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1754 ALUMNI COME BACK FOR REUNIONS

Class of '10 Leads All Others and Breaks Record for Twenty-fifth

Returning alumni took over the Campus completely during the perfect June days of the 1935 class reunions. Colorful reunion costumes were everywhere; cars with licenses from most states of the Union crowded the streets. The University dormitories on West Avenue quartered most of the men of the classes since 1900, and here, in the various class headquarters and in tents erected in the courts behind the buildings, old friends found each other and new ones were made, to live again for the two days their experiences as undergraduates. Alumnae of all classes, and both men and women of the older generation lived for the most part in Sage and Risley, where a somewhat more dignified, if no less enthusiastic, atmosphere prevailed.

Men and women, oldsters and youngsters, were continuously to be seen at Willard Straight Hall; one wonders how reunions could have been held before this central gathering place existed!

Total registration of alumni in the Drill Hall this year was 1754, of sixty-two classes, twenty-four of which were regularly scheduled for reunions this year. This figure, of 1161 men and 593 women, compares with a total of 1773 last year.

Class of '10 Breaks Records

The Class of '10, gaily bedecked in their orange and black blazers and hatbands, had double cause for celebrating, in the election of the Class secretary, Andrew J. Whinery, as Alumni Trustee, and in repeating, as a twenty-five-year class, the record they set five years ago (and which still stands), of the greatest number returning. Then they brought back 146; this year, 163. Their women's secretary is Mrs. John B. Grace (Anna Fielden). The best previous twenty-five-year-class-record was made by '06 in 1931, with 131; followed by '03 in 1928 with 130, and '09 last year with 124.

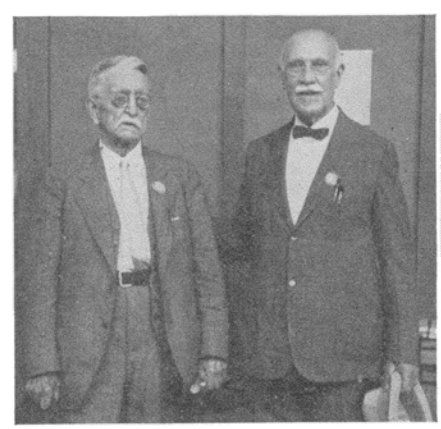
Second in number returning was '33, with 56 men led by William E. Shoemaker, Jr., and 68 women led by Marion I. Glaeser. The Class of '30, back for their fifth, were third with 68 men inspired to come by Charles E. Treman, Jr., and 49 women who had been urged to be here by Caroline K. Dawdy. Fourth place in number returning was shared by '15 and '27, with 113 each. '15's 95 men were led by Hugh C. Edmiston; their 18 women by Mrs. Richard M. Haff (Mildred Watt). The 66 '27 women were surpassed in numbers only by women of '33; they were brought back through the good work of Mrs. Kenneth A. Reeve (Grace W. Hanson); the 47 men of the Class of '27 were led by Robert B. Brown.

The Classes of '25, '20, and '15 each stood third in numbers back for their ten-year, fifteen-year, and twenty-year reunions. The record for ten-year classes is held by '14, with 181; for fifteen-year classes, by '09, which in 1924 brought back 200.

Old and Young Gather

At the rally Saturday night the cup for largest proportion of total living membership attending, given by the Association of Class Secretaries, was presented by its president, George H. Rockwell '13, to Grant Van Blarcom Dixon '70, president emeritus of Sophie Newcomb College at New Orleans, La., whose presence constituted one-half the living membership of his Class. Dr. Dixon received a tremendous ovation; he also attended his sixtieth reunion here five years ago. The cup for the largest number returning, went, of course, to the Class of '10, in the person of Whinery.

The alumnus who probably came the greatest distance was Sir S. Henry E. Barraclough '94, eminent engineer, professor of mechanical engineering and director of the Kolling Research Laboratory at the University of Sydney, Australia. His distinguished war record included service as Major and Colonel in the Engineers and Intelligence Corps of the General Staff of the British Army, and command of the five thousand Australian Munitions Workers, organized at his recommendation to work in England, Scotland, and Northern France. He is the recipient of the C.B.E. (military division); was created K.B.E. and awarded the Colonial Auxiliary Forces V.C. in 1920, and this year received the King's Jubilee Medal.



FROM THE EARLIEST REUNION CLASS

Dr. Grant Van Blarcom Dixon '70 (left), one of the two living members of the sixty-five-year class, photographed with "Uncle Pete" Smith '78 in the Drill Hall during reunions.—*Photo by Fenner*

Some others who were here from outside the continental limits of the United States are Ralph Dominguez '04 from Buenos Aires, Argentina; Robert A. Gillies '10 from Hamilton, Ontario, Canada; Harold F. Penney '10 from Weston, Ontario, Canada; Russell B. Hurlburt '10 from Paris, France; J. Scott B. Pratt '15, from Hawaii; and Fred W. Utz '22 from Antofagasta, Chile.

Three generations were here of one family: that of Alfred Bonney '78, who attended reunions with his son, Alfred Bonney, Jr. '12, and whose granddaughter, Dorothy R. Bonney, received her AB degree on Monday. Two other family groups at reunions were Francis O. Affeld, Jr. '97 and Francis O. Affeld, 3d. '26, and Robert P. Butler '05 and his son, Joslyn Butler '33. Peter Paul Miller and Arthur L. Hoffman, reunion chairman and secretary of the Class of '18, came to town to observe reunions in preparation for the twentieth of their Class, three years hence.

Program Events Occupy Most

Friday was occupied largely with registration of new arrivals at the long tables in the Drill Hall, with the outfitting in reunion costumes at the various class headquarters, and generally renewing acquaintance with the place and each other. Many gathered for luncheon at the Drill Hall and paraded to the baseball game with Pennsylvania, while the Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs held its annual meeting, followed by a tea, in Willard Straight Hall. Several classes dined together at various places on the Campus and about town, and many came back to the Campus for the combined Senior and alumni singing at Goldwin Smith portico that evening, from there to scatter to their own informal gatherings, to the Dramatic Club performance in the University Theatre, and to the annual Musical Clubs Senior Week show in Bailey Hall.

On Saturday, the women went to breakfast at Willard Straight, civil engineers to Sibley for their School breakfast, and architects to be entertained by their former teachers in the main exhibition

room of White Hall. Simultaneously, at nine, the Cornellian Council met in Morrill Hall and the secretaries and representatives of thirty-one classes gathered at Willard Straight for the annual meeting of the Association of Class Secretaries. Those who attended (those other than secretaries, in *italics*) were:

'77 Simon H. Gage
'78 Mrs. Willard Beahan (Bessie DeWitt)
'79 Clayton Ryder
'81 Henry H. Wing
'85 Charles E. Curtis
'90 James E. Rice
'91 Louis Rouillion
'93 Clark S. Northup
'95 *William E. Schenck* and *Erle W. Whitfield*
'97 George N. Lauman
'00 Mable E. Rose and George H. Young
'02 Mrs. R. H. Shreve (Ruth Bentley)
'04 Mary M. Crawford
'05 Robert P. Butler
'07 Mrs. George W. Tucker (Elsie Rand) and *R. W. Sailor*
'08 Seth W. Shoemaker
'09 Mrs. R. W. Sailor (Queenie Horton) and *Ellis J. Finch*
'10 Mrs. John B. Grace (Anna Fielden)
'12 Ross W. Kellogg
'13 George H. Rockwell
'15 Matthew Carey
'16 Mrs. Harold Flack (Evelyn Alspach)
'17 Herbert R. Johnston
'21 Allan H. Treman
'25 Bernard A. Savage
'26 Frances P. Eagan
'27 *Mrs. Kenneth A. Reeve* (*Grace Hanson*) and Robert B. Brown
'28 Mrs. Robert J. Thomas (Josephine White)
'29 Mrs. William E. Pierce, Jr. (Constance Cobb)
'30 Caroline Dawdy
'33 *Marion Glaeser*

Women Vote Scholarships

Delegates from the country over attended the annual meeting June 14, of the Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs in Willard Straight Hall, to give reports of the year's activities of their respective organizations. Resolutions of respect and tribute to the memory of Harriet May Mills '79 and Rose H. Cahill '86, two former presidents of the Federation, were adopted; the memorial to Miss Mills was presented by Mrs. Roy Van Tyne (Isabelle Hoag '18), and that to Miss Cahill by Mrs. William O. Kerr (Ida Cornell) '84.

Besides that of the treasurer of the Federation, Mrs. Nan Willson Bruff '09, the reports presented to the meeting included that of the committee on credentials, of which Mrs. Keith Sears (Sylvia Godfrey) '21 was chairman, and a comprehensive report submitted by a special committee appointed to investigate uses for which the income of the Women's Dormitory Fund might best be used, inasmuch as the project for which the money was started has been voided since the erection of Balch Hall. On the recommendation of this special committee, consisting of Grace Griswold '18, chairman, and Mrs. H. Howard Heller (Lillian Purvis) '04 and Lois C. Osborn '18, the Federation voted to approve the granting of five annual upperclass scholarships of $200 each.

