, Wm. L. Woodward."

War Work in Agriculture College of Agriculture Takes Leading Part in Educating Convalescents.

For some time it seemed as if the war activities of the College of Agriculture were to be limited to the work of food production and conservation—fields in which the farmers and agricultural experts of the nation have rendered absolutely essential and indispensable service to America and to her Allies. Now it appears that the agricultural colleges are to be of use in still another direction—that of education pure and simple.

Within a few weeks requests for the bulletins of the College of Agriculture in large quantities have come from at least four different sources.

From Captain H. B. Duggan, commander of the Military Convalescent Hospital at Woodcote Park, Epsom, England, there has come a letter, dated September 10, asking for a considerable number of agricultural bulletins for the use of the men in the hospital. This one of the largest hospitals in England; more than forty thousand casualties have passed through it already. Captain Duggan writes that among the patients there are more farmers, intending farmers, and farm laborers than any other class of men; and these men are eager to master the principles of agriculture as worked out by U. S. experts.

The bulletins are desired, moreover, not merely by convalescents in the hospitals but also by men in actual service. From J. A. Clark, of the agricultural department of the Khaki University of Canada, whose headquarters are in London, there came a cablegram on September 13, followed by a letter asking if it would be possible to secure a thousand copies each of some eighteen bulletins in the Cornell Farmers' Reading Course Series, or permission to reprint some of them. In reply the authorities of the College have sent a complete set of the Reading Course bulletins with authority to reprint them.

From the National War Work Council of the Y. M. C. A., through its Army Overseas Educational Commission, have come several letters asking for quotations of prices on some twenty bulletins in lots ranging from forty to two hundred copies, and for permission to reprint certain of the more popular bulletins. From these letters it appears that in their moments of leisure the thoughts of soldiers who love the smell of the good green earth turn to home-grown vegetables, and the curing of meats, and the building of incubators,

and clean milk, tilth and drainage, soil fertility, rations for farm animals, and like subjects.

From the London office of the Y. M. C. A., too, there has come a similar request for the bulletins of the College of Agriculture.

Professor David Snedden, of Teachers College, Columbia University, has been asked by the War Department to organize certain courses of study for the soldiers, among which agriculture will have a prominent place.

It thus appears that the teacher of agriculture has his work cut out for him. The problems of the farm after the war are going to be tremendous, especially on the economic and industrial sides; and it is well that our soldiers, some of whom will very probably come back to settle on Government lands, shall know something about these matters in advance.

RECEIVED WITH THANKS

The following letter from Mr. Sackett bears date of October 10. We publish it with pardonable pride:

My dear Mr. Sailor:

I have read with great interest the editorial in the last issue of the ALUMNI NEWS entitled "The High Cost of Living," and particularly what you say about the increase in your subscription price and the reasons therefor.

The publication of THE CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS should not be permitted to lapse. I can very well understand the cogent and controlling reasons for suspending the publication of the other Cornell periodicals. But the ALUMNI NEWS serves an essential purpose in these days which in my judgment is of far reaching importance and all Cornellians should heartily sustain the splendid efforts of yourself and your associates to continue the work.

I doubt if the increase in the subscription price is as much as it should be made. At all events, I want to recognize my obligations in the matter by sending the enclosed check for \$5 as my proper subscription for the current year. I am not sure but the "Cornell Chronology," as published in the last number, is worth the full amount of such subscription. I am preserving it for future reference.

With my best wishes for the pronounced success of your endeavors, I remain,

Faithfully yours,
HENRY W. SACKETT.

FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

At a meeting on Saturday of the General Administration and Building Committees of the Board of Trustees, several appointments were made, and some resignations were accepted. Those present at the meeting were President Schurman, Mynderse Van Cleef, C. E. Cornell, R. B. Williams, J. H. Edwards, C. E. Treman, Judge C. W. Pound, R. H. Treman, J. C. Westervelt, and C. H. Blood.

Among the principal appointments were: E. Dwight Sanderson, professor of rural organization; Homer C. Thompson, professor of vegetable gardening; and Miss Helen Monsch, assistant professor of home economics.

Mr. Sanderson is a graduate of Cornell in 1898, who specialized in entomology. After graduation he taught this subject and published works on it. He subsequently held the positions of dean of the New Hampshire State College, and dean of the West Virginia College of Agriculture, from which he resigned three years ago to take graduate work in rural sociology at the University of Chicago. He will arrive here on October 20.

