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CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS

In the News this Week: Twenty-two classes will return for Reunion. Coach James Wray makes last shifts in crew boatings before Poughkeepsie. Friends honor Professor Rice. Eleven hundred degrees to be conferred this month. Baseball team loses to Colgate.

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Lehigh Valley Service
Your Timetable!
THROUGH CONVENIENT SERVICE TO AND FROM ITHACA

DAILY
 Eastern Standard Time

	<i>The Black Diamond</i>	<i>The Star</i>
Lv. New York (Pennsylvania Station).....	11.05 A.M.	10.45 P.M.
Lv. New York (Hudson Terminal)	11.00 A.M.	10.40 P.M.
Lv. Newark (Park Place-P.R.R.).....	11.10 A.M.	10.45 P.M.
Lv. Newark (Eliz. & Meeker Aves.).....	11.35 A.M.	11.15 P.M.
Lv. Philadelphia (Reading Ter'l, Rdg. Co.).....	11.20 A.M.	10.45 P.M.
Lv. Philadelphia (N. Broad St., Rdg. Co.).....	11.26 A.M.	10.51 P.M.
Ar. Ithaca.....	6.27 P.M.	5.50 A.M.

Sleeping Car may be occupied until 8.00 A.M.

RETURNING
 Eastern Standard Time

	<i>The Black Diamond</i>	<i>Train No. 4</i>
Lv. Ithaca.....	12.47 P.M.	11.00 P.M.
Ar. Philadelphia (N. Broad St., Rdg. Co.).....	7.40 P.M.	6.32 A.M.
Ar. Philadelphia (Reading Ter'l, Rdg. Co.).....	7.48 P.M.	7.42 A.M.
Ar. Newark (Eliz. & Meeker Aves.).....	7.50 P.M.	6.45 A.M.
Ar. Newark (Park Place-P.R.R.).....	8.20 P.M.	7.10 A.M.
Ar. New York (Hudson Terminal).....	8.31 P.M.	7.22 A.M.
Ar. New York (Pennsylvania Station).....	8.20 P.M.	7.15 A.M.

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Twenty-two Classes to Hold Reunions

Class of 1919 Will be Hosts at Annual Alumni Rally in Bailey Hall

WITH twenty two classes meeting next week under the Dix Plan and the five year reunion schedules, the annual commencement get-together of the Alumni of the University promises to be one of the largest in years. Plans are being made with sufficient leeway, so that any number can be accommodated, and so that everyone will enjoy coming back.

Under both Dix and five year plans the following classes are scheduled to return: '74, '94, and '14. The Dix plan also recalls '73, '75, and '76; '92, '93, and '95; and '11, '12, and '13.

The five year plan will bring back the classes of '79, '84, '89, '99, '04, '09, '19, '24 and '29. The first reunion of 1932, two years out, is expected to be a large one.

The program for the alumni week-end, this spring, once more includes a varsity baseball game, after a lapse of two years. In former years this was one of the big events of the week, with the parade of the classes before the game providing amusement for the thousands of others who attended. The parade this year will take place at 2:00 p.m. on Friday and will be followed at 2:30 by the game with Pennsylvania.

'19 Rally

On Saturday evening, the fifteen-year class, 1919, will be host to the alumni and guests at the big alumni rally in Bailey Hall. Wallace B. Quail, reunion chairman for the class, and John Ross, rally chairman, are cooking up a program of old features and new stunts that they promise will be the biggest and best rally program ever presented.

All alumni are informed that the convention rail rates are obtainable by means of a convention certificate which local ticket agents will provide to those who travel to Ithaca by train. This certificate if presented at Ithaca in the Drill Hall, entitles the bearer to a return ticket at one third the regular fare. This, however, will only be granted in case enough certificates are presented. In some cases, it has been pointed out, week-end rates to and from Ithaca will be cheaper than the one and one-third rate which the convention certificate allows. In this case, alumni are urged to buy the cheaper ticket, but to present it just the same at the Drill Hall on arrival, so that it may be counted toward the convention quota.

On Friday the Drill Hall will be the center of activities as the returning alumni register there. Class games and

interclass competitions will fill the morning, and all classes will lunch in the Drill Hall between 12 and 2 p.m. Sharp at the stroke of 2, the big "Peerade" will form in the Drill Hall for the march across to Hoy Field. All classes will be in costume, and the colorful spectacle will enliven the baseball game at 2:30 between Cornell and the University of Pennsylvania. If Cornell wins this game, and the one with Dartmouth the next day, the Red nine will tie for first place in the Eastern Intercollegiate Baseball League.

At 5:00 P.M. Professor Harold D. Smith, University organist, will play a recital on the Sage Chapel organ. All alumni will eat where they will for dinner, cafeterias being open in Willard Straight Hall and Home Economics, and service for alumni obtainable in Sage College and Prudence Risley Hall.

Senior Singing

At 7:00 the brilliant costumes of the returning classes will form a colorful mass on the main quadrangle, as the alumni join with the graduating class in the final Senior Singing at Goldwin Smith Portico. Following the Senior Singing, the crowd will divide, some to attend the concert of the Musical Clubs in the auditorium of the new Domecon building, and others to view "Gold in the Hills, or the Dead Sister's Secret," which the Cornell Dramatic Club will present in the University Theater, Willard Straight.

At 11 P.M. Willard Straight Hall will be thrown open for the Senior Ball, which will center in the Memorial Hall, but which will also be held in all the lounges, lobbies, the cafeteria, and on the terraces.

Breakfasts

Saturday morning breakfasts will be served in the cafeterias, as well as at Sage and Risley. Registration will continue throughout the day in the Drill Hall, and special meetings will be held. All Cornell Women will meet for breakfast in the Domecon cafeteria at 7:30 A.M. All engineers and their wives are invited to the Civil Engineering breakfast from 8 to 10 A.M. under Sibley Dome in the Sibley recreation room.

Members of the Cornellian Council will assemble in Room 32, Morrill Hall, at 9:00 A.M. for the annual spring meeting of the Council. Among the other regular business which the Council will handle, will be the matter of appointing a successor to the late Harold Flack '12 for

the position of executive secretary of the Council.

At the same time the Cornell Association of Class Secretaries will meet in the southwest lounge of Willard Straight Hall, and the Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs will meet in room 117 of Martha Van Rensselaer Hall.

Trustee Elections

At 10:30 the Cornell Alumni Corporation meeting will take place in the main lecture room of Baker Laboratory of Chemistry. President Farrand will speak to the alumni, and results of alumni trustee elections will be made known.

From 12 to 2 P.M., luncheon will again be served in the Drill Hall for all alumni, their friends and families. Tickets for this will be available at the Drill Hall. Luncheon will not be served at Sage, Risley, Balch, or Willard Straight Hall.

Members of 1899 will play host to all classes from '96 to '03 at a picnic and supper at Taughannock Falls State Park, ten miles from Ithaca on the west shore of Cayuga Lake. Since the completion of the new state highway along the west shore, the park has been made much more accessible to automobile traffic.

Class dinners will take place at 6 P.M. while those alumni and guests who are not attending class functions will find adequate eating accommodations in Willard Straight Hall, in the cafeteria and the tea room, as well as the cafeteria at Home Economics.

At 8:15 the Cornell Dramatic Club will repeat its performance of "Gold in the Hills" for those who do not choose to attend the alumni rally. That event, according to Ross and Quail, will climax the week's festivities, with its brilliancy and fun.

On Sunday morning breakfast will be served in all the women's dormitories, but after breakfast, no meals will be served in Risley or Sage. Meals can be obtained at Balch and Willard Straight. The Baccalaureate Sermon will be preached Sunday afternoon at 4:00 p.m. in Bailey Hall. Class Day exercises will take place on the steps of Goldwin Smith Portico at 7:00 P.M., and women's Senior Singing will be at 9:00 P.M. in Balch court.

Commencement exercises will begin Monday morning at 11:00 A.M. on Schoellkopf Field. The University is running on Eastern Standard Time, and all events of Reunion Week and Senior Week are scheduled on Standard Time.

SEE THE REUNION SCHEDULE, PAGE 370.

