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TO START ALUMNI FUND.

Measures Adopted at a Meeting of Representative Cornellians to Establish a General Fund for Benefit of the University.

At a well attended meeting of representatives of several Cornell alumni organizations, held in President Schurman's office on Friday afternoon, steps were taken to establish for Cornell University an Alumni Fund. By means of similar funds the alumni of other institutions, notably Harvard, Princeton, Yale and Dartmouth, are very largely increasing the incomes and even the endowments of their colleges. The purpose of those who called the meeting was to provide for periodical contributions, large or small, by former students, for the support of the University.

The call was sent out on October 27 by the board of directors of the Associate Alumni. It read in part as follows:

"For several years the importance of arousing the interest of the alumni in support of the University and of securing from them some of the aid so greatly needed has been frequently discussed at the meetings of the general and local alumni associations, but as yet little has been accomplished. The publication of the new Ten-Year Book now gives a ready means of reaching many thousands of graduates and former students, hitherto inaccessible, and the Directors of the Associate Alumni believe that the time has come to make an earnest and systematic appeal for aid to all Cornellians, such as has been made, with great success, by Harvard, Yale and other universities to their alumni.

"At the last meeting of the directors it was resolved to issue a call for a conference, to be held in Ithaca, at which the following persons should be invited to be present: The officers and directors of the Associate Alumni, the members of the General Alumni Committee, the Class Secretaries, the President and a representation from the Trustees of the Uni-

versity, the Registrar of the University and Mr. Senior of the ALUMNI NEWS. This conference is called for the purpose of considering methods to be pursued for the prompt and efficient collection of the alumni fund and for such other business as is germane to the subject of aid to the University by its alumni and matriculates.

"At the request of the directors, President Schurman has designated Judge Hiscock, '75, and Mr. H. W. Sackett, '75, as representatives of the Trustees, and has kindly given the use of his office for the meeting."

THOSE PRESENT.

Those who met in President Schurman's office, besides the President himself and the others especially named in the call, were:

From the Associate Alumni: R. G. H. Speed, '71; G. W. Harris, '73; Mynderse Van Cleef, '74; H. D. Schenck, '82; E. H. Woodruff, '88; C. H. Hull, '86; J. H. Barr, '89; C. V. P. Young, '99, and H. B. Tibbetts, '04.

From the Association of Class Secretaries: C. L. Crandall, '72; Edwin Gillette, '73; J. H. Comstock, '74; E. L. Nichols, '75; C. B. Mandeville, '77; W. C. Kerr, '79; W. A. Finch, '80; H. H. Wing, '81; Luzerne Coville, '86; V. A. Moore, '87; W. W. Rowlee, '88; C. E. Treman, '89; Willard Austen, '91; C. D. Bostwick, '92; C. S. Northup, '93; G. N. Lauman, '97; C. H. Tuck, '06, and W. J. Dugan, '07.

From the Alumni General Committee: C. W. Wason, '76; J. H. Edwards, '88; Mrs. Mary Rogers Miller, '96; Jervis Langdon, '97; A. J. MacElroy, '98 (represented by J. P. Harris, '01); William Metcalf, jr., '01, and E. S. Shepherd, '02.

WHAT WAS DONE.

In brief, what the meeting did was this: A committee of forty, to be known as the Cornellian Council, was created, to have charge of the collection of the proposed fund and to be represented by a permanent secretary; this committee to be appointed

in the first instance by the University Board of Trustees; this committee to organize, adopt a constitution and by-laws and report to a committee of fourteen whose members were designated at the meeting.

JUDGE HISCOCK, CHAIRMAN.

The meeting was called to order by Mr. Speed, who briefly explained its purpose and called for nominations. On motion of Mr. Hull, Judge Hiscock was elected chairman, and on Mr. Austen's motion Mr. Tuck was made secretary.

Mr. Speed introduced Dr. Schenck, who told the result of inquiries he had made as to the methods used in the collection of similar funds elsewhere and the success of those methods.

Mr. Kerr supplemented what Dr. Schenck had said, describing in some detail various systems of collecting alumni funds. He said that the executive committee of the Cornell Association of Class Secretaries had gathered information regarding these systems and had drawn up, on the basis of the information thus obtained, a "plan for the establishment of a general fund for Cornell University." Printed copies of this plan were distributed among those in the room.

