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WHAT THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI IS

ITS RELATION TO THE UNIVERSITY AND TO THE ALUMNI

Few of our alumni realize that the Associate Alumni of Cornell University was the first of all the various Cornell clubs and associations established. Born in the early years of the University, it has been for nearly fifty years the only general and national Cornell alumni association.

The Associate Alumni automatically includes in its membership all the thirty thousand students who have attended Cornell, graduates and non-graduates. Its membership also includes all the active Cornell clubs scattered throughout the world. Essentially it is "The Alumni Association," the entire body of former students of the University. Although one of its chief obligations is the election of two trustees each year, its field is everything that concerns the University in any manner. The way to become an active member is to pitch right in and help. Join your local club (all Cornell clubs are virtually branches of the Associate Alumni) or, if you are in a city where there is no club, write the secretary in Ithaca to help you enroll in the club nearest you.

Each local club should have a "Committee on Associate Alumni Affairs." Such a committee keeps in touch with the secretary of the Associate Alumni and with the chairman of the Associate Alumni Committee on local clubs, and in this way is obtained co-operative effort of all local clubs, and through them, of a large part of the body of Cornell alumni.

Through these local clubs we are:

- (1) Keeping alumni in touch with Cornell.
- (2) Persuading increasing numbers of the right kind of students to go to Cornell.
- (3) Obtaining alumni opinion on matters concerning the University.
- (4) Keeping alumni in touch with the management of athletics.
- (5) Keeping alumni of the same locality, and of different localities, in touch with each other.

The association plans to hold a convention of all alumni in May or October of each year, each convention in a different city. In this way, Trustees, Faculty, and Alumni will have an opportunity to get together and discuss matters affecting the University and of particular interest to alumni. These conventions will allot plenty of time for social reunions, golf, tennis, etc., and, because of their human interest will undoubtedly be largely attended. Similar annual conventions of Harvard, Yale, and Princeton alumni have been for many years productive of excellent results. For 1919, however, to avoid conflict with the Semi-Centennial Celebration in Ithaca in June, there will be no convention, but instead, and as a part of the celebration, a general alumni gathering with many attractive features will be held on Alumni Day, June 21, in Ithaca.

FORTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI

The forty-seventh annual meeting of the Associate Alumni of Cornell University was held in Barnes Hall on May 18, 1918, with President Nicholas H. Noyes, '06, in the chair.

The report of the Board of Directors was read by President Noyes. This report is given in full in this pamphlet.

The report of retiring Trustee Cuthbert W. Pound, '87, was read, in the absence of Judge Pound, by R. W. Sailor, '07. The text is given elsewhere in this pamphlet. There was but one Trustee's report this year instead of the usual two, because of the death of Trustee Franklin Matthews, '83.

The Treasurer, W. W. Macon, '98, was unable to be present, and his report was unavoidably delayed. The secretary presented an informal report, however, that the expenses of the year were not in excess of the appropriation of \$700 provided from the Alumni Fund for the association's use, and the informal report was accepted with the understanding that a more detailed report should be filed and published in the *Alumni News*.

The Secretary also read a report from the Finance Committee, of which R. H. Treman, '78, is chairman, that the amendment had been adopted by the committee after careful consideration and that it saw no objection to incorporating in it the changes proposed by the Cornell Club of New England.

Professor H. N. Ogden, '89, chairman of the Committee on Elections, reported that the votes for Alumni Trustee had been canvassed and that Cuthbert W. Pound, '87, and John L. Senior, '01, had received sufficient votes to elect them. The president declared them elected and instructed the secretary so to notify them and to announce their elections to the secretary of the Board of Trustees.

The secretary read the report of the Nominating Committee, E. T. Foote, '06, chairman, which was adopted. The list of officers and directors is given in full on a later page.

The financial amendment to the by-laws, given elsewhere in detail, was then considered. President Noyes outlined the history of the amendment, after which Director N. J. Weldgen, '05, read the final draft of the changes, a modification of both the original amendment and the changes proposed by the Cornell Club of New England, as finally approved by the Board of Directors. Comments on the proposals were made by Dr. H. P. de Forest, '84, E. L. Stevens, '99, and C. H. Blood, '88. The substitute amendment was then unanimously adopted.