Mr. Thompson graduated from the University of Ohio, in 1906, and has since been connected with the United States Department of Agriculture, in charge of truck crop production. He has inspected vegetable gardens all over the U. S.

Walter L. Niles has been appointed acting dean of the Medical College for the present year, and Jeannette Evans assistant in physiology. Elias R. B. Willis will be instructor in Greek on a half-time schedule, and the Rev. J. A. C. Fagginger Auer, minister of the First Unitarian Church of Ithaca, and a graduate of the University of Amsterdam, will assist in the Romance Language department during part of the day. E. T. Paine will instruct in philosophy on a half-time schedule, and will also act as secretary of the College of Arts and Sciences.

C. O. Fisher has been appointed instructor in economics, H. L. Reed assistant professor of political economy, and Mrs. Helen B. Owens, instructor in mathematics. There have been numerous appointments and resignations in Sibley College.

It was further decided at the meeting that shelving shall be placed in the library to contain the Wason Chinese Collection.

CLEVELAND ELECTS OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Cornell Club of Cleveland was held on October 5 at the University Club. The following officers and directors were elected: president, Dr. I. J. Kerr '91; vice-president, W. H. Bridgeman '13; secretary, Lynn B. Timmerman '14; treasurer, A. C. Watkins '15; directors, (term expires in 1919), F. H. Teagle '02, W. A. Bridgeman '13; (term expires in 1920), Willard Beahan '78, J. P. Harris '01; (term expires in 1921), H. D. North '07, J. C. Sanderson '04. Dr. Kerr, the new president, has been secretary of the club for several years.

The club is going to make strenuous efforts this year to do things of real value to the University and to the cause of the great war in which we are engaged.

A memorial service will be held, as soon as it can be arranged, for C. W. Wason '76, the dearly beloved military secretary of the Club, who died last spring.

Mr. Timmerman, the new secretary, will occupy the office of war secretary, carrying on the work started by Mr. Wason. A committee has been appointed to canvas the Cornell men in Cleveland, finding out what war work they are doing, and what further work they are willing to do, thus making the club of some real assistance to the Government.

COLLEGE WOMEN NEEDED

Daniel C. Roper, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has written Registrar Hoy the following letter, dated September 12, relative to securing women clerks for work in Washington:

"I wish to call your attention to a special examination that is now being held by the Civil Service Commission for the purpose of securing the services of clerks qualified by education and experience to perform the important duty of auditing tax-payers' returns.

"I have experienced much difficulty under present conditions in securing a sufficient number of properly qualified people to do this work, and, of course, after the revenue bill now in Congress shall have come into operation the need for clerks of this type will be even greater than at present. It has seemed to me that there must be throughout the country a large number of graduates of women's colleges who would respond to an opportunity such as this to be of important service to the government, and I am, therefore, requesting that through

the publication of Cornell University which reaches the alumnae you will call special attention to this examination.

"I shall appreciate your cooperation in this matter."

THE MARINES are represented in the S. A. T. C. with headquarters at the Phi Delta Sigma (formerly Bandhu) House. The limit to its enrollment is 170. A lieutenant in the marines will be in charge of the branch. The physical tests for entrance are said to be pretty stiff.

OBITUARY**George Holt Berry '74**

George Holt Berry died at his home in Rockwood, Tenn., on September 11. He was born at Newton Moor, near Manchester, England, in 1844. When he was ten years old his family came to Afton, Minn., where Berry made his home until he moved to Harriman, Tenn., in 1893. From this place he removed to Rockwood, Tenn., last October. He entered Cornell in 1870 and remained here six years, taking the degree of Bachelor of Architecture in 1874, and that of Architect in 1876. During a large part of this time he was Master of the Chimes. After leaving Cornell he was for three years Superintendent of City Schools of Duluth, Minn. The confinement of school work necessitated his giving up his chosen occupation and he engaged in the dairy business. He never gave up his intellectual culture, however, remaining a student till his death.

James P. Magenis '99

James Patrick Magenis, who was a special student in the Law School in 1897-98, died of pneumonia at the Metcalf Hospital, Winthrop, Mass., October 1.

He was born at North Adams, Mass., on May 23, 1868. At the age of sixteen, he became associated with the North Adams *Transcript*, where he remained until 1891, when he was placed in charge of the editorial department of the *Adams Freeman*. In 1897, he gave up newspaper work and went to Boston as chief deputy collector of internal revenue, and later became collector. He spent a year at the Boston University of Law, and was admitted to the Suffolk bar in 1899. He was a partner in the firm of McConnell, Magenis and McConnell. He was a member of the finance commission and the school committee of Boston, and in 1912 was a candidate of the Progressive party for Lieutenant Governor. He was an active member of

the Cornell Club of New England, and was its first president, after its reorganization in 1908.