Mr. Woodruff read from the *Princeton Alumni Weekly* parts of a very recent report of the Committee of Fifty of Princeton University containing recommendations for broadening the scope of that committee and making it something more than a collection agency. He pointed out several new functions which that committee proposed to assume, notably the maintenance of an efficient press bureau for Princeton University and the encouragement of local alumni associations, and he thought that the Cornell committee should make its work quite as broad as that. He quoted with especial emphasis the following words: "We propose such an organization of the committee that it may supply the alumni with authoritative information upon University affairs; . . . that it may

provide a means of communication between graduates and undergraduates; . . . that it may maintain a discriminating press bureau; that it may encourage effective class organization, stimulate the efforts of local alumni associations and aid in the formation of new associations."

Mr. Kerr read and explained the plan proposed by the executive committee of the Association of Class Secretaries; and, on motion of Mr. Woodruff, that plan was taken up section by section. After long debate and considerable amendment, it was adopted, in substantially the following form:

THE PLAN ADOPTED.

1. The appointment by the Trustees of the University, after such conference with Cornellians as is deemed by the Trustees to be practicable, of a committee of forty, to be known as the Cornellian Council, thirty of whom shall be selected from matriculates of the thirty classes last graduated and ten at large.
2. The Council to be represented by a permanent secretary, at such a substantial salary as will enable him to devote his entire time to its work.
3. All remittances to be made direct to the Treasurer of the University, and no funds except expenses to be handled by the Council or by the Secretary.
4. The Secretary to have his office at such place as shall be designated by the Council and to perform such duties as may be assigned him by the Council.
5. The disposal of all funds to be made through the University Trustees, with due consideration of pending projects and such others as may be approved by the Council, subject always to the right of the donor to designate the purpose to which his subscription shall be applied.
6. Subscription to this fund to carry with it immunity from solicitation, so far as University projects are concerned.

REFERRED TO THE TRUSTEES.

It was voted to submit the action of the meeting to the Board of Trustees, through the alumni members of that board present, with a request that the board name the forty members of the Council. As a committee to which the Council is to report after organization Chairman Hiscock

appointed the seven directors of the Associate Alumni (Messrs. Woodruff, Schenck, Harris, Van Cleef, Speed, Franklin Matthews, '83, and S. E. Banks, '95) and these additional seven: Messrs. Kerr, Sackett, Senior, Metcalf, C. E. Treman, Edwards and Barr.

At its meeting on Saturday the Board of Trustees entrusted the selection of the Council members to the following committee: C. E. Treman, '89, chairman; President Schurman, H. W. Sackett, '75; W. H. French, '73, and H. L. Taylor, '88.

The only question on which there was radical difference of opinion in Friday's meeting was as to whether the secretary should have his office in Ithaca or in New York. After many arguments pro and con it was agreed to leave the decision of the question to the Council.

Mr. Northup read a letter from G. H. Marx, '93, recommending the matter of salaries to the attention of the meeting. The letter was ordered filed for reference to the Council.

President Schurman was invited to speak. He did so, briefly, expressing hearty sympathy with the purpose of the meeting.

ALUMNI GENERAL COMMITTEE.

The members of the Alumni General Committee who were in Ithaca met at Barnes Hall on Saturday morning. They were Messrs. Schenck, Shepherd, Metcalf and Wason and Mrs. Miller. They decided to send to all local associations represented in the committee, for discussion, a plan for raising a teachers' endowment fund. They decided also to submit to the associations the question whether or not the Associate Alumni should not be radically reorganized, so that all Cornellians, whether graduates or not, may be members of the general alumni association and so that that association may be brought into closer relation with the local organizations. The delegates will be asked to report at the committee's midwinter meeting.

Professor Edwin Emerson, who lived in Ithaca with his son, Alfred Emerson, then associate professor of classical archaeology, for several years in the early nineties, died in Tokio, Japan, on November 4. He was eighty-six years old. His youngest son, Edwin Emerson, jr., was a member of the class of '90.

DR. CORSON 80 YEARS OLD.

Friends Give Him a Loving Cup—Address of Dr. White.

Dr. Hiram Corson, professor of English literature, emeritus, became eighty years old on Friday, November 6. On that evening a loving cup was presented to him by his colleagues of the Faculty, a large number of whom met him at his home. The address of presentation was made by Dr. Andrew D. White, who spoke as follows:

"Dear and honored Professor:

"We come as a delegation from your friends and admirers to present most hearty congratulations and good wishes on your eightieth birthday.

"Those we represent form a wide circle, for it includes not only your colleagues past and present, and the long line of students from the foundation of Cornell University to the present hour, but a great body of those who both in other countries and in our own have learned from your books to love and revere you.

"For forty years your professor's chair has been a center of ennobling ideas, and for more than thirty years of this period there have radiated from your lecture room at Cornell University influences which have bettered and strengthened your students, your colleagues and the community at large.