E. L. Stevens, '99, who had been re-elected president of the Cornellian Council that morning, reported informally that the Council's work had been badly interfered with by the death of its former president, Franklin Matthews, which followed by two weeks the entry into the Signal Corps of its secretary, Harold Flack, '12. Mr. Stevens told of the good work of the former officers in increasing subscriptions and in broadening the scope of the Council's work. He reported that the Council had been able to report receipts of \$52,000 to date, a sum slightly in excess of the receipts for the entire fiscal year 1916-1917.

Director W. G. Ogden, '01, representing the Cornell Club of New England, then presented a resolution, which asks that each local club appoint a standing Committee on Associate Alumni Affairs for the better handling of matters of general alumni interest. The resolution was adopted.

Two of the directors then spoke briefly of the difficulties with which the local clubs have had to contend since the declaration of war. J. P. Dods, '08, of the Chicago Club, emphasized the importance of a strong alumni organization to help the University and urged all clubs to keep going in spite of all difficulties. J. P. Harris, '01, of the Cleveland club, made a plea to the clubs to enlist their older men in club work, to take up the burden laid down by the younger men now serving the country.

All motions at this meeting were carried without a dissenting vote. The list of delegates and alternates prepared by the credentials committee was therefore not consulted beyond ascertaining the presence of a quorum. Representatives of approximately twenty clubs, and a total of over sixty individuals, were present at the meeting.

ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI OF ITS BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Presented at the Annual Meeting on May 18, 1918, by President
Nicholas H. Noyes, '06

In many respects the past year has been the most unusual in the University's existence and consequently the most unusual the Associate Alumni has experienced. Thousands of graduates have joined the colors, thus reducing the membership in local alumni clubs in some cases to fifty per cent of the normal membership. As the younger alumni are in most cases the more active, this great change has made work among alumni and alumni clubs much more difficult than ever before. Many local clubs have practically ceased existing because of the large number of officers and members who have gone into service.

But regardless of all this, there are perhaps some small achievements to which we can point with much interest, and which are worthy, considering the difficulties under which they have been accomplished. The foremost, probably, is the new plan of financing the Associate Alumni, which we hope will be adopted immediately. This plan has been worked out by some of Cornell's most able Trustees, after mature consideration and consultation with the Trustees, the Cornellian Council, and the Association of Class Secretaries.

The need for the change has resulted from the fact that the Associate Alumni has in recent years depended for its support upon some other organization, a dependance which is in principle unsound. Moreover, the Cornellian Council has very great need of all the funds it can get together and should not be asked to contribute \$500 to \$1000 a year to support the Associate Alumni. If the delegates from alumni clubs and the members of the association here to-day will approve this proposed plan, the Associate Alumni will be on a firm financial foundation and will be supported as we think it should be supported, by the various alumni clubs, which almost exclusively compose its membership and almost entirely control its activities.

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY UNION

Another accomplishment of the year is the very substantial financial support we have given the American University Union. The committee appointed by your president, with Professor Sampson as chairman to act in behalf of the

Associate Alumni and the Cornellian Council jointly, has raised through its own efforts and through local clubs' co-operation with it, the sum of \$6,194.50, which has been turned over to the Cornell Bureau of the American University Union.

There has also been during the past year a closer co-operation in spirit and in activity with the Cornellian Council than for some years past. This is as it should be and decidedly works for the best interests of both organizations. The Associate Alumni can be of much help to the Council in its efforts to raise funds.

THE UNIVERSITY WAR RECORDS

At our directors' meeting last October we took action requesting the University authorities to see that complete and accurate war records were compiled. Our association has been co-operating in every possible way with Secretary Patterson and his splendid efforts have resulted in records and statistics which we believe will be the equal in accuracy and completeness of those of any university in the country.