About Athletics

Baseball

Colgate at Hamilton

In the first game of a home-and-home series, Colgate trimmed the Cornell baseball team 11-1 on Monday, May 28, at Hamilton, with Red LaFlamme, Colgate star hurler, providing the wherewithal for the slaughter in his fine pitching, which practically held Cornell batters helpless at the plate.

Cornell, behind 3-1, saw all hopes fading when Colgate scored eight runs in the seventh inning, on four hits, four Cornell errors, and a base on balls.

Colgate scored first in the first inning, and Cornell tied the score in the third, when Dugan knocked in Miscall. Colgate scored again in the fourth and fifth, and then girded up its loins in the seventh for the eight run onslaught. Pitcher LaFlamme took an active part in the batting and started the seventh inning scoring spree with a single, which was later converted into a run.

Although the score of the second game wasn't so bad for Cornell, the game was tossed away in the final inning, by clear errors of judgment, after Cornell had led the visitors 9-4.

Johnny Wright started on the mound for Colgate. Red Johnston, Cornell catcher, took a triple from Wright, and Cornell entered the third inning in the lead, 4-0.

Colgate hit away at Captain Toots Pasto's pitching and managed to garner four runs, two in the fourth and two in the sixth, and went into the ninth inning, trailing Cornell 9-4. Then they hit a scoring streak for five runs, before Pasto was replaced by Dan Lindheimer. Cornell failed to undo the knotted score, 9-9, and the game went on into the tenth inning.

With Amendola on second as the result of a two-bagger in the first half of the tenth, LaFlamme planted a ball in right center field that nearly rolled to the fence, and scored a home run, bringing in Amendola ahead of him. In Cornell's half at bat, LaFlamme struck out three men, one after the other, and left Colgate the victor, 11-9.

Wright 2 in 2 2-3 innings, off Hickey 5 in 2 2-3 innings, off Rub 1 in 2 2-3 innings, off Pasto 15 in 8 2-3 innings, off Lindheimer 1 in 1-3 inning; off Dunn 3 in 1 inning. Hit by pitcher—By Wright (Froehlich) by Rub (Downer). Wild pitches—Wright. Winning pitcher—La Flamme, losing pitcher, Dunn.—Umpires—O'Brien and VanDyne. Time of game—3:01.

VARSITY BOATING Changes Made

With only a little more than a week to go before the Poughkeepsie Regatta, Coach James Wray is working busily, shifting the boatings almost daily, in an effort to iron out the wrinkles that appeared in the Cornell shells against Syracuse on Spring Day.

Burt Payne, former Junior varsity stroke, has been moved up to the varsity boat, replacing Commodore Fritz Garber, who has gone back to his last year's position at No. 6. Van Arsdale, who was at 3 in the Jay-vee craft, has been moved up to the varsity, where he is rowing 7. Williams, who had that seat, is occupying the No. 5 slide. Tom Borland will take the position at bow, replacing Vaughn. Borland was formerly at No. 3.

Herb Hopper and Bill Foote are the only ones in the much changed varsity shell who have remained at their positions all year without changing. They are not likely to be moved. Hopper is a sophomore, and Foote a junior.

The new boating seems to have put more power into the varsity shell, and the combination works smoothly together. Time trials over a four mile course, in preparation for the Poughkeepsie course (four miles long, you know) show that the boat is vastly improved; and probably Coach Wray will send the shell to Poughkeepsie in practically this order. As time grows short, continued shiftings become more and more impractical, and only serious defects can induce the Coach to make further changes.

Cornell's varsity crew is regarded as a heavy threat for the Poughkeepsie classic, for the crew, though twice defeated, shows exceptional promise in the long drills, and the four mile grind down the Hudson should give the Red and White shell a better opportunity to show its stuff than the shorter courses over which all the races this spring have been rowed.

What is left of the Junior Varsity seems to be rowing well, but nothing like as smoothly as the varsity combination. Continued practice, the Coach hopes, will smooth out the second boat, so that it will make a good showing in the Inter-collegiate Rowing Association Regatta.

The freshman are said by sports writers throughout the East, to be potentially one of the best yearling outfits to take part at Poughkeepsie. Clark Wray, son of the old man, and freshman coach, is working hard to get his charges in shape for the race. The freshmen do not have to change their distance from the two miles they have been racing this Spring.

CORNELL (1)

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Miscall, ss	4	1	1	0	1
Kreimer, ss	0	0	0	0	0
Frost, 2b	4	0	1	4	3
Dugan, lf	4	0	3	3	0
Downer, cf	4	0	0	1	0
Froehlich, rf	4	0	0	0	0
Drancy, 1b	3	0	0	8	0
Bradley, 1b	0	0	0	2	0
Mayer, 3b	4	0	1	0	4
Johnston, c	3	0	1	4	2
Pross, p	2	0	0	1	2
Hartnett, p	0	0	0	0	0
*Switzer	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	8	24	12

COLGATE (11)

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Bridge, 1b	3	0	0	8	0
Brooks, rf	5	3	2	2	0
McDonough, 2b	4	1	0	1	0
Anderson, c	4	1	2	9	2
Offenhamer, c	0	0	0	3	0
Kuk, lf	3	1	1	1	1
Larsen, ss	5	2	1	1	1
Amendola, cf	5	1	1	1	1
Dempsey, 3b	4	1	2	1	4
La Flamme, p	4	1	3	0	1
Totals	37	11	12	27	9

*Batted for Pross in 8th.

Cornell	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Colgate	1	0	0	1	1	0	8	0	X	11

Errors—Mayer, Miscall 2, Frost. Two base hits—Kuk, Johnston, Anderson, Mayer. Stolen bases—Dugan, Brooks, Larsen, Dempsey, Anderson. Sacrifice—Bridge. Struck out—By LaFlamme, 11; Pross 4. Hits—off Pross 12 in 7 innings; off Hartnett, 0 in 1. Bases on balls—off Pross 4, Hartnett 2. Passed balls—Johnston, Offenhamer. Umpires—Stiefvater and Kelmurray. Time—1:55.

Colgate at Ithaca

Colgate came to Ithaca on Wednesday, May 30, and gave Cornell a chance to even up the score, but Cornell leading throughout most of the game failed to rally after a ninth inning Colgate scoring spurt and lost 11-9.

COLGATE (11)

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bridge, 1b	5	1	3	9	0	2
Brooks, rf	6	1	2	3	0	0
McDonough, 2b	5	3	4	5	3	0
C. Anderson, c	5	3	3	4	2	0
Kuk, lf, 3b	5	0	3	1	1	1
VonBergen, 3b	3	0	0	2	3	1
Amendola, cf	5	1	3	1	1	0
Dempsey, ss	3	0	0	0	0	1
Wright, p	1	0	0	1	0	0
Hickey, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Rub, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Flaitz, 3b, ss	2	0	0	3	2	0
*Hoffenheimer, rf	1	1	0	1	0	0
**Kern, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
La Flamme, p	1	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	45	11	19	30	14	5

CORNELL (9)

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Miscall, ss	6	0	1	1	4	0
Frost, 2b	5	1	1	3	0	0
Dugan, lf	6	1	0	7	1	2
Downer, cf	4	3	2	1	0	1
Froehlich, rf	2	1	0	3	1	0
Bradley, 1b	5	2	2	7	0	0
Mayer, 3b	4	1	1	1	3	0
Johnston, c	3	0	1	7	1	0
Pasto, p	3	0	0	0	0	0
Switzer, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
***Kreimer	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lindheimer, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dunn, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	41	9	9	30	10	3

*Batted for Dempsey in ninth.

**Batted for Rub in ninth.

***Ran for Lindheimer in ninth.

Colgate	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	5	2	11
Cornell	0	0	4	3	0	2	0	0	0	9

Runs batted in—Brooks, McDonough 2, C. Anderson, Kuk, 2 VonBergen, La Flamme, Downer, Bradley, Mayer 2, Johnston 3. Two base hits—Downer, Kuk, Amendola, C. Anderson. Three base hits—Johnston, Amendola. Home runs—McDonough, La Flamme. Stolen bases—Downer, Bradley, Mayer, Bridge, Switzer, Kuk, Brooks 2. Double plays—Froehlich to Johnston. Left on bases—Colgate 7, Cornell 13. Bases on balls—off Wright 8, off Pasto 2, off Kern 1. Struck out—by Pasto 5, by Lindheimer 1, by La Flamme 2. Hits—off

ELEVEN HUNDRED Degrees Scheduled

Nearly eleven hundred degrees will be conferred by Cornell University at the sixty-sixth commencement on June 18, in Schoellkopf Crescent, bringing the total for the year to nearly 1,500.