"Nor has your work been merely academic. Your teachings have wrought profoundly at other centers of thought: wherever earnest men and women have gathered to study the most precious treasures of our literature, whether in the mother country or our own, you, by your voice or your writings, have been a power for good.

"Especially happy has been your teaching, both in itself and as an example. Having watched its development in this university, from its beginning until now, I cannot forbear expressing my joy as I reflect upon your influence as a scholar, a teacher, a public reader, and as exercising the subtle charm of illuminating and inspiring conversation. You have never favored pedantry. Your interpretations of the great masters of our literature have made them not mere dried specimens to be buried in note

books, but vitalizing forces ministering to what is best in the building of character. Your commentaries have resulted not merely from minute studies of verbal niceties, but far more from broad surveys of general literature, ancient and modern: living studies for living men and women.

"In remembrance of this day and of what it represents, I am empowered by your friends here assembled and by a large number who are unable to be with us, to present to you this loving cup. It testifies to the respect, the admiration and the affection of us all, and we beg your acceptance of it in the hope that during many years to come, in your ripe old age, it may remind you of those who feel themselves deeply indebted to you and assure you of their deep and lasting gratitude."

Ex-President White is 76.

Dr. Andrew D. White was seventy-six years old on Saturday, November 7. He did not observe the birthday in any formal manner. At the meeting of the Board of Trustees on that day and at the President's luncheon to the members of the Board Dr. White was made to know that the anniversary was not passing unnoticed by his friends.

The Farmers' Commission, of which Director L. H. Bailey is chairman, expects to spend the coming month in a tour of the country. Starting in Maryland this week, the commission visits towns in Virginia, North and South Carolina and Georgia. It plans to be in Knoxville, Tenn., on Friday, and in Lexington, Ky., on Saturday. Next week the party will leave Washington for the Southwest, and it will visit the Pacific coast States before returning east.

The Cosmopolitan Club has bought land, on which it hopes within a year to begin the building of a house, in the section of Ithaca known as Bryant Park. This section lies between Linden avenue (Hazen street) and the East Ithaca railway station. It is now a vacant stretch of land, but has recently been plotted with a view to its development as a residence district.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.

The Matters of Salaries, Halls of Residence for Students, and Laboratories.

President Schurman's annual report covering the college year 1907-08 was presented to the Board of Trustees on Saturday. He renews several urgent recommendations contained in former reports, among them being increase of salaries for members of the teaching staff, halls of residence for students, a new armory and a new chemical laboratory. Of salaries he says in part:

"In other Reports attention has been called to the fact that professorial salaries have not advanced with the increase in the cost of living. This replenishment of the ranks of the instructing staff with junior teachers on small salaries and the failure to provide suitable salaries for the men of professorial rank, are menacing the dignity, importance and attractiveness of the teaching profession in America. If intellect is to be well trained in America there must be tangible evidence that the public set a fair value on highly educated men. Otherwise the best brains of the country will be lost to the teaching profession. As Burke has well said, 'the degree of estimation in which any profession is held becomes the standard of the estimation in which the professors hold themselves.' Hence it is scarcely an exaggeration to assert that the provision in Colonel Vilas' magnificent bequest to the University of Wisconsin for the establishment of certain professorships with salary of not less than \$8,000 each, will, if it becomes at once effective, mark an epoch in the development of a proper standard for the estimation of professors in the United States.

HALLS OF RESIDENCE.

Of the needs of Cornell's students the President says:

"On the physical, economic and social sides the University has done far too little for the thousands of young men who come to it for instruction. Elsewhere in this report the President has described in some detail the provisions which have been made for the young women who reside in Sage College and Sage Cottage, and aside from the fact that

even these buildings cannot accommodate more than half of the women enrolled, the Trustees may well feel that in this respect they have left little to be desired. But a vastly larger number of young men—indeed all except the comparatively few whom the fraternities house—are still compelled to find room and board where they can about the city and for the most part in boarding and lodging houses built and operated by private individuals with a view single to the income which they derive therefrom.

"Over these private establishments the University can obviously exercise no control or supervision whatever, thus losing one of the most effective means of safeguarding the health and the social, moral and physical well-being of the undergraduate body, while the disadvantages from an educational and even disciplinary standpoint arising from the fact that so large a majority of the students are so widely scattered under so many different roofs, are at once appreciable when it is considered what effective forces would be at work for the promotion of healthy social intercourse, solidarity, and the crystallization of student public opinion, were all these young men brought together under common roofs and at common tables.