LOCAL CLUB WORK

There has been during the past year a division of the local club committee work for the first time. This work has been greatly handicapped by the great loss in membership of the various local clubs, due to the war, but we believe that the separation of local clubs into geographical divisions with a sub-chairman for each division, and having under him the officers of the various local clubs in his division, will result in our keeping much more closely in touch with local clubs than ever before, and in our being able to accomplish much more,—both for their good and the good of Cornell.

NEEDS OF THE ASSOCIATION

Publicity is the greatest need. Perhaps half of Cornell's alumni do not know what the Associate Alumni means and is. Through the *Alumni News*, through local clubs, through circulars and letters, through alumni meetings, and particularly through a pamphlet which we urge be provided for in next year's budget, giving a report of the association's activities for the year, the constitution and by-laws, officers, directors, committees, etc., to be sent out at second-class postage rates as a University publication to all alumni, we hope to show the alumni what this association is and stands for. We feel that we can make them realize that the Associate Alumni is the most efficient organization through which to get alumni ideas on University matters before the Trustees and Faculty and through which to keep up a spirit of loyalty to our Alma Mater.

The annual convention, which will be inaugurated surely, after the war is over, will be an immense help. It will shorten the distance between alumni and the University, bringing alumni clubs closely together, and keep up the good old Cornell spirit. It will be a place where alumni, Trustees, and Faculty can all meet on common ground.

The association also needs to have among its officers and directors and on its committees the strongest alumni Cornell has. We must constantly aim to build up the personnel. We must maintain the closest possible touch and co-operation with alumni clubs everywhere in order to get them to work as a unit for beneficial things such as, for instance, preparatory school luncheons, Cornell publicity,

scholarships in the University, etc., and so inspire them to look to the association for guidance in things Cornellian.

There is great need for strong constructive work to be done in building up local clubs and welding them into the association, but the greatest progress along this line cannot be made until the war is over.

PROSPECTS FOR NEXT YEAR

We hope when this meeting is over we shall be on a solid financial foundation. One of the great benefits of the new plan for financing the association is that all the local alumni clubs will contribute to it in proportion to their membership, and thus be more vitally interested than ever before. It is a well known truth that when a man pays for something he takes much more interest in it than if it comes to him without expense. As never before the local clubs will understand that they are a part of the Associate Alumni and that it is responsible to them.

We must during the next year encourage clubs everywhere to have their luncheons and dinners, at least to a reasonable extent, in order to keep the alumni bound more closely together and to the University. We must operate at a minimum of expense until the war is over because then an immense amount of constructive work for the University must be done, both financially, and building up the undergraduate body. We shall need at that time all the funds and all the vitality that we can command. After the war we must have not only more local clubs, but much more active local clubs, than in the past. This is one of the big tasks ahead of us. We must at all times assist to our utmost the Cornellian Council

CONDITION OF THE LOCAL CLUBS

We strongly advise the continuance of the geographical divisions of the local club work, because we believe that in this way we can get the clubs more completely and effectively organized to co-operate with the Associate Alumni. The plan has been followed by the Associated Harvard Clubs with good success for many years.

We have passed resolutions urging too that each local club appoint a committee on Associate Alumni work, and have requested our committee on local clubs to put this plan into execution and follow the matter up with the local clubs. This provides a means for us to get more closely into touch with local clubs than ever before, and to assist and guide them in their work for the University. This is a very important matter, for the Secretary's report to the Board of Directors indicates that about half of the eighty-odd local clubs are so inactive that they rarely, if ever, reply to a letter, or even to a telegram, and several others are really but partially active.

THE OLDER ALUMNI MUST HELP

In conclusion, we appeal to the older alumni to take up the yoke of active work for Cornell which so many of the younger men have had to lay down when they joined the colors. Cornell has need of her alumni more to-day than ever, and in the next few years her dependence on them will be much greater even than to-day. We must bring the University closer to us and to do this we must keep up the Cornell spirit. While the war lasts this will have to be done by the older men, who must, therefore, take a more active interest in the affairs of the local clubs.