Mr. Magenis is survived by his widow, two sons, one daughter, and one brother.

Thomas G. Durkan '08

Thomas Glenn Durkan, of Watertown, N. Y., died of pneumonia at the St. Vincent Hospital, New York, on October 9.

Durkan entered Cornell in 1904, from the Watertown High School, receiving his A. B. degree in 1908, and his LL.B. in 1910. He was president in 1907 of the Andrew Dickson White Debate Club. In his junior year he was a member of the *Era* board, becoming assistant business manager in his senior year.

For some time following his graduation, he was associated with Olney and Comstock, attorneys, of New York, and in 1916 formed a partnership with Robert X. Kuzmier, under the firm name of Kuzmier and Durkan.

Mr. Durkan was thirty-four years old. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Durkan, of Watertown, one sister, Miss Caroline M. Durkan, a member of the faculty of the Watertown High School, and three brothers, Francis H. Durkan '14, who is in France with the Expeditionary Forces, J. Ambrose Durkan '10, who was formerly connected with the Watertown *Standard*, and is now at the Pelham Bay Training Station, and William J. Durkan '06, an engineer on the Barge Canal.

Barbara Benjamin Tetrault '12

Mrs. Philippe Armand Tetrault died at her home in West Lafayette, Ind., on September 18.

Before her marriage, Mrs. Tetrault was Miss Barbara Benjamin. She was born on April 17, 1890, the daughter of Dean and Mrs. Charles H. Benjamin, and entered Cornell from Purdue University in 1909, receiving the degree of A. B. in 1912. She was a member of Delta Gamma. After her graduation, she returned to West Lafayette, where she became an assistant in biology in Purdue University.

She was married on June 12, 1916, to Philippe Armand Tetrault, an instructor in Purdue, who survives her.

Lawrence Stewart

Lawrence Stewart died recently at the Great Lakes Training Station of pneumonia resulting from Spanish influenza. He was the son of Professor and Mrs. Oscar M. Stewart, of Columbia, Mo.,

formerly of Ithaca. Professor Stewart, Ph.D. '97, was connected with the Department of Physics at Cornell for seven years, and is now a member of the faculty of the University of Missouri.

The Kenney Scholarships

Fund Established by Will of the Late E. C. Kenney '82

Under the terms of the will of Eudorus Catlin Kenney of the class of 1882, Cornell University as residuary legatee has received about \$40,000 for the endowment of scholarships to be known as the Eudorus C. Kenney Scholarships. For administering the fund and awarding the scholarships the University Faculty has adopted the following rules and restrictions:

1. Two scholarships shall be awarded each year.

2. The tenure of each scholarship shall be four years.

3. The annual value of each scholarship shall be two hundred and fifty dollars.

4. They shall be available in the first instance for applicants entering the University who are bona fide residents of the town of Truxton, Cortland County, New York. Such applicants shall be recommended by a committee consisting of the Principal of the Truxton Public School, the Superintendent of Schools for the district including Truxton and the Supervisor for the town of Truxton, the recommendation to be made and certified to the President of the University on or before September 15th of each year. The President shall award the scholarships and certify the award to the Treasurer of the University and to the Secretary of the University Faculty.

5. In case of a vacancy in any scholarship arising from failure to award the same or from any other cause, the value of the vacant scholarship or scholarships may be awarded by the Faculty Committee on Scholarships in one or more scholarships, and in such manner as they may deem best, subject to the conditions contained in the will.

6. Any scholarship may be vacated for negligence, failure to maintain a high standard of scholarship, or conduct of any kind that is unbecoming for a holder of such scholarship, after the student has been given an opportunity to explain his unsatisfactory record.

The will specifically provides that an applicant from the town of Truxton who is competent to enter the University shall be accorded a scholarship without com-

petition; otherwise the scholarships are to be competed for in the manner designated by the University authorities. And if there are more applicants from Truxton than there are scholarships open, the University authorities are to select the one or ones most worthy to receive the benefits thus provided.

