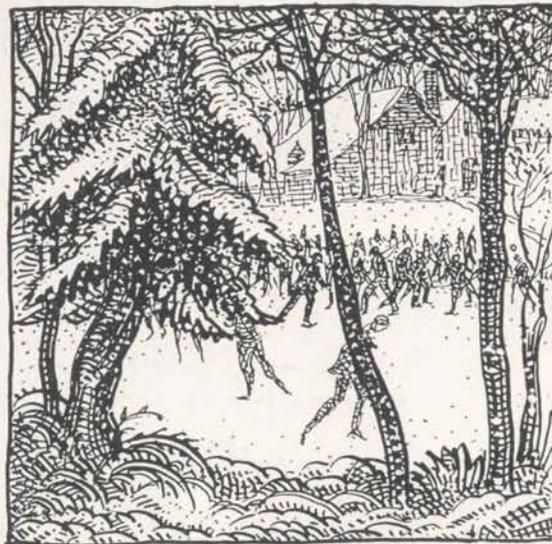


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Founder Honored

Celebration of Ezra Cornell's Birthday Reveals New Material Showing His Activities

Charles Ezra Cornell, the oldest living grandson of Ezra Cornell and son of Alonzo B. Cornell, at one time Governor of New York State, has recently made public a number of letters from his grandfather addressed to Alonzo as a young man, full of fatherly advice and commenting on events during the days of the Mexican War in 1848.

Another series of valuable records made available are the personal diaries of Ezra Cornell, furnished by Franklin Cornell of Ithaca, another grandson. These diaries are in reality a history of the founding of the telegraph industry and record the early struggles of the first telegraph companies and of the founding of the Western Union Telegraph Company, of which Ezra Cornell was at one time the largest stockholder, and which was the basis of his personal fortune.

The material is being assembled by Emeritus Professor Albert W. Smith '78, who is engaged in writing a biography of Ezra Cornell to be published in the near future.

In a letter of December 20, 1846, while Ezra Cornell was in Auburn engaged in telegraphic business, he advised Alonzo concerning the choice of a profession:

"In choosing a profession or occupation by which to procure a livelihood, a person should look at the prospects of its permanency, and see how far the continuance of his business would depend on his own will and how far on the will of others. Choosing by this rule, why not decide to become a farmer, and when you settle in business, settle for life on a farm? On a farm of your own, if it is but an acre, it would be large enough to support a small family if managed with scientific skill and determined industry, and it would soon beget acres more rapidly than at compound interest."

He recommended the reading of the life of Benjamin Franklin, and disapproved his son's desire to secure a copy of the life of General Scott, Mexican War hero.

"Your wish to read the life of General Scott, at this time or at any other time, arises from a feeling of military glory or heroism. This I disapprove of. God says 'Thou shalt not kill.' Why, then, admire

the lives of those whose trade it is to violate one of God's laws? I am so thoroughly disgusted with the whole of this miserable Mexican War that I have no patience even to consider the good qualities of some of our best and bravest men.

"This war, I firmly believe, was provoked by our own rulers to gratify a lust for conquest and extend the curse of human slavery. I don't believe that our Constitution authorizes the waging of a war of invasion, and it only authorizes a defensive war through the sanction of the people's representatives in Congress. This is not such a war as any man, in my opinion, can justify by that sacred document, the Constitution of the United States."

"I would, therefore, defer the reading of the life of General Scott at the present time, and perhaps you would do as well to read Lardner's lectures again."

Writing to his son on May 12, 1848, about the difficulties of insulation in extending the new telegraph lines across the Hudson River, Mr. Cornell described a new material which had come to his attention that would permit the use of wires under water:

"There is a prospect that we have an article that will insulate wire so as to work under water. It is a South American gum, similar to India rubber. I don't know how to spell it but will spell it as near as I can by the pronunciation I have heard—thus, 'Gerty Perchy,' or vegetable leather."

A great believer in scientific research in its relation to future progress, Mr. Cornell wrote to his son on September 23, 1849, as follows:

"I admit that wisdom is progressing with the rising generation, and that the seeds sown by the men of the nineteenth century will be nurtured by their sons to the production of fruits in the twentieth, that will astound the mind, as well prepared as it may be for mighty changes."

Cornell alumni in Ithaca will observe their Founder's birthday by a reception on January 17, in Willard Straight Hall, to all surviving members of the Cornell family living in Ithaca. Foremost among them is Miss Mary Cornell, the only surviving child of Ezra Cornell, who is now in her eighty-third year.

Ashbery Travels

Alumni Field Secretary Has Made Brief Visit to Several Clubs in the Metropolitan District

During the period of December 8 to 18, Ray S. Ashbery '25, alumni field secretary, visited six clubs in the Metropolitan area. The first meeting was in New York at the Town Hall Club. At that time Ashbery was the guest speaker at the meeting of the Committee on Relations with Preparatory Schools of the Cornell Women's Club of New York. Mary H. Donlon '20 is chairman of the committee. Dr. Mary M. Crawford '04, a member of the committee and an Alumni Trustee, gave an account of the preparatory schools' work.

On December 11, Ashbery was guest speaker at a luncheon meeting of the Cornell Club of Northern New Jersey. He spoke of the present day Cornell, current University problems, and brought latest news from the Campus. The president of the Club is Charles M. Bomeisler '17, the secretary, Eric Ruckelshaus '27.

The Cornell Club of Plainfield met at the home of the president, Dr. George T. Longbotham '07, on December 14. This meeting marked the second visit of the alumni field secretary and local Cornellians welcomed the opportunity to hear the news of the Campus since the visit of a year ago. Moving pictures of the Princeton and Pennsylvania football games ended a delightful evening. The local Club members watched with particular interest the action of Bart Viviano '33, whose home is in Plainfield.

The Cornell Club of Westfield held an informal get-together on December 15. The club had as its guests members of the senior class of the Westfield High School and the football team. Ashbery talked to the group about Cornell. S. Hibbard Ayer '14, explained the play-by-play pictures of the Princeton and Pennsylvania games as they unfolded on the screen. The treat of the evening was his entertainment at the piano. The high school song, written by Hibby Ayer, is to the tune of "Cornell Victorious" and the Cornell alumni and the high school students joined in a song fest.

On December 17, the Cornell Club of Trenton held its annual banquet at the Longacre Country Club. The Trenton alumni enjoyed two [Continued on page 164]

ATHLETICS

VIVIANO NEXT CAPTAIN

Bart J. Viviano '33 of Plainfield, N. J., has been elected captain of the football team for 1932. He will succeed Chris Martinez-Zorrilla '32.

Viviano, star fullback on the Cornell Varsity for the past two seasons, is one of the best backs in the East. He prepared at Andover Academy, where he captained the football team.

He has twice been named on the all-Eastern eleven, being selected for the first team on the basis of his work during the past season. He is one of the hardest-driving and most dependable backs in the game.

Ex-captain Martinez-Zorrilla, in commenting on the election, praised the Cornell fullback for his fine team work, and prophesied a winning team for Cornell next year under Viviano's leadership.

TRACK STAR HONORED

Norwood G. Wright '28, former hammer thrower on the Cornell track team, was named a member of the all-American track and field team for 1931 by Daniel J. Ferris, secretary-treasurer of the Amateur Athletic Union.

Wright won the intercollegiate hammer throw championship during his

undergraduate days. In indoor competition, throwing the 35-pound weight, he set the intercollegiate record of 55 feet 7-8 inch.

PRINCETON WINS ON COURT

The basketball team on January 9 lost to Princeton, 33-23, in its opening Eastern Intercollegiate Basketball League game at Princeton. The victory was the second for Princeton in the campaign, the Tigers having defeated Columbia, the defending champions, 35-32, in an overtime game January 6.

Since its first game with Niagara December 16, Cornell has played eight games, losing six, including the Princeton contest.

The Red and White defeated Clarkson Tech, 30-27, December 16 to score its first victory of the season. On the first of two recess trips, Cornell defeated Rochester, 36-28, at Rochester December 19, and lost to the University of Buffalo, 29-23, December 21.

Going into the Middle West, Cornell lost three games in a row. Illinois Wesleyan won, 33-22, at Bloomington, Ill., December 31; the University of Illinois took a New Year's Day encounter, 44-23, at Champaign, Illinois, and Michigan State won, 29-26, at East Lansing, Michigan, January 2.

Resuming play after the holidays at Hamilton January 6, Cornell lost to Colgate, 30-25.

The campaign, particularly in the Middle West, gave the Red and White squad considerable experience, although the team was handicapped by the loss of Furman, forward, who was injured in the Rochester contest. Furman has now recovered.

McGraw, a sophomore, won the center berth during the recess campaign over Voelker and Kopaczynski, but Voelker returned to the pivot position for the Princeton contest.

Wickel, a sophomore forward, was ousted by the fine play of Reed. In several games, Hatkoff and Lipinski played forwards, with Captain Zahn and Furman at guards.

Cornell returns to its home court January 16, meeting Columbia, champion of the league for the past two years.

