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**T**RUNKS at the Lehigh, trunks at the Lackawanna, trunks at the American Express! Everybody travels with a trunk these days. Street-car conductors begin to beam when the students come in. *They know students.* Queer chaps, those conductors. They never quit, or get fired, or die, or anything. Hamburger sandwiches on Eddy Street are fifteen cents each. Hot dogs ten. The Greeks are a national menace. In spite of all this talk about the irreverent attitude of colleges in general there are a lot of churches in Ithaca. And if one looks closely enough he will observe that a good percentage of the regular attendants are students. The country will probably hold together for another decade.

RETURNED Christmas vacationists lack the mental alertness and physical vigor which was so much in evidence at the beginning of the term. Dances, dinners, girls, to say nothing of final examinations three weeks away, have left their marks on the Cornell undergraduate. He is serious, bleary-eyed, and dumb. In another week he will be too busy to think about himself but—Junior Week is just around the corner.

THE WEATHER during vacation varied from six degrees below zero on December 27 to forty above on January 1. A snow-storm on December 26 tied up bus service between Ithaca and Auburn and greatly impeded automobile traffic in all directions. Social Ithaca indulged in the usual round of dinners with a few extra thrown in and one or two dances. Willard Straight Hall was open every day and provided a welcome meeting place for those unfortunate who were unable to go home. Skating on Beebe Lake was a popular sport.

THE CHIMES, played by Assistant Chimesmaster Charles B. Lipa '27 of Utica, N. Y., rendered a forty-five-minute program on Christmas Eve and a thirty-minute program on December 31. The Christmas program, which began at twelve o'clock midnight, included *Adeste Fideles*, "It Came Upon the Midnight Clear", "O Little Town Of Bethlehem", "We Three Kings of Orient Are", and "The First Noel". The New Year's program began at 11.45 p.m. It included Saint Anne, Saint George, "Marche Romaine", "The Bells of Saint Mary's", and "The Legend of the Bells".

LOCAL MUSIC dealers report that the Cornell song and march record, produced in the studio of the Victor Talking Machine Company at Camden, New Jersey, by members of the Band and the Glee Club on November 24, has met with widespread approval. The song medley is

composed of "Alma Mater," "Give My Regards to Davy," the "Song of the Classes," the "Alumni Song," and the "Evening Song." The march medley includes "Fight for Cornell" and "Cornell Victorious."

THE *Sun* in the issue of December 12 inaugurated a new column entitled "Innocents Abroad," the purpose of which is to present the news, controversies, and items of interest in other universities to Cornell students.

KIRBY PAGE, noted writer, lecturer, and teacher, addressed the members of the Saturday Lunch Club and their guests at a luncheon in the Savings Bank Restaurant on December 12. His topic was "The World Court." In collaboration with Sherwood Eddy, Mr. Page has written numerous treatises on peace and war, the League of Nations, and the problems of international peace.

THE BITTER struggle between local employers and the Ithaca Musicians' Union, which has continued unabated all the fall, provided another dramatic episode on Christmas Eve. The Cornell Officers' Club, in arranging for its annual Christmas dance, to be given in the Bank Auditorium, secured Jimmy Day's Orchestra from Elmira as the musicians for the evening. After both the orchestra and guests had arrived for the dance members of the local union attempted to stop the program and succeeded in delaying the opening until it became doubtful if the dance would be held at all. Although the Elmira orchestra finally fulfilled its contract, it is understood that the matter is not settled and that complaints will be made to the Elmira local union of which Jimmy Day's orchestra is a member.

EZRA CORNELL '27 of Denver, Colorado, great-grandson of the founder of the University, and Robert H. Stier '26 of Cynwyd, Pennsylvania, were injured in an automobile wreck on December 23. Cornell and Stier were returning from Elmira on the Ithaca-Elmira highway about midnight of December 23 when the Buick car which they were driving skidded on the icy road near Newfield, crashed into a tree, overturned, and pinned both its occupants underneath. In the crash the gasoline tank of the roadster was damaged and caught fire, but both students were extricated by a farmer who heard the crash, and were rushed to the Infirmary. Neither suffered serious injuries. Ezra Cornell is the son of Henry Watson Cornell, who formally lived in Ithaca.

JAY T. CALKINS, well-known Ithaca leather merchant, retired from business on January 1. Mr. Calkins started in the

harness business in 1900. His first store under the management of Allen J. Calkins, was located at the corner of State and Tioga Streets in the building now occupied by the Wells-Shannon Company. The last location was at 123 East State Street, near Treman, King and Company. Of late years the bulk of the business has been confined to trunks and traveling bags. Mr. Calkins is, perhaps, better known to older Cornellians as the proprietor of The Stag and The Oriental, famous drinking places in their day.

THE DEPARTMENT of Publications of the College of Agriculture mailed out 1,069,233 copies of agricultural bulletins and rural school leaflets from January 1 to November 30, 1925, according to a report of the department recently made public. During the month of November alone requests were filled for 106,309 copies. The bulletins and leaflets include reports and information on practically all branches of agricultural projects.

A ZONING ordinance for the village of Cayuga Heights, enacted by the Board of Trustees of that village, went into effect on January 1. One clause of the ordinance which has excited considerable controversy and contention prohibits the building of college fraternity houses in the major portion of the village. The arbitrary character of this and other restrictions, however, is lessened by the appointment of a Board of Appeals which will review any appeal from the decision of the zoning officer. This Board will probably decide in favor of fraternities which already own building lots in the village.

GEORGE R. CONKLIN '27, who plunged one hundred and fifty feet into Fall Creek gorge in a Ford automobile and lived to tell the tale, has sufficiently recovered from his injuries to be removed from the Infirmary to his home in Poughkeepsie. His rapid recovery has led attending physicians to believe that he suffered no serious internal injuries. Conklin's unusual experience and the fact that he was a working student aroused such interest that a fund was started to make him a substantial donation. On January 2 this fund had reached a total of \$872.

HON. DANIEL A. REED '98, Member of Congress from the forty-third district of New York, has been made Chairman of the House Committee on Education.

BALL AND CHAIN, western New York sectional society, initiated the following men on December 17: Arthur R. Moore '26, George D. LaMont '27, R. N. Palmer '27, C. C. Bradley, Jr., '28, and C. H. Stevens '28.

## Gift for Emergencies

### University Receives \$50,000 to Provide for Unforeseen Needs Over Five Years

Cornell has received a gift of \$50,000 from the Robert Boyd Ward Fund, Inc., of New York, President Farrand announced last Saturday. The sum is to be paid to the University in five equal annual payments, beginning with this month.

By the terms of the gift the money is to be used as income, being intended to furnish a fund available to the president for meeting emergent needs not provided for in the university's annual budget. The purchase of scientific apparatus or supplies, the publication of the results of research done in the University, and lectures by men of ability in the advancement of science, are specified as proper objects for the use of the gift, provided the needs have arisen unexpectedly during the calendar year of the annual payment and have not been anticipated or provided for in the budget. An annual report of the uses of the gift is to be made to the Fund for the purpose of determining the utility of such a gift in a university, where resources must be economically apportioned to cover the budget demands of the several departments.

President Farrand said that the gift was especially pleasing as showing that the Robert Boyd Ward Fund understood how impossible it is for a university to make its budget cover all anticipated departmental necessities and at the same time to reserve any funds for the urgent needs that arise unexpectedly during the year.

The Robert Boyd Ward Fund was established by William B. Ward of New York in memory of his father, who was the founder of the Ward Baking Company. The gift to Cornell was made under William B. Ward's direction.