1935 REUNION ATTENDANCE

Class	*Men*	*Women*	*Total*	*Percentage*
'69	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
'70	**1**	**0**	**1**	**50**
'71	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
'72	**1**	**0**	**1**	**17**
'73	2	0	2	
'74	0	0	0	
'75	**3**	**0**	**3**	**30**
'76	1	0	1	
'77	4	0	4	
'78	5	1	6	
'79	3	0	3	
'80	**1**	**0**	**1**	**4**
'81	5	0	5	
'82	0	0	0	
'83	1	0	1	
'84	1	2	3	
'85	**5**	**1**	**6**	**20**
'86	4	1	5	
'87	2	0	2	
'88	**6**	**0**	**6**	**8**
'89	**8**	**1**	**9**	**10**
'90	**30**	**1**	**31**	**21**
'91	**10**	**2**	**12**	**8**
'92	2	2	4	
'93	4	0	4	
'94	3	2	5	
'95	**12**	**1**	**13**	**6**
'96	2	0	2	
'97	8	2	10	
'98	4	4	8	
'99	8	1	9	
'00	**22**	**9**	**31**	**9**
'01	13	1	14	
'02	3	2	5	
'03	7	3	10	
'04	8	5	13	
'05	**19**	**5**	**24**	**4**
'06	7	4	11	
'07	**45**	**6**	**51**	**9**
'08	**31**	**12**	**43**	**7**
'09	**35**	**13**	**48**	**8**
'10	**135**	**28**	**163**	**24**
'11	13	4	17	
'12	30	2	32	
'13	10	1	11	
'14	13	0	13	
'15	**95**	**18**	**113**	**14**
'16	6	9	15	
'17	6	3	9	
'18	11	6	17	
'19	6	3	9	
'20	**29**	**35**	**64**	**9**
'21	5	3	8	
'22	14	10	24	
'23	11	6	17	
'24	19	7	26	
'25	**102**	**17**	**119**	**18**
'26	27	23	50	
'27	**47**	**66**	**113**	**11**
'28	**41**	**45**	**86**	**9**
'29	**44**	**49**	**93**	**10**
'30	**68**	**49**	**117**	**13**
'31	11	26	37	
'32	11	13	24	
'33	**56**	**68**	**124**	**14**
'34	25	21	46	
Totals	1161 **846**	593 **432**	1754 **1278**	

Bold type designates the 26 classes officially scheduled for reunions this year.

Dean R. Louise Fitch reported on the grants and loans made during the year from the Dearstyne Fund, the Alumnae Fund, and the income of the Dormitory Fund. Mary Donlon '20, president of the Federation, submitted the report of the executive committee. Two vice-presidents were elected, Mrs. Claude Bigelow (E. Lucile Wyman) '23 of Cortland, first vice-president, and Mrs. Edward Knauss (Dorothy Pond) '18 of Poughkeepsie, third vice-president. Following the meeting, tea was served in the East Lounge of Willard Straight; Mrs. R. W. Sailor (Queenie Horton) '09 and Mrs. Arthur A. Allen (Elsa Guerdrum) '12 presided at the tea table.

More than two hundred fifty alumnae gathered Saturday morning, June 15, for the annual breakfast arranged by the Cornell Women's Club of Ithaca. Lillian Fasoldt '27 president of the Ithaca club, presided. The program was arranged by the Federation; speakers included Edith M. Ouzts, AM '30, hostess of Willard Straight Hall, E. Marjorie McAdoo '35, president of WSGA, Mrs. R. H. Shreve (Ruth Bentley) '02 and Mrs. R. C. Osborn (Agda Swenson) '20. Mrs. John A. May (Johanna Stolte) '05 sang the Alumni Song, accompanied by Grace A. Seley '04. Mary Donlon '20 introduced the speakers; the chairman of the breakfast arrangements was Mrs. Carl Gilbert (Marie Turpin) '23.

President Summarizes Year

The auditorium of Baker Laboratory was crowded with alumni at ten-thirty Saturday for the annual meeting of the Cornell Alumni Corporation, to hear President Farrand's annual personal message to the alumni and the reports of the Alumni Trustee elections. President C. Reeve Vanneman '03 spoke briefly of the great assistance rendered by Cornell Clubs this year, in helping to solve the problems of athletics and in connection with Cornell Day and the Alumni Institute. He said that twenty-three of the forty-two Clubs had officially replied to a letter asking for suggestions on the athletic situation for the use of the Trustee-Faculty-alumni committee, and that their help had been invaluable.

Dr. Farrand summarized happily and intimately the events of the year at the University and described its present condition. He spoke of the great loss in the deaths of Mynderse Van Cleef '74, Cuthbert W. Pound '87, and Dean Frank Thilly, designating them as milestones in the history of Cornell; and of the retirement of Professors Ernest Merritt '86, Gilbert D. Harris '86, Joseph E. Trevor '92, and Glenn W. Herrick '96. He paid tribute to the continued efficiency of the Department of Buildings and Grounds, as reflected in the increasingly well-kept appearance of the Campus, and spoke of the real importance of the new arboretum, of which construction is shortly to start, from plans of twenty years standing. He said the administration has many other plans which are awaiting the right opportunity to be carried to completion.

Of student registration, the President said it was about the same as during the previous year, with more applications on hand for next fall than at this time a year ago. He spoke of the new course in Regional Planning as a most important

academic development, said that its financing here by the Carnegie Corporation was a marked tribute to the unique, well-rounded facilities possessed only by Cornell, and that under the direction of Professor Gilmore D. Clarke '13, it was being participated in not only by its original sponsoring Colleges, Architecture and Engineering, but also by Arts and Sciences, Agriculture, and Law; with selected students of every College taking the first year's courses.

The quality of the student body, the President said, improves each year, with undergraduate leadership through the Student Council and otherwise better this year than for several past. He spoke of the financial problems of the Administration, paid high tribute to the Trustees for their success in these troubled times in keeping the deficits to but a few thousand dollars in a seven-million-dollar operation, and said that the financial condition of the University was by no means a cause for alarm.

Pfann and Whinery Trustees

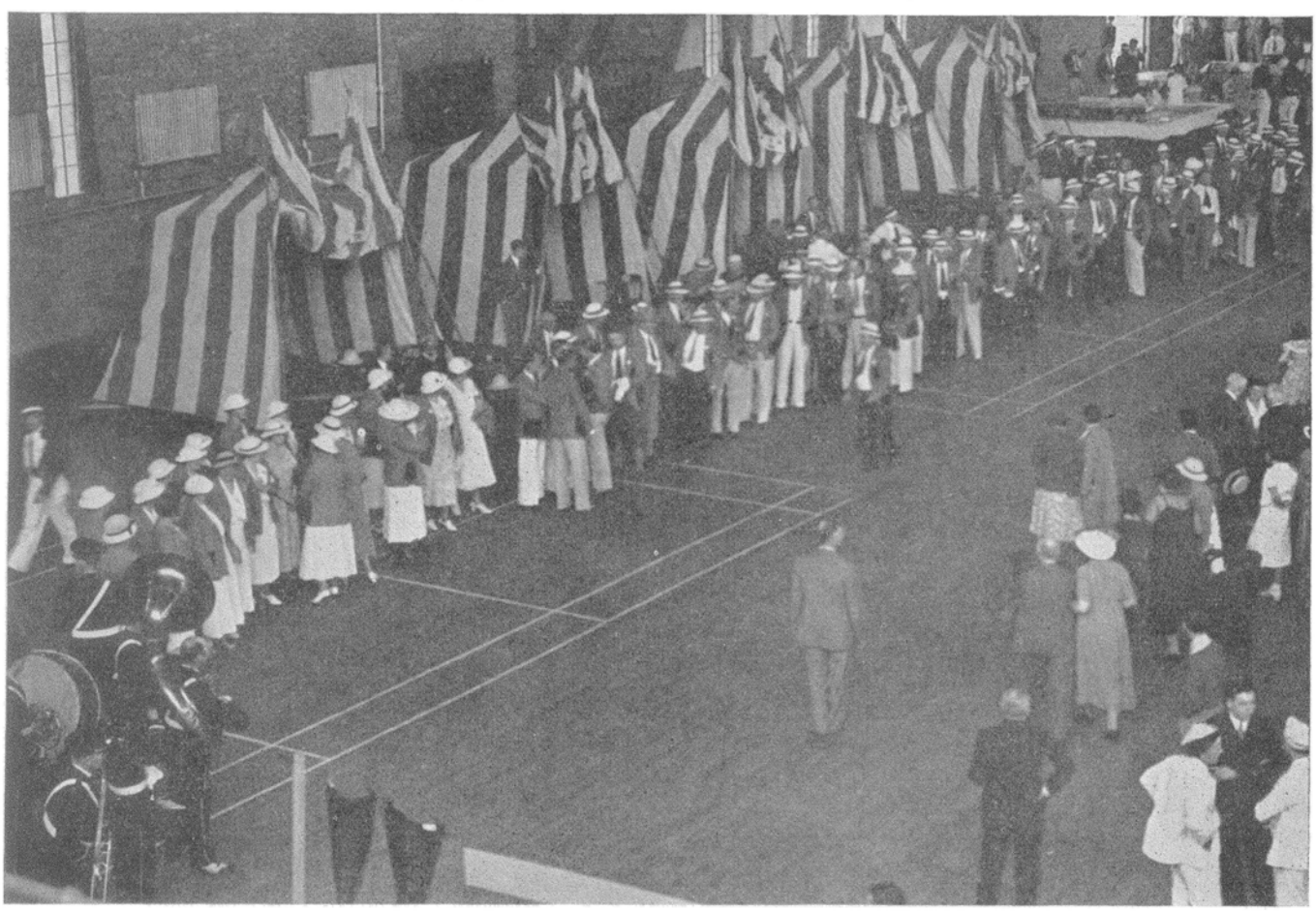
A. Wright Gibson '17, as chairman of the official committee of canvassers, reported the election of George R. Pfann '24 and Andrew J. Whinery '10 as Alumni Trustees. The 10,013 ballots cast represent approximately thirty percent of the degree holders, qualified to vote. Of these, 152 were rejected by the canvassers as not conforming to the rules which govern the election, leaving a net total of 9,861 ballots counted. Pfann received 4,497; Whinery, 3,765, and the other four candidates finished as follows: Charles M. Chuckrow '11, Henry W. Edgerton '10, John B. Tuck '93, and J. Homer Cudmore '05.

At noon Saturday in the Drill Hall, class tables covered most of the nearly two acres of drill floor, and most of the reunion crowd and many members of the Faculty and their wives were there. Three bands were in evidence, leading the various classes in the traditional parade around the Drill Hall after luncheon; '08 used a small red pig led by a farmer in straw hat and overalls to announce a "refined hog-calling contest" at the picnic dinner of '07, '08, '09, and '10 that evening at Taughannock, arranged by the secretaries, Whinery and Mrs. Grace, of the Class of '10.

Class pictures followed the luncheon, and Saturday afternoon was spent by many at Taughannock, by others in getting better acquainted and recalling old times at the various class headquarters, and by still others at the fraternity and sorority teas and open houses. At Willard Straight Hall alumni and undergraduates were entertained at a tea dance before the former scattered to their several class dinners on the Hill and downtown. Again that evening the Dramatic Club gave their Senior Week performance, "The Chief Thing," in the University Theatre, but it was attended largely by Seniors and their parents and friends, most of the alumni going to crowd Bailey Hall for the reunion rally.