"But it is not merely a social question, nor even an educational question alone. The rapid growth of the student body, a growth which has far exceeded the extension of student lodging facilities in the city—and as this report goes to press the President is in receipt of figures indicating a large increase in the registration for the coming year—has created an economic problem of the gravest consequence and one which strikes at the very root of that democracy of which the University has always been so justly proud. All recognize, of course, that the cost of living has substantially advanced during the last decade, and it should be stated in fairness that perhaps the advance in the price of table board which the students now have to pay as compared with earlier years only reflects this general condition. But quite aside from this the charges imposed upon students for rentals in these private lodging houses have been forced by peculiar local conditions up a level altogether disproportionate

tionate to the general advance in the cost of living.

"Cornell has long held the proud name of 'The People's University,' endeavoring always to minister in terms of higher education to every legitimate need of the people of the State and nation, and it would be unfortunate, indeed, and a sad check to one of the noblest ambitions of its Founder, if for any reason the opportunities which it affords should be denied to any one who is physically and mentally fitted to pursue and profit by its instruction. But there is danger of this very result if some provision is not made soon for the proper housing of the young men of the University under conditions that will afford them the ordinary conveniences of life at moderate and reasonable cost.

"In failing to provide halls of residence for these thousands of young men the University, however unintentionally or unavoidably, is fostering a monopoly which imposes great financial hardship upon its students. And, though the President has referred to the matter again and again both in his annual reports and in his public utterances, he repeats with renewed and added emphasis the statement that no friend of the University could render it a greater or more lasting service than to make possible the establishment of a system of residential halls on the campus such as was described in the President's Report for 1906-1907 (pp. 14-17)."

The President's summing up is as follows:

NEEDS.

"The needs of the University have already been mentioned in connection with the different topics embraced in this Report. First and foremost let it be repeated, however, that an endowment for the augmentation of the present low salaries of professors and instructors, who are the vital and energizing soul of any university, is the greatest need of Cornell University, and next to it comes the need of a system of residential halls and commons for the students. After these in order of importance, though equally urgent for the conduct of the work of the University, must be mentioned the need of a general assembly hall capable of accommodating the entire student body. A new and greatly en-

larged armory, a new laboratory for veterinary clinics, a new testing and experimental laboratory in civil engineering, new machine shops in mechanical engineering, and an enlargement of the chemical laboratory, if not an entirely new establishment. To these should be added provisions for the endowment of research and investigation in the fields of physical science and humane culture.

"The great increase in the number of students taking work in chemistry has created serious embarrassment. Students desirous of electing the work this year were in some cases excluded from the laboratory for the reason that it was already overcrowded and if the attendance of students in the University increases in 1908-1909, an appreciable number of them may find it impossible to secure instruction in chemistry, even though that subject be part of their prescribed curriculum, as it is, for example, in Agriculture and Engineering and to some extent in Arts also. The one effective remedy is a new building for the department. Morse Hall, which is now devoted to chemistry, would then be available for the relief of the Engineering Colleges. A new chemical laboratory entirely adequate for the purpose would cost from \$300,000 to \$400,000. The site for it is undoubtedly the area north of Reservoir avenue and east of East avenue, at the centre of which stands the house now occupied by the President of the University.

"To men and women of wealth who seek investments for their surplus capital which shall further the highest ends of civilization, and to the people and legislature of the State of New York who are already so deeply committed to the support of the work which Cornell University is endeavoring to do for the intellectual and scholastic interests of the State, the President earnestly appeals for aid to enable the University to continue, enlarge and improve its work in response to the increasing needs and the growing demands of the new century and the rising generation."

Professor J. P. Bretz of the department of American history is the hypothetical President of the United States by election of the Cornell Congress.

CORNELL 6; AMHERST, 0.

'Varsity Outplayed in the First Half—Weakness Revealed in the Line.

By the hardest kind of work in the second half the 'varsity eleven succeeded in defeating Amherst on Saturday by a score of 6 to 0. Cornell was outplayed in the first half, making a first down only twice. Amherst's plunging backs battered big holes in the line, and but for the failure of a forward pass near Cornell's 25-yard mark the visitors might have scored. Their advantage was lessened also by Walder's strong punting and the efficiency of Cornell's ends. It is to be said for Cornell that the team used only straight football throughout the game.