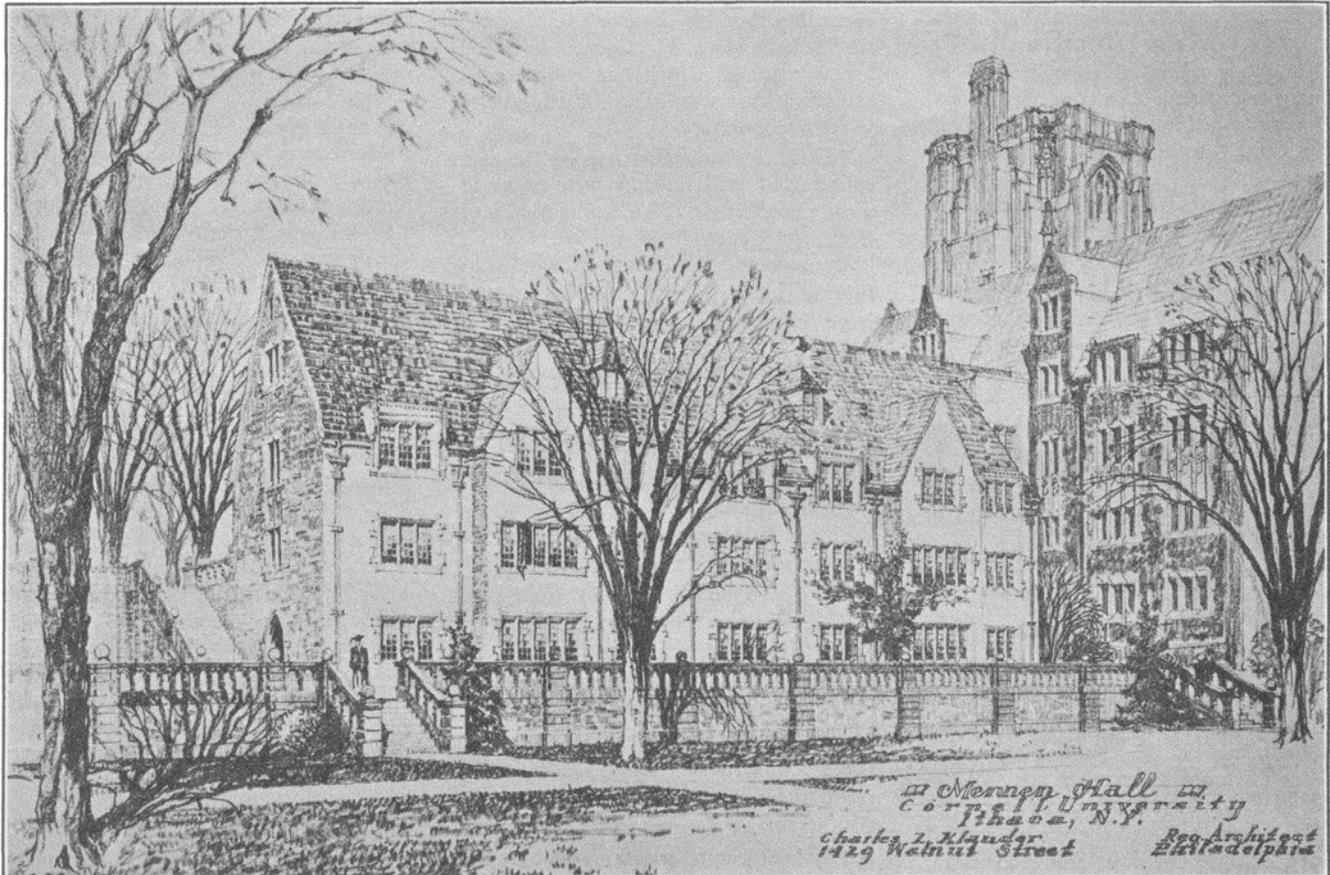
The summary of the Princeton league game:

CREW ON INLET JANUARY 8

Workouts on the Cayuga Inlet January 8 and 9 set a new record for Cornell oarsmen.

Unusually mild weather has kept the Inlet free of ice. To relieve the monotony of drills on the indoor rowing machines in the Old Armory, Coach James Wray boated a shell January 8 with the following men:

Bow, Schroeder; No. 2, Paine; No. 3, Blum; No. 4, Thompson; No. 5, McManus; No. 6, Hazlewood; No. 7, Boyce; stroke, Wilson; coxswain, Mullestein.



THE ARCHITECT'S DRAWING OF MENNEN HALL

As the finished structure will appear. The War Memorial is just to the South of it.

Photo by Troy Studio

TIGERS HEAD LEAGUE

Princeton is leading the Eastern Intercollegiate Basketball League with two victories in two games.

Three games were played during the first week, the Tigers defeating Columbia, 35-32, and Cornell, 33-23.

In the other game, Dartmouth defeated Pennsylvania, 23-19.

The standing of the teams:

	W	L	PC
Princeton	2	0	1.000
Dartmouth	1	0	1.000
Cornell	0	1	.000
Columbia	0	1	.000
Pennsylvania	0	1	.000
Yale	0	0	.000

NO ICE, NO HOCKEY

The hockey team's scheduled game with Victoria College of Toronto Canada, January 9 was canceled for lack of ice. Mild weather has prevented the skaters from obtaining needed practice. The squad has been practicing formations and shooting on the Drill Hall floor.

The remainder of the schedule:

January 13, Middlebury at Ithaca; 23, Union at Ithaca.

February 12, Colgate at Ithaca; 27, Syracuse at Syracuse.

PROFESSOR CLYDE H. MYERS Ph.D '11, of the Plant Breeding Department has recently returned from Nanking, China. He has been working on a joint project of Cornell and the University of Nanking.

JUST LOOKING AROUND

THE Campus philosopher, idly poking at things with his stick and reading the Campus press with undue attention, finds the world full of absorbingly unimportant matters.

The things that change and pass, the things that remain! There was a railroad station on our Campus once, whence proud trains departed for Cortland and the East. And of all that pride and bustle not a wrack remains.

The Class of 1873 established the custom of class memorials. After much thought it was decided that the most appropriately eternal gift was an artistic horse-trough. Therefore a handsome stone horse-trough was carved and set beside the road back of McGraw Hall.

But the back of McGraw Hall became the front, the road was carpeted with grass, the horse became extinct, and the 1873 Memorial Horse-Trough was left stranded like the Cinque Ports.

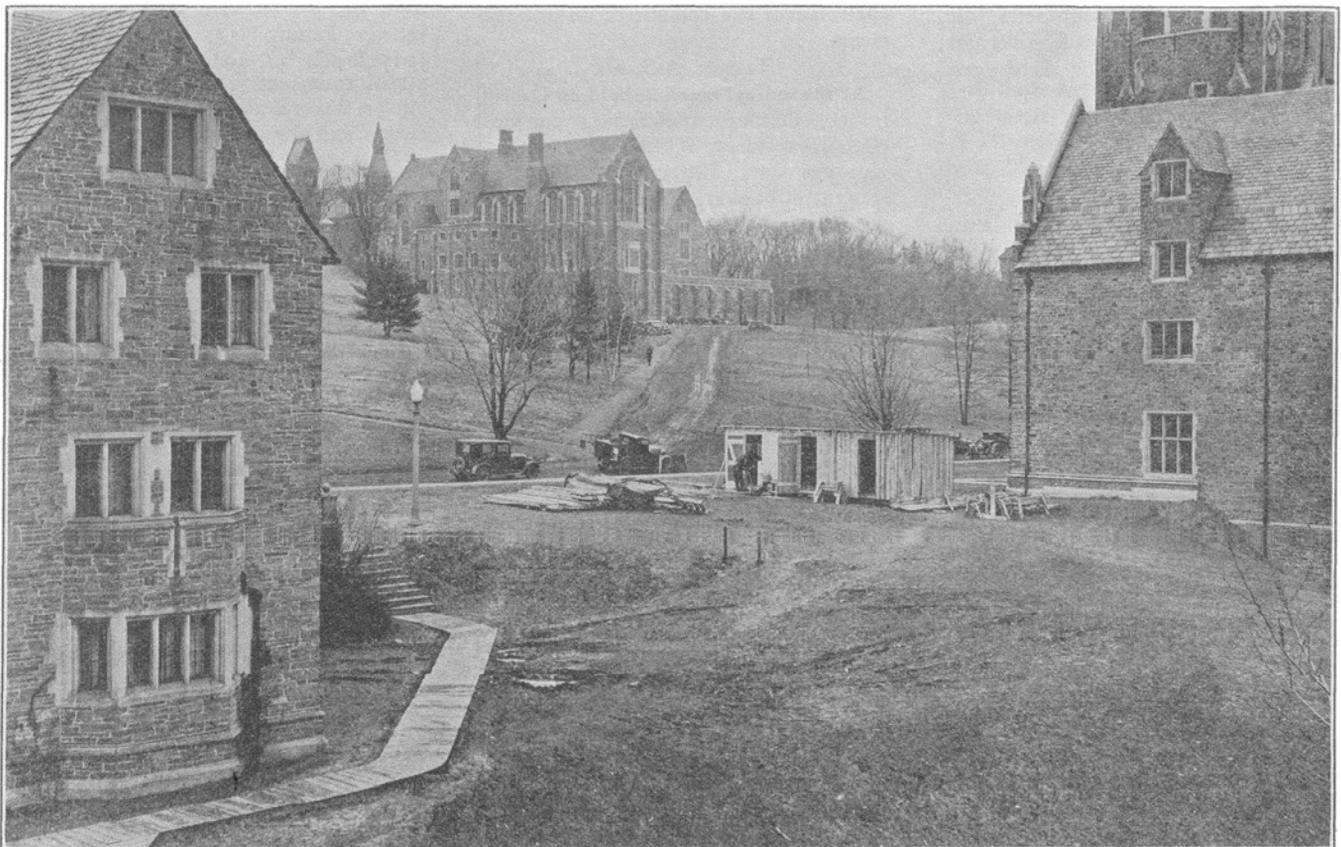
It was converted, according to the legal doctrine of cypres, into a drinking fountain for students and professors. And last summer it was moved from its isolated position on the Campus to a more serviceable post beside the quadrangle sidewalk.

Thus in a lifetime the world changes, the old glory passes, and time humbles all our wisdom. But at the same time what incongruous things remain!

Andrew D. White, in his Autobiography, tells of the feckless enthusiasts who assembled at the opening of our University. One of them came from Russia, without a rouble, to matriculate in Cornell, with the ultimate purpose of converting the United States to the Greek Catholic Church. Being destitute, he was given manual labor to do, and did it very badly.

North of Sage College—you will not find this in the Autobiography—stands a railing beside a tiny brook. The corner post, of carved stone, was set in place in 1868 by that apostolic Russian, and was set out of line, crooked, and aslant. Until removed a month ago, it stood there, out of line, crooked and aslant. And to the Campus Philosophers, musing on the mark of human personality on a fence post, it has ever been known as Pelechin's Monument. RUNDSCHAUER

IN The Nation for November 25 Professor George E. G. Catlin, Ph.D. '24, Liquor Control is reviewed by William MacDonald. In the issue for December 16 Grace Adams, Ph.D. '23, Psychology: Science or Superstition? (New York, Covici-Friede, \$2.50) is reviewed by Harold Ware.