President Livingston Farrand will confer the degrees on the graduating seniors in the ceremony to be held in the huge football stadium. The field and the crescent will be specially decorated, and equipped with a public address system to provide for the thousands of alumni and parents, who flock to Ithaca annually for reunions, and for the commencement exercises.

Class marshalls for 1934 are: Frederick W. Garber, Jr., '34, of Glendale, Ohio, Commodore of the Varsity Crew; and John H. Stresen-Reuter '34, of Hinsdale, Ill., senior member of the Student Council, and manager of baseball.

The Deans of the various colleges will present the groups of candidates for degrees in turn. President Farrand will then award the degrees and express the University's farewell to its youngest alumni.

On Sunday afternoon, the graduating class, and alumni and parents, will hear the baccalaureate sermon in Bailey Hall, delivered by Dr. Rufus M. Jones, professor of Philosophy at Haverford College.

On Sunday evening, the annual Class Day exercises will take place when the officers of the graduating class turn over their duties to those of the next class below them. Presiding over these ceremonies will be Paul K. Vipond, of Hollidaysburg, Pa., president of the Student Council. Monroe B. Hellinger, of New York, will read the class history, and Robert L. Bates, of Maplewood, N. J., is Class Orator.

Bruce Boyce, of Superior, Nebraska, will lead his class in singing the Alma Mater, in a final tribute to Cornell. William R. Robertson, of Syracuse, N. Y., will deliver the class pipe to William D. Dugan '35, of Hamburg, N. Y., representing the junior class.

Class officers are Paul K. Vipond, president; Robert J. Kane, of Ithaca, secretary; and Donald L. McCaskey, of Edgewood, Pa., chairman of the Class Day Committee.

Other members of the committee are: Rawson Atwood, of Brooklyn; Thomas Dransfield, III, of Boston, Mass; David B. Goodwillie, of Toledo, Ohio; Monroe B. Hellinger, of New York; Otto L. Hilmer, of Cincinnati, Ohio; James F. Hirshfeld, of Detroit, Michigan; Robert J. Kane, of Ithaca; John W. Luxford, of Hamburg, N. Y.; John F. Modrall, of Indianapolis, Ind.; Stephen H. Sampson, of Ithaca; Kendall C. White, of Ithaca; and Robert H. Campe, of Pittsburgh, Pa.

FUNDS GRANTED FOR University Science Work

Governor Lehman has signed the Byrn Bill appropriating \$20,000 to Cornell University for the study of three New York pests; the Dutch Elm disease, the alfalfa snout beetle, and the yellow dwarf of potatoes. Use of the fund is immediately available.

The Dutch Elm disease has caused great concern for New York's finest shade tree, by its rapid spread throughout the state, and the greatest precautions are being taken by the University to prevent its getting a hold on the campus.

Charles E. Palm, Grad., is working on the alfalfa snout beetle, which has made serious inroads into the alfalfa crop of the state recently. Little or nothing is known concerning this insect pest, and Palm is having to start his work almost from the very beginning. Some slight headway was made on this parasite by Russian scientists, but is of little value.

In addition to the \$20,000 appropriated to Cornell for this research, \$30,000 was appropriated to the State Department of Agriculture for work on the Dutch Elm disease.

BANQUET TENDERED Retiring Professor

More than two hundred friends, associates and former students assembled Saturday evening, June 2, in the Memorial Hall, Willard Straight, to honor Professor James E. Rice '90, head of the department of Poultry Husbandry, who retires from active teaching this month.

The dinner, in addition to being a testimonial to Rice, was also a part of the program of a meeting of the Poultry Science Association.

Speakers included: President Livingston Farrand, Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey '01, Provost Albert R. Mann '04, Dean Carl E. Ladd '12, Professor James G. Halpin '05, of the University of Wisconsin; Gustave F. Heuser '15, Dr. Leslie E. Card '14, and Professor Rice. Professor D. H. Reid, president of the Poultry Science Association, of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas, served as toastmaster.

Steak, not chicken, was the main course of the meal.

SUN SUSPENDS

With the advent of examinations, the *Cornell Daily Sun* has suspended publication until the beginning of the next scholastic year, and leaves Ithaca without a local morning paper.

The annual Senior Week issue of the *Sun* will be published by members of last year's Editorial and Business Boards, and will contain the results of Cornell opinion on Roosevelt's policies being conducted by the *Sun* in conjunction with the *Literary Digest*, provided the tabulations are completed in time.

FARRAND MADE LL.D. by Syracuse University

Another honor was added to the ever growing list which are heaped upon President Livingston Farrand, when he was made Doctor of Laws by Syracuse University at the annual commencement exercises of that institution.

Chancellor Charles W. Flint read the following citation for President Farrand when he bestowed the degree upon him:

"LIVINGSTON FARRAND, president of Cornell University, distinguished doctor, distinguished teacher, nestor of our administrator's clan; graduate of Princeton and of Columbia, student at Cambridge, and at Berlin; invested already with so many academic and professional honors that their extended letters would pale into insignificance even the output of our national government's reconstruction deviser; one time president of the University of Colorado, chairman of the central committee of the American Red Cross, director of tuberculosis work in France; now officer of many associations having to do with humanity's unceasing war against disease; for these achievements and public services we might well honor ourselves in honoring you; but it is rather as a friendly next-door neighbor we welcome you to this platform, one who has crossed the yard so often in our upstate community to render one service or another that the necessary formalities of this greeting seem out of place.

"So it is with the pride of a friend in your achievements, especially in your brilliant administration of our elder sister institution to the south, and with the warm regard of a neighbor that Syracuse University confers upon you the degree of Doctor of Laws."

On the day previous to the conferring of the degrees, President Farrand spoke in Hendricks Chapel on the Syracuse campus on "Medical Education" as a part of the special exercises in celebration of an anniversary of the Syracuse Medical College.

In his talk, to an audience consisting for the most part of Syracuse medical graduates and alumni, President Farrand pointed out the faults in the present day medical profession. The average person, rich or poor, receives insufficient medical care, he stated. In the future there will come a time when the state will provide medical care for its citizens, although this is looked upon with horror by the medical men of today. President Farrand warned the physicians to work out a method for bringing adequate medical care to everyone through the state, or the legislatures would soon do it for them, and probably not as well.

Equally shocking with the care which physicians give their patients, said the speaker, is the fact that medicine is the most inadequate remunerative profession.

ALUMNUS HONORED

Dr. Charles H. Thurber '86 was awarded the first Distinguished Service Medal ever to be granted by Clark University, at Worcester, Mass., for his long and faithful service as a member of the Board of Trustees of that institution.

The presentation was made at the inaugural home-coming celebration of Clark University alumni, on March 3, by W. E. Eublaw, a Clark alumnus. Present at the ceremony, in addition to hundreds of alumni, were Dr. Wallace W. Atwood, president of Clark University, and the members of the Board of Trustees.

Thurber, after receiving the degree of Ph.B. from Cornell in 1886, became a member of the faculty of the University of Chicago, and served as director of the Morgan Park Academy. He was founder and editor of the *School Review*. In 1900 he received his Ph.D. from Clark University, and in 1913 was chosen as the first alumnus trustee of that university. Fifteen years ago, in 1919, he was elected president of the Board and has served in that capacity ever since. In memory of his mother, he founded a students' loan fund; he has been a staunch supporter of the Clark University publications. In 1914 he was made Editor-in-chief of Ginn and Company.

The medal presented to Thurber is a gold wreath surrounding the Clark University seal. An enamel circle is held just within the wreath upon which are the words, DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL. It is suspended by ribbons in the Clark colors.

R. O. T. C. SPRING REVIEW

Two thousand men of the Cornell R.O.T.C. unit passed in review before President Livingston Farrand, and officers of the local post on Thursday, May 31, in the final parade of the year.

Starbuck Smith, Jr., '34, of Cincinnati, Ohio, selected as the outstanding student in military science and tactics for 1934, was presented with the Col. Frank A. Barton ('91) Trophy by Mrs. Barton.