Gather at Rally

Here William H. Forbes '06 acted as master of ceremonies and led the singing, announcing The Crew Song as sung for John N. Ostrom '75, who coached and stroked the first winning Varsity crew, at Saratoga sixty years ago, and who was in the audience. The accordion of Edwin H. Hilborn '36, the singing banjo of Alfred F. Sulla, Jr. '29, and the renditions of the Savage Club quartette, composed of C. Wesley Thomas '22 Sp., William B. Corcoran '23, Truman K. Powers '30, and Allan H. Treman '21, were loudly applauded. Jacob S. Fassett, Jr. '12 was called to the stage and told several stories, interrupted frequently by the cowbell "gonging" of his green-sweatered classmates in the audience; and Charles A. Norris, Jr. '21 entertained with his famous Ithaca street car impersonations.



IN THE DRILL HALL DURING THE SATURDAY ALUMNI-FACULTY LUNCHEON *Photo by Fenner*

The record-breaking Class of '10, gay in orange and black blazers and hatbands, lines up with its band to lead the gala parade of all reunion classes around and around the two-acre drill floor, of which the center was occupied with tables arranged by classes.

ALUMNI FUND SUPPORT GREATER

Cornellian Council Re-Elects Becker '05

That the Alumni Fund, with still two weeks left of the current fiscal year, had already attained more subscribers to the welfare of Cornell than in all of last year was the encouraging report made by the executive committee of The Cornellian Council at its annual meeting in Morrill Hall on June 15. To that day, 4822 alumni had contributed $79,484.20, it was reported, as compared with a total of 4693 subscribers in all of the fiscal year 1933–34. Neal Dow Becker '05, completing his first term as president of the Council, presided, and was re-elected. On Monday he was elected a member of the University Board of Trustees.

All Help in Gain

Archie M. Palmer '18, executive secretary of the Council, reporting for the committee, pointed out that this gain was directly attributable to the excellent cooperation this year of class representatives, many of whom sent special letter appeals to their classmates; to competition among classes stimulated by the periodical reports of class standings published in the ALUMNI NEWS and The Cornellian Council Bulletin; to the novel check-and-envelope supplement in the last Bulletin soliciting passengers on the annual Good-Will Cruise of the Good Ship Cornell, made possible by the help of Walter L. Todd '09 and Howard Reineman '20; to the personalizing of appeals to larger prospective donors by means of letters signed by the president of the Council; and generally to the aggressive and interested leadership of Becker, the Council's president.

It is reported that through Saturday 712 persons had used the combination check and envelope enclosure to subscribe $3,064.10, and Palmer says that with two weeks still to count in this fiscal year and the full volume of these contributions just beginning to appear, he expects that the honor roll of the names of Alumni Fund subscribers, to be published after June 30, will number between six and seven thousand. This large number of contributors has already more than offset this year's curtailment of receipts from customary large givers, indicating clearly, Palmer says, that although the gift of an individual may be small, "when he joins in mass formation with his neighbors, the same effort becomes an irresistible and mighty force." Every gift to the Alumni Fund, whatever its amount, makes the donor a member of The Cornellian Council and inscribes his name on the published honor roll.

This was the twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Board of Directors of the Council, composed of representatives from each class, members-at-large, and from geographical areas, with the officers and executive committee of the Council.

"During the first twenty-five years of its existence," it was reported, "gifts totalling $6,197,251.29 were made through the Council. And, despite the trying times through which we have been passing during the past few years and the pressure of other demands, Cornell alumni have continued to respond generously to the support of the University. . . . The amount given annually to the University through The Cornellian Council enters into the official budget of the University and that budget is adopted each year on the basis of these prospective contributions. Yet, despite all The Cornellian Council has been doing, the University nevertheless each year runs a deficit. President Farrand and the Trustees have repeatedly stated that if it were not for the contributions through The Cornellian Council, the annual deficits of the University would be much larger."

The executive committee reported that during the year the Council office had mailed nearly 30,000 notices to Alumni Fund subscribers; approximately 9,000 letters were sent by class representatives to non-subscribers and to subscribers urging increased contributions; more than 1600 letters to members of the Senior Class as part of its campaign; more than 4,000 in connection with the Pound Memorial Fund, the special fund of the College of Architecture, and other special appeals; and at least 4,000 letters were written by the executive secretary and members of the staff, in addition to the sending of acknowledgements and membership cards to all contributors.

The Class Memorial campaign of the Class of '35, conducted by Paul Reinhardt of Oakland, Cal. and Mary Rowe of Fort Myer, Va., resulted in 767 Seniors subscribing a total of $3,650 in annual pledges to the unrestricted Alumni Fund, mostly in the amount of $5. This was the largest number of subscribers to a Class memorial fund in the twenty-six years since the Class of '09 started the custom.

NEAL DOW BECKER '05, NEW TRUSTEE

Among significant gifts and bequests to the University during the year, the report cited that of the Liberty Hyde Bailey Hortorium, by Dr. and Mrs. Bailey; those of C. Sidney Shepard, a Trustee from 1896 to 1928; Walter P. Cooke '91; Mrs. Ida M. Sivyer, mother of the late Fred L. Sivyer '03; Belle Sherman; Ruth B. Ettinger; and Robert J. Eidlitz '85, one of the founders of the Council and a generous contributor throughout his life. A special gift of a musical reference library by William F. E. Gurley '77 was also noted.

Special Work Effective

Under the chairmanship of Edward Cornell '89, succeeding Becker who had been chairman since its organization in 1924, the Council's committee on bequests has sent periodically to individuals among its eight hundred lawyer-members advice of the University's specific needs and of phases of its program which can be aided by bequests of stated amounts. The chairman and executive committee, composed of J. DuPratt White '90, John J. Kuhn '98, Earl J. Bennett '01, Winthrop Taylor '07, Lawrence G. Bennett '09, Jacob Gould Schurman, Jr. '17, Jacob Mertens, Jr. '19, and Becker and Palmer, ex-officio, are preparing for distribution to lawyers and others interested in the making of wills naming Cornell as beneficiary, a booklet containing forms and other pertinent information.

The committee reported that the Pound Memorial Fund, initiated this spring by the Law Association at the suggestion of Edwin J. Marshall '94, had now reached the sum of $5,454, and is planned to be completed during 1935.

The meeting adopted a resolution proposed by a committee headed by Waldemar H. Fries '10 setting forth that the best interests of the University and the alumni require that all solicitations for University projects be made only through The Cornellian Council as approved by its executive committee.

It also adopted revisions of the by-laws of the Council proposed by a committee headed by Francis O. Affeld, Jr. '97 which simplify the organization of the Council by putting its business management in the hands of the executive committee of eleven members instead of the board of directors of about 360, which meets only once or twice a year; and providing for the election of executive committee members in three groups of three each, one group to retire each year and to be ineligible for re-election for one year after the expiration of their terms. The other two members of the executive committee are the president and

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IMPRESSIVE COMMENCEMENT ENDS YEAR

President Awards 1012 Degrees as Impressive Climax to Senior Week

President Farrand told the black-gowned graduates who filled the orchestra section of Bailey Hall and part of the dress circle at the University's sixty-seventh Commencement, June 17, that the "benefits of individual opportunity" should be continued, and that its exercise at the expense of the common good could be checked by public morality. He declared that no one could wish to leave unchanged the order that has brought social and economic abuses, but that necessary changes should be checked by investigation of those things that have been found worthwhile.

The University, the President declared, is highly concerned with what its graduates do as citizens; it is looking to them for leadership in the problems of the present time.

A threat of rain had driven Commencement exercises from Schoellkopf; the thousand graduates had assembled at the Drill Hall and marched from there to Bailey Hall through lines of parents and friends. Major Charles S. Ferrin of the ROTC served as marshal in the absence of Colonel John J. Fulmer, Commandant; student marshals were Walter D. Switzer of Williamsport, Pa. and Frank J. Irving of Los Angeles, Cal.

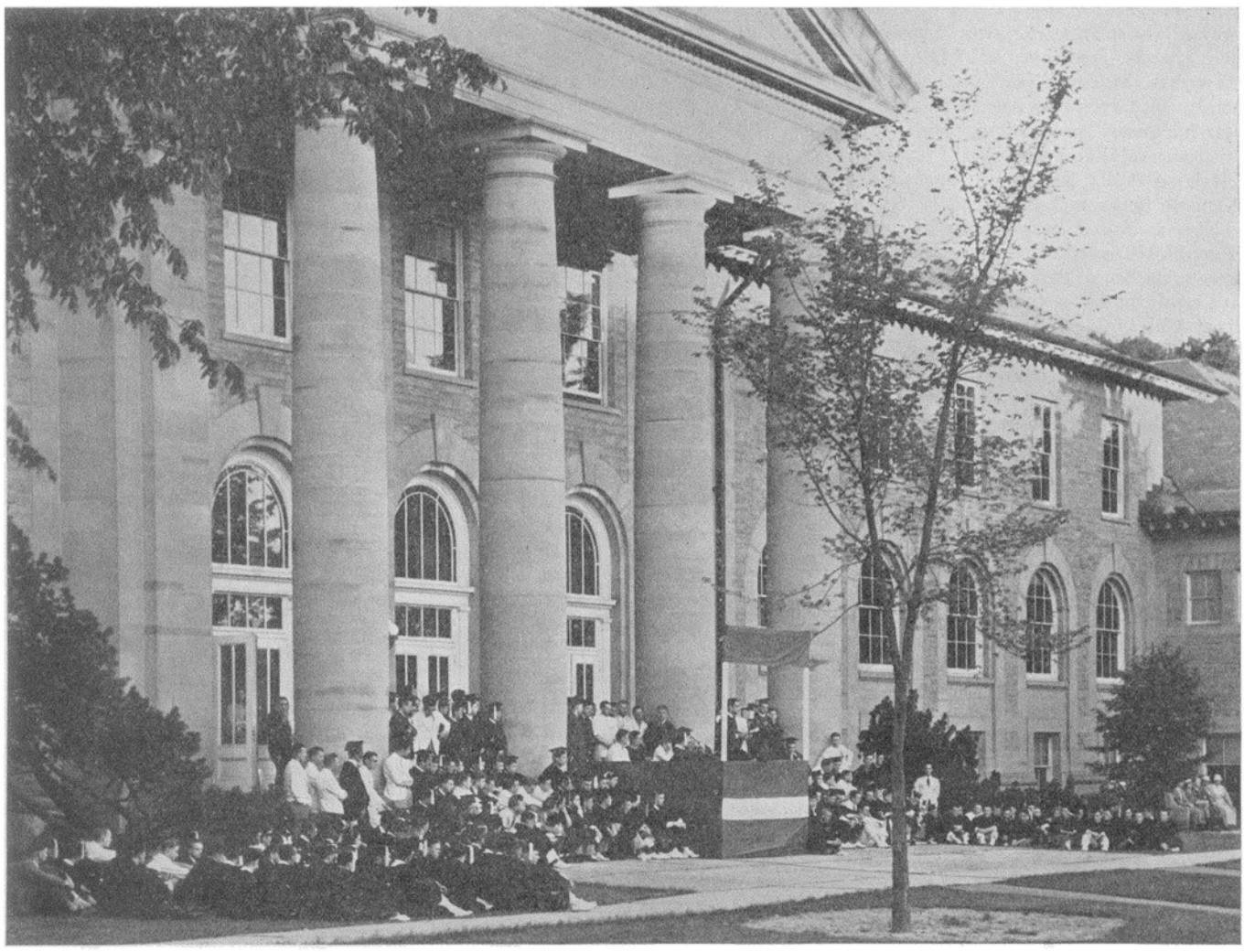
The students, Trustees, and Faculty members filed into Bailey Hall to the processional, "Marche Pontificale (de la Tombelle)"; they remained standing to sing "America" and to hear the invocation given by the Rev. William F. Hastings, of Ithaca's First Congregational Church.