JUST A BEGINNING

This is the setting for Mennen Hall, showing the space it will take up and its relation to the dormitory group.

Photo by Troy Studio

Ashbery Travels

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parties on the same evening, for after the banquet many more alumni joined the diners at a smoker. On the program with Ashbery was Professor George S. Moler '75, who gave an interesting talk on the early days of Cornell. Officers were elected as follows: Percy N. Daniels '15, president; Carlman M. Rinck '24, secretary.

Fred J. Biele '09, president of the Associated Cornell Alumni Clubs of Long Island, had the alumni field secretary as his dinner guest on December 18, at which time plans for the annual banquet of the Long Island clubs were discussed. Later in the evening the Cornell Club of Huntington held a get-together, with the senior class of the Huntington High School as guests.

THE CLUBS

NEW ENGLAND

At the annual meeting and luncheon of the Club at the Boston City Club, the following officers were elected: president, Frederic S. Auerbach '04; vice-president, Paul Skelding '19; secretary, George R. Grant '04; treasurer, Archie C. Burnett '90; vice-president for Rhode Island, H. Hunt Bradley '26; vice-president for New Hampshire, Buel Trowbridge '20; vice-president for Central Massachusetts, John P. Franklin '19; board of governors, Randolph P. Rice '19 for three years, Richard V. Wakeman '26 for three years, Roger J. Coe '23 for two years; athletic director, Francis A. Niccolls '13; alumni representative, Chester T. Reed '03.

The meeting was well attended. It was voted to continue the Monday luncheons at the City Club. Thanks were voted to the retiring president, Malcolm S. Jones '10, and appreciation to Walter P. Phillips '15 for his work in editing the monthly paper, *The Cornell Beanpot*. Phillips again accepted the position of editor and Anthony O. Shallna '16 and Newton C. Burnett '25 were appointed assistant editors.

LEHIGH VALLEY

The Club held a smoker at the Bethlehem Club in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, on December 4. Despite the bad weather a good crowd appeared to hear Warren Sailor '07 discourse on football and the depression, and to see motion pictures of the football team in action against Columbia and Princeton. Cornell men who live within a reasonable distance of Bethlehem and who may not be receiving notices of meetings, should communicate with Morris D. Farr '26, secretary, care of The Pennsylvania Power & Light Company, Allentown.

HAMPTON ROADS, VA.

The Club met in dinner session at the Norfolk Country Club on November 23. Dr. William Moseley Brown, president of Atlantic University, was the guest speaker. Reversing the customary order of talks to alumni, Dr. Brown told not what alumni should do for their university but what the university should do for its alumni.

The most important thing for a college to remember, Dr. Brown said, is that a boy is not educated because he is graduated. Its work must be extended past the presentation of a diploma. This may be accomplished, he pointed out, through a program of extension courses for alumni.

The memory of George Washington will be honored at the next meeting of the Club, which will be held in February shortly prior to Washington's Birthday. A committee consisting of David C. Comstock '11, Henry S. Lewis '23, and Ben Paul Snyder, Spec. '19, was appointed to arrange the program.

DETROIT, MICHIGAN

The Club made its annual presentation of the Cornell football trophy on December 14, when the cup was awarded to the Hamtramck High School, football champions of the city. Blinn S. Page '13, president of the club, made award of the trophy to the school, and of a special shingle to the coach. The school attended in a body. Burton J. Lemon '08 was chairman of the committee on arrangements.

TUCSON, ARIZONA

At the annual meeting held on December 14, officers for the ensuing year were elected: president, Willis E. Barnum '02; vice-president, Harry Embleton '12; secretary-treasurer, Joseph D. Dunleavy '21. Felix Sachs '12 was appointed representative from the Club on the Cornellian Council.

SKULLS ELECTS STUDENTS

Four members of the Faculty and twelve students in the Medical College at Ithaca were recently elected as honorary members of Skulls, the honorary premedical society.

The honorary members are Dr. Abram T. Kerr '95, professor of anatomy, Dr. Howard B. Adelman '20, assistant professor of histology, Dr. Benjamin F. Kingsbury, Ph.D. '95, professor of histology, and Andrew J. Ramsay '30, instructor in histology and embryology.

The students are Frederick B. Ackerman '32, Frank A. Baumann '33, Carleton M. Cornell '33, Robert H. Cosgrove '32, George C. Hollins, Jr., '33, Charles K. Ives '33, F. Raymond Keating '33, Albert L. Larson '32, William C. Layton '33, Kenneth B. Lewis '32, William B. Panny '33, and William E. Shoemaker '33.

Holiday Meetings

Many Cornell Clubs Held Holiday Gatherings With Alumni and Undergraduates

The holiday season, afforded a fine opportunity for Cornell alumni and undergraduates to get together. Many of the clubs took advantage of the occasion to hold parties.

The father and son party, which has already become a tradition of the Cornell Club of Chicago, was held again this year. Over 80 were present and everyone voted the party a big success. Chick Norris, '24 performed, and in his usual captivating style soon had the party in fine spirits. He was ably assisted by Jinks Byron, Illinois '22, at the piano.

Jack Shields '32, home for the holidays, invited the alumni of Toronto for a special showing of motion pictures. The Cornellians greatly enjoyed the play-by-play pictures of the Princeton and Pennsylvania games of 1931. In addition the real treat of the day came when a Campus pictorial brought back fond memories to many alumni who have not returned to Cornell for many a year.

The Cornell Club of Buffalo on December 28 held a smoker for the club members and undergraduates home for the holidays. Over 60 men turned out, 20 of whom were undergraduates, to see motion pictures of Cornell, and to hear from the Buffalonians now at Cornell. Johnny Ferraro '34, Dick Beyer '33, Jerry Brock '34, and Stewy Joseph '33, all of them active in Cornell football circles, talked about the past football season and the present day Cornell.

The Cornell Club of Pittsburgh held a buffet luncheon on December 26 as its part of the Christmas season program. About 75 Cornellians turned out to see the motion pictures and to hear Bob Waddell, the football coach at Carnegie Institute of Technology.

On December 28 the Cornell Club of Harrisburg celebrated with a smoker at the Hotel Harrisburger. The group included two prospective Cornellians. Films of the Cornell-Pennsylvania game, given play-by-play, were sent on by the Alumni Office. In the election of officers, Christian S. Anderson '15 was chosen president and John N. Crandall '25, secretary-treasurer.

The Cornell Club of Dutchess County followed a well established precedent with its annual father and son banquet. The party was held at the Vassar Alumnae House on December 29.

On December 28 the Cornell Club of Lackawanna in New Jersey held a holiday party, playing host to twenty-five high school boys. Pictures of the 1931 football season furnished a part of the entertainment. One of the players of the past season appeared in person, Bart Viviano '33, whose home is in Plainfield.

EZRA CORNELL

A Glimpse of His Life In the Time of the Civil War

By ALBERT W. SMITH '78

After the Civil War began, Ezra Cornell saw that there could be no peace until the settlement of the question of the union of the States. Hence, with his customary vigor and foresight, he did all in his power to help the Union cause. He gave generously to a fund for the support of the families of the volunteers, and became chairman of a committee for wise and careful distribution of the fund. He visited the hospitals seeking to add to the personal comfort of the wounded, especially those from home. He went to Washington in an effort to learn facts about the War: he was within sight and hearing of the first battle of Bull Run, and witnessed the retreat in panic of the Union troops. With three other men from Ithaca he stayed over the night after the battle at a farm house in order that he might be helpful next day. His son, Alonzo, recorded: "Many gallant fellows had occasion to remember, with grateful feelings, the thoughtful kindness of Ezra Cornell, in seeking them out, and ministering to their peculiar necessities. . . . Not a few were found languishing for home care, and, with patience and unselfish devotion, he would follow the wearisome technicalities of the military service until he secured the necessary furlough or discharge, and then, at his own expense, and under his personal care, he would conduct the invalids to home and friends."

This record gives but a glimpse of Ezra Cornell's humanitarian activities during and following the War.

Early in the War the Ithaca Ladies' Volunteer Aid Association was organized with Mrs. Ezra Cornell as president; its function was to give, receive, and distribute money, food, clothing, surgical supplies, and other articles of comfort for the soldiers. This association met often to sew, and for other activities for soldier benefit.

Mr. Cornell who, in the midst of the profound anxieties of the time, had not lost his sense of humor, offered a present of \$50 to the Association if twelve of its members would come together and work for an entire afternoon without speaking a word. The challenge was accepted, and fifteen ladies fulfilled the specification, though not without terrible temptations to activity for silent tongues burdened with a weight of words that ought to be spoken.

Here is Mr. Cornell's letter written from Albany, where he was attending a session of the State Legislature, to the Ithaca Journal:

Albany, Jan. 22, 1864.

Editor Journal:

I noticed in your issue of the 20th the record of a successful performance of the

extraordinary feat of a silent meeting by the Ladies' Aid Society during a sitting of eight hours. I have also the official notice of Miss Jane L. Hardy, secretary of the Society, that no word was spoken by more than a dozen of the ladies during the meeting. The unprecedented fact seems to be clearly established that a dozen or more ladies can meet together and perform a day's labor without uttering a word.

I think that this is the first time in the history of the race that this unnatural and difficult task has been performed, and to the patriotic and determined will of the Ladies of Ithaca be the credit. I most cheerfully enclose herewith my check for \$50 which you will do me the favor to pass over to the treasurer of the Society.

The question now being settled that the Ladies of Ithaca can and will accomplish whatever they undertake, I hope to find some future opportunity to enlist their energies in other good works.

In conclusion, I most heartily disclaim any wish to impose restrictions upon the tongue of any of my fair friends, and hope that at all future meetings of the Society, and on all occasions, they will talk as much as they please, and will be governed in the exercise of their gifts of speech by their own will and pleasure, and not be controlled in the least by the example of the late silent meeting.

Respectfully yours,

E. CORNELL.

SECRETARIES WILL PLAN

FOR JUNE REUNIONS

The Association of Class Secretaries will hold its annual midwinter meeting on Saturday, February 6, at the Cornell Club of New York. Following the successful experiment of last year, the meeting will start with luncheon at one o'clock, continuing into the afternoon.

