

Speeches on Cornell University and Education

Segment 1

39. The Founding of Cornell, 1887, and an earlier draft
40. The Teaching of History in Our Public Schools; remarks before the Fortnightly Club, Buffalo, January 16, 1890 (2 drafts)
41. How to Choose a College, contribution to Youth's Companion, 1890
42. A University at Washington, in two parts, 1890
43. Training for Farmers, 1890 (2 drafts)
44. The Future of the American Colleges and Universities, July 9 and November 25, 1891
45. Proposals for a Municipal Exhibit at the Approaching World's Exposition at Chicago

Segment 2

46. Democracy and Education, July 7, 1892 (3 drafts)
47. Rough draft of speech at Dartmouth College dinner, February 4, 1896
48. Hearings before the Senate Committee on the Establishment of the University of the United States, February 10, 1896
49. Evolution vs. Revolution, June 9, 1896, and later versions
50. Address at the presentation of portraits of sundry eminent jurists, February 22, 1897
51. Speech at Oxford, October 9, 1902
52. Address at the laying of the corner-stone of Goldwin Smith Hall, October 19, 1904
53. Address to the Cornell Alumni at New York City, February 25, 1905
54. An account of the relations of the late Professor John L. Morris to the University, November 1905
55. Ground-Breaking for the New York State Agricultural College Building, 1905 (2 drafts)
56. Prospects of Freedom for Russia, January 11, 1906
57. Speech at George Washington University, March 14, 1906
58. Program of the Special Summer Meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and Mr. White's remarks, June 29, 1906
59. Samuel Pierpont Langley
60. Ezra Cornell, January 11, 1907
61. Notes on talk referring to White's trip to the West Indies, 1907
62. Unveiling of the Thurston Memorial, June 16, 1908

63. Old and New University Problems, Address to the Alumni, June 17, 1908
64. Speech at the 80th birthday of Hiram Corson, November 6, 1908
65. The Cornell University Bells, October 18, 1908
66. Draft of a talk before the American Historical Association
67. Speech before Cornell Alumni at Buffalo, February 20, 1909
68. Student Courtesy and Manners, a speech before the alumnae, June 1909
69. Presentation speech to Dean T. F. Crane, June 5, 1909
70. Sigma Phi Convention speech, June 18, 1909
71. Presentation speech to Professor J. M. Hart, November 2, 1909
72. A personal word to the students of the Summer Session, July 13, 1909
73. Statement for the trustees on Professor Goldwin Smith, July 7, 1910
74. Letter to the Ithaca Daily News about inviting political leaders to the University, October 1910
75. The Work of Benjamin Hale, Hobart College, June 15, 1911
76. Speech to the Syracuse Alumni, May 29, 1912
77. Two addresses at the University of Michigan, June 1912
78. Letter of an Octogenarian to Cornell Students, November 7, 1912
79. Memories of Athletics, June 1913
80. Address at Alpha Sigma Phi convention, September 22, 1913
81. Dean Bailey from the Point of View of a Trustee, the Cornell Countryman, November 1913
82. Introduction to the General Report of Class Secretaries, 1913
83. The Beginning of Sibley College at Cornell, notes and manuscript of an article written for the Sibley Journal of Engineering, June 1915
84. Speech at an alumni dinner, June 12, 1915

Segment 3

Commemorative Speeches

1. Pioneers and Pioneer Work in Central New York
2. Cemetery dedication at Fayetteville, October 1864
3. Speech at welcome of 185th regiment, 1865
4. Sketch of address at the 50th anniversary of Cortland Academy, 1870

5. Address at the funeral of Samuel Joseph May, July 6, 1871
6. Speech at the Tyndall banquet, New York, February 4, 1873
7. Eulogy of Edward Lasker
8. Silliman address, Yale, June 24, 1884
9. Remarks at the unveiling of memorials to Mrs. Ezra Cornell and Mr. Hiram Sibley, June 15, 1892
10. Address at 50th anniversary of Onondaga County Orphan Asylum, 1895 (2 drafts)
11. Frederick William Hollis memorial address, Columbia University, October 22, 1903 (2 drafts, program, and a letter)
12. Address to Business Men's Association of Ithaca (incomplete)
13. John Hay address, December 2, 1906
14. Speech at Homer Academy, June 26, 1907
15. Speech at the "Daddy" George banquet, February 8, 1908
16. Remarks at the unveiling of a memorial tablet to Hiram Bingham Jr. and Charles Harding, Yale, June 29, 1909
17. Speech at a dinner in his honor in Washington, D.C., April 3, 1911
18. Remarks at the memorial service for Stewart L. Woodford, February 23, 1913
19. Charles Loring Elliott and His Relations to American Art, October 11, 1913
20. Talk before the Cortland County Society, January 22, 1914
21. Remarks at the funeral of the Reverend Mr. Heizer, October 16, 1914