### CORNELL AT THE MEETINGS

At the meeting of the Modern Language Association of America, held in Chicago in the holidays, the following papers were read by Cornellians: a paper on Spenser by Thomas P. Harrison, Jr., Ph. D. '24, of the University of Texas; "Possible Investigations in Italian in Connection with the Modern Foreign Language Study," Professor Ralph H. Keniston of the University of Chicago, recently of Cornell; "Notes and Queries on the Metre of the Poem of the Cid," Professor Elijah Clarence Hills '92, of the University of California; report on the New Middle English Dictionary by Professor Clark S. Northup '93, editor in charge; "The Ballad in the Light of Recent Anthropological Evidence" by Professor Arthur Beatty, '94-5 Grad., of the University of Wisconsin; "Certain Social Customs in the Drama of the Siglo de Oro" by Professor George I. Dale '10; "Etienne Médecis: a Forgotten Chronicler" by Professor David C. Cabeen '19, of Vanderbilt University;

and "Romanticism and Individuality" by Professor Northup. Professor George L. Hamilton presided at the meeting of the Romance Section, Professor Joseph Q. Adams '06 at the meeting of the Shakespeare Section, Professor Beatty at the meeting of the Wordsworth Section, and Professor Keniston at the meeting of the Spanish Section.

At the twelfth annual meeting of the American Association of University Professors in Chicago Professor Henry L. Rietz, Ph. D. '02, of the University of Iowa, reported on "Faculty Group Insurance."

At the Chicago meeting of the Linguistic Society of America, the following papers were read: "Associational Changes in English as Affecting the Case Relations" by Professor Oliver F. Emerson, Ph. D. '91, of Western Reserve; "Was There a Helleno-Asiatic Group of Indo-European Languages?" by Professor Robert J. Kellogg '91, of Ottawa University, Kansas; "The History of the Forms of Spanish Patronymics in -x" by Professor Elijah C. Hills '92. At the Ithaca meeting of the Society, held in connection with the American Philological Association, the following were read: "Some Neglected Evidence Bearing on the Ictus Metricus in Latin Verse" by Professor James F. Mountford; "The Accusative Singular Ending of Indo-European" by Professor Franklin Edgerton '05, of the University of Pennsylvania.

We hope next week to report on certain other societies which met in the holidays.

## SPORT STUFF

To utilize the materials of war in the arts of peace has many things to commend it, but I never thought much of O. D. army pants as skating garments for young women. That particular attempt to beat swords into plowshares and spears into pruning hooks may have been economical, but it was never an aesthetic success in the case of the buxom and cornfed. But the reaction has set in and the girls are wearing skirts again—short skirts with accordion pleats—not exactly Victorian but practical and good looking.

Also there is a noticeable trend away from hockey skates and back to the old-fashioned rocker. If this reaction keeps up some of these college orchestras will be substituting violins for pistols.

R. B.

AL-DJEBAR, honorary chemistry society, initiated nine men at a banquet in Prudence Risley Hall on December 16. They were Fred L. Chappel, Jr., '25, Guido R. Henry '26, Milton R. Schrader '26, Samuel S. Allender '27, Franklin H. Bivins '27, W. F. Covin '27, James F. Hand '27, Arthur W. Lewis '27, and John W. Snyder '27.

### KIMBALL ADDRESSES SIGMA XI

The second annual dinner of the New York Alumni of Sigma Xi was held on December 14 at the Faculty Club, Columbia. Among the members of the honorary committee were Dean Jacob G. Lipman '00 of Rutgers, Professor Graham Lusk, and Edwin N. Sanderson '87. William R. Wigley '07 was a member of the alumni committee. The theme of the evening was "The Responsibility of Scientists in Disseminating Scientific Knowledge to the Public." One of the four speakers was Dean Dexter S. Kimball, who spoke in part as follows:

"In these days of specialization each man must work in a somewhat limited field. In general the development so obtained does not, as has been shown, give him skill or knowledge in any other field. But the affairs of humanity are many and varied, and no man can be said to have a liberal view of humanity who does not know what its vital interests are. If, therefore, he is to be liberally educated, he must keep himself informed as far as possible regarding all important social, political, and industrial movements. What is vocational to one man is liberalizing to another. Latin and Greek may be strictly utilitarian to the archeologist, while liberalizing to the scientist. A knowledge of some industrial pursuit will be vocational to the man who is making his living thereby, while a knowledge of the same art may be very liberalizing to a divinity student. The student of the humanities and the classics can lay no claim to liberal education unless he knows something about the great fields of science and industry, and the human interests involved that surround and affect him for good or ill on all sides. The student of science and the man interested in industry will find many things made plainer and his horizon greatly broadened by studying the recorded experience of those that have preceded him. No man can lay claim to a liberal training if his education has narrowed his vision so that he sees only the good in his own particular field. The most liberal of studies may be very narrowing in its effect if it is not related to vital subjects.

"The humanities are not, as some would have us believe, matters that belong to a distant past. They flow in an unbroken stream from our experience with life. There is not, nor can there be, any stopping point for this flood. The humanities have been, they are, they will be, and, of a necessity, they will contain in times to come many things undreamed of in the past. The test of excellence is application; and as men measure all older forms of recorded experience and philosophy by the standard we have laid down, they very naturally, in accordance with the law of the survival of the fittest, discard those that are not helpful, just as they also lay aside outworn creeds, useless religious dogma, and hollow outward form."

# Planning Commission Makes Report on Campus Development

Unified and Distinctive Plan Provided for Growth of University During Many Years  
—Suggestions and Criticisms Welcomed by Board of Trustees

THE ALUMNI NEWS prints below the main body of the report of the University Plan Commission, which was presented to the Trustees on November 14 and subsequently published in pamphlet form. A map showing the complete plan is reproduced on another page.

The plan "contains suggestions of very great significance for the future of the University," President Farrand has said in an introduction to the pamphlet. Before taking action on the plan, the Trustees wish to receive suggestions or criticisms from any one who may be interested. It is requested that suggestions for changes in the plan, with the reasons therefor, be submitted in writing to the Secretary of the University before January 15.

The report follows:

The Plan Commission's report of June 18, 1923, to the Board of Trustees outlined chiefly the principles which had guided its studies, and showed, in preliminary form, the decisions which it had at that time tentatively reached. Since then, with further study, and with the aid which it has received through the appointment of executive architects charged with the responsibility of preparing plans for the University Library, the Gymnasium, the College of Engineering, the women's residential group, and the faculty apartments, the Commission has clarified the problem in many of its most difficult phases. Over and above this aid, however, the greatest assistance has been that received from frequent consultations with Mr. M. B. Medary, Jr., member of the Architectural Advisory Board, and with Mr. Bryant Fleming, the University's Landscape Adviser. The Plan Commission has been in constant touch with them ever since their appointment.

Two thoughts have been of controlling influence in the Commission's study of the University Plan and in its recommendation to the Board of Trustees. The first of these is that the plan should be one having the character of this University. Oxford, for example, has a peculiar atmosphere, a charm, inherent in the distinctive character of its college buildings. Those buildings, in themselves and by reason of their disposition, are reminders of Oxford tradition, Oxford history, and Oxford life. At its first meeting, therefore, ten days after its appointment, the Plan Commission decided that Morrill, McGraw, and White Halls should be preserved, irrespective of their physical condition. Since then that decision has not been questioned. In the plan now submitted they have been kept as the nucleus or heart of the University. And a great western terrace is suggested, to join a

new engineering group on the north and an enlarged library building on the south, as a setting for them—an academic acropolis. For us they represent tradition, and they help to recall to our minds the founders' conception of "a university set upon a hill."

The other controlling thought has been that the plan, as finally evolved, should have that flexibility which an incalculable growth will require and yet be so precise as to give assurance that under proper guidance in its ultimate execution it will produce a grouping of buildings and a landscape treatment of a character suited to this University. This purpose, in the Commission's opinion, is best to be accomplished by the operation of the Architectural Advisory Board, which, on the Commission's recommendation, the Board of Trustees created on June 18, 1923.