The meeting in New York has come to have far more importance than the annual meeting in June. The principal business of the winter meeting is the consideration of plans for the reunions.

Reunions this year are expected to follow the general pattern of recent years. The reunion days will be Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, June 17, 18, and 19, followed by Commencement exercises on Monday, the 20th.

The Dix Plan of reunions, under which classes celebrate in combination with their contemporaries, has been growing in favor at Cornell since its adoption just ten years ago. In recent years the trend has been distinctly toward the Dix Plan and away from the old multiple-of-five plan.

Under the Dix Plan, reunions are scheduled for this June by the classes of '81, '82, '83, and '84; '00, '01, '02, and '03; '19, '20, '21, and '22; and '30, '73, '92, '07, '12, and '17 will also be celebrating, and possibly some other classes.

DIRECTORY DISTRIBUTED

Analysis of Names and Numbers makes Interesting Survey

Cornell University's living alumni now number 51,126. They are distributed in every State and all territorial possessions of the United States, and in seventy-two foreign countries, according to the new directory recently issued by the Alumni Office.

The preface is signed by the Committee on Preparation, which includes Alumni Trustees Frank E. Gannett '98, Rochester, publisher, Alfred D. Warner '00 of Wilmington, Del., Alumni Representative Foster M. Coffin '12, chairman, and Gilbert M. Weeks '27, editor.

The new directory, which was limited to an edition of 6,000 copies, contains approximately 1200 pages and is bound in red cloth. The book has been mailed to subscribers, who number nearly 5,400. It contains the names of 57,825 Cornellians, of whom 6,699 are deceased. The volume cost \$18,000 to produce and subscriptions in hand will absorb the larger part of the expense.

In the introductory section of the book are included the list of the Cornell Clubs, together with their officers; class officers; members of the Board of Trustees, and Trustee committees. The introduction also contains a description of the foundation, endowment, and government of the University, and accounts of the various alumni organizations.

In addition to the first section there is a section devoted to the address list, and another section of geographical listings. The 57,825 names contained in the address listing represent the total University enrollment since its opening in 1868. Of this number, approximately 48,000 are now on the mailing lists of the office of the Alumni Representative. Only about 2,300 addresses are unknown.

Cornell's Smith family numbers more than 600, and occupies ten pages. Browns are next with seven pages and 425 names, while the Joneses come third with only about 240 names, covering four pages.

Olaf Sverre Aamodt is the first name in the directory. Last is Samuel Zwetschenbaum.

Two members of the first graduating class of Cornell, the Class of 1869, are still living. They are Charles Fitch Hendryx, of Suttons Bay, Mich., who is eighty-four; and John Andrew Rea, of Tacoma, Washington, who is eighty-three and a half.

The oldest living Cornellian, however, is Charles Elias Reeves, of Benton Harbor, Mich., who is eighty-six and a half, and who is a member of the Class of 1871. Other Cornellians in the order of their age, are: Charles Albert Storke '70, of Santa Barbara, Calif., who is eighty-four; Milford Chauncey Bean '71, of McGraw, N. Y., [Continued on page 168

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CORPORATION WILL MEET

The midwinter meeting of the Board of Directors of the Alumni Corporation will be held in Ithaca on January 23, with luncheon at one o'clock in Willard Straight Hall.

One of the principal items of business will be the consideration of the elections for Alumni Trustees. The usual two places will be filled this spring, and it is hoped that there may be as many as five candidates in the field.

Nominations must be filed with the Treasurer of the University on any date not later than April 1. The simple procedure requires only the signing of the names of ten degree holders to a nominating petition.

AT THE CLOSING SESSION of the organic chemistry symposium of the American Chemical Society, held in the Sterling Chemistry Laboratory of Yale University on December 30, Dr. John R. Johnson, professor of chemistry at Cornell, contributed studies in intramolecular rearrangements.

SHERMAN RE-ELECTED

Dr. James M. Sherman, professor of dairy industry, was re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Society of American Bacteriologists at the Society's annual meeting in Baltimore, December 30.

The meeting of bacteriologists was only one of a number of scientific gatherings which attracted Cornell Faculty members during the recess. The largest meeting was that of the American Association for the Advancement of Science at New Orleans.

OBITUARIES

WILLIAM DUTTON POMEROY '96, vice-president and general manager of Gould Pumps, Inc., died suddenly on January 6, following a nervous breakdown last summer. He was born in Utica, N. Y., fifty-seven years ago. He received the degree of M. E. and was a member of Sigma Phi. Last year he was elected a member of Sigma Xi. In 1907 Mr. Pomeroy became works manager of the Gould Company, then known as the Goulds' Manufacturing Company. In 1915 he was made general manager and for several years has been vice-president and a director. William D. Pomeroy, Jr., '30 is his son.

WALTER BONNELL HOLTON, '09, M.D., F.A.C.S., died on December 28 at the Ithaca Memorial Hospital after an illness of two weeks' duration. He was born in Jersey City, N. J. in 1886, the son of John N. and Mary Bonnell Holton. He was educated in the schools of Montclair, N. J. and graduated with the degree of M.D. from Cornell. He practiced medicine in Interlaken until 1917 when he was one of the first to enlist in the United States Army, serving first as captain and then as major, as assistant to the division surgeon of the 86th Division and attending surgeon to the headquarters of the First Army. After the War he practiced surgery in Ithaca. Dr. Holton was a member of the Sigma Chi Fraternity and the order of Elks. He was a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, and was on the staff of the Ithaca Memorial Hospital. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Wood McKay Holton, formerly of Brooklyn, and three children, Walter Bonnell, Jr., Mary Deborah, and Anderson Scott Holton. Interment was in Interlaken.

GARDINER S. WILLIAMS, professor of experimental hydraulics here from 1898 to 1904, died at Ann Arbor, Michigan, on December 12. He was born in 1866 and graduated from Michigan in 1889. From 1893 to 1898 he was a civil engineer with the Board of Water Commissioners of Detroit; the publication of some experiments relative to the flow of water in pipes gave him a national reputation.

He built the first dome dam in the country, in Six Mile Creek; it was never completed. He was one of the first to make use of the multiple arch dam. After leaving Cornell, he was professor of civil, hydraulic, and sanitary engineering at Michigan until 1911, when he resigned to engage in consulting work. In the War he was a major of engineers, O.R.C. He was a member of several learned and professional societies. With Allen Hazen he was the author of Hydraulic Tables, and he also wrote the chapter of hydraulics for the American Engineers' Handbook. He is survived by his widow, a son, and a daughter.

STUDENT VISITS HOOVER

Arthur L. Danforth '34, Kenmore, was chosen by the Student Volunteer Movement as a member of a delegation to urge President Hoover to appoint a student to the American delegation to the Geneva Arms Conference in February.

The delegation visited the President after the quadrennial convention of the Student Volunteer Movement in Buffalo last week.

WINS SPEAKING CONTEST

Lester H. Ashwood '33, Ogdensburg, won the third annual Vegetable Growers' Stage, held in connection with the New York State Vegetable Growers' Association convention at Rochester January 7. Robert S. Jonas '32, New York, placed third and Stanton S. Allen '32, Stuyvesant Falls, fourth. Syracuse University students won second and fifth places.

Lewis A. Toan '08 of Perry was elected president of the Association.

FROM DEAN RAYMOND WALTER'S statistics of university and college registration in School and Society for December 12 it appears that Cornell this year ranks fifteenth in the list as to full-time students (6,136) and twenty-first as to all resident students (8,576). Cornell reports 943 members of the teaching staff, an average of 6.5 full-time students per teacher. The colleges larger than Cornell are California (18,342), Columbia (15,109), Minnesota (12,539), Illinois (12,152), New York (11,857), Ohio State (10,691), Michigan (9,165), Wisconsin (8,765), Harvard (8,526), Pennsylvania (6,951), Washington, Seattle (6,924), Pittsburgh (6,614), College of the City of New York (6,398), and Northwestern (6,343). The total number of students in the country this year is .62 per cent greater than last year, but the number of women is 1.6 per cent less. The larger universities have reported a group loss, while the colleges with enrollments between 500 and 3,000 report group gains.

THE WEEK ON THE CAMPUS

IT IS A PLEASURE, in these lugubrious times, to report that Education is doing nicely. Astronomy has passed no dividends; Physics has announced a new atom which has taken the country by storm; Geology continues to possess the strength of Gibraltar. In this period, the Great Hangover, you might say, the credit of the old wise men, Solomon, Plato, Shakespeare, remains unimpaired.

THE WORLDINGS of the great outside world have lost confidence in our economic system, our political structure, international harmony, and idealism as a way of life. They have equally lost confidence in realism. The writers, tired of mocking their fathers of the nineties, mock themselves of the twenties, and even themselves today. But Philosophy is still Philosophy, and Plane Geometry could perfectly well be taught with the Elements of Euclid, published in the third century B. C. I was just reading, in a text-book publisher's catalogue, the announcement of an edition of Erckmann-Chatrian: "The book teaches the futility of war. It affords invaluable practice in the subjunctive, for second-year students." Well, there's no use our bothering with passing trifles like the futility of war, but the subjunctive, thank God, will be the subjunctive forever.

THE WEATHER is the University's chief concern. The hills are bare of snow and the lakes of ice, and a lot of fool shrubbery shows signs of budding. The hockey team is confined to the Drill Hall, where it practises, presumably, on roller skates. On the other hand, the crews are rowing on the Inlet. This is asserted to be a record, which I cannot verify without looking it up. A herd of at least eight deer are wintering in Enfield Park, where they are cordially welcomed. The Fuertes Bird Sanctuary is a popular winter resort for Canada geese, ducks of various sorts, gulls, and helldivers.

THE EMPLOYMENT PROBLEM is aided by the construction of Mennen Hall, now under way. Further, it is unofficially announced that the State colleges will receive \$25,000 from the State Employment Fund for such work as painting, grading, and reconditioning, and for the construction of a small experimental fish hatchery.

THE AUXILIARY DRIVE for the Student Loan Fund, already reported in these columns, produced \$806.08.

THE MEDICAL COLLEGE has received a bequest of \$20,000 from Mrs. Julia Shaw, widow of Thorne Shaw.

THE FACULTY roved far during the Christmas holidays. Nineteen are reported to have made the journey to the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science in New Orleans.