President Farrand, with the officers, reviewed the troops on the Upper Alumni Field. He also took part when Smith and six other seniors were designated as honor graduates of the advanced military training course. Those men were: William M. Baker '34, Dallas, Texas; Huston A. Calldemeier '34, Louisville, Ky.; Thomas Dransfield '34, Boston, Mass.; George G. McCauley '34, Corning N. Y.; Donald L. McCaskey '34, Edgewood, Pa.; and Kendall C. White '34, of Ithaca.

Four juniors in the advanced course earned sabers as honor students for the junior year. They were: William S. Hammers, Jr., '35, Washington, D. C.; James A. Longley '34, Chattanooga, Tenn.; Addison D. Merry '35, Syracuse, and J. F. Mitchell '35, Washington, D.C.

STOCK JUDGING CONTEST

In a livestock judging contest held at Pennsylvania State College recently which attracted fifty-two contestants from four agricultural colleges, the team of Cornell students captured first honors. Four classes of sheep, two of horses, and three each of beef and swine were judged. Connecticut was second, and West Virginia, third.

In this meet, R. D. Hammond, Marathon, took second individual honors for judging in all classes. Other Cornellians and their rankings are: Miss V. E. Yoder, Watertown, fifth; G. M. Cairns, South Kortright, sixth; B. H. Butler, Perry, tenth; Miss R. M. Sharpe, Hamburg, twelfth; and J. A. Dunn, Pine Valley, fourteenth. J. P. Willman of the New York State College of Agriculture had charge of the Cornell judging team.

WORD FROM the Antarctic

A recent letter to Professor K. M. Wiegand '94 from Alton Lindsay, former graduate student who left his instructorship at Cornell to go as naturalist with the Byrd expedition to Little America, depicts Antarctica as a delightful winter resort. The letter was written on the night when Lindsay and other members of the expedition arrived at the Little America base station after a dog sled trip over the bay ice to the Ross ice barrier.

Through his friendship with Paul Siple, the Erie, Pa., boy scout who accompanied the first expedition, Lindsay obtained his chance to become a member of the present exploration force. Lindsay and Siple attended Allegheny College together, Siple originally being a member of the same class with Lindsay, but dropping out for two years to make his first trip to the antarctic regions. Lindsay had been working for his graduate degree at Cornell, and assisting in the Botany Department, when the invitation to accompany Byrd as naturalist came to him.

His sister, Miss Miriam Lindsay, will graduate from Cornell next week, and is to be married to Samuel R. Levering '30 directly afterwards.

HARPER HOLT '17, of the New York Warehouse, and Arnold C. Pouch '16, of the American Dock Company, are the Cornellians on a committee of transportation executives and industrialists who are interested in the Port Development of New York City.

C. TRACEY STAGG '02, one of the organizers and original directors of the Ithaca Savings and Loan Association, has been named again to the Board, to fill the vacancy caused by the recent death of William M. Driscoll. Stagg resigned his first directorship when he left Ithaca to serve as legal adviser to Governor Nathan L. Miller.

Obituaries

RUSSELL HEADLEY '72 died Sunday, June 3, at his home in Albany. He was 82 years old. Headley was a member of the first class to go four years at Cornell, and was class orator. He was admitted to the New York Bar in 1874 and practiced for a time in Newburgh, N. Y., as corporation counsel. From 1890 to 1896 he was district attorney of Orange County, and in 1902 was appointed counsel to the State Excise Department by Governor Benjamin B. Odell, his life-long friend. This post he held until 1910, since which time he had lived in virtual retirement. Headley was the author of *Headley's Criminal Justice*, *Headley's Competency of Witnesses*, *Headley on Assignment*, and a history of Orange County. A son and a daughter survive him.

WILLIAM B. JOSEPH '13 C.E. died May 26, at his home in Wilmington, Delaware, of heart trouble. He was a graduate of the Wilmington High School and Cornell. He had been with the duPont Company for the past five years. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Fannie Blockson Joseph; his wife, Alma Stanley Joseph; and two sons, William B. Joseph, Jr., and James S. Joseph.

About The Clubs

Southeastern Florida

At the annual party of the Club on May 16, twenty-one members and wives availed themselves of the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Hubbell in their home in Coral Gables, and judging from the enjoyment of the various games and entertainments, the party was a huge success. Time was taken out during the course of the evening to elect the officers for the coming year: Dr. Harold H. Fox, president; Dr. Carleton Deederer, '04 vice-president; and Archie R. Morrison '32, secretary and treasurer.

The Club holds monthly luncheons during the winter months and urges all Cornell men visiting or living in the vicinity of Miami to attend.

Schenectady

The Club held a meeting on May 11. Officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Moorhead Wright, Jr. '27; vice-president, William A. Reed '28; secretary-treasurer, Orin R. Sevren '24.

LOUIS M. BERNSTEIN, Grad, of Utica, has received a Brookings Institute fellowship for work on "Investment in Recent Monetary Theory." Sixteen other men, and one woman, were awarded fellowships by the Institute, the purposes of which are to aid constructively in the development of sound national policies and to offer training to students of the social sciences.

POPULAR CONCERT Offered by Clubs

Members of the Cornell Musical Clubs are planning to make their Senior Week concert, on Friday evening, June 15, a "pop" concert. The customary Spring Day affair was deliberately omitted in order to give the clubs more time to rehearse for the popular concert during Senior Week.

The program which will last for about an hour, will include comedy, mixed with the light airs of Gershwin and Strauss, with Bach, Beethoven, and Brahms practically forgotten for the moment. Classical "pieces" have been put away and will not be used in this concert.

A number of the old time "swipe" songs, and barber shop tunes have been adopted by the club and will be rendered with the utmost in old time close harmony. Special arrangements of several of these songs are to be featured.

Hap Hilborn '36 will do solo work on his huge accordion, and Bruce Boyce '34 will sing "Shortenin' Bread," and other popular songs from his un-classical repertoire.

MERWIN TRACK CAPTAIN

Walter S. Merwin '35, of Buffalo, N. Y., Cornell's I.C.A.A.A.A. high hurdle champion, has been elected captain of the track team, succeeding Dick Hardy.

Merwin, who has been running under the tutelage of Coach Jack Moakley for two years, has been a consistent point winner for Cornell both years. In dual and triangular meets this year he was undefeated, and climaxed a brilliant indoor season with a smashing victory in the indoor I.C.A.A.A.A. meet.

Only in the I.C.A.A.A.A. outdoor meet was he defeated this spring, and this was due largely to the fact that he drew a poor lane. He had been one of the favorites to win, but tripped on the fifth barrier.

Frank Irving '35 of Los Angeles, football man and low hurdle specialist on the track team, was elected president of Spiked Shoe, track society, to succeed Robert Kane of Ithaca.

S. J. CATALFANO '35, will serve as president of the French Club next year, and Yvonne Breguet '36, as vice-president. Other officers elected at a recent meeting of the club were: Miss L. L. Coffin '35, vice-president; and G. A. Baptist, grad., chairman of the executive committee.

A. G. BEYERLE '36, inside home of the Cornell lacrosse team, was given honorable mention in the annual selections of all-star lacrosse teams by Al Nies, Princeton coach, last week. No Cornell men won places on either the first or second teams. Beyerle was high scorer for Cornell this season.

SUTTON EXPEDITION Is Making Progress

George Miksch Sutton, curator of birds, who is at present on an expedition in Alaska in search of the nesting grounds of the Ross Goose, which so far have never been found, wrote recently to Louis C. Boochever '12, director of Public Information of Cornell, that he had made an important find consisting of a perfect specimen of the egg of the Marbled Murrelet, although the nest of this bird has also not yet been found.

The letter follows:

"In our quest for ornithological treasures we have had the good fortune to take an *authentic* and perfectly formed and colored egg of the Marbled Murrelet, a bird whose nest is not yet known. The only other authentic egg of this bird, so far as I know, is one pictured by Bent in his *Life Histories*. This other egg was taken similarly from a female bird in Alaska in 1897 by Mr. George G. Cantwell.