The main condition under which the Commission has proceeded toward these ends was imposed upon it by the present buildings, consisting, first, of the educational buildings, those of the endowed University and those of the State Colleges; secondly, of the residential halls, men's and women's, and thirdly, of the fields and structures devoted to physical training and athletics.

The general location of the two educational groups was already determined. Their identities were separate and distinct and each had a character preeminently its own, yet each was but a part of a whole. The Commission has endeavored in its plan to suggest the preservation of what is best in each of these groups. It has kept them in the plan as distinct from each other as now, but has tried so to determine future building lines that the two groups shall be more closely bound together. The building program of the College of Agriculture has been developed by the State Architect and Mr. John C. Westervelt since the creation of the Plan Commission, and in this development a close cooperation and a unity of aim have been maintained between Mr. Westervelt and the Commission. For the endowed University group, the preparation of architectural plans for the Library and for the College of Engineering has been entrusted to Messrs. York and Sawyer. In this case, likewise, the Commission and the architects have, together with the Advisory Board, been in constant consultation with one another. On June 1, 1922, the Commission was called upon to recommend a definite site for Willard Straight Hall. Its recommendation was approved and the plans for that building were drawn by Messrs. Delano and Aldrich with the same cordial recognition on their part of the Commission's view—that that

building, like any other, was but a unit in the general grouping and that the building itself as well as the whole University would be the gainer if it were so designed as to fall into its subordinate place in the whole.

The original decision determining the location of the Residential Halls for Men was accepted by the Commission as wise. The plan now submitted shows this site as a center from which future extensions may grow.

On July 7, 1922, the question of location for a women's residential group arose. The land to the north of Beebe Lake was recommended, with the thought that ultimately Sage College would be converted to some other use and that a concentration of all social and residential buildings for women could best be made north of Fall Creek and Beebe Lake. On that same day, which was nearly a year before the creation of the Architectural Advisory Board, the Commission, having been asked by the Board of Trustees to nominate an architect for this group, recommended the appointment of Mr. F. L. Ackerman.

### Gymnasium Site

The geographical situation of physical training and athletics had already been fixed by the establishment of the Alumni Field. Provision for a future extension of this branch of university activity in close physical connection with that established center followed naturally, and on June 12, 1925, after a study of Mr. Ackerman's very full report on the location of a new gymnasium, the Commission recommended that he be instructed to continue his studies for this project on a site approximately at the intersection of the present South and East Avenues.

On April 14, 1923, the Commission approved the plans for the Cornell Crescent.

There is a supplementary division of the University's operations which might be classified under the single head of Service Department. The new Central Heating Plant had already been built at East Ithaca when the Commission was instituted, and that general location is now recommended as a proper site for all buildings to be used for service—stores, laundry, stables, and incinerating plant—and for the future extension of the present Central Heating Plant. A supplementary drawing [not included in this printed report] shows a study of a possible scheme for the housing of units belonging to such a department. The scheme involves certain adjustments of roads and of the present military stables—changes which, the Commission believes, would not only increase efficiency but also much improve the appearance of that neighborhood.

Natural conditions have been an all-important element in the elaboration of this Plan, for the University is bounded on either side by a deep gorge. Yet, instead of obstructing the plan, these two natural ravines can be so treated as to become of even greater beauty than at present. Thanks to the generosity of Colonel Henry W. Sackett, the realization of that possibility is now only a matter of time. This kind of development does not lend itself to graphic representation. The Plan Commission recommends that the gorges be preserved as natural parks, with as little of formality or artificiality as may be compatible with the fact that they will mark the northern and southern borders of the more formal campus. The Cascadilla preserve might well start where University Avenue crosses Cascadilla Creek and continue upstream at least as far as to a point opposite the old game farm. From that point a wooded park connection could be made with the Fall Creek Gorge. The scenic treatment of the Fall Creek Gorge from that junction down to Stewart Avenue would then complete a park circuit of great beauty. That part of this natural park which extends from the basin opposite the heating plant eastward to the game farm and thence northward to Fall Creek forms an almost ideal site for an Arboretum. Such a use of this area is suggested by the fact that it already contains trees and shrubs of much educational value; and, moreover, an arboretum may well be a natural park and therefore a part of a scheme for preserving the two gorges. In general, the gorge reservation should extend to the crest of the containing bank on either side. The plan, however, designates certain portions of these banks which might well be allocated to residential use, both on account of their nearness to the University's main buildings and because such a use of them would help protect the park. The appointment of Colonel Sackett on the Commission in the spring of 1924 added another voice in favor of a careful preservation of these natural features of the University's domain.

#### Highway Changes

At the present time certain roads on the University's property are not only parts of the general street system of the City of Ithaca but likewise form integral links of State or County roads leading into Ithaca. The most heavily travelled of these routes is that which leads from Varna, through Forest Home, and into Ithaca either by way of University Avenue or else past the Library and down Central Avenue. The Commission feels that it would be difficult to maintain an academic character in the University plan with this route serving as a main State road, and also, considering the increase of automobile traffic, that an element of danger would not be absent. It has therefore predicated its road plan upon the assumption that, at some time in the future, the main route from Varna to

Ithaca will be shifted by the improvement of the Dryden Road so as to afford a direct highway leading from Varna past the new heating plant and on down to East State Street. That improvement would not only reduce the distance between Varna and Ithaca considerably but would also avoid many sharp turns and some heavy grades. It is to be hoped that the change would divert much through traffic away from the campus altogether and make it possible to eliminate upper Central Avenue and its turns about the Library and Franklin Hall and to convert lower Central Avenue into a great foot approach, a broad walk, leading to the Quadrangle.

Central Avenue and East Avenue are now used alternatively as important city thoroughfares joining the City to the Heights. The plan proposes the development of East Avenue, wider if need be and more directly connected with College Avenue, as a means of taking care of this traffic. University Avenue is retained. The Tower Road, continued eastward in a straight line to the improved Dryden Road, would form the next important line of general public thoroughfare and provide a new gateway to the University from the east.

Other roads are more properly classed as University roads. Both the one that runs from Baker Tower past Willard Straight Hall and up to the athletic center, and the one that runs from East Avenue around the south side of the baseball field to the site of the proposed Service Department on Dryden Road, are thought of as answering to needs arising within the University.

Beyond this, the Commission has endeavored to reduce road development to a minimum compatible with necessary service and to so dispose these roads as to make them of scenic value. The border road along the north bank of Cascadilla Gorge, between the baseball field and West Avenue, is an instance of such treatment. Provision has been made for what is believed to be adequate automobile parking space.

Footpaths will to some extent be determined by leaving them where students make them, but some of these lines of travel can be beautified, notably the present Central Avenue, by a transformation of the Cascadilla Bridge into a wide pedestrian entrance to the University; the walk that leads past the south end of Willard Straight Hall and down to Stewart Avenue; and the footpaths along the south bank of Fall Creek. Any one of these walks would lend itself to a pleasing and distinctive landscape treatment.

The Commission has envisaged this plan not as a thing for immediate execution but rather as a skeleton about which to grow. It does not propose the destruction of any existing building or road. It sees this plan as one which will grow into actual being bit by bit as particular needs

arise and only as they arise. It has made free use of many plans which have been made in the past, taking from each those elements which in its judgment are good.

Supplementary drawings are submitted herewith. These drawings served as a basis upon which to found the main plan. This main plan shows both the existing buildings and those for which actual studies have been made by architects engaged by the University. Elsewhere lot lines alone have been determined, within which, the Commission believes, future buildings should be kept. The allocation of certain areas to certain uses has been discussed, but, with a few exceptions, only a broad allocation to educational, park, or residential use has been made, and topography and the situation of existing buildings have determined these general allotments. Except for those areas which are assigned to Fine Arts and Administration, the few specific allotments are suggested by the need of providing space for extensions of present buildings.