The line-up:

CORNELL		AMHERST
Hurlburt	l. e.	Keogh
Leventry	l. t.	Kilbourn
Cosgrove	l. g.	Buck
Wight	c.	Pinkett
Bell	r. g.	Siegrist
O'Rourke	r. t.	Kooyunjian
MacArthur	r. e.	Madden
Gardner	q. b.	Abele
Tydeman	l. h.	Blades
Hutchinson	r. h.	Gray
Walder	f. b.	Smith
Touchdown—Walder. Goal from touchdown—Gardner. Substitutions—Cornell: McCollum for Bell, Shearer for Hutchinson, Crosby for MacArthur, Mowe for Tydeman, Pope for Walder, O'Hara for Gardner, Bayer for Hurlburt, Pavak for Leventry, Corman for McCollum, Wood for O'Hara; Amherst: Atwood for Blades, Fitts for Abele, Brown for Pinkett, Pinkett for Kilbourn. Referee—Sharp of Yale. Umpire—Langford of Trinity. Field judge—Risley of Colgate. Head linesman—C. V. P. Young of Cornell. Time of halves—25 minutes.		

FIRST HALF.

Cornell defended the west goal. Captain Walder caught the kick-off on the 5-yard line and covered fifteen yards before he was downed. After a failure to gain, Walder punted to Blades on Cornell's 50-yard line. Blades and Kilbourn made fifteen yards, but the distance was lost by a penalty for offside play, and Blades punted to Gardner on Cornell's 25-yard line. Again Cornell was unable to gain, and Walder punted to Blades on Cornell's 45-yard line. Amherst was penalized five yards for offside play and tried an onside kick, which Gardner intercepted on Cornell's 40-yard line. Tydeman tried the end without gain and Walder made a fifty-yard punt to Abele, who

regained only five yards, being downed on Amherst's 25-yard line. Gray could make but a yard and Blades punted. Gardner fumbled and Buck recovered the ball for Amherst in midfield. Gray made nine yards through the line, but Amherst was penalized fifteen. Punts were exchanged, Walder having the better of the exchange, and Amherst got the ball on her own 28-yard line. Here the visitors began a steady advance toward Cornell's goal. A line plunge, an end run and a forward pass took the ball to Amherst's 50-yard line and another forward pass to Keogh netted twenty-eight yards. Kilbourn gained six yards and Gray put the ball on Cornell's 24-yard line. A forward pass, however, was spoiled, O'Rourke getting the ball for Cornell, and after Hutchinson had tried Amherst's right end for no gain Walder punted out of danger. MacArthur nailed Abele on Amherst's 45-yard line. McCollum took Bell's place at right guard. Amherst's rushes were stopped and Blades punted to Gardner, who was downed, after a run of ten yards, on Cornell's 20-yard line.

Hutchinson could make but three yards and Walder punted. MacArthur tackled Blades before he could get started on Cornell's 52-yard line. More line bucking and a fake forward pass took the ball to Cornell's 35-yard line, where Blades tried to kick a field goal but failed. Gardner brought the ball back to the 25-yard line. Again Cornell tried to circle the end but lost three yards and Walder punted to Gray, who was downed in his tracks on Amherst's 45-yard line. Gray made five yards and Blades seven more, but on the next play the Cornell line held. An onside kick was recovered by Gardner at Cornell's 32-yard line. Walder, on a fake kick, gained thirteen yards, the first time that Cornell had been able to make first down. Hutchinson could add but two yards. Gardner's onside kick went to Blades, who punted, and Gardner got the ball in midfield. Walder bucked center for five yards and a forward pass to MacArthur was good for sixteen more, but time was up. Score: Cornell, 0; Amherst, 0.

SECOND HALF.

Shearer displaced Hutchinson.

Cosgrove kicked off to the 5-yard line and Smith got back fifteen yards. Blades could not gain and punted to Gardner, who came back twelve yards to Amherst's 47-yard line. Walder gained four yards, Shearer three more, and Walder painfully made it first down on Amherst's 35-yard line. Shearer lost two yards, but on a forward pass he gained twelve. Walder gained three and Shearer lost three. With the ball on the 25-yard line Walder tried a field goal but failed. Blades punted out from the 25-yard line and Gardner came back twelve yards to Amherst's 45-yard mark. Walder made six yards, but Tydeman could not gain, and Walder again tried and again missed a goal from the field. Blades again punted out and Tydeman's twenty-yard run brought the ball back to Amherst's 45-yard mark. Shearer made three yards, but holding cost Cornell fifteen. Walder punted out of bounds. Amherst could not gain from her 35-yard line and punted. Shearer came back fifteen yards to Amherst's 50-yard line. At that point Cornell began a deter-

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Our selections from the President's Report for this number do not comprise all that we intend to print. Other portions of the Report will be printed next week.

THE COLLEGES.