THE ART GALLERY is showing a very distinguished and novel exhibition. It consists entirely of self-portraits. Many of them are absolute first-raters: Picasso, Diego Rivera, Raoul Dufy, Othon Friesz, C. W. R. Nevinson, Marie Laurencin, Roger Fry, and plenty of others. It is curious indeed to see what an artist sees when he looks at himself. George Luks sees \$6,000, according to the catalogue. But you can get humble Anton Hanak's opinion of himself for \$15.

THERE HAS BEEN some nice music since our last report. The English Singers gave one of their charming evenings of old part-songs, motets, glees, descants, madrigals, and roundelays. Mr. Allan Bacon, of the College of the Pacific, on the 6th, substituted for Professor Harold D. Smith at the first January organ recital. Miss Inga Hill, contralto, originally from Minnesota and now a concert and operatic singer of considerable reputation, on January 10 gave the first concert of the Willard Straight Sunday afternoon series. The Ithaca College organization produced "The Gondoliers" of Gilbert and Sullivan before two charmed audiences. This was evidently the first performance of the old opera since 1894, when it was put on at the Lyceum by the Ithaca Choral Club, with Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Dann, Mrs. Fred B. Atwater, Robert H. Treman '78, Charles E. Treman '89, and Frederick J. Whiton '80.

HENRY MORGENTHAU '13 has offered, through Kermis, the student dramatic society of the State Colleges, three prizes for the best one-act plays with a rural setting. The first prize is \$75.

YOU REMEMBER our item about Scheltz the tailor sending the radio celebrity a statement, twenty years over-due, for a \$38 suit of clothes, and getting it? Come, come, of course you remember; don't be ridiculous. It was in the December 10 issue. Well anyway, it is now revealed that the celebrity was Ely Culbertson (you know, Ely Culbertson), and he was not a Cornell student at all, but was in the Stiles Preparatory School in 1909. He came here from Russia, where his father was a mighty magnate in the oilfields. He was a fiery radical while here, Scheltz recalls, and left to work with foreign laborers on the Canadian Pacific Railway. He took an active part in labor

troubles, was jailed for two months, came down with pneumonia, and went to Paris to study law. He spoke six languages better than English when he was here, and played cards little and badly. He doesn't seem to be so radical now. Idea for a cartoon: "And Then He Took up Bridge."

OTHER ITEMS: Victor Emanuel '18, owner of Rockingham Castle near Kettering, England, has been invited to become Master of the Woodland and Pytchley Hunt in Northamptonshire. . . . It was a great relief to read of the acquittal of Elisha K. Kane '18, by the Virginia courts, of the charge of murder. . . . Myron Gordon '25, research investigator on the Heckscher Foundation, is to go to Mexico to carry on research in cancer in fish. He has produced cancer in such fish in the laboratory, by crossing two strains. Apparently the crossing of two types of individuals, not themselves victims, may cause cancer in the offspring. As the cancer in fish is practically identical with malignant tumors in human beings, Dr. Gordon's research may throw some light on the human cancer problem.

OUR DISAGREEABLE remarks about the graduate students' attitude are bolstered up by Dean Edgar S. Furniss of the Yale Graduate School, in his annual report. He says: "A great number of the students appear to consider it their right to be given pecuniary assistance during their graduate course, more or less regardless of the merit of their undergraduate records. They 'shop around' among the graduate schools, somewhat in the manner of the 'tramp athlete' in the colleges, carrying their wares to the highest market. Many of these students should be discouraged from attempting graduate study in any university; many more should be sent to some particular school where the facilities in their special line of study are exceptionally strong; none of them, certainly, deserve to be subsidized save as a reward of merit in recognition of outstanding achievement."

GOOD WORDS by President Lowell of Harvard in his annual report: "Maturity is by no means wholly a matter of years. It depends much more on environment, and above all on responsibility. A youth who enters college at nineteen and is treated like a schoolboy matures less rapidly than one who enters at seventeen and is treated like a man. To enter at the appropriate age and be expected to be rather above than below his maturity is the best way to develop manly character." M.G.B.

DIRECTORY DISTRIBUTED

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eighty-three; Myron Kasson '71, of Lake City, Fla., eighty-three; Newman L. Heroy '72, of Accord, N. Y., eighty-two; Delmar M. Darrin '72, of Addison, N. Y., eighty-two; Henry Clay Henderson '72, of White Plains, N. Y., eighty-two; Royal Taft '71, of Scranton, Pa., eighty-two; Albert Osborn '72, of Washington Grove, Md., eighty-two; and Brandt V. Dixon '70, of New Orleans, eighty-one.

In geographical distribution, greater New York leads all other communities, being the residence of 11,299 Cornellians. New York State contains 22,416.

Next in order is Pennsylvania with 3,786 Cornell residents. Largest residence record in foreign countries and U. S. possessions is held by China, which has 454 former Cornell students within its borders. Canada boasts 423 Cornellians. Third is Porto Rico with 129.

BOOKS

A FRENCH BARTLETT

Les Citations Françaises: Recueil de Passages Célèbres, Phrases Familières, Mots Historiques avec l'Indication Exacte de la Source, Suivi d'un Index Alphabétique par Auteurs et par Sujets. Othon G. Guerlac. Paris. Armand Colin. 1931. 22.7 cm., pp. iv., 443. Price, 40 francs.

It is curious that the French, with their appreciation of striking phrases, their joy in the apt and inevitable word, should have waited till now for a publication of this kind, a work of which John Bartlett furnished us the prototype as far back as 1855. It is perhaps significant that the book which has now appeared to fill this gap is the work of a professor of French in an American university. Nevertheless, we do not hesitate to express our belief that the French people will find this work indispensable and that others of the kind will follow; for the field is too large for any one worker to glean all that should be preserved.

Professor Guerlac tells us that he has been at work on the collection for more than twenty years. It has been labor worth while.

The book falls into four parts: (a) literary quotations by authors (190 pages); (b) various quotations traced to their sources (38 pages); (c) historical phrases (55 pages); (d) quotations from the Bible (19 pages). The index by authors fills ten double-column pages; the index by typical words, 109 pages.

Professor Guerlac has done a fine piece of work. His book should quickly find its way into every real library.

THE NEXT DECIMAL PLACE

Dean Richtmyer Addresses Association at Conference

"The Romance of the Next Decimal Place" is the title of the address delivered by Dean Floyd K. Richtmyer '04 as retiring vice-president of Section B, physics, of the American Association for the Advancement of Science at New Orleans on December 30.

Dean Richtmyer first pointed out that today about twenty or twenty-five times as much research in physics is being done as was the case thirty years ago. But there is a great difference both in the theory and in the point of view. "The physicist of 1895, in his wildest imagination, could not have dreamed of x-rays and radioactivity, each to be discovered within a year; of the quantum theory, to be proposed before the century ended; or of the rôle which the then hypothetical electron was to play not only in altering completely the whole framework of physical theory but in making possible inventions and other developments which were to revolutionize certain important phases of our economic and social life. Indeed we of today are so impressed with both the quantity and the fundamental nature of our contributions that we are wont to think, and even sometimes to remark, that the progress which physics has made since 1895 exceeds that of all preceding time."

Yet it is not so; the achievements of Maxwell, Faraday, Joule, Young, and Fresnel, for example, loomed quite as large in their day. But it is nevertheless true that physics has increased in geometrical ratio.

What factors have made this possible? (a) The beginnings of modern science were contemporary with the discovery of printing. (b) Speed of transmission has greatly increased. (c) The applications of science to so many aspects of modern life have tended to free the scientist from suspicion and intolerance and to give him freedom for study and experiment.

A fourth factor (d) is increased accuracy. Laboratory research is of two kinds: first, the pioneer work of exploration, and second, precise measurements. And why the latter? Because only so can we establish exact laws, and further because history shows that a new discovery is quite likely to be lurking in the next decimal place.

In 1543 Copernicus revived the heliocentric theory. Tycho Brahe's theory differed; it could be established only by means of more precise measurements of planetary motions than had ever been made. So Tycho set to work and toiled for twenty-five years. His data, used by Kepler, led to the discovery of the ellipse as the path of planetary motion and to the acceptance of the Copernican theory.

The early nineteenth century saw more of the important part played by exact measurement. Count Rumford's "qualitative theory of the nature of heat was no more convincing than Aristotle's theory of the solar system. But when Joule actually proved that 772 foot pounds of mechanical energy are required to raise one pound one degree Fahrenheit, the quantitative relation thus established provided an argument as cogent as were Kepler's elliptical orbits."

Proust's law demanded that the respective densities of oxygen and hydrogen should be 16 to 1. Rayleigh improved on this by reducing the proportion to 15.882 to 1. Further studies made possible by his improved technique led to the discovery of argon and later the whole series of noble gases.

Planck's quantum theory likewise rests on improved accuracy of observation.

Dean Richtmyer's conclusion is: "Look after the next decimal place and physical theories will take care of themselves."

CRYSTAL HONEY FOUND

IN CORNELL EXPERIMENTS

A new product, called crystal honey, has been developed at Cornell by Edward J. Dyce, Ph. D. '31, and the patent obtained by Dr. Dyce has been turned over to the University for use in the advancement of the honey industry.

The technique developed by Dr. Dyce preserves honey as an opaque, gray-white butter instead of a golden liquid. The flavor is also slightly different.

Honey forms crystals naturally, but Dr. Dyce's work reveals that if crystals are added to liquid honey at a certain temperature the crystallization is speeded up. The new honey keeps indefinitely when canned or put up in glass.

CORNELLIAN'S FIRM BOUGHT

The Western Cartridge Company of East Alton, Ill., one of the younger ammunition companies, has recently purchased the Winchester Repeating Arms Company of New Haven, Conn. The transaction was approved by the United States District Court at New Haven on December 15, and is the largest deal in the history of arms and ammunition in this country.

The Western Cartridge Company was founded in 1897 by Franklin W. Olin '86, who is now president. John M. Olin '13 has been vice-president and Spencer T. Olin '21 has been secretary and works manager of the Company.