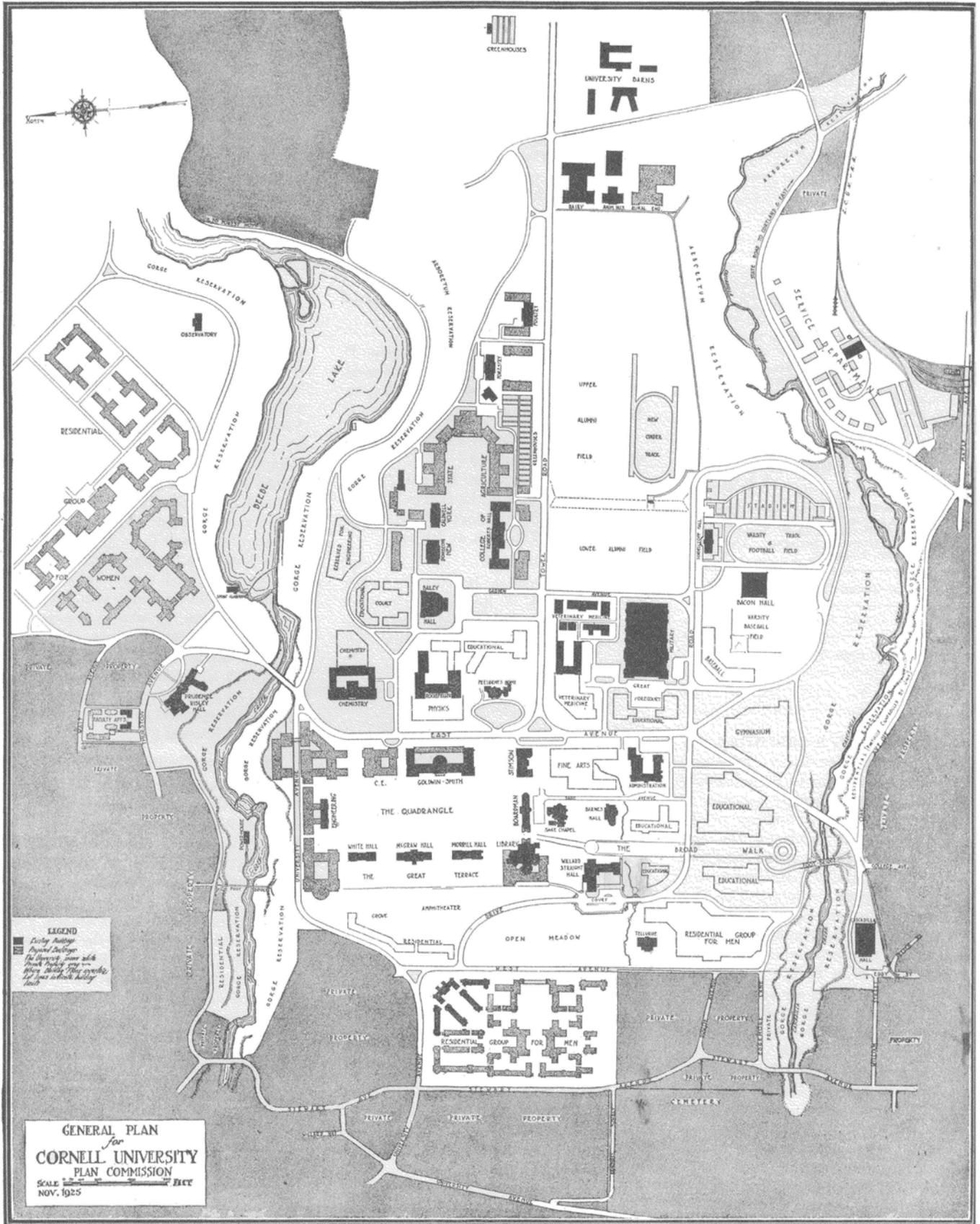
Lastly, the Commission believes that every opportunity exists here for enhancing that intangible quality which, as it has striven to keep in mind, is essential in a university plan, namely, institutional character, and for making the very physical elements of the plan expressive of tradition and history. One such opportunity, it believes, will be found in the chance of renaming some of the avenues and streets on the University's property, and perhaps some of the paths and footways. Addison Walk, for example, or McCosh Walk, has lost nothing of sentimental value in being so named.

#### '16 PLAN GOING STRONG

Highly satisfactory progress of the "Fifty-Fifty for Everybody" reunion plan of the Class of 1916 is reported by Weyland Pfeiffer '16, secretary of the committee working to finance the plan. Pfeiffer writes that acceptances of the \$50 uniform rate reunion offer have already been received from 1916 men in eighteen states, including Illinois, Florida, Wisconsin, Oklahoma, Colorado, California, and Kentucky. The flat rate scheme is intended to bring back for next June's reunion Cornellians dwelling in just such remote parts. Contributions may be sent to Pfeiffer at 141 Broadway, New York.

THE FOLLOWING learned societies held meetings in Ithaca during the Christmas vacation, December 28-30: The American Psychological Association, The American Philological Association, The American Archeological Association, The Linguistic Society of America, and The College Art Association. The last four societies met together. A total of about four hundred scholars attended the meetings.

THE SAGE CHAPEL Preacher for January 10 will be Right Reverend Charles H. Brent, Episcopal Bishop of Western New York, Buffalo.



**THE NEW UNIVERSITY PLAN**

Expansion and development of the Campus for many years to come is provided for in this map. If all the objectives are eventually attained, the only present features to disappear will be Central, South and President Avenues, Franklin Hall, most of the Engineering College buildings, and fraternity and private houses on the Campus, with the exception of the Telluride House. Some of the buildings now in use will be enlarged, but Morrill, McGraw, and White will be kept the same. For the present no removal of buildings is contemplated.



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### WE ATTEMPT A CALENDAR

**D**OUBT has been freely and cheerfully expressed as to the possibility of maintaining an adequate calendar of Cornell events such as appears in the ALUMNI NEWS this week for the first time. We are frankly skeptical ourselves. The experiment would, if successful, be a valuable addition to the information that the ALUMNI NEWS attempts to broadcast.

Two factors tend to diminish its usefulness. Many very attractive events are not announced more than a few days in advance. Many events are announced in advance, but not to the ALUMNI NEWS. Our attempt must therefore be to list those events occurring later than the Monday after our date of issue which are announced to us prior to the Monday preceding our date of issue.

We shall attempt to list alumni and athletic events held out of town as well as those occurring in Ithaca.

Certain of our readers could assist in this undertaking, particularly secretaries and banquet committees of Cornell Clubs, and Ithacans in charge of events to which nearby out-of-town alumni could come if they received adequate notice.

We believe this sort of calendar can be made of real service to the alumni and to the University by the cooperation of those concerned with the events it proposes to list.

### OLD INDEX NEEDED

The Index for Volume 22 (1919-20) of the ALUMNI NEWS was produced on the mimeograph. An insufficient number of copies were run off. At present we need a copy of this index to complete a set of the ALUMNI NEWS for Willard Straight Hall. If any subscriber has a copy which he feels would be more useful there than in his own set, we shall appreciate receiving it for this purpose. Mail it to CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS, Ithaca, N. Y.

### COMING EVENTS

#### Monday, January 11

Public Lecture, Professor Eugene P. Andrews '95: "Pompeii." Illustrated. Museum of Casts, Goldwin Smith, 8 p. m.

#### Tuesday, January 12

'94 Memorial Debate, 8 p. m.