Since there will accumulate during the first three years a considerable unexpended income, the Faculty has recommended to the Board of Trustees that this unused balance, together with any balance that may accrue from the lapsing or vacating of any of these scholarships, be added to the principal of the fund. It recommends, further, that when such surplus is sufficient, there be established a Kenney Graduate Scholarship, to be awarded to a Cornell undergraduate at the end of his or her senior year, preference to be given to a holder of a Kenney undergraduate scholarship, the particular conditions of award to be determined by the Trustees and the University Faculty when the fund becomes available.

Mr. Kenney was a native of Truxton. Entering the University in 1878, he was graduated Bachelor of Science in 1882; he was also a student in 1886; and at various times since he has lived in Ithaca. While here in 1912 he published privately, under the title of "Carolets," a collection of forty-five songs, original both in words and music. He died in Washington on December 24, 1916.

LITERARY REVIEW

Text for the S. A. T. C.

The Elements of Style. By William Strunk, jr., Ph.D. '96. Ithaca, N. Y. Privately printed. 1918. Sm. 8vo, pp. 43. Price, 25 cents.

This modest and inexpensive little volume will be found a very useful manual of the chief points of good English usage. The author has attempted to cover only a small portion of the field of English style, believing "that once past the essentials, students profit most by individual instruction based on the problems of their own work, and that each instructor has his own body of theory, which he prefers to that offered by any textbook." He has limited himself to the statement of the most fundamental principles of composition and rules of usage. It may possibly be found that he has omitted too much; for example, one misses the rules for spelling. These would admirably supplement the well-chosen list of fifty-six

"words often misspelled."

Professor Strunk follows the late Professor Hart in assuming a conservative attitude toward the vexed questions of usage. This position is safe and sane. One may say this, of course, without approving of all the views expressed. For example, many of us will be surprised to find that "near by," as an adverbial phrase, is "not yet fully accented as good English."

Under "one of the most" the author might well have called attention to such atrocities as the following, which is far too common: "one of the greatest men that has expressed his views in this newspaper."

The volume is well printed and in size convenient for the pocket. So useful a book ought to have a vogue extending far beyond the Cornell Campus; and we hope that in due time a new edition will be forthcoming from the press of a metropolitan publisher who can supply the trade.

Books and Magazine Articles

The American Journal of Psychology for July (received October 1) contains several items. Miss Margaret Otis '93 writes on "Aesthetic Unity: an Investigation into the Conditions That Favor the Apperception of the Manifest as a Unit." Paul Thomas Young, Ph.D. '18, publishes his doctoral thesis, on "An Experimental Study of Mixed Feelings." Professor Margaret F. Washburn, Ph. D. '94, of Vassar, is the joint author of three "Minor Studies from the Psychological Laboratory of Vassar College," dealing respectively with freshmen, with the verbal ability of poor spellers, and with the aesthetic judgment of pictures. Edgar G. de Laski '17 writes on "The Psychological Attitude of Charles Dickens Toward Surnames," his paper being No. 42 of "Minor Studies from the Psychological Laboratory of Cornell University."

In *Modern Language Notes* for November Miss Esther C. Dunn '13 writes on "The Drawbridge of the Grail Castle" and Professor Joseph Q. Adams, jr., Ph.D. '06, on Michael Drayton's "To the Virginia Voyage." Professor T. F. Crane contributes an interesting review of J. Rendel Harris's "Origin of the Cult of Aphrodite," J. G. Frazier's "Jacob and the Mandrakes," and A. T. Starck's "Der Alraun," his theme being the curious medieval superstition relating to the mandrake.

Charles G. Renold '06 is the author of "Workshop Committees; Suggested Lives of Development," a monograph which appears as a supplement to *The Survey* for October 5, and which is to be reprinted in pamphlet form. Renold has for a number of years been at the head of Hans Reynolds, Limited, Manchester, a house which employs many hundreds of workmen, and which has always been much concerned with an intelligent solution of the great problems of capital and labor.

In *The Survey* for September 21 the Rev. Worth M. Tippy, '91-3 G., executive secretary of the Commission on the Church and Social Service of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, writes on "An Interview with Bishop Gore, Conveying a Message to America and Some Opinions on Recent Conditions in England."

Professor Leslie N. Broughton, Ph.D. '11, in *The Journal of English and Germanic Philology* for July, reviews Chilton L. Powell's "English Domestic Relations, 1487-1653," and William J. Lawrence reviews "Shakespearean Playhouses" by Professor Joseph Q. Adams, jr., which he finds to be "an immeasurable advance on anything yet written on the subject."

"Wordsworth's Theory of Poetic Diction" by Miss Marjorie L. Barstow '12, is roughly handled by G. L. Bickersteith in the London *Modern Language Review* for July. The same number contains Paget Toynbee's review of Professor C. S. Northup's "Bibliography of Gray."