Mrs. HENRY LANG has presented to the Montclair Art Museum in memory of her mother, the late wife of Jasper R. Rand '97, who died in 1909, a \$100,000 addition, devoted to an exhibition of American Indian material.



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THE ALUMNI

'93 BL—Mrs. Thomas B. Jennings (Jennie Thornburg) was in September elected to the headship of the St. Paul Public Library, of which she has for the last twelve years been assistant librarian.

'78 BME—J. McKee Borden and his sister are still living in Paris. They hope to visit this country next summer. Mr. Borden writes that he is in excellent health, and both he and his sister play golf every day. His address is 6 Avenue Henry Russell, Paris, B. P., France.

'86 BSArch—The firm of Austin and Shambleau, of which Ennis R. Austin '86 is senior member, have been selected by the United States Treasury Department to design the new million-dollar post office for South Bend, Ind. Working with them on the project are Glenn T. Nethercutt '20, Merrill B. Nusbaum '25, B. Arch. '28 and Andrew A. Toth, B. Arch. '30. Mr. Austin's present address is 216 West Washington Avenue, South Bend.

'90—At the recent annual meeting of the Society of Medical Jurisprudence in New York, Dr. George L. Brodhead '90 was elected president for the term of two years. His office is at 580 Park Avenue, New York.

'95—Frederick J. Haynes, who is treasurer of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, is a member of the special taxation committee of that organization which has recently gone on record as opposing a special Federal tax on motor vehicles, on the ground that it is discriminatory to the industry.

'97 BL, '98 LLB—Frederick D. Colson on November 1 became deputy State reporter for New York. The State reporter reports the decisions of the Court of Appeals, the highest court in New York State. Mr. Colson's home is at 826 Park Avenue, Albany.

'00 ME; '00 AB—Harold H. Clark '00 and Jessie Eades Marshall (Jessie M. Eades '00) were married in Phoenix, Ariz., on November 23. They are living at 1821 Fremont Avenue, South Pasadena, Calif. Clark retired from business on June 1, after thirty years with the Link-Belt Company. At the time of his retirement he was vice-president and sales manager of the Pacific Division, at Los Angeles and San Francisco.

'00—Raymond D. Starbuck '00 has been again promoted, this time to the office of executive vice-president of the New York Central. He had been vice-president of operations of the New York Central since 1924 and his jurisdiction was extended to the Big Four and Michigan Central, last April. He now has jurisdiction over the entire New York Central system.

'03 ME—Frank C. Howland is still with the Thomas Phillips Company,

makers of paper and flour sacks, at Akron, Ohio.

'03 ME—Audenried Whittemore is living at 19 Tanglewyld Avenue, Bronxville, N. Y.

'04 BSA—Walter S. Brown, who is chief of the department of horticulture at Oregon State College, last June received the honorary degree of D.Sc. from Alfred University, where he received his A.B. in '99. His address is 215 North Eighth Street, Corvallis, Oregon.

'04 LLB—William F. Bleakley, Supreme Court Justice in New York, is presiding over the trial which opened January 4 of former General Sessions Judge Francis X. Mancuso and six other directors of the City Trust Company, on the indictments that came out of the failure of the bank in 1929.

'07 ME—Franklyn D. Hooper has changed his address to 548 Garfield Avenue, Aurora, Illinois. He is with the Barber-Greene Company, makers of standardized material-handling machines.

'11 AB—Edwin E. Sheridan is with Loomis, Sayles and Company at 5 North Wabash Avenue, Chicago.

'11 CE—Clarence H. Davidson '11 and Bertiam L. Wood '11 are managers of sales for the Kalman Steel Corporation, at 39 Broadway, New York. Raymond A. Kohm, C. E. '24, is a sales engineer with the Company. The Company was recently acquired by the Bethlehem Steel Company, and has been merged with the reinforcing steel business of the McClintic-Marshall Company, another subsidiary of Bethlehem.

'12 BSA—The address of George H. Bissinger is now Army and Navy Club, Manila, P. I. He is assistant director of research for the Philippine Sugar Association. He writes that he frequently sees Fay C. Bailey, A.B. '19, who is with the National City Bank in Manila, and John F. Cotton, A.B. '25, with whom he returned from leave on the first voyage of the S. S. President Hoover. While at home Cotton married Miss Virginia Mosher.

'12 AB—Maurice Dubin, who is executive director of the Mount Sinai Hospital in Chicago, served during the past year and has been reappointed for 1932 as chairman of the health section of the National Conference of Jewish Social Service, and as chairman of the Committee on Autopsies of the American Hospital Association. He recently addressed the National Conference on "Effects of Depression on Standards of Health Agencies," and delivered an extensive report on autopsies at the Toronto convention of the American Hospital Association.

'12 CE—Max Grossman has been reappointed by Governor Larson of New Jersey to the Water Policy Commission for a term of seven years. Howard T. Critchlow, C.E. '10, is chief of the division of waters for the commission, and Walter L. Drager '10 is assistant division

engineer. The address of the Commission is 28 West State Street, Trenton.

'14 BS—Theodore D. Crippen is automotive sales manager in Western Pennsylvania for the Vacuum Oil Company, with offices at 717 Liberty Avenue, Pittsburgh. He lives at 136 Breeding Avenue, Ben Avon, Pa.

'15 CE—Charles Lahr is a civil engineer. His address is 113 Jennings Street, Elmhurst, N. Y.

'15—Joseph Silbert is president of the Silbert Optical Company, wholesale opticians, at 328 Main Street, East, Rochester, N. Y.

'15 BS, '17 MLD—Kenneth A. Tapscott is a landscape architect with Charles F. Gillette in Richmond, Va. His address is 3141 Griffin Avenue. Twin sons, Jack and Jim, were born on September 12.

'15—Walter G. Haeberle is with the Haeberle Lumber Company at 1004 Cedar Avenue, Niagara Falls, N. Y.

'15 ME—Wilbur J. Barnes is a mechanical and electrical engineer with the Bureau of Locomotive Inspection, Interstate Commerce Commission, in Washington. He received the degree of LL.B. from George Washington University in June, 1930, and last April was admitted to practice before the Supreme and Appellate Courts of the District of Columbia.

'16 BChem—Samuel Newman is vice-president of the Kem Products Company at 229 High Street, Newark, N. J.

'16 BS—Lucy A. Bassett is in Florida for the winter. Her address is Route 4, Box 370, Jacksonville.

'16 LLB—Mahlon B. Doing has moved to 105 Wickham Road, Garden City, N. Y. He is a partner in the law firm of Coudert Brothers at 2 Rector Street, New York.

'17 BS—Henry E. Haslett writes that his eldest son expects to enter Cornell in 1932.

'18, '19 BS—William D. Comings '18 was married on September 12 to Margaret Elizabeth Hiss, the daughter of Mrs. Maude Van Marter Hiss of New York. They are living at Apartment 6 M, 3564 Eighty-fourth Street, Jackson Heights, N. Y. Comings is assistant to the manager of the woodlands department of the West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, at 230 Park Avenue, New York.

'19 CE—Albert L. Dittmar is an assistant engineer with the Pennsylvania Department of Highways, at the North Office Building in Harrisburg, Pa.

'19 WA—Chester W. Bissell was married on April 16 to Leila Allen Morris of East Orange, N. J.

'19 CE—George P. Bullard is manager of the erection division of the McClintic-Marshall Corporation in Pottstown, Pa. His address is 1105 Rambler Avenue.

'20 AB—Dominick F. Maurillo is a physician in Brooklyn. His address is 1667 Cropsey Avenue.

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Lv. New York (Hudson Terminal).....	8.30 A.M.	4.30 P.M.	11.40 P.M.
Lv. Newark (Park Place-P.R.R.).....	8.43 A.M.	4.33 P.M.	11.45 P.M.
Lv. Newark (Eliz. & Meeker Aves.).....	9.09 A.M.	5.04 P.M.	
Lv. Philadelphia (Reading Ter'l, Rdg. Co.).....	9.10 A.M.	5.00 P.M.	12.05 A.M.
Lv. Philadelphia (N. Broad St., Rdg. Co.).....	9.16 A.M.	5.08 P.M.	12.12 A.M.
Ar. Ithaca.....	4.20 P.M.	12.15 A.M.	7.30 A.M.

RETURNING

	<i>The New Yorker</i>	<i>The Black Diamond</i>	<i>Train No. 4</i>
Lv. Ithaca.....	9.35 A.M.	12.38 P.M.	11.00 P.M.
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Ar. Newark (Eliz. & Meeker Aves.).....	5.14 P.M.	7.56 P.M.	6.41 A.M.
Ar. Newark (Park Place-P.R.R.).....			
Ar. New York (Hudson Terminal).....	5.49 P.M.	8.31 P.M.	7.16 A.M.
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'21 AB—Martha E. Martin is teaching mathematics in the Newton High School in New York. She lives at 31-32 Eighty-second Street, Jackson Heights, N. Y.

'21 AB, '24 MD—Mrs. Thomas G. Ferguson (Irene Davis '21) is a physician in Pittsburgh. Her address is 1213 Denniston Avenue. A son, Herbert Davis, was born last August.

'22 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carter live at 50 Hall Street, Rochester, N. Y. Mrs. Carter was Marion E. Von Beck '22. They have a year-old daughter, Georgiana Von Beck.

'22 ME—Durward B. Kennedy has been elected secretary and treasurer of Kennedy and Smith, Inc., contracting engineers in Flushing, N. Y.

'22 AB—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Macpherson live at 168 Second Street, Clifton, N. J. Mrs. Macpherson was Tillie M. Willgerodt '22. They have a daughter, Alice, who is two.

'22 BS—Ellery R. Barney is teaching agriculture in the Milford, N. Y., Central School.

'22 AB, '25 MD—Merrill D. Lipsky has been practicing medicine in New York for the past four years and is assistant surgeon at Bellevue Hospital. His office is at 45 Park Avenue and his home address is 687 Lexington Avenue.

'22 AB, '24 LLB—William K. Laidlaw is teaching in the University of Buffalo School of Law. He was married in July, 1929, to Lorraine Eastman of Hamburg, N. Y. They have two children, Gilbert Eastman, who was born in July, 1930, and Margaret Eastman, who was born on November 9 last.