#### Wednesday, January 13

Lecture, W. Norman Brown: "Some Religious Elements in the Indian Political Situation." Goldwin Smith B, 8.15 p. m.  
Basketball, Villanova at Ithaca.

#### Thursday, January 14

Lecture, Frederick H. Newell, former director of the U. S. Reclamation Service: "Giant Power." Illustrated. Main Lecture Room, Baker Laboratory, 8.15 p. m.

#### Friday, January 15

Organ Recital, Professor Harold D. Smith. Sage Chapel, 5 p. m.

#### Saturday, January 16

Basketball, Columbia at New York.  
Freshman Basketball, St. John's, Manlius, at Ithaca.  
Hockey, Dartmouth at Hanover.

#### Monday, January 18

Lecture, William Green, President of American Federation of Labor. Main Lecture Room, Baker Laboratory, 4-30 p. m.

#### Tuesday, January 19

University Concert, The London String Quartette. University Theater, Willard Straight Hall, 8.15 p. m.

#### Wednesday, January 20

Debate, California vs. Cornell. University Theater, Willard Straight Hall, 8 p. m.  
Basketball, Syracuse at Syracuse.

#### Thursday, January 21

Lecture, Professor Douglas Johnson of Columbia University: "The Shore Line Scenery of the Atlantic Coast." Illustrated. Main Lecture Room, Baker Laboratory, 8.15 p. m.

#### Friday, January 22

Organ Recital, Professor Harold D. Smith, Bailey Hall, 5 p. m.

#### Saturday, January 23

Basketball, Princeton at Ithaca.  
Freshman Basketball, Cortland Normal School at Ithaca.

### CLUB ACTIVITIES

#### Cleveland

Over one hundred and fifty alumni and undergraduates, and their fathers and sons, enjoyed the Father and Son Luncheon of the Cornell Club of Cleveland on Wednesday, December 30. William P. Sturges '76 was the oldest living graduate present, and Conant Van Blarcom, Jr., '41, son of the president of the club, sponsored the coming generation. Willard Beahan '78 presented each undergraduate and future Cornellian with a copy of the "Songs of Cornell."

The meeting was enlivened by a splendid musical program by the Hermit Club Jazz Orchestra, directed by Frank B. Meade, Boston Tech '88, founder and president of the Hermit Club of Cleveland. A majority of the members of the orchestra are Cornell men. A quartet composed of John C. (Johnnie) Barker '12, Elbert H. (Buck) Barker, Jr., '12, Alton F. Baker '16, and Edwin J. (Eddie) Truthan '19, sang numerous songs. The Alumni Song was sung by Newell Lyon '97. Harold D. (Bub) North '07, George Teare '24, Otto B. Mikes '16, and James A. (Jimmie) Upstill '26 were the stunt men. William H. (Bill) Forbes '07 was as gracious as ever with a repertoire of songs, among the others being one written by George Teare, which made a decided hit. The gathering recessed to meet again the next evening to enjoy the splendid concert rendered by the Cornell Musical Clubs.

#### Northern California Women

The December meeting of the Cornell Women's Club of Northern California took the form of a "fun" and "utility" shower for Mrs. Walter Mulford (Vera Wandling) '03, who is to spend a year abroad with her husband, Professor Walter Mulford '99, and their three children.

Mrs. Carol Aronovici (Florence Parsons) '05, the president of the club, was hostess at luncheon at her home in Berkeley. The center of the table held a good-sized model of the English convict ship Success, which was made by a prisoner and presented to the Aronovici boys some years ago. The gifts were loaded on to the small ship and unloading was attended with much merriment.

#### Southern California Women

The Cornell Women's Club of Southern California held the second of its monthly noonday luncheons on December 12, at the Bull Pen Inn in Los Angeles. The letter of Oscar H. Fernbach '94 which appeared in a recent number of the ALUMNI NEWS was read and much enjoyed, and the editorial regarding the resignation of Dean Georgia L. White '96 called forth unqualified regret from all who were present.

The club was honored at the end of the meeting by a visit from Dr. David Starr Jordan '72, who came to call for his

sister, Mrs. Edward J. Edwards (Mary Jordan) '78, who was attending the luncheon. Both Dr. Jordan and Mrs. Edwards had incidents to relate of the early days in Ithaca when there were only three women attending the University.

**Cuba**

The Cornell Club of Cuba held a very successful dinner on December 19 with about a dozen men in attendance. Music was furnished by a typical Cuban "Son" orchestra. This weird but fascinating music was the result of two guitars, tomtoms, bones (similar to castanets), the scraping of a scratched gourd, and the shaking of two small gourds with rice inside. This combination requires six highly specialized "musicians." A large number of Cornell songs were sung and Carl Wedell '24 sang several solos accompanied by Robert Torrance '16 on the guitar.

The officers elected for the ensuing year were as follows: president, T. C. Ulbricht '08, re-elected; vice-president, William E. Skilton '24; secretary, Laurence H. Daniel '24; treasurer, Francisco Landa '07. The address of the new secretary is in care of Daniel Inc., Bank of Nova Scotia Building, Havana, Cuba.

**Washington Women**

A tea was given by the women of the Cornell Society of Washington on Sunday, December 13, from four to six at the Clubhouse of the League of American Penwomen. Miss Ruth Putnam '78, a Trustee from 1897 to 1899, was the guest of honor. Miss Putnam spoke of some of her experiences in Geneva, Switzerland, where she spent the past year. There were about eighty members present. Mrs. G. B. Stephenson, wife of Guy B. Stephenson '16, was chairman of the committee.

**New York Women**

Cornell women of New York will hold their Founders' Day meeting January 9 at 2:30 in the sun parlor of the Allerton, Lexington Avenue and Fifty-Seventh Street. Professor Bristow Adams will be the Speaker.

**PRESENTS FOOTBALL TROPHY**

Charles F. Landmesser '06, representing the Cornell Club of Northern New Jersey, presented the club's new football trophy for preparatory schools of New Jersey at the annual dinner and football rally held December 10 at the Newark Y. M. C. A. Lawrenceville School and Princeton Preparatory School, tied for the "prep" school championship of 1925, received the trophy, which Lawrenceville will hold the first half of the year and Princeton the second half.

The trophy is a large silver football mounted on an ebony base, with silver shields surrounding the base for engraving the names of the winning teams. It will become the property of the preparatory school winning it three times over. The

Northern New Jersey Club donated the trophy as a means of keeping Cornell in the minds of the preparatory school boys of New Jersey.

**ATHLETICS**

**Holiday Basketball**

The basketball team broke even on the Christmas holiday trip, winning from Ohio State in the opening game and from Rochester in the last game of the trip. The team lost to Pittsburgh and Buffalo. The showing of the squad on the whole was encouraging. An injury to Dake in the Pittsburgh game weakened the team somewhat, but in the Rochester game, the last of the trip, a prominent passing game was developed. The form of the squad gives ground for hope for a better showing in the Intercollegiate League than last year. The home season opened here Wednesday with Syracuse, and on Saturday the team meets Rochester in a return engagement.