TRUSTEE POUND'S REPORT

Made to the Associate Alumni by Judge Cuthbert W. Pound, '87, at the Annual Meeting, May 18, 1918

In making my report at the close of my term as Alumni Trustee, I shall endeavor to avoid vain repetitions and leave the statement of details largely to others, particularly to the President, the Cornellian Council, and the *Alumni News*.

The position of Trustee of Cornell University calls for all the attention that one is able to give to it. President Schurman, who has been our head for over a quarter of a century, is largely responsible for the conduct of University affairs, as he should be. He gives direction, but he also seeks guidance. He has great powers which could not be efficiently exercised by a large body of men brought together at infrequent intervals. He has the loyal support of the Board, but the Trustee who prefers dignity and nominal responsibility to effective work does so from choice and not because the President seeks to concentrate power in his own hands.

I thank you for the confidence that you have reposed in me, but I regret that very few have honored me with suggestions as to future conduct or criticisms of what has been done. I act in a representative capacity, to keep in touch with you and to keep you in touch with the needs of the University. To the Alumni Trustees should first be brought your questions, your doubts, your disapproval. Thus you assist us where we fail and encourage us where we succeed.

My associate Franklin Matthews, whose influence and usefulness on the Board were constantly growing, has recently joined the great majority, mourned by all who knew him and mourned most by those who knew him best. This gentle and genial democrat was a representative Cornellian and distinctively an Alumni Trustee. I have thought of him as typical of the "any person" whom Ezra Cornell had in mind when he founded this institution. He had not great wealth nor worldly state, but he gave generously of what he had in abundance, an intelligent love of Cornell. He had a message to the alumni which you have often heard from him, a message of your duty to care for and support your University according to your own dignity and honor.

President Schurman's wise policy has been to include the Faculties in his counsels and to seek their advice on current University matters. During my term the Board has been reorganized so that it transacts ordinary business through the three great committees of Finance, Buildings and Grounds, and General Administration. Three Faculty members now sit with the Board and on the committees and aid by their wisdom and experience in the solution of educational and administrative problems. Many and marked are the differences of opinion that arise in the meetings of the Board; yet harmony prevails and questions are as a rule settled without a division. The reason is plain: all seek to serve the University rather than their own ends. Alumni members who live outside of Ithaca come to these meetings with commendable regularity, often at great inconvenience to themselves. With the added responsibilities placed upon them,

they have manifested a greater willingness and desire to give their time and trained faculties to University matters. The Trustee who does no more than attend the Board meetings is a repository of knowledge of such affairs from whom special service may from time to time be demanded. The Board is now presided over by Chief Judge Hiscock, who has for many years served the University with untiring patience and unfailing tact.

THE UNIVERSITY'S PROBLEMS

The universities and colleges of the United States face two great problems,—how to render the most effective war service and how to meet the financial crisis due to reduced attendance. For the present, all other questions, no matter how important, must take an inferior place.

Cornell University was opened on October 7, 1868. Great plans were made for a worthy semi-centennial celebration in the coming fall, but they were abandoned as untimely even before the United States yielded to inexorable fate and entered the Great War. From a small and struggling college, the University has grown into a great institution with an annual income and expense of upwards of three million dollars. Its total registration in 1881 was only 384. In 1915 it was 7,143. The war has seriously reduced the attendance. It would reflect no credit upon us if we could say otherwise. The young men have gone from the lecture rooms and the laboratories to the camps and the battle line. We took at the silent halls of Oxford and Cambridge, of Toronto and McGill, and resolve that the example of our English and Canadian comrades shall never be a reproach to us. The principles for which Americans are fighting in Europe are the corner stone on which Cornell is built. They are enduring principles which may not perish from the earth. New difficulties arise as our onward rush of prosperity is halted by the rude clash of arms, difficulties to be met with courage and patriotism and serene faith in the future. This is no time to despair, to lower standards, or to cheapen the college degree or the dignity of the professorial office. The calendar has been adjusted to the exigency. The letter of the bond has not been insisted upon where the usual period of residence has been curtailed by entrance of students into military or naval service, but in the main the business of education goes on as usual. Already the Cornellian Council and the alumni in their Liberty Loan campaign have done commendable work in meeting the probably deficit.