'22-3 Grad—"The House of Connelly," which has been called Paul Green's best play, is now running at the Mansfield Theatre in New York, being presented by the Group Theater, a junior branch of the Theater Guild.

'23—Ralph W. Stewart is a landscape architect associated with Ralph F. Pinner, Inc. His address is 614 Smithfield Street, Pittsburgh.

'23 EE—George E. Sumner is factory superintendent with the Troy Laundry Machinery Company in East Moline, Ill. His address is 815 Twenty-seventh Street, Moline. He was formerly industrial engineer with the International Standard Electric Corporation.

'23 BS, '25 MF; '23 BS—Mr. and Mrs. Philip C. Wakeley and Mrs. Wakeley

(Alice C. Carlson '23) are living at 129 Hollywood Drive, Crestmont Park, New Orleans. They have three children, Tendon, aged six, Patricia Ann, aged four, and James, who was born last August.

'23 Robert Edward Lee is with Cadwalader, Wickersham and Taft at 40 Wall Street, New York.

'23 EE—William C. Kinsolving is superintendent of the Sun Pipe Line Company in Beaumont, Texas. He was transferred from Philadelphia in May to take charge of the construction of a pipe line from the East Texas oil fields to the Gulf. After the completion of this work he remained as general superintendent.

'23 BS—Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Werly have two children, Glenn, Jr., and Constance Ruth. They live at 7 Boston Road, Bellevue, N. Y. Werly is assistant service manager of the city division of the Standard Oil Company of New York.

'23 AB—Mrs. Artemas P. Goodwin (Laura L. Geer '23) is living in Newfane, N. Y. Her husband is a minister. They have two children, Helen Daphne, aged four and David Artemas, who was born in March, 1930.

'23 AB—Clarence H. Cleminshaw received the degree of M.S. in astronomy from the Case School of Applied Science last May and is now studying for his doctor's degree in astronomy at the University of Michigan. His address is 1345 Wilmot Street, Ann Arbor. He gave up his law practice in July, 1930.

'24 AB—Mrs. Lex L. Black (Dorothea Johannsen '24) is teaching in the department of psychology at Skidmore College in Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

'24 AB—Maurice W. Fillius is now a special expert with the United States Tariff Commission. His address is 3000 Nichols Avenue, S.E., Washington.

'24 BS—Bernhard Z. Eidam last June received the diploma in violin from the New York College of Music. His address is 47 St. Paul's Avenue, Tompkinsville, Staten Island, N. Y.

'24 BS, '28 MS; '26 BS—A daughter, Shirley Ann, was born on December 4 to Leslie R. Hawthorn '24 and Mrs. Hawthorn (Ruth W. Reynolds '26). They live in Winter Haven, N. Y. Hawthorn is a horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station there.

'24 AB, '31 PhD; '29 PhD—Albert S. Hazzard '24 and Mrs. Hazzard (Florence

B. Woolsey '29) are now living at 1203 Uintah Circle, Salt Lake City, Utah. Hazzard is in charge of the stream survey of several national forests with the United States Bureau of Fisheries.

'25 AB—Taylor W. Gannett, formerly vice-consul at Havana, Cuba, and now vice-consul at Guayaquil, Ecuador, was on leave last summer and visited his father, Herbert I. Gannett '96 and his mother in Nebraska, and stopped for one night in Ithaca. He writes that Mrs. Harold D. Clum (Florence B. Corse, A.B. '02) who is the wife of the consul general at Guayaquil gave a tea this fall for him and Carlos Valdenama '08-9 Sp., of Lima, Peru, who is a pianist and composer of music, chiefly interpreting the ancient Inca music.

'25—Sanford W. Benham is engaged to Helen Margaret Young, Illinois '29, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Young of Glen Ellyn, Ill. Benham is a senior engineer with the department of materials and tests with the Indiana State Highway Commission at 532 West Market Street, Indianapolis. He received the degree of C.E. from Purdue.

'25 MS—John P. Buck is superintendent of schools in Harlinger, Texas.

'25 AM—A daughter, Sally Crathurn, was born to Professor Jason Almus Russell '25 and Mrs. Russell on September 25 last. Russell is on leave from Colgate this year and is continuing his graduate studies. He and Mrs. Russell are living at 419 North Cayuga Street, Ithaca.

'25 AB—Robert S. Barned was married on August 1 to Dorothy A. Moore of Johnstown, N. Y., a graduate in 1928 of Wellesley. They are living at 213 Bruce Street, Scotia, N. Y. He is with the Standard Oil Company of New York.

'25, '26 BS—Lois M. Dusinbury is an instructor of home economics at the Junior School Number 3 in Trenton, N. J. She lives at 836 Berkeley Avenue.

'25 ME—Anderson H. Chenault is an engineer in charge of the road testing department of the Ethyl Gasoline Corporation at 723 East Milwaukee Avenue, Detroit. He lives at 1001 East Jefferson Avenue.

'25 BS—Z. Cartter Patten was married on August 19 to Elizabeth Bryan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Worcester Allen Bryan of Nashville, Tenn. His address is 730 Volunteer Building, Chattanooga, Tenn.

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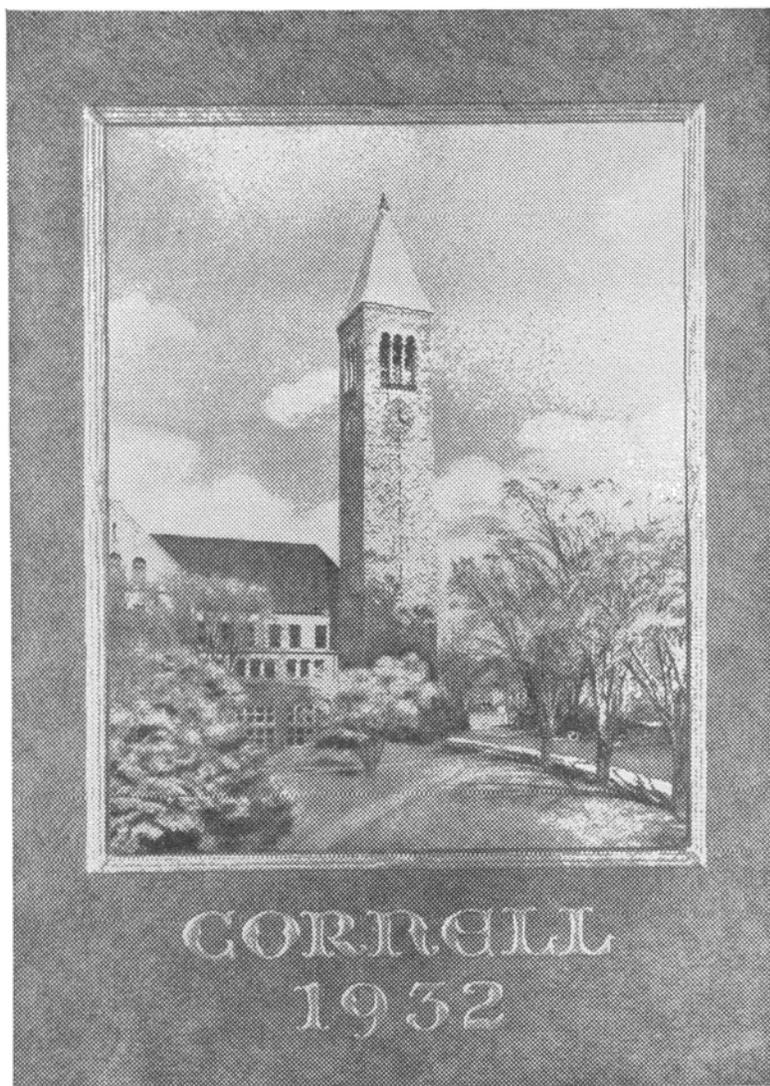
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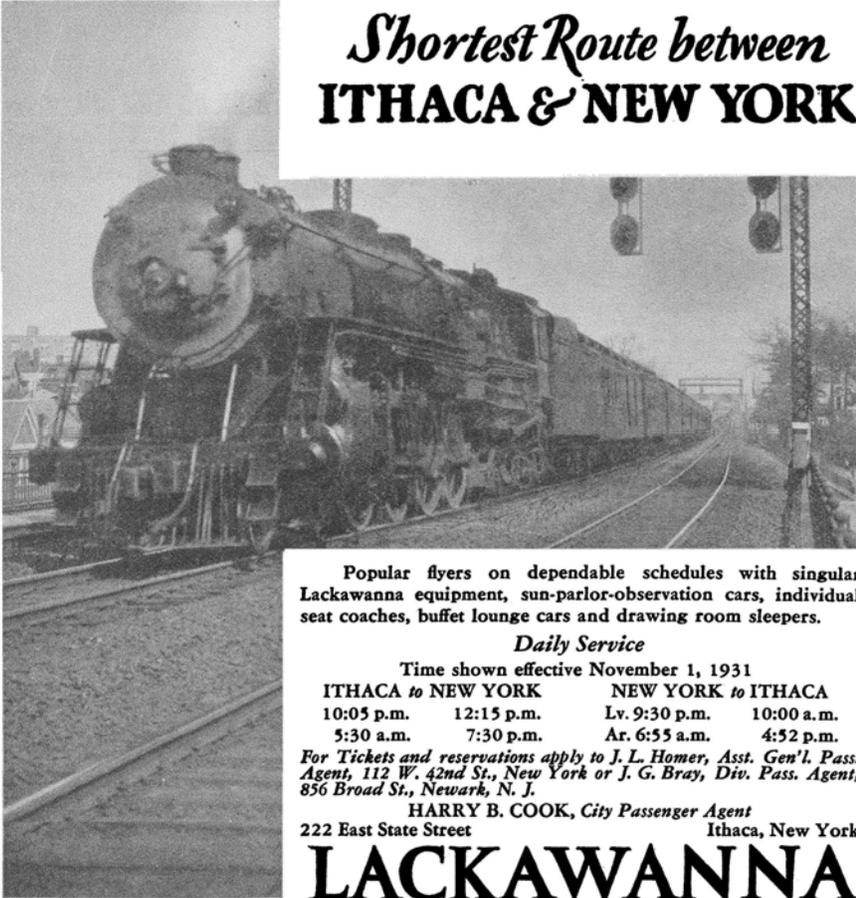
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'26 ME—C. Travis Brown is a methods engineer with the L. C. Smith and Corona Typewriters, Inc., in Syracuse, N. Y. His address is 431 East Fayette Street.