Major Ferrin presented 130 Seniors to President Farrand, who awarded them, on authority of the President of the United States, commissions as Second Lieutenants in the United States Army Reserve Corps. They were recommended for commissions by President Farrand and Colonel Fulmer. Forty-nine were commissioned in Field Artillery; 26 in Infantry; 13 each in Ordnance and Signal Corps; and 26 in the Veterinary Corps.

Candidates for degrees were then introduced by the deans of the various colleges, and were awarded them by President Farrand.

Following President Farrand's address, benediction was pronounced by Mr. Hastings, and the group stood as the Alma Mater was softly played upon the Bailey Hall organ. The postlude was the finale of Widor's Sixth Organ Symphony.

What with parents, starry-eyed and eminently marriageable young ladies, the reuning Classes of '10 and '25, and the Fraternal Order of Eagles, the University's graduating class had a busy and a pleasant time of it indeed this Senior Week. By Friday the Miss Ashtons and the Miss Newmans had everybody satisfactorily ready to graduate;



1935 Class Day Exercises and Senior Singing Sunday Evening *Photo by Fenner*

On the platform: G. Paull Torrence, Jr. of Evanston, Ill., presiding; Paul H. Reinhardt of Oakland, Cal., Class historian; Eleanor Middleton of Long Island City, Class poet; Oleg P. Petroff of Montclair, N. J., Class orator; William D. Dugan of Hamburg, Senior custodian of the class pipe; and John H. Mayer of Kansas City, Mo., Junior custodian of the pipe.

there was a Dramatic Club play, a Musical Clubs concert, a Senior Ball and a number of house dances, a baseball game, and a State Street to visit either that day or the next.

The Musical Clubs concert was the most successful in many years; Bailey Hall was filled with a large and an appreciative audience. The program included a large group of songs given by the Glee Club with its soloists, several numbers given by the Instrumental Club, some numbers by the Savage Club quartet; and an Amateur Radio Hour under the direction of returning alumnus Jay Fassett, Jr. '12, an underweight Alexander Wolcott who with his two stooges introduced a varied assortment of the dramatic and musical talent of the Campus. Fassett's son, Jacob S., 3d. '35 is manager of the Musical Clubs.

The radio hour included the Glee Club, E. Lawrence Burrows '34 in a solo; Julia Hardin '35 and George C. Brown '35 in a duet, "Lovely to Look At" from "Roberta;" a song by Dorothy Sarnoff '35, first in English and then in Russian; and a number or two on the versatile banjo of Alfred F. Sulla '29. A specialty was a "Sweet Potato Quartet," presenting ghastly renditions of "There's a Tavern in the Town" and another song, unidentified except by title. This vied in its humorous propensities with the Instrumental Club's rendition of Strauss's Pizzicato Polka, led by an inspired R. Kenneth Ketcham '29.

The week-end was hotter than a Tompkins County election, and attendance at the Senior Ball suffered somewhat as a result. Earl Hines and fourteen others from Chicago's Harlem furnished the music, and were popularly received. The only other public dance of the week-end was at Willard Straight Saturday afternoon, where Bob Johnson played to a capacity crowd.

Gowns Appear Sunday

Commencement activities officially began Sunday with the baccalaureate service, held in Bailey Hall. Dr. Seelye Bixler, Bussey professor of theology at Harvard University, preached the sermon; he discussed the overemphasis on words in modern thought, and urged the use of reason rather than of words. He talked of the need for this reason in the field of social relations if a collectivism America does not wish is to be avoided.

That evening, Class Day exercises were held on the portico of Goldwin Smith. Introduced by G. Paull Torrence '35 of Evanston, Ill., Paul H. Reinhardt '35 of Oakland, Cal. gave the Class history; Eleanor Middleton '35 of Long Island City, the Class poem; Oleg Petroff '35 of Montclair, N. J. the Class oration. William D. Dugan '35 of Hamburg, Senior custodian of the Pipe, presented it to John H. Mayer '36 of Kansas City, Mo. at the end of the program. George M. Tuttle '35 of Niagara Falls led his class-mates in the singing of Cornell songs during the program, which lasted about an hour.

In the beautiful setting of Balch Court, members of the women's Senior Class held its "senior sing" before a large crowd at nine o'clock Sunday evening, in a program which featured the lachrymose Senior Dirge and other Campus songs.

Medical Degrees Earlier

On June 6 in the main auditorium of the Medical College in New York President Farrand administered the Oath of Hippocrates and conferred the degree of Doctor of Medicine upon sixty-four. In his address to the graduating class, the President spoke of "the way in which the medical profession is apt to close its eyes to the wider social and civil obligations that necessarily rest upon the shoulders of each member of the profession." He urged "that you, the young members of the profession, maintain a liberal and open-minded point of view so that you will be able to see and appreciate any needed change. . . . While many of the traditions, the sound traditions, are decidedly worth while, the medical profession, and the legal profession, have the tendency to think that whatever was is right, and that change and development are wrong."

Dr. William S. Ladd, Associate Dean of the College, announced the award of five series of prizes. Of the John Metcalfe Polk Memorial Prizes, awarded to the three students who have the highest general standing for four years in commemoration of Dr. John M. Polk '99, son of the first Dean, the first, of $250, went to Dr. Thomas Lowry; second, of $100, to Dr. George B. Sanders '32; and third, of $70, to Dr. Alexander D. Langmuir.

The William M. Polk Prizes, amounting to $125, $75, and $50, went to Drs. Sanders, Lowry, and Walter F. Bugden, in that order. They were established by Mrs. Polk in memory of Dr. Polk, who was Dean and Professor of Gynecology from the foundation of the Medical College in 1898 until his death in 1918; and are awarded for special distinction in gynecology.

The Gustav Seeligman Prizes in Obstetrics, provided by an anonymous donor, are awarded for the best records in that department. First prize of $56 went to Dr. William H. Hanna, Jr.; second of $28 to Dr. Charles E. Jacobson.

Dr. Lowry also won the Alfred Moritz Michaelis Prize for efficiency in general medicine. It amounts to $42 and was endowed by the mother of Alfred M. Michaelis '25, who died during his interneship, in April, 1926.

The first of the prizes given by Dr. Frederick Whiting for the best work in otology, amounting to $50, was awarded to Dr. Charles G. Stetson '31; second, of $25, to Dr. Bugden.

Twenty-four members of the Class received commissions in the Medical Reserve Corps of the Army from Lieut. Col. Taylor E. Darby, of whom Dr. William A. Sibrans won the Surgeon General's prize, The Manual of Surgical Anatomy, for attaining the highest average in the course in Military Science and Tactics.

Besides Drs. Sanders and Stetson, eleven others of the graduating class received their baccalaureate degrees from the University: Maxwell R. Berry, Jr. '31, John H. Burke, Jr. '32, George G. Flenner '31, Saul R. Kelson '29, William T. Medl '32, Boris Petroff '31, Richard Reeser, Jr. '32, William R. Richards, Jr. '30, Herbert J. Riekert '32, Jefferson Weed, Sp. '30, and Albert (Abram) M. Yunich '31.

DEGREES GRANTED 1934-35

First Degrees	*June 1935*	*Sept. 1934*	*Feb. 1935*	*Total*
AB	321	23	35	379
BChem	28	00	2	30
BS (Agr)	160	13	29	202
BS (H.E.)	92	6	11	109
BS (Hotel)	34	1	0	35
DVM	55	0	1	56
BArch	14	0	6	20
BLArch	1	0	0	1
BFA	3	0	0	3
CE	31	5	11	47
ME	50	1	5	56
EE	32	0	1	33
ChemE	1	0	0	1
BS in AE	40	2	1	43
Total	862	51	102	1015
Advanced Degrees				
AM	24	16	8	48
MAEd	1	9	0	10
MS	24	18	7	49
MSEd	2	3	0	5
MSAgr	7	1	1	9
MFor	0	1	0	1
MSEng	7	0	0	7
MCE	7	3	1	11
MEE	2	0	0	2
MArch	1	0	0	1
PhD	75	42	19	136
Total	150	93	36	279
Other Degrees				
LLB	35	0	0	35
MD	64	0	0	64
Grand Total	1111	144	138	1393

Lawyers Hear King

Dr. Stanley King, president of Amherst and distinguished member of the Massachusetts Bar, told thirty-four graduating third-year men of the Law School at Commencement exercises May 30 that the freedom of the American university is menaced by the idea of the purpose of education prevalent in many foreign countries and gaining popularity in this country: that the university and all education should be framed for the benefit of the State. President Farrand, after presenting the diplomas, also spoke of the "special threat in our democracy today to freedom and liberty in teaching" and

cited it as an example of the "weakening in the moral fibre of our citizenship." Dean Burdick spoke a word of greeting and farewell to this first class to receive its entire Law course in Myron Taylor Hall.