"In view of the fact that we are now in a region where Marbled Murrelets are known to be common, we are centering our efforts upon finding the nest if we can. On the coming Thursday we will make a special trip by launch to Mittelnatch Island, in the Straights of Georgia (where we took the other egg!) to see if we cannot locate the nest. The valuable egg now in our possession is surprisingly large for so small a bird. It is delicate apple-green in ground color and is marked with rich brown spots.

"Comax is our headquarters but we have been working out long distances toward the north and northwest."

WALTER NUFFORT '00 and Mrs. Nuffort of 900 South 16th Street, Newark, N.J., announce the marriage of their daughter, Helen Louise '31 A.B. to Donald Burt Saunders '30 B.S., son of Mrs. Oliver H. Saunders and the late Mr. Saunders of 454 Seventh Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Saturday, the 19th of May. Arthur Hibbard '30 A.B. was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders will live at 81 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, N. Y.

MISS FLORA ROSE, director of the Home Economics College, has been named a member of an advisory board which will assist in launching New York State's advertising campaign to increase milk consumption. Frank E. Gannett '98, member of the Board of Trustees, and president of the Gannett newspaper chain, is an *ex-officio* member of the same board.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the *Cornell Daily Sun* will be held at the offices of the company on Monday, June 11, 1934, at 5 p.m. for the election of officers, and the transaction of other business.

TRUSTEES ESTABLISH A New Degree

Cornell will give a new graduate degree in Engineering beginning with the year 1934-35 as a result of a resolution adopted by the Board of Trustees, at the spring meeting of the Board held Saturday, June 2.

The new degree will be that of Master of Science in Engineering, and will be granted upon recommendation of the Engineering Division of the Graduate School to those graduate students who have successfully completed a course of study or research majoring in some specialized branch of engineering for which they have the necessary prerequisite training. No student may be admitted to candidacy for this new degree whose training does not include work in one foreign language, equivalent to two units of entrance.

Sabbatic leave was granted by the Board to Professor Benjamin P. Young, of the department of Zoology, for the second term of 1934-35.

William Welch Flexner was appointed assistant professor of mathematics. Flexner is the son of Dr. Simon Flexner, of Rockefeller Institute. His mother is a sister of Miss M. Carey Thomas '77, former president of Bryn Mawr College.

John H. Patterson '25 was appointed acting assistant professor of economics. In addition to his bachelor degree, Patterson received his M.S. in 1926, and his Ph.D. in 1929, both from Cornell. He has been teaching at New York University. Mrs. Patterson was the former Anne Hubbel Seymour '25. She also received her master's degree in 1926.

Terms of the will of the late C. Sidney Shepard, former member of the Board of Trustees, who died April 26, which left \$250,000 to the University were made known at the meeting. Under these terms, the University will get the bequest for the formation of the Sidney and Elizabeth D. Shepard Endowment fund, named for his parents.

Mr. Shepard likewise provided that, in case the bequest were not paid within six months of the time of his death, interest upon the principal sum should be paid at the rate of 4% per annum until paid in full.

Characteristic of his modesty, Mr. Shepard, who made numerous anonymous gifts to the University during his life time, stated in his will, that his bequest should not be memorialized by a "tablet or otherwise."

Another bequest brought to the notice of the Board, was granted to the University under the will of the late Isabelle Stone Ph.D. '08, who died March 8, in Chicago. The provision in the will which granted the bequest to the University of \$1,000 read "for repayment with approximate interest of the sum awarded to me as a Fellow of the said University in 1907-08."

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NAZISM?

Members of the Cornell chapter of the National Student League, student radical group, published recently a four page news-sheet under the title *The Bulletin*, in which they state their aims, praise the progress on the campus during the past year by the League, and declare there is nazism on the Cornell campus.

In interviews with Professor Paul R. Pope, and Dr. Ernest Kubler, of the Department of German, the editors of the *Bulletin* find a feeling for Nazism at Cornell. Pope is quoted as saying that, although a theorist, a Republican, a non-militarist, and one who doesn't like Fascism, he feels, despite Hitler's unliberal actions, that fascism in Germany was the lesser of two evils, that it was either "Hitler or chaos." Kubler maintained that each nation must find its own way out of the present conditions. "Communism has lasted thirteen years in Russia; Fascism ten in Italy, so there must be something worthwhile in each of them."

The *Bulletin* goes on in an editorial to say:

Nazism on the Campus

How wide-spread on the University campus are the opinions of Professor Pope and Dr. Kubler, of the German department, we are not prepared to estimate. Yet their apparent acceptance of *Hitlerism and fascist philosophy* makes some analysis of their remarks very much to the point.

Both men fail completely to analyze the class significance of the Nazi rule—the establishment of a dictatorship for

the purpose of maintaining the essential capitalist structure of German society. The "lesser of two evils" argument advanced by Professor Pope, is probably valid enough from the point of view of the large industries—the Thyssens, the Krupps, and others, who financed Hitler's rise to power. But from the point of view of the workers, who have had their trade unions abolished, and all civil and personal rights denied, it is difficult to be sympathetic with this statement.

A planned society, for which Pope and Kubler thank Hitler, is a splendid thing. But the most important consideration, it seems, is who is planning the society and for what purpose. The German capitalists are quite satisfied with the present state of affairs, yet Hitler needs imposing ranks of Storm Troopers to keep the working classes in submission. In brief, his whole "classless" society has been proven a myth, and a catchword to mislead the workers.

CAP BURNING

Freshman Cap Burning, the annual event that marks the evolution from freshman to sophomore, took place on Monday night, May 28, with absolutely no interference from members of the outgoing sophomore class.

Hordes of first year men met early in the evening in back of the Baker Dormitories, where red fire flares were passed out by the committee, and the grand peerade wound up the hill and out Tower road (the road to the Dairy Building) to the area behind the University green houses. Here an immense pile of wood had been collected, including the large pine trees used as decorations for the Cornell Day Ball, scraps of wood from every construction job in Ithaca, and many outside of Ithaca, large packing cases and other articles made of wood that were movable. Perched well up in the pile was a genuine antique. It was a specimen, in good repair, of one of the rapidly disappearing "outside telephone booths," the praises of which have been so ably sung by Chic Sale, and Walter King Stone.

The yearling mob stood around the pyre and cheered as it was kindled, and then more and more wildly as the flames whipped up through the wood stack. After the festivities were all over and the caps had all been burned, the cheering class started for town. It is noteworthy that several of the more absent minded members reached into their hip pockets, pulled out their frosh caps, and donned them from habit. These caps were the ones they had saved for souvenirs, new ones being fed to the pyre.

TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL commencement exercises of the Medical College of the University were held Thursday, May 31, New York City.

LAW COMMENCEMENT

Opportunities awaiting young lawyers under the new economic and political order were called to the attention of the forty-one graduates of the Cornell Law School on Thursday morning, by the Hon. Randall J. LeBoeuf '20 LL.B., former judge of the New York Supreme Court.

The young law graduates were advised to sink political and sectional prejudice, and acquire knowledge before they take a part in one of the greatest debates that this country has ever known. He suggested that they make a study of some business, its NRA code, as well as of the laws under which such code was promulgated.

Despite the fact that only a few of the new graduates have been able to find positions in advance, Judge LeBoeuf stated that the time was ripe for young lawyers, and declared that never before has there been such a demand for young lawyers as there is today.

The commencement exercises, held in the Moot Court Room, began with the academic procession, headed by President Livingston Farrand, the Law Faculty, and members of the Board of Trustees. Degrees were conferred by President Farrand, after the presentation of the class for graduation by Dean Charles K. Burdick.

President Farrand, before delivering the diplomas to the graduates, said that the critical period upon which the young graduates of today are embarking, will be looked back upon in future centuries as the Renaissance and the Reformation are looked upon today. He declared that the legal profession has today a greater responsibility than ever before, and that the University will watch keenly the careers of its law graduates, especially in the field of public affairs.

Forty-one students graduated on Thursday, no man in the senior class failing to pass his comprehensive examinations. The papers were regarded by the law faculty as being of exceptionally high standard.

HORTICULTURE WORKERS

Two Cornellians have been appointed to government posts to evaluate horticultural crops throughout the country as a part of the production credit plan of the Farm Credit Administration, which is headed by William I. Myers '14.