'26 AB, '29 LLB—Thomas F. Fennell is practicing law in Elmira, N. Y. His address is 373 West Second Street. Since graduation he has been assistant football coach at Cornell.

'26 CE—Henry L. Schmeckpeper is a field engineer for the Arthur A. Jackson Corporation, at Queens Boulevard and Eighty-fourth Road, Kew Gardens, Long Island, N. Y. He lives at 115 Calla Avenue, Floral Park, N. Y. He has a baby daughter, Joan Arden.

'26 AB—Irma A. Vernooy is teaching history in Kings Park, Long Island, N. Y. Her permanent address is 18 Prince Street, Monticello, N. Y.

'27, '28 BS; '29 CE—Edson A. Edson '29 and Mrs. Edson (Virginia I. Carr '27) live at 2927 Holly Street, Harrisburg, Pa. He is assistant supervisor of the Harrisburg Division of the Reading Company, and is a member of the Engineers' Society of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Edson has been doing costuming for the Harrisburg Community Theatre.

'27 BS—Edward A. Devlin, formerly a teacher of agriculture in Canandaigua, N. Y., is now selling insurance with the New York Life Insurance Company. He lives at 201 Gibson Street, Canandaigua.

'27 AM—Julia E. Abbott returned to Cornell this year to continue graduate work, and is living at 701 Wyckoff Road. Her home address is 413 South Market Street, Frederick, Md. She has been teaching mathematics and science at National Park Seminary.

'28 BArch—Margaret R. Hoyt is an architect. Her address is Highland Avenue, South Norwalk, Conn.

'28 EE—Mrs. Caroline Westcott Weist has announced the marriage of her daughter, Lucy Louise, to Robert B. Gear '28, on December 5 in Chicago.

'28 AM—Joseph A. Giddings was married on August 18 to Dorothy Wheeler of East Trumbull, Ohio. They are living at Ithaca at 232 Linden Avenue. Giddings is an instructor in English in the University.

'28 AB, '29 CE—The permanent address of Edward Louis Scheidenhelm, Jr., is 704 Lake Street, Wilmette, Illinois.

'28 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Hall live at 73 St. James Avenue, Chicopee Falls, Mass. Mrs. Hall was Eugenie B. Zeller '28. A son, Robert Leicester, was born on November 5.

'29 EE—Thomas S. Bills, who is a motion picture sound recording engineer with Fox Movietone, returned from Paris last July, and is now on a four month's airplane tour of the West Indies, South America, and Panama, making sound news reels and educational films. His office address is Movietone News, 460 West Fifty-fourth Street, New York.

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'29 CE—William E. O'Neil, Jr., is an engineer with the Manitowoc Shipbuilding Corporation at Manitowoc, Wisc. His address is 1404 Michigan Avenue.

'29—Kenneth P. Murphy is in the trading department of Munds, Winslow and Potter, brokers at 120 Broadway, New York. He lives at 88 Young Avenue, Pelham, N. Y.

'29 AB—Irving L. Kohn is attending the Cornell Medical College in New York. He lives at 77 Brookdale Avenue, New Rochelle, N. Y.

'30 AB—Stephen F. Dunn, after finishing one year of law study at Cornell, is continuing in the Michigan Law School. His address is the Phi Delta Phi Lodge, 502 East Madison Street, Ann Arbor. His engagement has been announced to Margaret Elizabeth Seaman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Seaman of Detroit.

'30 PhD—Troy M. Currence is a professor at the University Farm, St. Paul, Minn. A son, Evan John, was born on October 3.

'30 AB—George R. Alpert is now in the first-year class at the University of California Medical School. His address is 2520 Haste Street, Berkeley.

'30 AB—William C. Banta, Jr., is in the publicity department of the Emergency Unemployment Relief Committee at 29 Broadway, New York. He lives at 112 Walnut Street, Ridgewood, N. J.

'30 CE—Robert T. Falconer is in the engineering department of the New York Telephone Company in Buffalo. His mailing address is 3276 Kendall Avenue, Detroit.

'30 CE—Richard G. Lyall is in the engineering department of the Lackawanna Steel Construction Corporation in Buffalo.

'31 AB—Helen L. Nuffort is in the copy-writing department of the Blackman Company, advertising agency, at 122 East Forty-second Street, New York. She lives at 900 South Sixteenth Street, Newark, N. J.

'31 AB—Donald N. Price is doing field advertising in the Metropolitan District for the Procter and Gamble Company. He lives at 370 Riverside Drive, New York.

'31 ME—Frederick F. Eiseman, Jr., is with Alco Products, Inc., a subsidiary of American Locomotives, at 222 East Forty-second Street, New York.

'31 BS—Esther Hankinson has taken examinations for the position of substitute teacher of home economics in New York, and expects to start teaching there in February. She lives at 122 Bement Avenue, Staten Island, N. Y.

'31 BS—Elizabeth O. Muller is in charge of a nursery school group of twenty children. Her address is 1805 North Jackson Street, Little Rock, Ark.

'31 BS—Henry S. Clapp is an instructor in ornamental horticulture at the University of New Hampshire. He lives at 15 Madbury Road, Durham, N. H.

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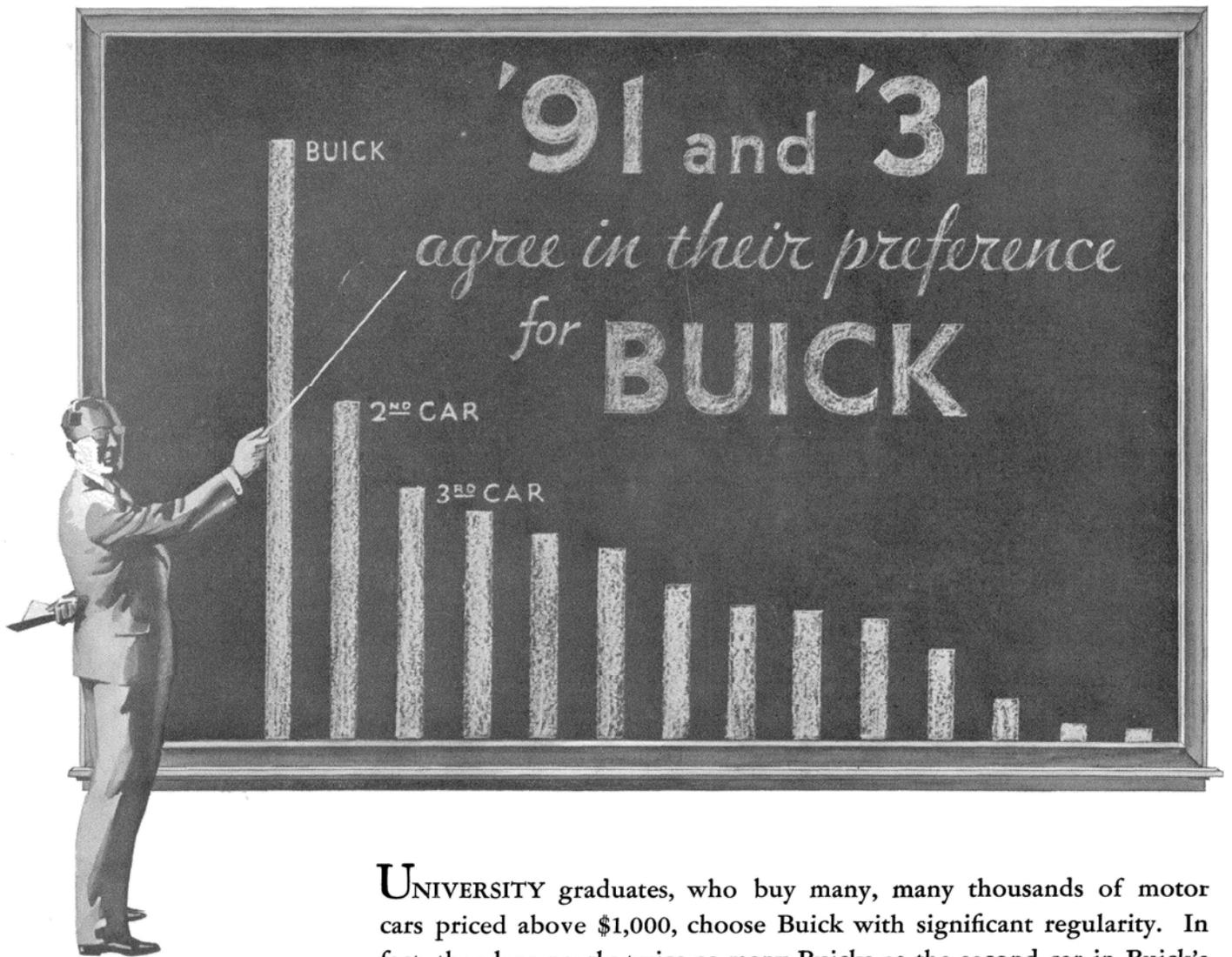
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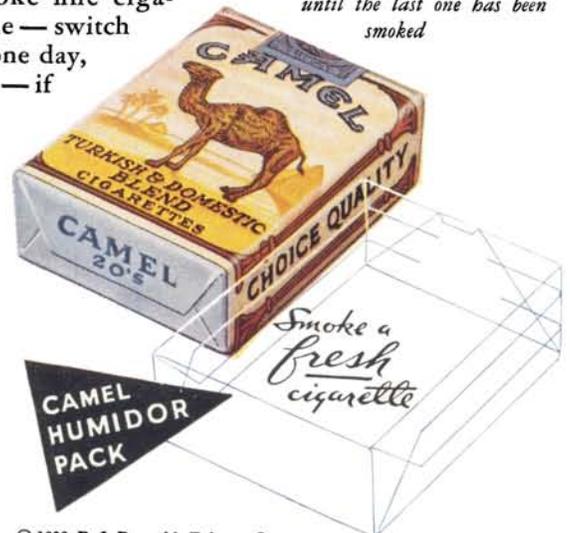
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