Norman MacDonald of Fall River, Mass. was awarded the Carey Exhibition Prize for the best comprehensive examination. David Altman '33 and Robert L. Griffith '29 of Rochester, and Forbes D. Shaw '27 of Brooklyn, coach of the freshman baseball team, were also graduated with honors.

The total number of degrees granted by the University during the academic year was 1393, thirteen more than last year. Of these, 1015 were first degrees, 279 were advanced degrees other than LLB and MD, of which 35 of the former had been awarded, May 30, at the Law School Commencement and 64 of the latter, June 6, at the Commencement exercises of the Medical College in New York. Thirty-six more first degrees in all were given this year than last; six fewer Law degrees; ten more Medical degrees; and twenty-five fewer other advanced degrees. The table opposite shows the numbers of each degree awarded June 17, last September, and at the close of the first term in February.

COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS

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vice-president of the Council.

The directors unanimously re-elected Becker president of the Council and J. DuPratt White '90, first vice-president. Allan C. Balch '89 of Los Angeles, Cal., John W. O'Leary '99 of Chicago, Ill., and Walter C. Teagle '00 of New York City were elected vice-presidents, with members of the executive committee Robert T. Mickle '92, James K. Fraser '97, Paul A. Schoellkopf '06, Robert E. Treman '09, Waldemar H. Fries '10, William J. Thorne '11, Harold E. Irish '16, Jacob Gould Schurman, Jr. '17, and Walter W. Buckley '26. Archie M. Palmer '18 and Sara Bailey Sailor '09 continue as executive secretary and assistant secretary, respectively.

Members-at-large of the board of directors, elected under the provisions of the revised by-laws, are:

To serve two years: William C. Agnew '32, Tristan Antell '13, Katharine R. Buckley '01, Charles C. Colman '12, George D. Crofts '01, Archibald S. Downey '96, Harold T. Edwards '10, Frank E. Gannett '98, William P. Gruner '07, Elon H. Hooker '94, Mary K. Hoyt '20, Jervis Langdon '97, Paul E. Lash '06, Harrison D. McFaddin '94, Laurence G. Meads '14, R. Verne Mitchell '07, Henry M. Robinson '90, Edward S. Sanderson '94, G. Norman Scott '27, Harry G. Stutz '07, Frank J. Tone '91, John W. Towle '94, Andrew J. Whinery '10.

To serve three years: Arthur J. Baldwin '92, Waldron P. Belknap '95, Edward L. Bernays '12, Edward D. Bryde '04, Mrs. Thomas G. Ferguson (Irene Davis) '21, William F. E. Gurley '77, George F. Hewitt, Jr. '10, James Lynah '05, Dr. Walter H. McNeill, Jr. '10, George J. Mersereau '99, Thomas Midgley, Jr. '11, Emmett J. Murphy '22, Daniel A. Reed '98, Winton G. Rossiter '11, R. H. Shreve '02, Edward G. Sperry '15, Ruth I. Stone '10, Robert J. Thorne '97, Charles H. Thurber '86, John W. Todd '06, Alfred D. Warner '00, Philip J. Wickser '08.

To serve four years: Francis O. Affeld, Jr. '97, Elizabeth M. Brennan '18, Ernest M. Bull '98, Walter S. Carpenter '10, Carlton P. Cooke '21, Samuel B. Eckert '08, Mrs. Robert J. Eidlitz (Sadie S. Boulton) '85, Victor Emanuel '19, Walter S. Finlay '04, James K. Fraser '97, Caesar A. Grasselli, II '24, William L. Kleitz '15, Edwin J. Marshall '94, William G. Mennen '08, Willard F. Place '18, Gustav J. Requardt '09, Hudson P. Rose '84, Jacob G. Schurman, Jr. '17, Myron C. Taylor '94, Walter C. Teagle '00, Alphonse D. Weil '84, J. DuPratt White '90.

About ATHLETICS

NINE TIES FOR FOURTH
Switzer Leads League Batters

The baseball team ended its season June 15 at Hanover, N. H., losing to Dartmouth to put it into a tie with Princeton for fourth place in the Eastern Intercollegiate League, with its right-fielder, Walter D. Switzer '35, playing his first year of Varsity baseball and leading the League with a .486 batting average; and with a record behind it of undependable but at times brilliant baseball. In the Dartmouth game, which Cornell lost 5–0, Switzer failed to play, having received a groin injury in Friday's game, but in the two games at Ithaca Thursday and Friday he knocked out four hits.

The Thursday game with Pennsylvania Cornell lost, 11–10, in a heart-breaking battle. At the middle of the sixth Cornell was ahead, 3–1; at the end of the inning it was 9–3 in the hole and Dan Lindheimer '36 was in the showers. Pross took hold, the Red started hitting things right and left; by the middle of the ninth Cornell had evened the score at 10–all. But in the last of the inning one Ed Shanahan, Quaker center-fielder, ended the game by connecting with Phil Pross's first pitched ball to knock out a homer.

Johnny Mayer covered himself with as much glory in the Friday game with Pennsylvania as did Shanahan Thursday: with two out in the last half of the last inning, and with Captain Bill Dugan at third and Ernie Downer at second, he pounded out a single to left field and ended the game there and then. Shanahan had given the Pennsylvania team a lead in the first part of the inning, with another home run.

Ted Olson, pitching-ace of the league-leading Dartmouth Indians, held Cornell to four hits and no runs in the Saturday game in New Hampshire. Switzer, injured, was unable to play; Kreimer, with two hits, and Dugan and Krukowski were the only Cornellians to connect.

The Season's Record

Cornell 1, Maryland 10
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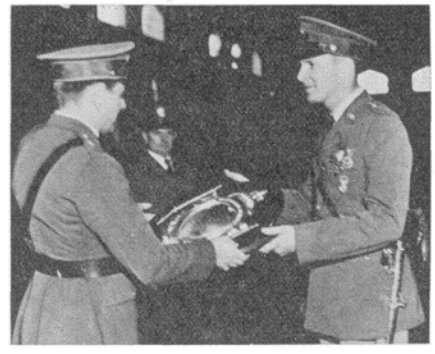
Cornell 10, Princeton 8*
Cornell 1, Princeton 2*
Cornell 2, Dartmouth 11*
Cornell 3, Colgate 5
Cornell 17, Columbia 12*
Cornell 3, Columbia 1
Cornell 6, Colgate 10
Cornell 3, Syracuse 9
Cornell 11, Syracuse 7
Cornell 4, Yale 3*
Cornell 10, Rochester 0
Cornell 10, Harvard 11*
Cornell 4, Harvard 11*
Cornell 1, Yale 9*
Cornell 10, Pennsylvania 11*
Cornell 6, Pennsylvania 5*
Cornell 0, Dartmouth 5*
*League games—Won 5, Lost 7
Total games—Won 7, Lost 12

WIN RIFLE AWARD



Cadet Captain Jonathan P. Blount '36 of Ithaca, captain of the ROTC rifle team, receives from Lieutenant George R. Shoals of Rochester the Hearst plaque, representative of victory in Cornell's Corps Area. The rifle team was second in national competition; its second team was third in the Corps Area and later in the day received a bronze plaque. The scene is the Drill Hall, May 15.

DRAMATIC CLUB PLEASES

The Dramatic Club, with two productions of Nicolas Evreinoff's "The Chief Thing" Friday and Saturday evenings of Senior Week, brought its twenty-sixth season to a successful close. "The Chief Thing," an extraordinary play to come out of the Russian theater, was labelled by Evreinoff as "The Theater in Life—a Comedy for Some—a Drama for Others;" it sets for its very large cast a difficult task.

Merrill N. Knapp '35, son of Halsey B. Knapp '12 of Farmingdale, performed the leading role, that of Paraclete, with distinction; another member of the cast of thirty who did excellently was Seymour Gross '35 of Belle Harbor, president of the Club. Charles Brunelle '36 of Brooklyn, Margaret Schramm '35 of Flushing, Marilyn Nute '35 of Manchester, N. H., were others who did well in their none-too-easy roles. The play was produced under the direction of Professor Alex M. Drummond, assisted by Violet Brown '35 of Brooklyn. Colby Lewis '34 was technical director.

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REUNION TRENDS

Much thought is being given to reunion trends by class secretaries, as individuals and in their organized association. It is apparent that the general aspects of the events are undergoing a gradual change.

Today the reunion parties exhibit a tendency to see more of the University and the surrounding country, to grow occasionally thoughtful and sentimental, to make more noise at the rally and less at the dormitory, and to attend practically in a body the official events of the schedule.

Some of this change is a reflection of the happy addition to the alumnal schedule of Cornell Day in May, and of the Alumni Institute the week following reunions.

The credits and debits of the Dix plan are in for a lively discussion. The problem of four small classes is different from that of four large classes in a Dix group. Some day four classes will be in conjunction where the crowd will be so large that practical consideration of food, lodging, and entertainment will establish some sort of limit to expansion of the idea. A reunion for such a pitifully short time does not give a real opportunity for contacts numbering hundreds, and a thousand contemporaries assembling for two days would be nothing short of tantalizing.

Beyond the obvious purpose of bringing together old friends, the object of a reunion is to bring back to their university as many alumni as possible so that they may renew by contact their affection and appreciation for the place and the persons that compose it.

The solution probably lies in the lengthening of the period to utilize Thursday and Sunday, and the encouraging of the perpetual reuner by affording him equal opportunity along with the Dix and the quinquennial groups. Permanent but simplified costumes, a separate schedule of events to augment the class affairs, and the annual assurance of a welcome may build out of the "off" classes a new and attractive addition to the reunion period. The more alumni that enjoy frequent contacts with Cornell, the more Cornell can rely on her alumni when she needs them.

PROFESSOR HERRICK RETIRES

GLENN W. HERRICK '96

Approximately seventy friends and associates of the Entomology Department crowded Willard Straight's largest private dining room May 23 to honor Professor Glenn W. Herrick '96, who retires from active teaching this June after more than twenty-five years of service.