The efforts of Columbia alumni to establish a preparatory school which shall be a "feeder" to the college on Morningside Heights throw a curious though not altogether novel side-light upon the American manner of choosing one's alma mater. Our young men do not compare Harvard's courses in geometry with Columbia's; neither do their parents investigate the discipline or the personalities at Cornell and Amherst. It is the academy teacher who moulds his pupils' tastes and prejudices, making them love one color of sweater and despise all others. And, as the scion is bent, so the paterfamilias inclines. Thus it comes about that Columbia grad-

uates, and even officers of the university, let their sons sit on alien grand stands and shout the enemy's battle-cry. Such proselyting among infants as Columbia would engage in will be deemed necessary so long as the practice is general and all colleges compete for the largest enrollment, the finest gymnasium and the fattest endowment. Were several prominent schools to drop out of this game, were they to let students seek them out for their attractive curriculum and wholesome atmosphere, both faculty and learners would be benefited by the change, and there would be an appreciable gain in dignity, too.—*New York Evening Post.*

Few colleges are to-day competing for "the largest enrolment," the "finest gymnasium" or "the fattest endowment." Almost every university in America is trying in one way or another to increase its funds, simply because almost every one of them has had to increase its faculty and equipment enormously in recent years to keep pace with the number of its students. This growth in enrolment has been fairly uniform among many institutions, and it has been wholly out of proportion to any deliberate effort on the part of the colleges to swell their rolls. That more young men know the value of a university training and that more can afford it than could formerly do so has been a good thing for the universities, but it has added to their burdens. So far as Cornell University is concerned, the phrase "attractive curriculum and wholesome atmosphere" exactly describes the appeal and the only appeal that this University has ever made for students: a curriculum attractive of the man who knows in a general way what he wants and an atmosphere genial to his self-development. That this is also the ideal of Columbia, as of universities in general, we have no reason to doubt. And we can see nothing inconsistent with this ideal in the Columbia plan to establish a preparatory school to which Columbia graduates may send their sons. It is, presumably, not so much the winning of these sons that Columbia seeks as it is the strengthening of the bonds that bind her graduates to their *alma mater*. Graduate loyalty is an asset which colleges nowadays are compelled to husband.

PHILADELPHIA NOTICES.

CORNELL CLUB.

28 South Mole Street,
Philadelphia.

There will be a meeting of the Club and a smoker at the Club Rooms on Saturday, November 14, at 8 P. M. Come and get your Cornell spirit in shape for Thanksgiving Week.

FOOTBALL TICKETS.

Tickets for the Thanksgiving game will be on sale at the Club on November 23, 24 and 25, from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m. and 7:30 to 9:30 p. m. on November 23 and 24. Applications filed and filled in order received. Maximum of six tickets to each Cornellian. Include postage and registry fee, if tickets are to be mailed. No tickets will be mailed before November 23. Draw checks to order of Cornell Club of Philadelphia. Seats, \$2.00; box seats, \$2.50.

CONCERT.

There will be a joint concert of the Cornell and Pennsylvania Musical Clubs at the Bellevue-Stratford on Wednesday, November 25, at 8 p. m. Tickets will be mailed from Ithaca to Cornellians in the vicinity of Philadelphia. These tickets will be exchangeable for reserved seats at the Club on November 23 and 24, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. and 7:30 and 9:30 p. m., and on the 25th from 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

C. J. RAMSBURG,
Secretary.

Pittsburg Club Election.

The Cornell Club of Western Pennsylvania held a meeting in Pittsburg on Saturday evening, October 31, for the election of officers. William Metcalf, jr., '01, was elected president of the club, Henry J. Miller, '07, vice-president, and W. H. Forbes, '06, secretary. The University of Pennsylvania alumni of Pittsburg were giving a smoker at the University Club that evening in honor of the football team of their university. They invited the Cornell men to join them and the invitation was accepted.

A second series of games for the Beahan interclass football trophy is to be played, beginning next Saturday.

AT WORK IN BROOKLYN.

Local Association Hears a Talk on Live Topics--To Print a Directory.

The Cornell Association of Brooklyn held its first meeting of the season at the clubhouse of the University Club of Brooklyn, Lafayette avenue and South Oxford street, on Thursday evening, October 29. The attendance was small, partly because the evening was very stormy. Twenty-one enjoyed an informal dinner, after which a short business session was held. Dr. John L. Moffat presided.

Dr. Herbert D. Schenck, who is the association's representative on the Alumni General Committee, and who is a member of the Board of Directors of the Associate Alumni, gave a talk on the question of an alumni fund. He outlined the steps that had been taken to start a permanent money-getting system among the former students of the University. Dr. Schenck also spoke in behalf of the committee on the fund for the improvement of Fall Creek Gorge, of which committee he is chairman. Pictures sent down by Professor Rowlee were passed around among the members. These pictures showed the work done with the money forwarded by Brooklyn Cornellians. The Association intends to push its part of the work rapidly.