Ora Smith, assistant professor of vegetable crops, and Samuel R. Levering '30, extension instructor in pomology, will cover the entire country, as the only two representatives for vegetables and fruit from the Washington office.

Smith and Levering will go into areas where ordinary credit representatives are unable to evaluate fruit and vegetable crops, and place estimates of their values upon them.

The Week on the Campus

Cornell University Starts to Fold Up

TO THOSE who know the signs, it is apparent that Cornell University is folding up. The routine work of the year is over. There remain only ceremonies and the business of a general accounting.

IF YOU SEE a campus dweller leaning against a tree in rapt attention when the chimes ring out, do not assume that he is a super-sentimentalist living again in the music of the bells the joys of his departed youth. He's merely a judge—appraising the various aspirants for the job of chimes-master. There's a competition on for a paying job. The music department asks for a score of persons to hear and report on the performances of the week. These reports form the basis of the departmental selection.

THAT'S only one sign of the end. Another is that the *Cornell Sun* ceased publication with the issue of May 31. This makes campus breakfasts more peaceful but it's hard on the reporter for a weekly paper who depends much on that maligned sheet in picking up his unconsidered trifles of news.

THE ATHLETIC TEAMS are having their pictures taken but otherwise Schoellkopf is given over to gentlemen with steel tapes and transits—the advance guard of those who come to make all things ready for the commencement exercises now held in the Crescent. One commencement involves more loss of sleep, more nervous break-downs and more broken friendships than many football games in the same place. The difference lies in the answer to the question "what if it rains"?

THE NEW *Cornellian* is out and occasions some difference of opinion. Its format is modernistic with funny type and angular decorations. Some like it and some don't—as you might suppose. Among those who do not like it is Mr. J. H. Stresen-Reuter, competent manager of the university baseball team. He's been having a terrible time about his picture in the *Cornellian* two years in succession. Last year his name, as assistant manager of baseball, appeared below the portrait of some gentleman whom nobody ever remembered having seen before. This year the proper photograph was prepared, submitted and set up. But at the last moment some super-conscientious proof-reader caught the discrepancy. Out came the correct portrayal of Mr. Stresen-Reuter's lineaments and back went last year's picture of the fair unknown. There is a movement on foot to give a party at which the *Cornellian*

board may meet Mr. Stresen-Reuter.

AND THE LAST SIGN of the end was the grand review of the Cornell R.O.T.C. held Thursday on Upper Alumni Field. If you had seen the review you might have a slightly different impression of this R.O.T.C. business than if you read only the communications from the many different types of people who believe that the way to establish peace on earth is to abolish the Cornell R.O.T.C.

IT WAS a lovely day and the band out-did itself as 1700 Cornell undergraduates passed in review before President Farland, the officers of the post and an unusually large number of spectators. As a ceremony the job was done well. I saw no one of the 1700 who was less the useful citizen or more the truculent person by reason of his military training and I saw 1700 who would be less troublesome neighbors by reason of a taste of discipline and self-restraint.

AT THE INVITATION of the University of Pennsylvania a meeting was held in Philadelphia on May 26 (at the time of the intercollegiate games) which was attended by representatives of Dartmouth, Yale, Columbia, Harvard, Princeton, the University of Pennsylvania and Cornell to discuss the arrangement of an annual track meet among those colleges—the same colleges who compose the baseball and basketball leagues and who customarily play a good many other games together.

THE IDEA—which is of course subject to confirmation or ratification by the ultimate governing bodies of the several colleges involved—found general favor among the delegates. It is tentatively proposed to hold the meet each year on the Saturday between the customary date of the Pennsylvania Relay Games and that of the I.C.A.A.A. championships; to rotate the place among the members and to arrange, by limiting the entries, that the meeting can be concluded in a single day of competition. Princeton has invited this group—if the scheme goes into operation—to hold its first meeting in 1935 at the Palmer Stadium at Princeton.

THIS MEET will be in addition to—and not in place of—any existing fixture. It will have not the slightest effect on general relations with the I.C.A.A.A. to which all seven colleges belong and whose transcending championship meet-

ings they all have enthusiastically supported and attended for fifty-eight years

PROFESSOR ARTHUR A. ALLEN of the Department of Ornithology has left for Churchill, Manitoba (on Hudson Bay) to conduct a six weeks study of a strange disease among the birds which periodically almost wipes out the grouse family. At Churchill, on the edge of the Arctic, he and his associates will study the ptarmigan. This is the summer the ptarmigan are due to be sick.

(AND WOULDN'T it be terribly embarrassing to everybody if Dr. Allen got all the way up there and the ptarmigan didn't get sick when they are supposed to.)

DR. ALLEN, who has already studied the ailment as it appears in the ruffed grouse in this part of the country, is making the Canadian survey for the American Game Association and also for the Laboratory of Ornithology at Cornell. He is being assisted by the New York Conservation Department and also by the game officials of Canada.

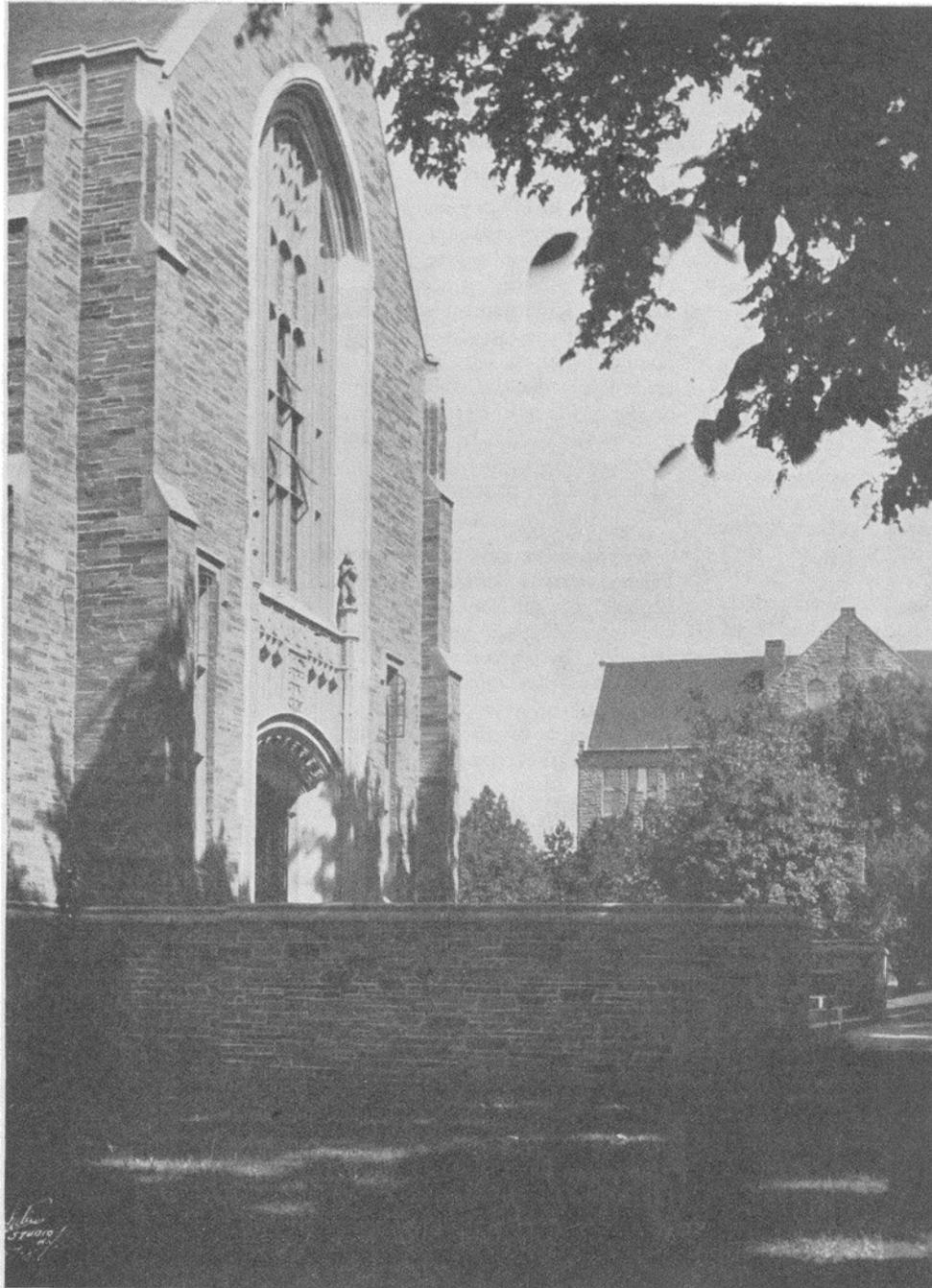
IT IS NOT NEWS that the Freshman Golf team played a match with the team of the Ithaca High School. It is however worthy of note that one of the most effective members of the high school team was Miss Doris Van Natta, 14, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Van Natta of Forest Home. Twenty years ago the presence of a woman in intercollegiate athletic competition would have excited some interest and comment. Now it is accepted as a matter of course. If Miss Van Natta can hit the ball farther and straighter than her masculine compatriots she ought, of course, to be on the team—and she can. You had better prepare your mind for most anything.