Speakers at the dinner included Dr. Liberty Hyde Bailey, emeritus, former dean of the College of Agriculture; Professor Simon H. Gage '77, Histology and Embryology, emeritus; Dean Cornelius Betten of the University Faculty; and Professor Percival J. Parrott, Grad. '06, vice-director of the State Experiment Station at Geneva. Professor James G. Needham, PhD '98, was toastmaster, and read many letters and telegrams from friends unable to be present. Professor Herrick is retiring from teaching this year to devote more time to research and writing. He spoke briefly of the mixed emotions of the occasion.

Since 1909 he has taught the courses in Economic Entomology in the College of Agriculture. He returned to Ithaca then as assistant professor, from having been professor of biology and director of the State Experiment Station of Mississippi and later of Texas. In 1912 he was appointed professor of economic entomology and entomologist to the Experiment Station here. Recently he has devoted himself especially to the study of insect pests of shade trees, and the University Press is to publish in August his book, Shade Trees and Their Insect Enemies. He has written many bulletins and numerous other books; among them, A Textbook of Zoology, Insects of Economic Importance, Manual of Injurious Insects, Insects Injurious to the Household and Annoying to Man; and collaborated with John H. Comstock '74 and Anna Botsford Comstock '79 on their Manual for the Study of Insects. For several years before it was turned over to the University, Professor Herrick was secretary of the Comstock Publishing Company.

COMING EVENTS

Time and place of regular Club luncheons are printed separately as we have space. Notices of other Cornell events, both in Ithaca and abroad, appear below. Contributions to this column must be received on or before Thursday to appear the next Thursday.

JUNE 24-28
At Ithaca: Summer convention, American Institute of Electrical Engineers

JULY 4-6
At Ithaca: Symposium on ionic physics

JULY 8
At Ithaca: Summer Session opens

JULY 15-20
At Ithaca: American Institute of Cooperation

AUGUST 16
At Ithaca: Summer Session closes

Professor Herrick is a member and former president of the American Association of Economic Entomologists, a member of the A.A.A.S., Fellow of the Entomological Society of America, of the Biological Society of Washington, D.C., and of Société Linnéenne de Lyon. He is a member of Quill and Dagger, Sigma Xi, and Alpha Gamma Rho.

Professor and Mrs. Herrick (Nannie Y. Burke) '97, are the parents of Marvin T. Herrick '22, Stephen M. Herrick '27, and Anna G. Herrick '31.

JERSEY ENTERTAINS SCHOLAR

Upwards of forty-five members of the Lackawanna Cornell Club of New Jersey saw and heard from the holder of the Club's first scholarship, Russell W. Boettiger '35 of Mountain Lakes, N. J., at their annual spring meeting, held at Canoe Brook Country Club at Summit, June 7. Graduating at the top of his class in Administrative Engineering, having worked his way through the University with the help of the Club scholarship, Boettiger spoke on the value of such a scholarship to the undergraduate.

Professor Herman Diederichs '97 spoke at length on the new athletics set-up and on the plan for regional alumni scholarships. Harold A. (Tige) Jewett '19 entertained at the piano, Campus movies were shown, and a buffet supper was served. Other guests besides Professor Diederichs, Boettiger, and Jewett, were Clarence J. Pope '10, president of the Cornell Club of Northern New Jersey, and Kenneth R. Pelton '26 of the Westfield Club.

Officers elected for 1935-6 are Hugh C. Edmiston '15, president; Paul W. Drake '20, vice-president; and Edward G. Williams '15, secretary-treasurer.

DR. ABRAM T. KERR '96 and Mrs. Kerr were in Philadelphia June 10, attending the graduation at George School, Pa., of their daughter, Cynthia.

DR. JAMES E. KNOTT, PhD '26, Vegetable Crops Extension, has published a revision of his book, Vegetable Growing.

BRIEF NEWS OF CAMPUS AND TOWN

THE EAGLES were in town Senior Week—hundreds of them—to attend their annual State convention. Ithaca decorated itself with red-white-and-blue bunting, cleared State Street for the Grand Parade, and the Class of '10 and the Class of '25 loved it.

THE BUNTING—or its equivalent—goes up again June 30, when 700 farm boys and girls from all parts of the State arrive in Ithaca to take part in the fourteenth annual 4-H conference sponsored by the College of Agriculture. The Christiance-Dudley Pharmacy, purveyor of ice cream, will then have its innings after this four days of gazing wistfully across the street at the Ithaca Hotel.

TOWN TRUCKS are to be bedecked and bedizened to bring school children to Stewart Park, July 4th. Speeches, fireworks, ball games, parades, dedications, and more speeches, are to follow—all piously planned to remind farmers hereabouts of the advantages of trading in Ithaca.

OTHER THINGS are happening in the County: it has just finished the first "audiometer" test ever given all of a county's children. Twenty of them, the test disclosed, need the wax to be dug from their ears, 64 have tonsils or adenoids, 117 should be taught lip-reading.

MAYOR LOUIS P. SMITH has decided that he Chooses Not to Run for reelection; Joseph B. Myers, present chairman of the Board of Supervisors, and staunch Republican, has thrown his hat into the ring.

WE, WHO have been taking great interest in Stewart Park's menagerie, were pleased as Punch, June 10, to hear of the birth of three cygnets, heirs to some two of the Park's five swans.

THE TOWN BOARD of Ithaca has given Forest Home permission to spend $35,000 on a new water district there, with service mains and things.

PROFESSOR EDWARD A. WHITE and the Ornamental Horticulture Department were hosts, June 6, to one hundred Home Bureau women and their guests who made a tour of University flower gardens.

MORTON W. BRIGGS '37 of Millbrook has been awarded $300 by the Institute of International Education for study during his Junior year at the Sorbonne, Paris.

GRADUATES of Cascadilla School were entertained at a dinner held at the Cortland Country Club, June 13. Headmaster Clarence M. Doyle '02 and faculty member Edward K. Campbell '23 were two of the speakers.

NO MORE will the undergraduate hailing from Spencer, N. Y., go home vacations via East Ithaca and the E. C. & N. The Lehigh, operator of the branch, has received permission from the Interstate Commerce Commission to abandon some twenty-two miles of the road between Spencer and Ithaca.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON drivers up Ellis Hollow way are pausing these days to see the CCC's new camp, being built to house that particular branch of President Roosevelt's Work Army detailed to the University's arboretum project. The buildings haven't been painted yet, but look substantial and pleasant.

SENIOR WOMEN met at their class banquet, June 11, honoring Miss Edith W. Ouzts, AM '30, retiring hostess of Willard Straight Hall, and meeting together as undergraduates for almost the last time. Speakers included Dean Floyd K. Richtmyer '04 of the Graduate School; Mary Donlon '20, president of the Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs; Miss R. Louise Fitch, dean of women; and Violet J. Brown '35 of Brooklyn, vice-president of the Dramatic Club and Class historian. Virginia M. Lauder '35 of Binghamton was toastmistress.

ALPHA DELTA PHI is again the possessor of a pin it gave many years ago to Mrs. Ezra Cornell, wife of the Founder. Mrs. Franklin Cornell returned it to the Chapter recently as an item for its archives.

THE CORNELL LIBRARY (downtown) marked the 150th anniversary of John James Audubon's birth by exhibiting the $10,000 "elephant folios" of the American painter-naturalist which formed a part of the original gift to the Library by Ezra Cornell.

LEONARD LEIBLING, editor-in-chief of the Musical Courier, was in town the week-end of June 6, to attend the W. Grant Egbert memorial services at Ithaca College. Mr. Leibling is all for the American composers; he told the Journal they were fully the equal of their foreign colleagues.

UNIVERSITY STATION WESG is Going Places; it joins the Columbia network about July 1. Customary local programs will be continued; there is to be no extension of broadcasting time. The CBS will be tapped only during Lulls.

CIVIL ENGINEER PASSES

The Cornell Civil Engineer for May-June contains a discussion of "Model Studies on Ohio River Bear Traps" by David H. Tully '28, First Lieutenant, Corps of Engineers, USA; and the names and addresses of all members of the Association of Civil Engineers of Cornell University.

This is the last issue of the Civil Engineer before its merger with the Sibley Journal into The Cornell Engineer. The editor, William J. Weakland, Jr. '36, who will also head the board of the new Cornell Engineer, modestly details the paper's four accomplishments of the year: (1) the acquisition of a director for the School of Civil Engineering; (2) drastic revision of the School's honor system; (3) an administrative course in Civil Engineering; and (4) merger with the Sibley Journal. He did not claim credit for the McMullen regional scholarships!

HOTEL COURSES FILLING

Of the nine summer courses in Hotel Administration which open June 24 for hotel employees, one is already filled and others are rapidly approaching capacity enrollment, according to Professor Howard B. Meek, head of the Department. The courses vary in length from one to three weeks. That now booked full is in quantity food preparation. Others include elementary accounting, hotel accounting, food and beverage control, interpretation of hotel financial statements, hotel housekeeping, hotel promotion (to be given by W. Reuel Needham '25), personnel methods, and hotel stewarding. Numbers are limited to those which can be given personal instruction. Many hotels send selected members of their staffs to take one or more unit courses each summer.

BEQUEST OF EIDLITZ '85

The University and four alumni are beneficiaries under the will of Robert J. Eidlitz '85, who died May 17, 1935. One-half of Mr. Eidlitz's interest in the Marc Eidlitz Construction Company of which he was president goes to its employees; Mrs. Eidlitz (Sadie Boulton) '85 receives household and personal effects, a life interest in the residuary estate with the right to use $15,000 of the principal annually, and the use of the Eidlitz home at Dobbs Ferry.

The University shares with six other organizations and societies the balance of the estate after Mrs. Eidlitz's death and after deductions of twenty percent each to the New York Hospital and the Presbyterian Hospital. Specific bequests, which totalled $151,000, go, among others, to Charles L. Eidlitz, and Ernest F. Eidlitz '90, his brothers, and to Robert M. Falkenau '05, a nephew.