This organization also proposes shortly to issue a directory with the names and addresses of all the local Cornell men. There are some 600 of them in Brooklyn and on Long Island.

Those who attended the meeting were Dr. John L. Moffat, '73; W. L. Sprague, '73; Dr. Herbert D. Schenck, '82; William A. Moss crop, '88; George W. Conable, '90; Thomas B. Spence, '90; John L. Senior, '01; S. G. Koon, '02; Richardson Webster, '02; Herbert A. Donovan, '03; R. P. Morse, '03; J. A. Campbell, '04; F. C. Pitcher, '05; E. C. Welch, '05; Salmon Whitcomb, '05; B. S. Coe, '06; Percy Murchie, '06; Carlton P. Johnson, '06; Otto E. Hilmer, '07; Charles L. Mulligan, '07; Elmer I. Thompson, '09, and F. D. Williams, '03.

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FOOTBALL.

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mined effort to score, with the following result: Tydeman five yards, Walder ten and first down; Tydeman eight yards, Walder seven and first down; Shearer nine yards, Walder three and first down; Tydeman two yards, Walder two, Walder four and a touchdown. Gardner kicked goal. Score: Cornell, 6; Amherst, 0. Walder was exhausted after almost every play, but he refused to leave the field till after the touchdown, when Pope took his place. Mowe was substituted for Tydeman. Blades had been knocked out in one of the scrimmages and Atwood had taken his place. O'Hara went in for Gardner, Bayer for Hurlburt and Pavak for Leventry. Mowe and Madden had a punting duel in which the Cornell man ultimately gained an advantage. From Cornell's 40-yard line Pope and Shearer gained twenty yards. Mowe's punt at that point was fumbled, and Corman, who had taken McCollum's place at right guard, recovered the ball on Amherst's 15-yard line. It looked as if there would be another score, but the ball was lost on a fumble. Madden punted, but a twenty-yard run by Shearer took the ball back within twenty yards of Amherst's goal. Two successive penalties for holding, however, took away Cornell's chances for another score. An onside kick gave Amherst the ball on her 20-yard mark, and Atwood and Gray had gone through Cornell's line for forty yards when time was called.

BRACING THE LINE.

During the whole week preceding the Amherst game Larkin and Earle were unaided in the coaching except by Halliday and he was ill all the week. Cornell's graduate coaching system fell down badly. No complaints have been heard from any of the three coaches in Ithaca, but it is known that they have been trying their best for ten days past to get help, being well aware that the team needed more attention at this time than they could possibly give it unassisted. They have succeeded in arranging to have two or three more men on hand all this week. The field coaches refuse to talk about the matter and profess to be satisfied with the way things are going, but the

failure to provide early in the season for this critical period cannot be regarded as creditable to the graduate system of coaching. The defects in the line shown by the Amherst game will, however, be remedied this week.

Saturday's Football Scores.

Harvard 17; Indians 0.
Yale 10; Brown 10.
Dartmouth 10; Princeton 6.
Pennsylvania 34; Lafayette 4.
Colgate 6; Syracuse 0.
Annapolis 30; Villanova 6.
West Point 6; S. T. S. 5.
Williams 0; Vermont 0.
Trinity 42; Wesleyan 0.
Michigan 62; Kentucky State 0.
Pittsburg 11; W. Va. 0.

Football Schedule.

Oct. 3, Hamilton, 11—0.
Oct. 1, Oberlin, 23—10.
Oct. 17, Colgate, 9—0.
Oct. 24, Univ. of Vermont, 9—0.
Oct. 31, Penn. State, 10—4.
Nov. 7, Amherst, 6—0.
Nov. 14, Chicago at Chicago.
Nov. 21, Trinity at Ithaca.
Nov. 26, Univ. of Penn. at Phila.

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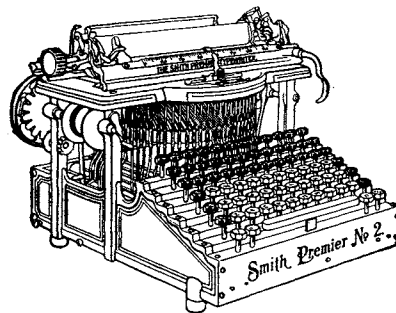
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Mr. Hoy Takes a Vacation.

Registrar David F. Hoy sailed for Europe on Saturday, having been "directed" by the executive committee of the Board of Trustees to take a vacation. Mr. Hoy worked very hard in editing the Ten-Year Book just published, attending at the same time to the work of the Registrar's office. He was known to have formed the habit of doing without vacations; hence the mandatory form of his leave of absence. He left Ithaca on Thursday evening, planning to sail from Philadelphia on board the steamship Merion for Liverpool. He expects to spend two months in the British Isles and the Continent. In his absence Professor Tanner will be acting Registrar.