ON MONDAY the freshmen ceremoniously burned their caps. The efforts of the administration and of Mr. Bill Foote to prevent underclass excesses on this occasion were so devastatingly successful that not a single sophomore appeared to mar the disappointing peacefulness of the occasion. The freshmen—harnessed for battle and with pickets out—simply lit a fire, threw their caps in it, listened to some class D oratory and went back to their studies. There is no fun (gosh darn it) in that sort of thing.

SO CLOSES one more academic year. Reunions, commencement, the Poughkeepsie regatta—and then two weeks of peace before summer school bursts upon us. R.B.

Reunion Headquarters

June 15-16-17



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Concerning The Alumni

'84—Hudson P. Rose and Mrs. Rose will sail for Germany on June 9 to return September 23. Mr. Rose's address in New York is 45 W. 45th Street. [Ed. note: Mr. Rose is the most faithful contributor of alumni notes and items of interest to the ALUMNI NEWS of all the alumni body. The Board wishes him and Mrs. Rose a most happy vacation.]

'84 PhB '87 MS—Henry P. de Forest M.D. for several years past has been one of the three directors of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, of Columbia University, representing 4,455 living graduates. Columbia elects yearly a director from each of the eight colleges, to serve for a term of three years. These 24 directors constitute the Alumni Federation of Columbia. Dr. de Forest has recently been appointed to represent the Alumni Association of the Dental School at the Convocation held on Commencement Day, which at Columbia this year, was on June 5. Dr. de Forest is a practicing physician at 15 Central Park West, and is the secretary of the "Early Eighties" classes.

'84 BCE—Frederick W. Carpenter is now living in Cornwall, Orange County, N. Y.

'91 LLB—Robert C. Cumming, former bill drafting commissioner at Albany has informed former governor Alfred E. Smith that he cannot accept appointment as counsel to the New York City Charter Commission. Mr. Cumming's offices are at 52 William Street, New York.

'91 ME, '96 CE—Elon H. Hooker was elected to the executive committee of the National Industrial Conference Board at its recent meeting in New York. Loyall

A. Osborne '91 M.E. is an ex officio member of the executive committee.

'91—Frank E. Brandt is associate editor of *The Rock Island Argus*, of Rock Island, Ill.

'96 ME—Col. Malcolm C. Rorty, economist and statistician, was recently elected president of the American Management Association at its conference in New York. Oswald D. Reich '12, of the Dexter Folder Company, Pearl River, N.Y., was one of the speakers at the conference. Rorty's address is 21 Linden Street, Great Neck, L. I.

'00—The Bowery Savings Bank celebrated its 100th birthday on June 2. It is the largest mutual savings bank in the country. Henry Bruere is its president.

'00 BS—James B. Nolan is a lawyer in Reading, Pa. He is the author of *Lafayette in America, Day by Day*, Johns Hopkins Press, 1934.

'01 BArch—Frederick L. Ackerman has been appointed technical director of the New York City Housing Authority, with headquarters at 25 W. 44th Street.

'03 AB—Floyd L. Carlisle will be one of the principal speakers at the forty-first annual New York Bankers Convention June 11 and 12. Carlisle is chairman of the Niagara Hudson Power Corporation.

'04 ME—Robert E. Prussing is vice-president of the Whiting Corporation at 20 Cedar Street, Chicago, Illinois.

'04 LLB—Frank E. Eberhardt is vice-president and general manager of the Newark Gear Cutting Machine Company, 69 Prospect Street, Newark, N. J. He writes that his eldest daughter is in the class of 1936 at Cornell. He himself has had an attack of sleeping sickness from which he has recovered. He is now making progress with the after effects of the

NO ISSUE NEXT WEEK

Following the regular schedule of THE ALUMNI NEWS, there will be no issue during reunion week. The next issue will be in the mail on June 21. All class secretaries are requested to get their reunion stories in by Monday, June 17 for this issue and Friday, June 22 for the last issue of the month.

sleeping sickness. This new trial is called Parkinsonism and Paralysis Agitans, but he attends to his Engineering business. He does not practice law, but has identified himself with engineering.

'05—Hendrik Willem Van Loon, historian and author, was a member of the cruise staff of the Cunard Liner *Franconia* on its recent cruise to the Southern Hemisphere. The cruise lasted four and a half months. Van Loon gave thirty-two lectures and six broadcasts during the trip.

'06 ME—S. Jay Teller is a patent attorney with Colt's Patent Fire Arms Mfg. Company of Hartford, Conn. His address is 28 Cumberland Road, West Hartford. He writes us of Mrs. Teller's death on May 6, after a long illness. Teller has one son, Henry J., aged 12.

'06 ME—Gordon M. Evans is vice-president in charge of manufacturing for the Kelvinator Corporation, Detroit, Mich. His address is the Lee Plaza Hotel, West Grand Boulevard at Lawton Avenue, Detroit.

'07—Arthur Roeder, receiver for the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, is optimistic about the outlook for the steel business. He says, "The steel industry has made progress along with other industries. If history is worth recording, further improvement is inevitable. For those who are optimistic the facts of business activity hold encouragement."

'08 CE—Joseph V. Hogan, former New York manager of the Arundel Corporation was last week elected its president. He lives in Baltimore. In 1918 he has charge of the League Island Dry Dock Company as chief engineer of the D. L. Taylor Company.

'10 BS—William H. Marcussen, vice-president of the Bordens Products Company, speaking as a representative of that Company at a hearing before the Board of Health in New York recently, opposed the distribution of loose milk. He maintained that it was "easily susceptible to bacterial contamination, adulteration, and seldom contained uniform solids and fats."

'11 LLB—George V. Holton is general counsel and member of the Board of Directors of the Socony-Vacuum Corporation. His office is at 61 Broadway, New York.

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ACADEMIC PROCESSION as it once wound toward Bailey Hall. Commencement exercises are now held in the Schoellkopf Crescent.

Reunion Program

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

- Morning: Breakfast.* Willard Straight Hall (all morning beginning at 7:15); Home Economics Cafeteria (7:15-9:15); Sage College and Prudence Risley Dining Rooms (7:30-9:00).
Registration. Drill Hall, all day.
Class and interclass games.
- 12 to 2 p.m. All classes lunch in Drill Hall. Fifty cents.
- 2:00 p.m. Parade of classes to Baseball Game on Hoy Field. Everyone in costume.
- 2:30 p.m. Baseball game. University of Pennsylvania vs. Cornell, Hoy Field.
- 5:00 p.m. Organ Recital by Professor Harold D. Smith. Sage Chapel.
- Dinner:* Service at Home Economics Cafeteria (5:45-6:45); Willard Straight Hall (5:45-8:00); Sage College and Prudence Risley (6:00-6:45).
- 7:00 p.m. Senior and Alumni Singing. Goldwin Smith Portico.
- 8:45 p.m. "Gold in the Hills, or the Dead Sister's Secret," performance by the Cornell Dramatic Club, Willard Straight Theatre.
Musical Clubs Concert, Martha van Rensselaer Hall Auditorium.
- 11:00 p.m. Senior Ball. Willard Straight Hall.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16