Concerning THE FACULTY

PROFESSOR GILBERT ROSS is leaving the University's Faculty after four years as assistant professor of Music, to accept a position as associate professor of music at Smith College. Professor Ross, one of Ithaca's most popular concert artists, has achieved wide distinction as a violinist; his Faculty concerts here have been among the best-attended offerings of the Music Department. With Mrs. Ross and his two children, he will leave for Northampton after the close of the Summer Session, at which he is to teach. Last week, with Richard Parmenter '17 and Professor George S. Butts '25, Agricultural Extension, he sailed in Parmenter's twenty-one-foot yawl from Annapolis to Cape Cod.

MRS. CORNELIUS BETTEN, '20 Sp., has resigned as instructor in Home Economics, a position she has held since 1925 and during the year 1921-22. Thirty-eight members of the staff entertained her at dinner at the old Jones house at Taughannock June 1. Mrs. Betten has been one of the directors of the International Association and this year was elected to honorary membership in Mortar Board, Senior women's honorary society. She is national secretary of Delta Delta Delta and alumna advisor to the Cornell chapter. Her husband, PhD '06, is Dean of the University Faculty; their son, Cornelius, Jr. '31, is assistant in Chemistry.

MISS EDITH W. OUZTS, AM '30, hostess at Willard Straight Hall for the past three years, is recipient of a fellowship to the graduate school of Columbia University next year, where she is to make the first study of the social and educational aspects of student unions in the colleges of the United States. She will continue at Willard Straight until September.

DR. FRANK ADAIR, Clinical Surgery at the Medical College in New York, was married, May 29, to Mrs. Marion Hopkinson Brooks at the home of Mrs. Brook's mother, Mrs. Ernest Hopkinson, 1120 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

PRESIDENT FARRAND was commencement speaker at the one-hundredth graduation exercises of Lafayette College, June 7, and was honored with the degree of Doctor of Laws. Addressing the 165 members of the class, he urged freedom of inquiry, opinion, and thought in university and school.

DEAN DEXTER S. KIMBALL, Engineering, spoke at a luncheon of the Cornell Club of Chicago, June 13. He was a commencement speaker at Armour Institute that day. June 14, he spoke to the college of Engineering, Newark, N. J.; and June 24 he is scheduled as commencement speaker at the Shrub Oak High School in Westchester County.

DR. EUGENE F. BRADFORD, Registrar and Director of Admissions, was commencement speaker, June 10, at Houghton College.

MISS GRACE SEELY '04, head resident of Sage College, sails on the SS Champlain, July 5, to spend the summer in France.

DR. DEAN F. SMILEY '16, Hygiene (now on leave), is to speak at the annual conference of health officers and public nurses to be held in Saratoga Springs, June 26 to 28.

PROFESSOR FORREST B. WRIGHT '22 and Mrs. Wright (Mildred E. Deisler) '24 and family left Ithaca June 11 for a two-weeks' motor trip to Kentucky and Georgia.

PROFESSOR CHARLES CHUPP, Plant Pathology, was rather seriously injured in the leg by a batted ball at the Extension picnic held recently at Taughannock; the bruise resulted in a ruptured blood vessel and the formation of blood clot.

PINHASS L. PAPISH, his wife, and his five-year-old daughter were killed in an automobile accident at Scranton, Pa., June 9, as they were returning to their home in Brooklyn with their daughter, Yemema Papish '36, after visiting Papish's brother, Dr. Jacob Papish, PhD '21, acting head of the Chemistry Department. Miss Papish and a younger brother were seriously injured.

PROFESSOR D. B. JOHNSTON-WALLACE, Agronomy, spoke June 10 to a conference of workers on pasture investigation from the Dominion Department of Agriculture and the Provinces of Ontario and Quebec.

OBITUARY

BESSIE ELLEN OUTTERSON, for fourteen years secretary of the Graduate School, died at the Ithaca Memorial Hospital, June 9, after a four months' illness, at the age of 47. A graduate of Columbia University in 1909, Miss Outterson taught until coming to Ithaca in 1920; a year later she became secretary of the Graduate School. She was well-known to a large number of students in the Graduate School; those returning to reunions last week-end learned of her death with the regret expressed by Dean Floyd K. Richtmyer '04: "Miss Outterson brought to her work a devotion seldom if ever surpassed; she was helpful far beyond the official duties of her position. Her death will bring sorrow to thousands of graduate students all over the world whom she had befriended in so many ways." Miss Outterson took graduate work at Cornell in 1928 and 1929.

Concerning THE ALUMNI

'75; '18—Dr. Edward Bausch '75, formerly president of Bausch & Lomb Optical Company of Rochester, has been appointed chairman of the board of that company; Theodore B. Drescher '18 has been made a vice-president.

'91 ME—Stanley W. Hayes, president of the Hayes Track Applicance Company, Richmond, Ind., has been granted forty-one United States patents as a result of his research in railroad track material. His avocation is raising forest trees and shrubs on his glacial moraine farm near Richmond. His address is P. O. Box 304.

'96—William Best, Jr. is vice-president of the General Cigar Company, Inc., 119 West Fortieth Street, New York City.

'98 BSA—Henry W. Jeffers of Plainsboro, N. J. was elected chairman of the Republican State Committee, May 28. Jeffers is with the Walker-Gordon Milk Company and chairman of the state board of regents.

'00 LLB—Christopher W. Wilson of Coombs & Wilson, New York City, was elected a director of the Brooklyn Chamber of Commerce at their annual meeting, May 20.

'01—Earl B. Alvord, head of the new products department of the Grasselli Chemical Company, Cleveland, O., announced, May 14, that for years the chemical industry has sought a low cost commercial substance which would kill pests and fungi and yet be harmless to the host plant and humans, and that research progress promises radical or fundamental changes in the commercial products of the industry with an annual volume of approximately $20,000,000, according to Howard Carswell, staff writer for the World-Telegram.

'02 BArch—R. H. Shreve was one of the New York delegates to the Milwaukee, Wis. convention of the American Institute of Architects which convened May 21 for a four-day session.

'05 AB—George C. Boldt, Jr. sailed, June 7, for England where he intends to spend part of the summer. We have been informed that Boldt is a grandfather.

'07 AB—Robert Schurman is vice-president of the Byron Jackson Company, Huntington Park, Cal.

'08 ME—Albert J. Boardman is vice-president of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company.

'10 MD—Dr. Charles I. Hyde was married in 1915. He has one son, Leroy, in the University, Class of 1936 Arts, and later Medicine; his other son, Bernard, expects to enter in the Fall; and his daughter is to enter high school in the Fall. Dr. Hyde wrote that he intended to be here for reunion.

'11 LLB—George V. Holton was re-elected a director of the Socony-Vacuum Oil Company at the annual meeting, May 31.

'12—Jerome D. Barnum, president of the American Newspaper Publishers Association and publisher of the Syracuse Post-Standard, speaking at the second annual banquet of the college of business administration of Syracuse University, is quoted as saying that business has pulled itself out of the depression and will advance without the NRA. He forecast a revival of agitation of the child labor amendment, and expressed his opposition to the broad grant of power giving the Federal Government control of children under eighteen.

'13 AB—Mrs. Bert W. Hendrickson (Blanche W. Moyer), chairman of the American home department of the New York State Federation of Women's Clubs, attended the triennial convention of the General Federation of Women's Clubs at Detroit, Mich., June 4 to 12.

'14 LLB—Supreme Court Justice Harry E. Schirick, Democrat, has been recommended for re-election by the Columbia County Bar Association.

'15 Sp—Floyd E. Becker of Roseland, N. J. is a member of the newly-created State Milk Control Board which will take over the functions of the three-man board that has operated for the past two years.

'16—Harold L. Bache has been elected to the board of managers of the New York Produce Exchange.

'17 ME; '77 ME—Frank G. Tallman, Jr. '17, son of Frank G. Tallman '77 of Du Pont de Nemours & Co., married Ruth Lester of West Orange, N. J. on May 30. Tallman, Jr. is an engineer with the Edge Moor Iron Company in Wilmington, Del.

'19, '20 AB—Willard F. Place, executive assistant to the president of the New York Central Railroad, was appointed vice-president at a meeting of the executive committee recently.

'20 EE—Aubrey R. Curry is with the Niagara Hudson Company, Buffalo.

'22 AB—Elwood G. Feldstein was installed, June 5, as Exalted Ruler of the New York Lodge, Number 1, B. P. O. Elks. He is an attorney at 47 West Thirty-fourth Street, New York City.

'24—Louis P. Flory, staff photographer of the Boyce Thompson Institute of Plant Research, is one of the judges of the annual exhibit of the Yonkers Camera Club being held June 15 to 30.

'25 AB—Walter T. Southworth received his LLB degree from Brooklyn Law School last June and was admitted to the New York Bar last December. He recently left the local Buick Company to take a position with Chadbourne, Stanchfield & Levy, New York City. Last June he married Edith K. Jascheck of New York City. Their address is 18 East Twenty-first Street, Brooklyn.

'26 AM—Lawrence H. Houtchens is teaching English at the University of New Hampshire, Durham, N. H.

'28 BChem, '29 MChem, '31 PhD—John W. Ackerman and Mrs. Ackerman of 72 Lakeside Drive, Nutley, N. J. announce the birth of a daughter, Joan Sue, on May 30. Ackerman is with the Fine Colors Company, 21 to 29 McBride Avenue, Paterson, N. J.

'29 AM—Shelton L. Beatty is dean of men and assistant professor of English at Grinnell College, Grinnell, Iowa.

'30 BS, '32 MA; '30 BS—Helen Greig is working for the Federal Surplus Relief Corporation. Her address is 1720 H Street, N. W., Washington, D. C. She writes that Eleanor A. Reed '30 is working at Great Neck.

'31 ME—Ralph L. Hill, Jr. is an air conditioning engineer with the York Ice Machinery Corporation and living at 1238 Belmont Avenue, Philadelphia, Pa.

'32 AB; '06 BSA; '33 AB—Dorothy Lee '32, daughter of Ora Lee '06 and Mrs. Lee of Albion, is engaged to Fred A. Bennett '33 of Berlin. They are to be married in August.

'32 AB—Frederica G. Ritter is employed in the bank examining division of the Federal Reserve Board in Washington, D. C. Her address is 2757 Brandywine Street.

'33 AB—Marian F. Saunders of Maplewood, N. J. is engaged to Gordon V. Bond of Plainfield, N. J. Her address is 66 Kendall Avenue.

'34 AB—Edmund H. Trowbridge married Viola Vail of Belmont, Mass. on May 15. Their address is 52 Garden Street, Cambridge, Mass.