CORNELL FOUNDED FOR SERVICE

Cornell was founded to aid the country to prepare for war as well as peace; to teach military science, mechanic arts, and agriculture. It was not founded to duplicate the work of the ancient schools of learning. The avowed purpose was "to promote the liberal and practical education of the industrial classes in the several pursuits and professions of life." The Land Grant Bill was passed during one of the most critical periods of the Civil War and the far-sighted men who endowed these colleges knew that the time would come when skill and experience in such practical things would count for national efficiency. As the years passed and an era of perpetual peace seemed to settle upon us, our required military drill became a reproach in the mouths of many even of our own household. The celerity with which our rivals took up the book of the soldier when the call to

arms came speaks highly for their unquestioned patriotism; but the present crisis reminds us that the profession of arms is always honorable, even when no danger threatens and its harsh discipline is accounted a tiresome interference with sports and pastimes, and warns us that war is no impromptu affair where early victory always rewards the gallant heart and the good cause.

Andrew D. White says in his Autobiography that it would be a source of calamity, possibly of catastrophe, if the educated men of the country, not being versed in military matters, were forced to leave the conduct of military affairs to men intellectually and morally their inferiors. The same is true of nations. The fine nations must not become pacific. Military instruction has been of untold value, not only in the training itself but for the unconscious spirit of manly courage and noble service which it develops. Cornell has been transformed into an adjunct of the War Department; its resources, physical and financial, have been freely tendered to the Government, state and national, as its best return for the aid and support which it has received. Students, alumni, and Faculty have rallied to the colors and to cognate national service.

READY FOR THE NEW AGE

A great, wonderful new age lies beyond the mighty conflict in which the world is now engaged, which Cornell has been preparing men and women to know and understand when it arrives. The University is ready for new occasions. It looks forward, not backward; is liberal, not iconoclastic; proceeding with caution to join the future with the past by slow and natural processes. Those who would seek to twist its course from the direction of its manifest destiny do not serve it well. Its true purpose is not and never has been the distinctive education of a class of wealth and social position. Culture is beautiful as the morning and it graces alike the engineer and the author; but culture alone, although it may separate our men and women into strata, is impotent, while science is productive. The schools of the future will be the great schools of science, amply endowed, teaching liberality of thought and usefulness of action, and the schools where law, history, and political science are taught, not as dreary abstractions, but in relation to the life of the nation and the individual. In such schools the idler and the amateur will have no place. Every Cornellian must be a missionary for that new upbuilding when the time comes.

TREASURER'S REPORT

To the Board of Directors of the Associate Alumni of Cornell University:

As treasurer of the Associate Alumni for the year 1917-1918 I beg to submit the following report:

There have passed through my hands to date memoranda and statements of expenditures on account of the Associate Alumni to be paid out of the Cornellian Council fund totaling \$261.29.

This sum compares with an average for the preceding four years of \$455. Thus the year's expenditures are about 57½ per cent. of the average for four years, but in the 1916-1917 year there were unusual expenditures on account of the convention which the war made it unwise later to hold. Altogether these

unusual expenditures amounted roughly to \$400, so that eliminating these special expenses for making a comparison, the average of the four years noted is \$350. This the year closing represents an expenditure of about 75 per cent. of that modified average.

A classification of the expenditures may be made as follows:

Stationery and supplies	\$58.60
Printing	32.00
Postage.	32.52
Secretary's expenses.	18.55
Clerical help, etc.	76.41
Telegrams	43.21
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Total.	\$261.29

Respectfully submitted,
W. W. MACON, Treasurer.

THE CORNELLIAN COUNCIL

The Cornellian Council was founded ten years ago as a result of the need felt for some official and permanent organization to obtain funds for Cornell from her alumni.

It is in no sense an alumni association. Its function is purely and solely to raise funds for Cornell—and in that it has been ably managed and most successful. The late Franklin Matthews, Trustee of the University, was for several years its President. The present head is Edward L. Stevens, '99.