Meeting of the Trustees.

The regular fall meeting of the University Board of Trustees was held on Saturday. It was a long session, lasting all day, with an interval for luncheon. The reports of the President, the Treasurer and the Appropriation Committee were acted upon.

The following members of the

board from out of town were present: W. C. Kerr, R. T. Morris, W. H. French, Emerson McMillin, Miss Ruth Putnam, H. W. Sackett, J. H. Edwards, H. L. Taylor, R. A. Pearson, J. H. Barr, G. C. Boldt, F. H. Hiscock, H. H. Westinghouse, A. H. Sewell and F. E. Dawley.

Upperclass Committees.

President Couison of the senior class has appointed his committees. Adrian V. S. Lindsley, Nashville, Tenn., is chairman of the senior ball committee; Walter L. Todd, Rochester, of the senior banquet committee; C. W. Fulton, Washington, D. C., of the class day committee; E. I. Bayer, Toledo, O., of the general committee; H. I. Seely, Spencer, of the cap and gown committee, and L. G. Hallberg, jr., Evanston, Ill., of the senior stunt committee. President Hurlburt of the junior class has appointed committees with these chairmen: general committee, H. C. Young, Batavia; junior promenade, G. F. Pond, Rochester; junior smoker, Stanton Griffis, Ithaca; junior feed, Richard Knibloe, Buffalo; ice carnival, A. J. Whinary, East Orange, N. J.

Course of Lectures by Graduates of the Department of Chemistry.

The Department of Chemistry has arranged for a course of lectures upon industrial chemistry, to be given during the present year by recent graduates of the department.

The course will be opened by J. E. Teeple, Ph. D., '03, of New York city. Dr. Teeple is a chemical engineer and during the five years that he has been engaged in outside practice he has had wide and varied experience with many processes of chemical manufacturing. He will deliver five lectures in the first week of December upon the preparation and handling of chemicals on a large scale. Later in the year Dr. Teeple will deliver three other groups of lectures, one upon sulphuric acid, another upon the manufacture and uses of "heavy chemicals," and the last upon special topics, such as wood distillation, the manufacture of paper, the recovery of materials and the value of the chemist to the manufacturer.

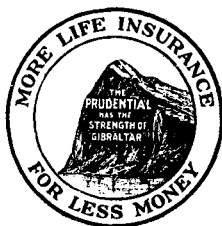
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Cornell Runners Defeat Yale.

The 'varsity' cross-country team defeated the Yale seven in a dual meet at New Haven last Wednesday. Cornell's score was 22 and Yale's 37. Captain Young of Cornell crossed the finish line first. Close behind him was his team-mate Taylor. The rest of the Cornell runners finished in the following positions: Bean fourth, Brown seventh, Jones eighth, Bogart ninth and Grant tenth. Vilas of Yale was third, Spitzer fifth, Lightner sixth, Mann eleventh and Wood twelfth. The first five men of each team were counted in the score. This was the second Yale-Cornell dual 'cross-country' meet, the first, also won by Cornell, having been held at Ithaca in 1899.

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'03, M. E.—The marriage of Oran W. Ott to Annie V. Luff, daughter of Major and Mrs. Edmund Luff, of Oak Park, Ill., took place at Grace Episcopal Church in Oak Park on October 28. Among those present were Paul S. Rattle, '05; H. C. Carroll, '03; S. R. Edwards, '03; H. Edmund Luff, '04, and Robert Cooper, '08. Mr. and Mrs. Ott will make their home in Salt Lake City, Utah, where he is employed as chief draftsman in the motive power department of the Oregon Short Line Railroad.

'03, A. B.; '06, Ph. D.—Announcement is made of the engagement of Dr. George H. Sabine, instructor in

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'04, M. E.—Lewis E. Meeker, jr., has removed from Plainfield, N. J., to 6 St. Francis place, Brooklyn, N. Y.

'07, M. E.—Henry J. Miller has changed his address to 625 Clyde street, Pittsburg, Pa., having been transferred to the sales department of the Carnegie Steel Company.

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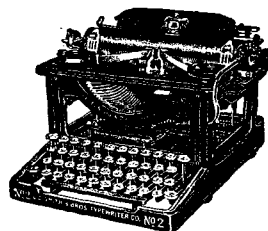


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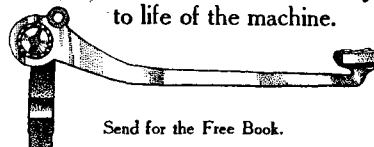
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