Dr. Louise Fargo Brown '03 collaborates with Frances G. Davenport in an article on "The Freedom of the Seas" in the July-September number of *The Unpopular Review*. Professor Vernon L. Kellogg, '91-2 G., is the author of the article on "War for Evolutions's Sake."

Professor T. F. Crane writes in *The Romanic Review* for April-June (delayed until August) on "The Mountain of Nida; an Episode of the Alexander Legend." He finds this curious legend to be of Persian origin.

Professor William D. Gray, A.M. '03, of Smith College, in *The Classical Weekly* for October 7 reviews Dr. Frank H. Cowles's "Gaius Verres: an Historical Study."

Professor Vernon L. Kellogg's "Fighting Starvation in Belgium" (Doubleday, Page & Co.) is favorably reviewed by B. L. in *The Survey* for August 10.

ALUMNI NOTES

'81AB—On October 1, Ira A. Place was appointed general solicitor of the United States Railroad Administration, with headquarters in New York, and is in charge of the law department, the land and tax department, the claims department, and the freight claim department.

'85PhB—Professor George F. Atkinson returned the last of August from a trip through Florida, Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, and Virginia, in search of fleshy fungi. He left Ithaca on September 13 for the Western coast, where he will continue his search, beginning in the mountain forests near Seattle, and going through Washington, Oregon, and California. If the season is favorable, he will remain through January and February. The trip is purely experimental, for it is not known which is the favorable season.

'86—John J. Nef, of Chicago, was married in New York City last month to Mrs. Nellie L. Meulendyke, of Rochester.

'91—G. Schuyler Tarbell, a son of George S. Tarbell '91, sold more War Savings Stamps than any other Boy Scout in New York State, and was close behind the national leader. His sales amounted to \$41,841.

'92BS, '94LLB—Sherman Moreland, of Van Etten, N. Y., formerly Judge of the Supreme Court of the Philippines, has been made a major and assigned to the Judge Advocate's Office, New York.

'98LLB—John F. Murtaugh, of Elmira, former state senator from the forty-first district of New York, has been commissioned a major in the U. S. Army, and is assigned to the Judge Advocate's office, Governor's Island, N. Y.

'98—Clarence F. Wyckoff has found it necessary to resign his post as chairman of the Ithaca Four Minute Men, and George C. Williams, head of the Williams School of Expression, has been appointed his successor.

'98PhD—Captain Madison Bentley is now president of the Aviation Examining Board, examining aviation recruits from New England colleges. His address is 739 Royston St., Boston.

'98LLB—Judge Willard M. Kent, of Ithaca, spent a week touring a large part of New York State with one of the War Relics trains, an exhibition traveling in the interest of the Fourth Liberty Loan, and addressed audiences at the various

stops made by the train. His territory included most of southern, central, and western New York State, and some counties in New Jersey, which are included in the Second Federal Reserve District.

'99ME; '99AB—Captain Robert H. Hazeltine and Captain Herbert B. Lee have been promoted to be majors, and are with the 45th Artillery, C. A. C., at Camp Eustis, Va.

'99PhB, '02MD—Mr. Silas Dewey Barber has announced the marriage of his sister, Miss Mary Elizabeth Barber, to Doctor Robert Stevenson Macdonald, on September 25. Dr. Macdonald and his bride are living at 47 Cumberland Avenue, Plattsburg, N. Y.

'01AB—Edward B. Allen is vice-president of the Adams Bag Company, of Cleveland, Ohio.

'02—Ray Crozier, of Peoria, Ill., has been made vice-president and general manager of the Peoria Water Works Company. He entered the employ of the company more than ten years ago, as an engineer, and was later made superintendent.

'04—Hugh Jennings, former varsity baseball coach, and later manager of the Detroit team of the American League, has been appointed field secretary of the Knights of Columbus, and as soon as his passport arrives will go over to help John Evers organize baseball teams behind the lines in France.

'05ME—Wetmore H. Titus has been appointed a captain in the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, and is stationed at 6th and B Streets, N. W., Washington. He was formerly assistant manager of centrifugal sales with the Gould Manufacturing Company, Seneca Falls, N. Y.

'06CE—Lieut. Seth W. Webb, Engineer R. C., has been promoted to captain. He is still with Company D, 3d Engineers, at Schofield Barracks, H. T.