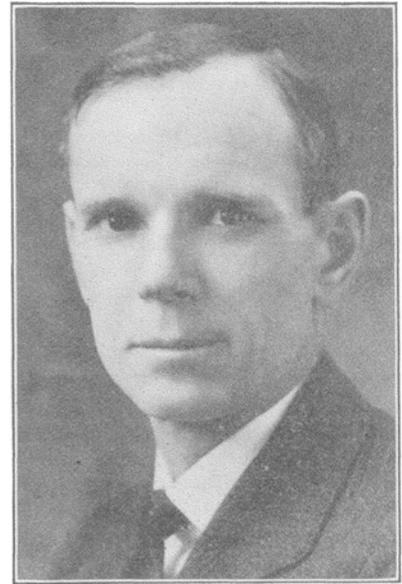
Ohio State, Western Conference champions last season, went down before Cornell at Columbus on December 30 by a score of 23 to 16. Dake at center scored 12 points, four goals from the field and four from the foul line. On the following night Pittsburgh won a fast game, 36 to 26. An injured foot put Dake out of the game, and Moynihan and Dill alternated at center. On January 1 the team lost to University of Buffalo. The score was 19 to 15. This was a closely-fought game all the way through. Against Rochester in the last game, which Cornell won by a score of 31 to 19, superior team play and passing turned the trick. Albee at forward made 18 points. Albee, Clucas and Moynihan played the forwards on the trip, Dake and Dill center, and Captain Rossonondo and Deaveau guards. Schlossbach and Weber got into every game as substitutes.

**Dobie Heads Coaches**

Gilmour Dobie, coach of football at Cornell, was elected president of the American Football Coaches' Association at its annual meeting in New York on Monday, December 28. Mr. Dobie, who has been a member of the association since it was organized a few years ago, served as vice president last year and when it came time to choose officers for the next year he was the unanimous choice of the members for president.

The association is composed of coaches representative of all sections of the country. All of the foremost figures in football coaching are members. Mr. Dobie's predecessor in the presidency was Robert F. Zupke of the University of Illinois.

In addition to Mr. Dobie the following officers were elected: Vice president, William H. Cowell of New Hampshire State University; second vice president, William F. Roper, Princeton University;



GILMOUR DOBIE

and secretary-treasurer, Dr. J. W. Wilce of Ohio State University. It is understood that the president of the Pacific Coast Coaches' Association shall automatically become third vice president.

Trustees elected were Hugo Bezdek of Penn State, Fielding H. Yost of Michigan, W. A. Alexander of Georgia Tech., and Ben G. Owen of the University of Oklahoma.

The coaches adopted resolutions providing that any person actively engaged with professional football after September 1, 1926, should be ineligible for membership in the association; that the members of the association should not select any all-star or all-American teams for any agent or agency; that a committee be named to stabilize the profession of football coaching; and that it was the sense of the association that football practice should be confined to two hours daily and that coaches should not call their squads together until September 15, unless their college opens prior to that day.

**OBITUARY**

**Willis N. Rudd '80**

Willis Nathaniel Rudd died at his home in Blue Island, Ill., on November 27, 1925, of heart failure, after a period of steadily failing health.

He was born in Worth, Ill., on March 30, 1860, the son of Oscar F. and Mary Thatcher Rudd. He attended the High School at Watertown, N. Y., and entered Cornell in 1876 as a science student. He became a member of Delta Upsilon. In 1880 he left to teach school for a year in Wisconsin. The next six years he was in business in Chicago and then became connected with the Mount Greenwood Cemetery Association. During his lifetime he steadily worked higher in the organization and at his death was the

president. For many years he was directly in charge of the affairs of the association, and Mount Greenwood was continually developed until it now ranks as the finest cemetery in America.

In connection with his cemetery work, Mr. Rudd also developed greenhouses and came into such contact with florists that in 1898 he was elected president of the Society of American Florists. He was especially interested in carnations and chrysanthemums and developed types which have been for thirty years greatly sought after by lovers of flowers. He was long president of the Chicago Horticultural Society and a member of the American Carnation Society (president in 1898), the Chrysanthemum Society of America, and the American Rose Society, and was also a 32d degree Mason. He was a lecturer in the landscape department of the University of Illinois.

On March 3, 1887, he was married to Miss Julia R. Massey, who survives him with three daughters, Mrs. Ray M. Arnold of Galesburg, Ill., Mrs. Kellogg Speed of Highland Park, Ill., and Mrs. Norman J. Seim (Phyllis Rudd '17) of Chicago.

### Roger B. Whittlesey '90

Rev. Roger B. Whittlesey died at his home in Germantown, Philadelphia, on November 26. He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, in 1868 and was educated in the public schools of that city. He entered Cornell in 1887 as an optional student and remained one year.

For some years he was engaged in business but in 1895 offered himself to the China Inland Mission for service and was sent to Shanghai. He spent twenty-one years as a missionary at many stations in the interior of China and became a fluent speaker of the Chinese language. In 1898 he married an English member of the Mission and of this union four boys and two girls were born, all of whom are living.

Coming to America on a furlough in 1916, he became secretary-treasurer of the United States branch of the China Inland Mission. This mission is unique in that no collection or personal solicitation is authorized, but it is supported by voluntary offerings. Under Mr. Whittlesey's direction it prospered and expanded beyond anything before known.

Mr. Whittlesey was a man of versatile gifts and activities. He was a friendly man filled with good cheer and had a veritable genius for making friends without respect to person or station. He was a good business administrator. He served the cause of religion faithfully for many years under difficult circumstances among a strange people who loved him.

PROFESSOR GEORGE W. CAVANAUGH '93 spoke before the New Jersey Feed Dealers' Convention held at the State Agricultural College at New Brunswick on October 21 on "Proper Mineral Content for Dairy and Poultry Feed."

## ALUMNI NOTES

'93 BSArch, '94 MSArch, '19 BChem—The Hubbell & Benes Company of Cleveland, Ohio, recently designed a new main exchange building for the Ohio Bell Telephone Company. Benjamin S. Hubbell '93 and his son, Benjamin S. Hubbell, Jr., '19 are members of the firm of architects.

'95 ME—The fear of a gasoline shortage has been postponed until far in the future by deep-drilling methods which are uncovering great oil deposits, the Petroleum Division of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers was informed at a recent session in New York. The statement to this effect is credited to William R. Eckart '95, who is a professor in Stanford and chairman of the Petroleum Division. He made a report before the engineers in which he stated that 5,300,000,000 barrels of crude oil are recoverable by flowing and pumping wells and acreages already proven, and that in addition there remain about 26,000,000,000 barrels which can be recovered by improved and known processes when the price justifies.

'98 LLB—Christmas Day, 1925, bore a double meaning for Willard M. Kent and his wife, of Ithaca. He is the county judge of Tompkins County, and in addition to observing December 25 as Christmas, he and his wife also celebrated it as their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

'98 ME—John H. Wynne is the manager of the Lima Locomotive Works, Inc., at Lima, Ohio. He and his wife, Gertrude Cadogan '00, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Mary F. Smith '24, to Alexander D. MacDonell, Harvard '18. The wedding will take place in the spring.

'05 ME—Gustavus A. Kositsky is the chief engineer of the Ohio Bell Telephone Company, with headquarters in Cleveland.

'05 ME—Rea E. Babson announces the formation of the Rea E. Babson Company, specialists in oil heating and refrigerating equipment for the home. Demonstration showrooms and offices have been opened at 704 Bloomfield Avenue, Montclair, New Jersey. Babson lives at 348 Central Avenue, Orange, New Jersey.

'05 AB—Arthur D. Camp is the chemical engineer and manager of Wireless Dry Cells, Ltd., of Niagara Falls, N. Y., makers of Maximite Radio Batteries. His address is P. O. Box 904.

'07 AB; '05 AB—Christmas greetings and an invitation to all Cornellians to visit them and enjoy their island playground, were received from Oswald D. ("Duke") Ingall '07 and his wife, Elizabeth H. Church '05. They and their youngsters, "Bill" and "Flo," live at 120 Main Street, Nantucket Island, Mass.

'09, '10 ME—Arthur J. Mason, Jr., is

located at Taft, Calif., where he is one of the oil inspectors for the State.

'10 BArch—Architecture is a far cry from the work which Harry W. Helmer of Evergreen Farm, Homewood, Ill., is doing. For the past twelve years he has been interested in agricultural matters, and recently he and another man perfected a process for the mechanical evaporation of forage crops, which is expected to prove a substantial contribution to agriculture.