- Morning: Breakfast.* Willard Straight Hall (7:15-11:30); Sage College and Prudence Risley (7:30-9).
Registration. Drill Hall, all day.
- 7:30 a.m. Breakfast, all Cornell women. Home Economics Cafeteria.
- 8 to 10 a.m. Civil Engineering Breakfast. All civil engineers and their wives invited. Sibley Recreation Room (under Sibley Dome).
- 9:00 a.m. Annual Meetings:
Cornellian Council. Morrill Hall, Room 32.
Cornell Association of Class Secretaries. Willard Straight Hall, southwest lounge.
Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs. Martha Van Rensselaer Hall, Room 117.
- 10:30 a.m. Cornell Alumni Corporation, annual meeting. President's talk to alumni; announcement of results of Alumni Trustee elections. Baker Laboratory of Chemistry, auditorium.
- 12 to 2 p.m. University luncheon for alumni and families, faculty, out-of-town guests, and seniors. Drill Hall. (No luncheons served Saturday at Prudence Risley, Sage, Balch, or Willard Straight Hall.) Purchase tickets at Drill Hall. Sixty cents.
- 2:30 to 6 p.m. Picnic and supper at Taughannock Falls for all classes from '96-'03 under the auspices of Class of '99. Fifty cents.
- 5:00 to 7:00 p.m. Tea Dance, Memorial Hall, Willard Straight Hall.
- 6:00 p.m. Class dinners. (Alumni and others who are not attending class dinners will find the Cafeteria (5:45 to 7) and Tea Room (5:45-8) in Willard Straight Hall open for dinner, as well as the Home Economics Cafeteria, (5:45 to 6:45).
- 8:15 p.m. "Gold in the Hills" repeated by the Cornell Dramatic Club, Willard Straight Theatre.
- 9:30 p.m. Rally of all alumni and their guests, under auspices of '19. Bailey Hall.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17

- Morning: Breakfast,* Sage and Risley (7:30-9). No meals served in Sage and Risley after breakfast. Other meals may be obtained in Balch Hall and Willard Straight.
- 4:00 p.m. Baccalaureate Sermon. Bailey Hall.
- 7:00 p.m. Senior Singing and Class Day exercises. Goldwin Smith Portico.
- 9:00 p.m. Women's Senior Singing. Balch Hall Court.

MONDAY, JUNE 18

- 11:00 a.m. Commencement exercises. Schoellkopf Field.

ANOTHER CORNELL Bird Hunt

Professor A. A. Allen of Cornell University, noted ornithologist and authority on the life history of the Ruffed Grouse, started May 28, for Churchill, Manitoba, on Hudson Bay, for six weeks' intensive study of the northern grouse or Ptarmigan. He is making the trip in the interests of the American Game Association as well as the Laboratory of Ornithology at Cornell, and has the active cooperation of the New York State Conservation Department and the game officials of the Dominion of Canada.

"All species of Grouse, including the Ptarmigan, are subject to periodic decimation in their numbers following immediately after periods of greatest abundance," Professor Allen says. He adds that "no satisfactory explanation of these cycles, which are known to occur at ten-year intervals, has yet been advanced," though in his study of the Ruffed Grouse he has found that the birds are very susceptible to many parasites and diseases, most of which are traceable to domestic poultry. Since the isolated nature of the haunts of Ptarmigan on the Arctic tundra precludes any contacts with poultry or domestic animals, he hopes by making a study of the Ptarmigan, comparable with that which he has made with the Ruffed Grouse, to determine what the cause of the cycle may be. The Ptarmigan are reported now to be at the peak of their cycle, as are also the Ruffed Grouse.

The village of Churchill—so far north that it is beyond the limit of trees—will form the base for Professor Allen's investigations during June and early July as he seeks this wild grouse on its nesting grounds. He is taking with him his camera and will bring back films and photographs of many of the other Arctic birds as well as the story of the Ptarmigan. He will return to Cornell University in time for the summer session.

Several of Professor Allen's graduate students have gone with him and continue the Ptarmigan study throughout July and August. Professor G. A. Bailey of Geneseo Normal School, noted bird photographer, also accompanied him.

THE BLUE AND THE GRAY

Memorial Day observances bring to mind the fact that Judge Francis Miles Finch, legal adviser to Ezra Cornell, and later professor of the history of law and Dean of the Cornell Law School, was also the author of the poem, "The Blue and the Gray."

Judge Finch also wrote a number of songs, among which "The Founder's Hymn" and "The Chimes" were Cornell songs. He also contributed two college songs to Yale, his Alma Mater.

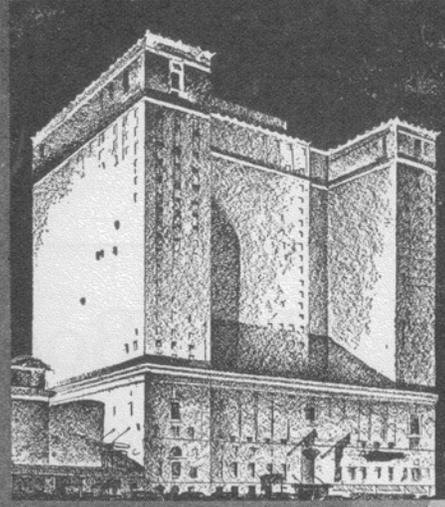
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'15 LLB—Ernest Mosmann of 647-23rd Street, No. Bergen, N. J. is at present in business manufacturing and selling embroidery, laces, and lace handkerchiefs.

'16 LLB—Mahlon B. Doing was recently elected to the auditing committee of the New York Law Institute at its annual meeting. Doing's address is 2 Rector Street, New York.

'16 AB—Capt. Frank T. Madigan of 125 Riverside Drive, New York, will

spend six weeks at the R.O.T.C. Camp at Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., from June 13 to July 26.

'24 EE—A daughter, Charlotte Chadwick Duryea, was born on May 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Hewlett H. Duryea of Hartsdale Road, Hartsdale, N. Y.

'27 CE—Herbert B. Olmstead was married on April 17 to Miss Avis Allen of Little Rock, Ark. Mrs. Olmstead is a graduate of Louisiana State College. They will reside at 782 New Britain Avenue, Hartford, Conn.

'27 BChem, '31 AB—A son, Wandy, was born recently to Maynard F. Witherell and Mrs. Witherell (Catherine A. Gallagher). Their residence is 22 Westover Road, Troy, N. Y.

'27—A daughter, Dawn, was born on May 20 to Alfred H. Steinkamp and Mrs. Steinkamp. Steinkamp's address is 342 Madison Avenue, New York.

'28 AB—Daniel J. Friedman of 317 N. Broad Street, Philadelphia, is a clothing manufacturer. He has recently been elected vice-president of Cardozo Lodge, one of Philadelphia's leading fraternal orders.

'29 G—A son was born on June 2 to Mr. and Mrs. George L. Royer of 168 N. Bridge Street, Somerville, N. J. Royer formerly lived in Akron, O.

'30 CE—Joshua W. Rowe is still employed as assistant asphalt engineer by the H. T. Campbell Sons' Company, of which H. Guy Campbell '14 C.E. is a partner. Rowe also holds a commission as 2nd Lieut. with the 29th Division of Aviation, Maryland National Guard. His address is 628 St. John's Road, Baltimore, Md.

'31—Edward T. Horn stepped into the pulpit left vacant by the death of his father, the Rev. Dr. William M. Horn in 1932, on Sunday, June 3. Horn, who has just completed his work at the Mount Airy, Philadelphia, Lutheran Seminary, was ordained May 30 in Albany, and was sent immediately to the Ithaca Church.

'32 DVM—Frederick G. Caslick was married on May 8 to Miss Lillian W. Little. Their resident address is Western Avenue, Morristown, N. J., and Dr. Caslick's office is at 4 Whippany Road, that city.

'32 BS—Laurence E. Ide is an inspector of fruits and vegetables with the Railroad Perishable Inspection Agency of Pittsburgh. His residence is 6012 Stanton Avenue, Pittsburgh.

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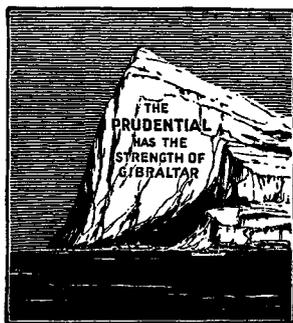
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