'07LLB—H. Howard Babeock is practicing law in New York City with offices at 233 Broadway. He is chairman of Legal Advisory Board No. 107. His home address is 347 Seventy-third St., Brooklyn.

'07AB—George F. Rogalsky, who has been for some time bond agent in the Ithaca district for the National City Company of New York, has accepted a position as assistant cashier of the Tompkins County National Bank, of Ithaca.

'08AB, '12AB, '14PhD—Mary Rebec-

ca Thayer is an assistant professor of English in the College of Wooster, Wooster, Ohio. Her home is at 705 Beall Avenue.

'08ME—Donald Stewart is with the Engineering Supervision Company, 366 Fifth Avenue, New York.

'08AB, '12PhD—Ross P. Anderson has been appointed a captain in the Chemical Warfare Service. His present address is Chemical Warfare Service, Gas Defense, American Expeditionary Forces. Mrs. Anderson (Katherine Miller '10) is living at 212 West Fourth St., Oil City, Pa.

'08ME—Captain Robert E. Friend was promoted to major in the Ordnance Department, U. S. Army, on July 25. He is stationed at Worcester, Mass., as Army inspector of ordnance, in charge of the inspection of some twenty-two plants.

'09AB, '11LLB—Lieut. John Hull Scott is with the 317th Field Artillery, 156th Brigade, 81st Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

'09CE—George Frederick Wiegardt, of Baltimore, and Miss Alice Winton Brooks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Brooks, of Ithaca, were married on September 4 at the home of the bride's parents by the Rev. John A. MacIntosh, of the Presbyterian Church. They were attended by Walter Johnston '12 and Mrs. Johnston (Mary L. Newman) '14.

'09ME—Captain Truman W. Eustis, of the Aviation Section, has been transferred to the Bureau of Aircraft Production, 4th St. and Missouri Avenue, N. W., Washington, D. C.

'09ME—Lieut. James W. Cox, jr., Q. M. C., has arrived safely overseas. He may be addressed in care of the American University Union, Paris.

'09CE—Otto von Kruse has become hydraulic engineer for the Larner-Johnson Valve and Engineering Company, and his new business address is in care of the company, Widener Building, Philadelphia. He retains a temporary connection with the Oldbury Electro-Chemical Company, of Niagara Falls, with which he has been connected for some years.

'09AM—Mrs. Mary E. Bradley has announced the marriage of her daughter, Margaret, to Lieutenant LeRoy R. Klein, of Rutherford, N. J., on August 28, at Sodus, N. Y. Lieutenant Klein is with the 811th Infantry at Camp Dix, N. J.

'10ME—G. Ervin Kent has received a commission as second lieutenant (non-

flying) in the Aviation Section, and is on duty at the Repair Depot, Indianapolis, Ind. Mr. Kent was formerly Graduate Manager of the Athletic Association, and during the past year was manager of the Wharton Releasing Corporation. He was first lieutenant in Company D, 4th Regiment of the New York State Guard.

'10CE—Carroll R. Harding is assistant consulting engineer with the Southern Pacific Company, 165 Broadway, New York.

'11LLB—Major Edgar A. Hamilton, of the Ordnance Department, has returned from France, and has been detailed to the Army War College, Washington, D. C., for instruction.

'11ME—Raymond P. Heath, C. S. M., is on duty at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Panillac, France. His address is in care of the Postmaster, New York.

'11BS—George C. Schempp, jr., is an adjunct professor of agronomy at the College of Agriculture, Athens, Ga.

'11ME—Thomas Riggs Cox, jr., the son of Captain and Mrs. Thomas R. Cox, of Albany, was born on September 23. Captain Cox is in the Engineering Division of the Ordnance Department, 6th and B Streets, Washington.

'11BS—Alvin J. Nitzschke is superintendent and horticulturist for the Pine Glenn Pecan Company, Albany, Ga., and has recently completed top-working, with marked success, three hundred and forty large seedling pecan trees of diameter up to fifteen inches, producing a growth from bud, in one season, up to eight feet.

'12ME—Stanley A. Russell is with the National City Company, 55 Wall Street, New York.

'12—Elmer F. Bowen is engaged in Government motor equipment work in the Detroit district of the Ordnance Department. His address is 423 Second Avenue.

'12AB—Second Lieut. Lingard Loud is stationed at Love Field, Dallas, Texas.