During one or two recent years the Council, as a result of its regular solicitation and its special Liberty Bond campaigns, has turned over to the University as much as \$60,000 annually, although its normal contribution before the war was about \$30,000 to \$40,000 annually.

The Council works largely through the co-operation of the local Cornell clubs and it is in this local club work that the Associate Alumni can and will be of much help to it.

Every alumnus should co-operate with the Cornellian Council in its efforts to obtain a substantial yearly income to Cornell from her alumni. The object is not only worthy but necessary. The Secretary is

HAROLD FLACK,
Cornellian Council,
Ithaca, New York.

THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI IS STUDYING THE MATTER OF UNDER-GRADUATE SCHOLARSHIP

At a meeting of the Associate Alumni Board of Directors held at Buffalo on December 7, 1918, the directors requested the Association's Committee on University Affairs to make a careful study during the next five months of the matter of undergraduate scholarship. The committee was asked to find out what, if anything, can be done by alumni to help in keeping alive in the minds of Cornell undergraduates a sense of the worth of scholarship. The Association recognizes that

even the most conscientious and industrious faculty can not do much for students who enter college without any desire for intellectual pursuits. But if American opinion rates scholarship too low, university alumni, of all classes of persons, should appreciate the danger of its degradation and should seek all means of fostering the spirit of learning in the colleges. A Faculty committee two years ago made a report on the subject, offering suggestions to the Alumni, and the Faculty has recently adopted some of its recommendations. A copy of the report of the Faculty committee may be obtained on application to the Secretary of the University.

ASSOCIATE ALUMNI DIRECTORS ADVOCATE A SCHOOL OF COMMERCE AND BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

At the December meeting of the Board of Directors of the Associate Alumni, a resolution was unanimously adopted requesting the Trustees of the University to renew their serious consideration of the establishment of a school of commerce and business administration as soon as they think it practicable to do so. The directors of the association are aware that this subject has been investigated by a special committee of the Faculty, at the request of the Trustees, and that that committee reported that if such a school were to be established a special endowment would have to be provided. In their resolution the directors expressed the opinion that there was now a greater need than ever for such a school; and that whenever a substantial increase of the University's endowment fund becomes available, a part of it might well be appropriated to this purpose.

FINANCES OF THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI

Amendments to the financial by-laws of the Associate Alumni were unanimously adopted at the annual meeting on May 18, 1918. The provisions thus made make the Association self-supporting, by replacing its former support by the Cornellian Council's Alumni Fund with a per capita tax on the constituent clubs.

By the action taken at this meeting, Article IX, Section 35, which provides for financial support by the Alumni Fund collected by the Cornellian Council, now becomes void, and the new Section 35, given below, replaces it. A slight modification of Section 24 has also been made for the easier enforcement of Section 35.

The new provisions follow:

SECTION 35. BUDGET

The Treasurer shall present to the Board of Directors at their meeting during the Convention, or, in case the Convention is not held before June of any year, at the June meeting of the Board, a tentative budget of the Associate Alumni for the ensuing fiscal year. The Board shall adopt a final budget, which may include an item covering any deficit of a previous year, and assess the constituent clubs for such ensuing year the amounts necessary to meet such budget.

QUORUM FOR ADOPTING BUDGET

A quorum of the Board shall be necessary at any meeting which adopts a budget or assesses the constituent clubs, and an affirmative vote of two-thirds of those present shall be necessary for such action.

ASSESSMENTS AGAINST CLUBS

The assessment against each constituent club shall be determined by a per capita amount not exceeding fifty cents, in respect of its membership as certified to the Board by its secretary, or, if not so certified, then as determined by the Board from the best available information. The per capita amount shall be the same for all constituent clubs, except that the Board may vary it as to those located outside of the United States. No constituent club maintaining a club house shall be assessed in respect of non-resident members. Such assessment is due and payable on November first of each year.

INDIVIDUAL DUES

Each alumnus not a member of any constituent club by which current assessment for him has been paid, who attends the annual convention or the annual meeting shall pay fifty cents as annual dues for his individual membership.