'11 LLB—William E. Hawke is still with the McGraw-Hill Company at 370 Seventh Avenue, New York. At present he is general auditor for the company and adds that he is "not interested in Florida real estate."

'11 MD—Dr. Elsie Fox is practicing roentgenology and roentgenotherapy at 355 East 149th Street, New York.

'11 CE—Charles M. Chuckrow is with Fred T. Ley & Company, Inc., of 19 West Forty-fourth Street, New York. He is also vice-president of the 150 Broadway Corporation, which owns the twenty-three-story Westinghouse Building, and of the 578 Madison Avenue Corporation, which owns the twenty-story Ley Building.

'12 AB—Cornellians who keep up with the latest books are commenting favorably on "Gold of Ophir" which has recently come from the presses of Doubleday, Page & Company. The volume is the work of Mrs. Sydney Greenbie (Marjorie L. Barstow) and her husband. This is the second they have written. Their first book grew out of a trip around the world which Mrs. Greenbie took soon after securing her Ph. D. degree from Yale. During that trip she met Mr. Greenbie, while they were in Japan, and later married him.

'13 BS—Fred C. Shaw is superintendent of the Langwater Farm at North Easton, Mass. He and his wife have two daughters, Sara and Lydia.

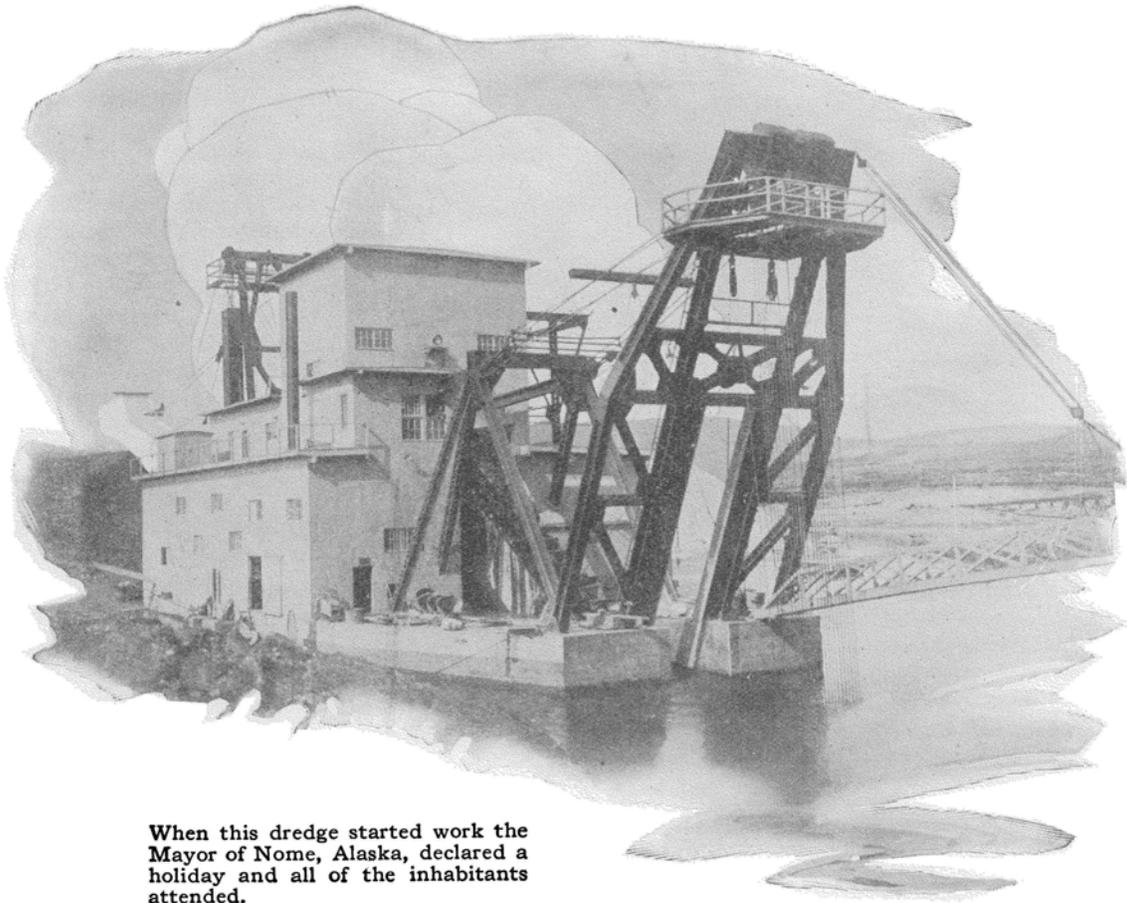
'13 LLB—Mrs. Vernon C. Herron of Paso Robles, Calif., has announced the marriage of her daughter, Florence Eleanor, to Rufus E. Bixby.

'14 AB—Mrs. Thomas Turnbull III (Clara Howard) was recently elected president of the Cornell Women's Club of Pittsburgh. Her home is at 111 Jones Street, Woodlawn, Pennsylvania.

'15 AB—Dr. Carl R. Fellers, who has been associate professor of food preservation at the University of Washington for the past three years, is now research professor of horticultural products at the Massachusetts Agricultural College and Experiment Station at Amherst, Mass.

'16 ME—William L. Merry is with E. L. Phillips & Company of 50 Church Street, New York.

'17 BS—Edwin I. Kilbourne is general manager of the Cuban Dominican Sugar Company estates in Santo Domingo. He and his wife, Elizabeth Alward '18, live at Estate Consuelo, San Pedro de Macoris, Santo Domingo.



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# GENERAL ELECTRIC

'18 PhD—Donald K. Tressler is an industrial fellow in the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research at Pittsburgh, Pa.

'18 LLB—Benjamin Schwartz, who is practicing law in Baltimore, Md., has been asked by the United Palestine Appeal, of which Rabbi Stephen S. Wise is chairman, to visit Florida in its behalf, as part of a national campaign for five million dollars. A speaking tour has been arranged for Schwartz which will take him from Tampa to Miami and from Jacksonville to Key West. Schwartz has been active in Jewish community life in Baltimore, especially in Zionist circles, being a member of the Executive Zionist Committee and chairman of the publicity committee for that city in its recent campaign for Palestine.

'19 LLB—William P. Coltman is in the United States for a time, on vacation from his duties with the Standard Oil Company of New York in Shanghai, China. Mail will reach him if addressed to him in care of the International Banking Corporation, 60 Wall Street, New York.

'20—Harry C. Clair, Jr., is secretary-treasurer of the Ridgefield Lumber Company at Ridgefield, Wash. On June 25 last, he was married to Miss Mary H. Spaulding of Portland, Ore.

'20, '21 AB; '23 BS—On Christmas afternoon, a son, W. Dean Ferres, 3d, was born to W. Dean Ferres, Jr., '20, and

Maurine Beals '23. They are living at 54 Ethelbert Avenue, Ridgewood, N. J. Ferres is with the National Bank Examiners, who have their headquarters in the Customs House, New York.

'20 BS—Mr. and Mrs. Donald S. Brown (Ruth H. Nye) of Greene, N. Y., have a son, Donald McLean, born on October 16, 1925.

'21 BChem—Earl W. Phelan, who is an instructor in chemistry at Oregon State College, made a cross-country trip in a Ford car the past summer. He made the trip East via Yellowstone Park to New York in sixteen days and then drove back over the Lincoln Highway in fourteen days.

'21, '22 BS—Andrew G. Baldwin is located in Miami, Fla., where he is selling real estate in the Coral Gables section. He writes that there are many Cornellians in Florida. His address is 311 North East Fourteenth Street.