'12CE—Charles R. Meissner is connected with the Seaboard Coke Company. He lives at 20 Boyd Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

'12CE—Professor J. C. McCurdy returned recently from Pottsville, Pa., where he had charge of the survey and valuation of about seventy miles of street railway for the Eastern Pennsylvania Railways Company. These lines are now operated by the J. G. White Corporation. Among those associated with him

in the work were Chauncey R. McAnlis, instructor in civil engineering, Homer R. Seeley '19, and George Lumsden '22.

'12CE—Lieut. Joseph L. Green is stationed at the Aberdeen Proving Grounds, Aberdeen, Md.

'13AB; '16ME—Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Roesse (Gretchen L. Hainlin '13) are living in Washington, D. C., where Mr. Roesse has a Government position.

'13CE—Lieut. Tristan Antell has been ordered to France, and may now be addressed in care of the Chief Ordnance Officer, A. P. O. 717.

'13AB—Captain P. Story is now in Italy. His address is Company I, 332d Infantry, A. P. O. 901, American Expeditionary Forces.

'13MSA; '14AB—A daughter, Margaret, was born on June 24 to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Work (H. Grace Nicholas).

'13CE—Capt. Alexander M. Thompson is adjutant of the 2d Battalion, 313th Engineers, 88th Division, American Expeditionary Forces.

'13—Lieut. Donald B. Macdonald has been transferred from Souther Field, Americus, Ga., to the U. S. A. School of Aerial Photography, Rochester, N. Y.

'13ME—Wilbur C. Suiter has been commissioned a lieutenant in the Aviation Section, Signal Reserve Corps, and is abroad with the 135th Aero Squadron.

'13AB—Captain Basil B. Elmer, who was formerly head of the intelligence service in the 165th Infantry, has been promoted to be intelligence officer on the General Staff of the Rainbow Division.

'13BS—Clyde W. Bame, who was placed in Class 4 of the draft, was transferred to Class 1, at his own request, and left for Camp Jackson, S. C., on September 10. He was head of the agricultural department of the Gouverneur, N. Y., High School.

'13ME—Lieut. Henry W. Lormor has recently been ordered to Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas, with the Motor Transport Corps, and expects to go overseas in the near future.

'14LLB—C. Arthur Dutcher has been ordered to Eberts Field, Lonoke, Ark.

'14BChem—Nathaniel J. Goldsmith is a member of Squadron 67 at the School of Military Aeronautics, Berkeley, Calif.

'14BS, '18MSA—Lieut. Richard T. Cotton is attached to the Machine Gun Company, 374th Infantry, U. S. A., and is stationed at Camp Las Casas, P. R.

'15CE—William H. Evans has returned from Hong Kong, China, and is now living at 2321 West End Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

'15BS, '16MSA; '15AB—Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Roper (Sarah Barclay) announce the birth of a daughter, Ruth Curtis, on April 21, 1918.

'15CE—First Lieut. W. Howard Fritz, jr., has been promoted to be captain of field artillery, and ordered to Camp Meade, Md.

'15CE—Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Putts, of Baltimore, announce the marriage on August 22 of their daughter, Mary Louise, to Captain George L. Kraft, of the 19th Infantry, U. S. A. The couple are at home at Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

'15—Christian F. Hagemann, of Yonkers, a former varsity track man, has received a commission as second lieutenant at Camp Gordon.

'15AB, '15AM, '17PhD—Mrs. P. E. Wolfe announces the marriage of her daughter, Miss Enid Rose Bell, to Sergeant Gilbert Joseph Rich, Medical Department, U. S. A., on August 31, at Baltimore, Md. Sergeant Rich's address is Psychological Board, Building B-37, Camp Meade, Md.

'15—Captain Everett R. Morse is commanding officer of the Mobile Ordnance Repair Shop, 6th Division, Regulars. His address is A. P. O. 777, American Expeditionary Forces.

'15—Lieut. Howard S. Rappleye has been promoted to captain in the U. S. Guard. He is stationed at Fort Niagara, N. Y.

'15AB—Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Ethel A. Del Madge, of Ithaca, to Edward C. Leib. Leib is a stenographer at the U. S. Army School of Military Aeronautics, at Cornell, and his address is 202 College Avenue.

'15ME; '16AB—Lieut. Donald Tenyson Stanton and Miss Jean Dalziel Holmes were married on September 28 at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Joseph Austin Holmes, 2717 Quarry Road, Washington, D. C. They are living at 201 Stewart Ave., Ithaca. Stanton is an instructor in the School of Military Aeronautics.