Section 24, which is entitled "Delegates from Clubs and Associations," was amended by inserting after the words "Provisions of this section" and before the words "Clubs and Associations may be deprived," etc., the following:

And provided further that no club or association shall be entitled to delegates on a basis of membership greater than that on which the club or association has paid its current assessments to the Associate Alumni.

HOW THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI IS ORGANIZED

In the effort to safeguard the activities of the Associate Alumni from clique control and to make the representation truly representative, a constitution and by-laws have been built up, which essentially base representation on the local club as a unit, with an opportunity for expression in its affairs to the individual alumnus who is sufficiently interested to attend meetings, whether he be the member of such a club or not.

Under the financial amendment passed on May 18, 1918, the voting strength of a club's delegation is dependent on the size of the club's membership as determined by the per capita tax paid to the treasurer of the Associate Alumni. A delegate has ten votes for each hundred members he represents. An individual who is present, not representing his club, has a single vote and is therefore the voting equivalent of ten club members who are merely represented. An individual who does not reside in a territory in which there is a club has the same privilege upon payment of nominal dues.

The government of the Association is vested in a board of directors. On this board are the officers: president, secretary, treasurer, and two vice-presidents, the first three of which must be elected from the board by the alumni annually, thus assuring the election of experienced officers. An elected nominating committee, duly safeguarded against control by clique or club, makes nominations with

the help and suggestions of alumni clubs and individual alumni. These nominations are widely published and there is a ready mechanism for the nominating of opposition candidates should even a small group feel that the committee's selections could be improved.

Mechanism is also provided so that the important business of electing alumni trustees will be transacted with unfailing regularity. These trustees at the end of their terms of office present reports to the association at its annual meeting.

Activities are carried on through the various committees, directed by the directors. (See chart of organization).

The meetings of the association are determined by the by-laws. A convention is to be held annually in the spring or fall in some city other than Ithaca, and an annual meeting is held in Ithaca on Alumni Day, just before Commencement. The convention is held on invitation of an alumni club and is expected to include recreation and reunion features as well as important business. The annual meeting is, of course, all business.

Financially the Association is supported by the local clubs through a per capita tax levied in June each year by the board of directors as explained in detail on another page. The officers give their services and even, except the secretary, pay their own traveling expenses. The text of the by-laws has been published and may be had upon application to the Secretary, R. W. Sailor, care of The Cornell Alumni News, Ithaca, New York.

AN OUTLINE OF WORK FOR THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI IN 1919