'22 BS—O. Bailey Foote was married in Brooklyn, N. Y., on October 24, to Miss Helen M. Henjes. They are now living at 765 Excelsior Avenue, Oakland, Calif., where Foote is manager of the Oakland Branch of the Jensen Creamery Machine Company.

'22, '23 ME—Maurice B. Tonkim has been ill at the home of his parents with typhoid fever. Their address is 2121 Fifteenth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

'23, '24 ME—John C. Mather and his wife, Marjorie Spears, Ithaca Conservatory '24, recently moved into a new home at 140 Marshall Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. They have a daughter, Marjorie Anne, born on May 11, 1925. Mather is an apprentice engineer with the Equitable Gas Company and writes that for the past few months he has been working with Daniel H. Krouse '25.

'23, '24 EE; '21 AB—Frederick G. Guldi is an electrical engineer with the New York Telephone Company and teaches mechanical drawing in the evenings at the Bedford Branch Y. M. C. A., in Brooklyn. He and Cornelia M. Schermerhorn '21 were quietly married on November 14 last in The Little Church Around the Corner in New York. They are living at 181 St. Marks Avenue, Brooklyn.

'24 ME—Gordon D. Hardin is a draftsman in the bridge department of the office of the chief engineer of the Louisville & Nashville Railway. His address is 1140 Brook Street, Louisville, Ky.

'23 ME—John J. Cole is associated with Sanderson & Porter, an engineering firm at 52 William Street, New York. He is now engaged in industrial investigational work.

'23 ME—John P. Gaty has severed his connection with the Fidelity & Casualty Company to join the New York Wire &

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Spring Company of Hoboken, N. J. He is in the engineering department. He lives at 50 Morris Avenue, Morristown, N. J.

'23—Marjorie D. Wilson is rapidly making a name for herself in the short story field. She has a studio on West Forty-fifth Street, New York.

'23, '24 EE—Lewis R. Gaty is a cadet engineer with the Sioux City Power & Light Company. His address is P. O. Box 308, Sioux City, Iowa.

'23—George G. Niedich and his wife (Gertrude Martin '23) are living at 30 Chestnut Street, Nutley, N. J. Niedich is the New York representative of the Niedich Process Company of Burlington, New Jersey.

'24—Cablegrams received in this country tell of the engagement of R. Marie Powers to appear in the La Scala Opera House in Milan, Italy, which has been the scene of triumphs by some of the most noted singers of the world.

'24—Charles D. Scott and his wife are living at Houghton Farm, Mountainville, N. Y. They have a son born on July 19, 1925.

'24 ME—Harry A. Summers is still in the Bell Telephone Laboratories in New York and engaged in one branch of the research and development which is back of the new orthophonic talking machines. He was married on September 5, 1925, to Miss Gladys C. Banning of Brooklyn, and they are living at 65 Halsey Street in that city.

'24 LLB—S. David Stutson is associated with Joseph P. Bickerton, Jr., in the practice of law at Suite 1907-09, 220 West Forty-second Street, New York. He has been admitted to the bar in both Virginia and New York.

'24 EE—George A. Bunyan is an assistant engineer with the New York Telephone Company. He and his wife have a daughter, Ann Alden, born on November 21 last, who is the class baby of the class of

1923, Connecticut College for Women, of which Mrs. Bunyan is a graduate. They live at 164 Linden Boulevard, Linden Arms D-16, Brooklyn.

'24—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Alschuler of Chicago have announced the engagement of their daughter, Adela, to Richard S. Taussig '24 of Chicago. Miss Alschuler graduated from Vassar last June.

'25 EE—Arthur J. Hopper, Jr., is engaged in hydro-electric construction work at the Cutler Development of the Phoenix Utilities Company. His address is in care of the company, Wheelon via Collinston, Utah.

'25 BS—Edith M. Conrad is with the Consumers' Co-operative Cafeteria at 22 Thames Street, New York. She lives at 249 Sixth Avenue, Astoria, Long Island.

'25 AB—Arthur M. Coon is a reporter for the Buffalo *Evening News*. He intends to go abroad the end of January but his address at present is 13 Hoyt Street, Buffalo.

'25 BS—Charles D. Richman is advertising manager of the Richman Ice Cream Company of Sharptown, N. J.

'25 AB; '25 AB—John R. Greeley is an assistant in the Zoology Department at Cornell and is also doing graduate work. His engagement to Hulda V. Hultzen '25 was announced on October 9. His address is 241 Linden Avenue, Ithaca.

'25 AB—Elizabeth Rauschenbusch is now playing in Basil Sidney's production of Hamlet, which is running in New York. She has one of the roles in the court scene of the play.

'25 ME—Carlos A. Llorens is teaching first year high school subjects in Yauco, Porto Rico. On October 31 his engagement to Miss Jenara Mora of Mayaguez, Porto Rico, was announced. His address in Yauco is Box 201.

'25 ME—Philip R. Friend is working for an E. E. degree and living in Cascadilla Hall at Ithaca. After he has secured

the degree, he will be located at the Hotel Windermere in Chicago.

'25—Marjorie S. Wilmot is living at 19 Covert Street, Flushing, Long Island, and is studying music at Columbia University.

'25 AB, '23—Leona G. Schwartz and Doris Montagne '23 are on the editorial staff of *Liberty Magazine* in New York and are living at 230 West Seventy-ninth Street.

'25 BS—Florence C. Crofoot is assistant manager of the Lincklaen House at Cazenovia, N. Y.

'25 ME—Clinton M. Vernon is instructing in administrative engineering at Lafayette College. Mail sent to him in care of the college at Easton, Pa., will reach him.

'25 AB—Reuben Turner is attending the Cornell Medical School in New York and living at 2333 Webster Avenue.

#### NEW MAILING ADDRESSES

'90—Charles C. Chillingworth, P. O. Box 1956, West Palm Beach, Fla.

'97—Don R. Almy, 67 Riverside Drive, New York.

'98—Kate M. Schutt, 21 Goodrich Street, Pittsfield, Mass.

'09—John F. Goodrich, 5177 Franklyn Avenue, Hollywood, Calif.

'10—Orlow W. Boies, Old Hickory, Tenn.

'12—Mrs. Joseph J. Klein, 529 West Elsmere Street, San Antonio, Texas.

'13—Leslie S. Ace, 1909 North A Street, Tampa, Fla.—Edgar H. Vant, in care of B. Nicoll & Company, 294 Madison Avenue, New York.

'14—Milton Weinstein, 1339 Carroll Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

'15—William H. Mayer, Jr., 3355 North Twenty-first Street, Flushing, N. Y.

'16—Otto B. Mikes, in care of F. B. Meade and J. M. Hamilton, 802 Bulkeley Building, Cleveland, Ohio.—Julian Harvey, 4205 Lakewood Boulevard, Detroit, Mich.—Benjamin H. Micou, 912-3 Ford Building, Detroit, Mich.—Ruth L. Cleves, 211 Audubon Road, Apartment 31, Boston, Mass.

'18—Juan M. Bertran, Calle San Agustin 3, Santruce, Porto Rico.—Paul H. Kramer, 525 Woodward Avenue, General Testing Laboratory, Detroit, Mich.

'20—Arthur A. Adelman, 267 West End Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

'22—John Paul Pritchard, Catawba College, Salisbury, N. C.—S. Hobart Greene, *Pictorial Review* Company, 222 West Thirty-ninth Street, New York.

'23—Wendell Buck, 150 Claremont Avenue, New York.

'24—Duncan B. Williams, 31 Highland Avenue, Glen Ridge, N. J.—Sarah A. Beard, 56 Pierrepont Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.—Mrs. Eldridge H. Snead, 104 South Douglass Avenue, Margate, N. J.

'25—Hugh Prytherch, Jr., 150 Lafayette Avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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