'16AB—Lieut. Stowell W. Armstrong, U. S. N., has been ordered to duty at U. S. Naval Base No. 27, and may be addressed in care of the Postmaster, New York. He was on board the U. S. S. Covington, which was sunk by a German submarine.

'16BS—Ensign Frederic A. Jessen, U. S. N. R. F., is in command of U. S. Submarine Chaser No. 85.

'16BS; '17BS—The Rev. and Mrs. H. D. Smith, of Ovid, N. Y., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Ruth Howard Smith, to John Edward Houck, of Black Creek, Ontario, on September 12.

'16AB—Private Anthony O. Shallna has been assigned to Headquarters, 2d Provisional Regiment, Ordnance Training Camp, Camp Hancock, Ga.

'17AB; '19—Miss Virginia Van Brunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Van Brunt, of Brooklyn, was married on September 1 to Lieutenant Robert Leroy Clear.

'17—Harold L. Wessel, of Chicago, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Air Service.

'17AB—William E. Seely, of Poughkeepsie, is attending the Central Officers' Training Camp at Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky. Before entering the Army he was a reporter on *The Ithaca Journal*.

'17—Adolph Brandt has been commissioned an ensign in the U. S. N. R. F., and is stationed on a submarine chaser.

'17PhD—A son was born on August 3 to Dr. and Mrs. Alfred Henry Sweet. He has been named Charles Woodbury Greenleaf Sweet.

'17ME—Emanuel M. Cohen has received a provisional appointment as a second lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, Regular Army, and is awaiting a new assignment. His present address is Company F, 25th Engineers, U. S. A. P. O. 735. He says he has met a number of Cornell men "over there," including Lieut. Colonel William W. Ricker '96, Ordnance, N. A., Capt. Ralph A. Smallman '08, Engineer R. C., who is his commanding officer, Capt. Andrew J. Lowndes '05, of the Army Transport Service, and Corporal Charles S. Whitney '14, of the 25th Engineers.

'17AB—Miss Caroline V. Bell, of Ithaca, is teaching French in the high school at St. Albans, Vt.

'17AB—Bertram F. Willcox, son of Professor and Mrs. Walter F. Willcox, of Ithaca, has graduated from the French artillery school near Fontainebleau, and is a candidate for a second lieutenant's commission. He has been assigned to a battalion of French 75's in an American unit brigaded with the French Army, and will spend a period of probation at the front, after which he will receive his commission.

'18—William Harold Weigel, jr., and Miss Anna Jean Keckman were married on June 25 at Nanking, China.

'18LLB—Malcolm B. Carroll has been commissioned an ensign in the Naval Reserve Flying Corps, and is stationed at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Chatham, Mass.

'18—William H. Farnham, of Buffalo, has been commissioned a second lieutenant of infantry, N. A. His address is G-2, A. P. O. 774, American Expeditionary Forces.

'18—Milton C. J. Westphal is attending the Rochester Theological Seminary. His address is 300 Alexander St., Rochester, N. Y.

'18—First Lieut. Archie M. Palmer has arrived safely in France. He is attached to the 49th Infantry.

'18CE—A. Stuart Collins is a draftsman in the Pittsburgh plant of the McClintic-Marshall Construction Company, Rankin, Pa. He lives at 415 Biddle Avenue, Wilkesburg, Pa.

'18AB—Neil H. Dorrance is a private in the Quartermaster Corps. His address is Quartermaster Detachment, Fair Grounds, Syracuse, N. Y.

'18—Lieut. John S. Knight is with the Supply Company of the 113th Infantry, American Expeditionary Forces.

'18—Carroll K. Dunham's address is Company K, 3d Battalion, I. R. and Training Camp, Camp Lee, Va.

'18AB—Bertha K. Frehse is teaching English in the Wisner, Nebraska, High School. Her mail address is Box 157.

'18AB—The address of Benjamin Pepper is 52 Little Hall, Princeton University, Princeton, N. J.

'18—Harold R. Bassett is attending the Engineer Officers' Training School at Camp Humphreys, Va. He is in Company 4.

'19—Edgar M. Queeny has been appointed a temporary ensign in the U. S. Navy, and is on board the U. S. S. Hannibal.

'19—E. Ellington Neill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis D. Neill, of Ithaca, has received a commission as second lieutenant in the Ordnance Department. He has been assigned to the Headquarters Company, 2d Provisional Regiment, Officers' Training Camp, Camp Hancock, Ga.

'19—George H. Stine, of Niagara Falls, graduated from the Officers' Training School at Camp Gordon, and has been commissioned a second lieutenant.

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