'34—The engagement of James H. Madden and Elsie R. Little of New York City has been announced. Madden is connected with the Borden Sales Company, Inc.

'36—Edwin T. Bradley, third year Medicine, is engaged to Leonie J. Danforth of New York City. Bradley took his undergraduate work at Princeton University.

WHAT '35 MEN AND WOMEN ARE DOING

AB; AB—Catherine R. Abbott of Cleveland Heights, O. and John L. P. Campbell of Wyomissing, Pa. are engaged.

BS—Bo I. B. Adler will be employed by the Sheffield Farms at Hobart.

AB—Carl H. Ahrens may be addressed at 96 Louis Street, Staten Island.

AB—Maxwell Ash expects to receive his LLB from the University in 1937. His home address is 1525 Boardwalk, Atlantic City, N. J.

ME—The address of George R. Ashton is 23 Dorchester Road, Rochester.

ME—Thomas C. Borland will be employed in the oil production department of the Standolind Oil and Gas Company of Texas. His home address is 163 East Bissell Avenue, Oil City, Pa.

ME—John S. Brown, Jr. after graduation will live at 1121 DeVictor Place, Pittsburgh, Pa.

AB—Robert M. Cook lives at 616 South Main Street, Geneva.

BS—Charlotte M. Dredger is living at 2 Grace Avenue, Lynbrook.

EE—Sherman G. Forbes, Jr. may be addressed at his home, 89 Hillandale Avenue, Stamford, Conn.

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DVM—Richard T. Gilyard will enter practice with his father, Dr. Arthur T. Gilyard '07, at Waterbury, Conn. His address is 73 Field Street.

BS—Phyllis Gray will teach homemaking in the Junior High School at Gouverneur.

AB—Stephen E. Hamilton, Jr. of Wilmington, Del., who was undefeated singles tennis player for the 1935 season, will seek the intercollegiate title at Chicago, Ill. on June 24.

AB—Doris Kaplan of 1478 East Nineteenth Street, Brooklyn, expects to enter a graduate school for Jewish social work.

BS—Wilfred R. Kelly lives at R.D. 5, Cooperstown.

AB—Joseph F. LaBarbera expects to enter Physicians and Surgeons Medical College next year. His address is 532 Ninth Street, Brooklyn.

BS—Celestine Latus is to be assistant dietician at Cleves Cafeteria, Washington, D.C., owned by Ruth Cleves Justus '16. Her address will be 1621 T Street, N.W.

ME—John S. Leslie will attend Babson Institute, Babson Park, Mass., during 1935-36. His home address is Box 181, Wyckoff, N. J.

AB—John L. Lewis's home address is 5622 Buffalo Avenue, Niagara Falls.

AB—George E. Lockwood lives at 200 Lyncroft Road, New Rochelle.

AB—Edith M. McAdoo of Kew Gardens, president of WSGA for 1934-35, and treasurer of her Class in her Freshman year, and president of Sage College in her Junior year, is engaged to Jack Rankin of New York City.

AB—Lawrence B. McArthur lives in Buffalo, at 162 Fourteenth Street.

BS; '29 BS—Mabel E. MacGregor of Johnson City is engaged to Charles E. Cladel '29 of Ithaca. Miss MacGregor is a student dietician in a Johnson City hospital; Cladel is an instructor in the department of Hotel Administration.

ME—Thomas E. McMahon of 257 Ascon Avenue, Forest Hills, is planning to take graduate work at the University next year.

AB—Julius J. Meisel is to be connected with the Capital Paper Company, Inc. of New York City after July 1. His home address is 1156 East Twenty-sixth Street, Brooklyn.

BS—Elizabeth Myers has a fellowship in the foods and nutrition subdivision, Iowa State College, Ames. Her home address is 4000 Cathedral Avenue, N.W., Washington, D. C.

ME—George C. Norman may be reached at 201 Courtland Avenue, Buffalo.

AB—F. Faxon Ogden is employed by the General Chemical Company at Quincy, Mass. On April 1 his engagement to Mary S. Gammons of Cohasset, Mass. was announced. His address is 162 Monroe Road, Quincy, Mass.

BS; BS—Margaret R. Robinson of Baldwin and William K. Dayton of Stanford are engaged. Miss Robinson was a member of the Sage Choir and president of the Westminster Society. Dayton has been active in the Future Farmer's Association, Sage Choir, and the Westminster Association. He plans to teach in South Dayton High School next year.

AB—The engagement of Anne L. Roehrig and B. L. Rideout, instructor in Romance Languages, has been announced. Miss Roehrig plans to teach Latin next year at the University.

AB—Leo Rokeach will enter the Law School. His home address is 985 Park Place, Brooklyn.

BS—M. Helen Rose will be in Hammondsport until July 1. At that time she will begin her duties in the food research department of General Foods Corporation in New York City, where her address will be 123 West Thirteenth Street.

BS—Frederick W. Rys is to attend the Harvard Business School. His home address is 5463 Aylesboro Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

ME—Robert F. Seiffert, III of Buffalo and Jean S. Briggs '36, also of Buffalo, are engaged.

AB—Charles F. Sharpe, 3d. is starting work this Summer Session toward an MA degree from the University. His Ithaca address is 301 Dryden Road.

AB—Murray R. Socolof's address will be 384 Crown Street, Brooklyn.

BS—Clinton R. Stimson received his degree in three years with an average of 85.9 percent. He has been active in 4-H work, particularly with dairy cattle. He won the Roberts Scholarship, was on the Countryman board, a member of the Round-up Club and Ho-Nun-De-Kah. He has been awarded a graduate research assistantship in animal nutrition by the Iowa State College of Agriculture, Ames, Iowa, where he will begin his work September 1.

DVM—Emanuel Tarlow, coach and member of the swimming team, will be registered next fall in the Graduate School. His home address is 1212 Ward Avenue, New York City.

AB—Ruth I. Thompson of Hastings-on-Hudson is engaged to C. W. Colman, instructor in Romance Languages. Miss Thompson has been a member of the University Orchestra and the Ross Quartet.

DVM—William F. Tierney of Cazenovia has a job as meat and dairy inspector for CCC camps.

AB—Margaret Tolein lives at 5 Sherman Place, Utica.

BS; ME—Edith L. Trappe of Staten Island is engaged to Robert H. Glanville of Seneca Falls. Miss Trappe was president of Omicron Nu, women's national honorary society in the College of Home Economics, and president of the women's cabinet of CURW this year; and a member of Mortar Board, senior women's national honorary society.

BS—Charles H. Voorneveld is a specialist in ornamental horticulture, and lives at Syosset, Long Island.

BS—Wallace E. Washbon is with the Extension Department as itinerant agent in Tompkins County. He is living at 214 Thurston Avenue, Ithaca.

BS—Evan B. Whitacre is engaged to Egrynwen Richards of Rome, a graduate of Syracuse University in 1933.

AB—Frederick A. Wilson of Sag Harbor will be here next year in the Medical College.

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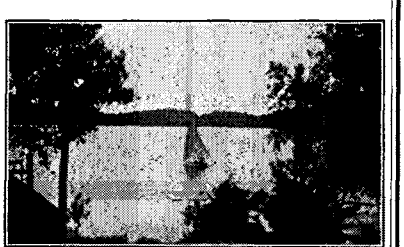
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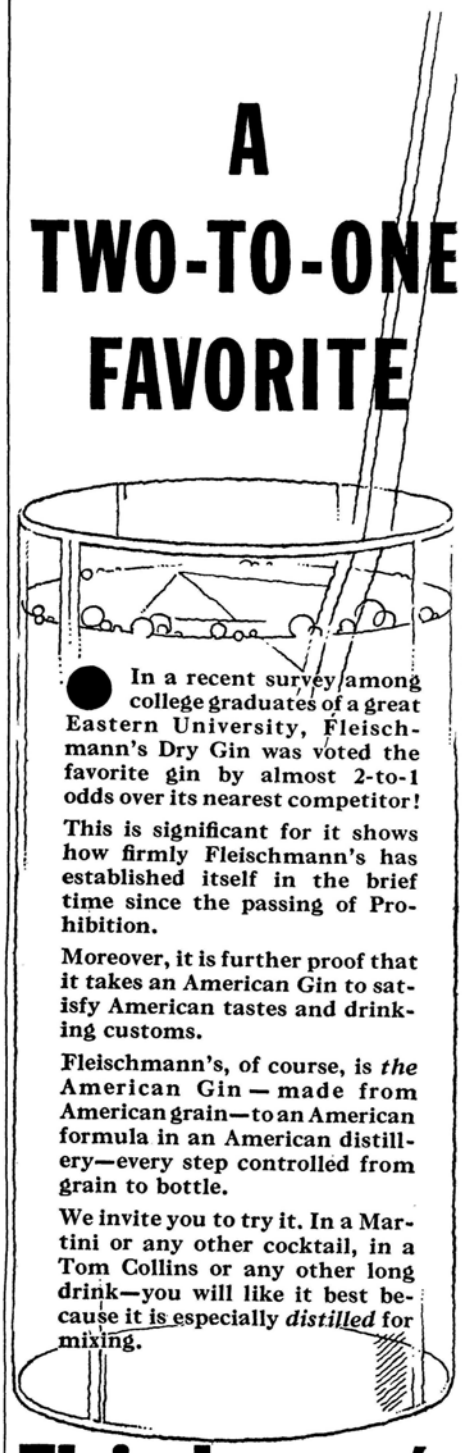

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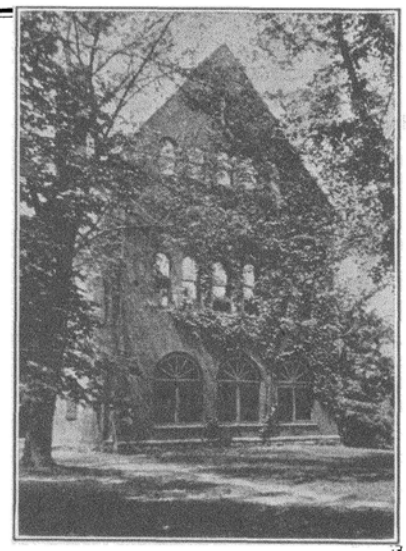

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