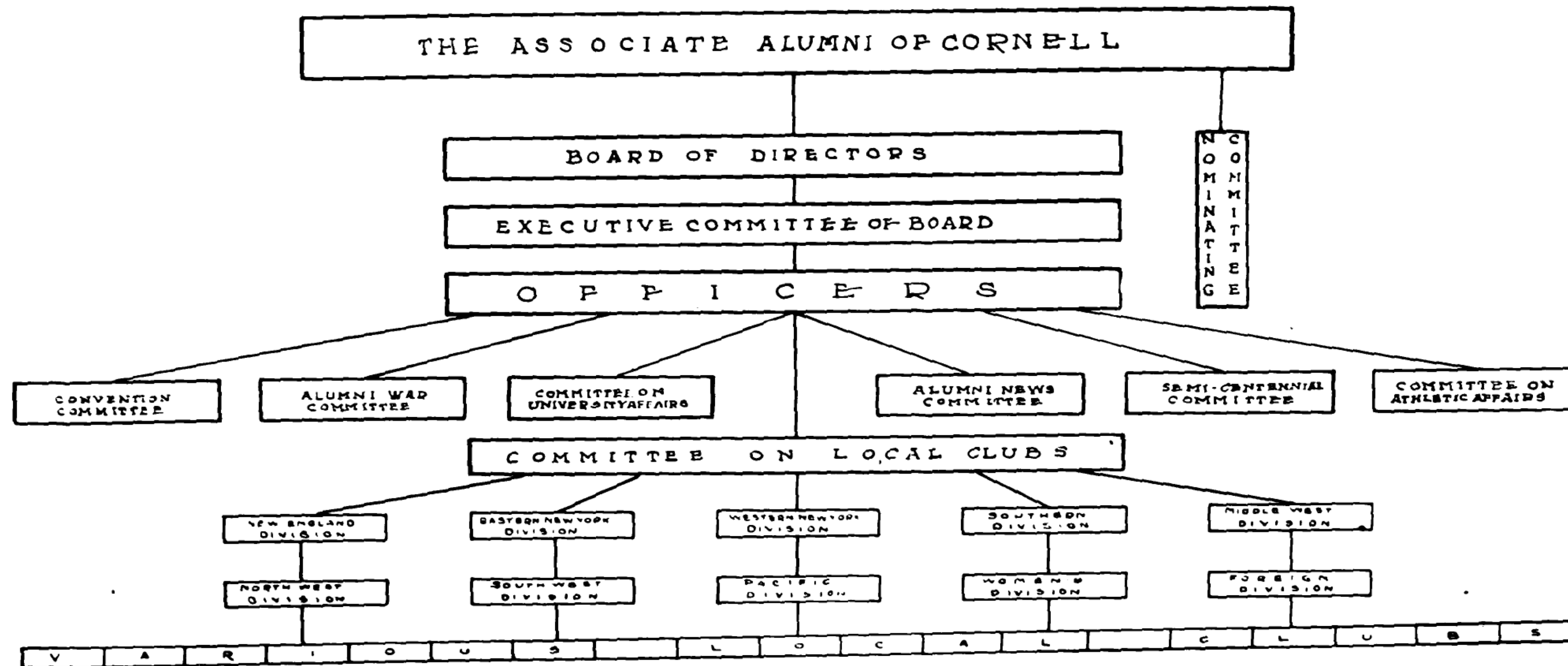
There is much that Cornell alumni must do in these days to repay the debt they owe the University. Perhaps the largest task immediately confronting us is making the Semi-Centennial Celebration, to be held in Ithaca, June 20, 21, and 22, 1919, a great success. The alumni's part in this great gathering has been turned over by the Trustees' Committee entirely to the Associate Alumni. This means that we must create a great interest in it through the various Cornell clubs and class organizations; arrange for substantial publicity through the newspapers, by circular matter to alumni, through posters, and follow-up letters, so that no alumnus will have a chance to overlook this meeting or say that he was not urgently requested to come.

PROMOTING THE SEMI-CENTENNIAL

The president of the Associate Alumni has arranged with the Administration Committee of the Board of Trustees for the employment of a first class promotion man to assist the Semi-Centennial Committee and the alumni clubs in getting all the data regarding this celebration before the alumni. It is also planned to see that speakers are sent to the local clubs to help in the publicity work. As every class will have a reunion at that time of the Semi-Centennial, thousands of alumni are confidently expected to return for the celebration.

CHART OF ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION

THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI OF CORNELL



THE NEEDS OF THE COLLEGES

The next important task of the association is to see to the needs of the various colleges of the University. Committees from each college will be appointed who will submit in June their recommendations for the welfare of the various colleges, and the alumni association will take the recommendations under consideration, and get the support of the entire alumni behind those which seem advantageous. This is an important work along constructive lines and must receive the careful attention of the alumni.

Another important undertaking is the raising of a memorial fund as a tribute to the thousands of Cornell men who were in service in the European War, and a memorial to the scores who made the supreme sacrifice. This fund should be used for the purpose which will most benefit the University.

PROVIDING A LARGER ENDOWMENT

Then there is the matter of a large endowment fund,—vitally important in order that the University may increase the salaries of professors and instructors so that the best order of men may be retained. Surely no alumnus wants to see the University take an inferior place in the educational world, the zeal for research and inspiration diminish, or any earnest and properly qualified student rejected because the University has insufficient funds to educate him.

FINANCES OF THE ASSOCIATION

We must also fully acquaint the local clubs with the object of the new plan of financing the Associate Alumni, impressing upon them how small the per capita burden is but how adequately the whole sum finances the association. Now that alumni contribute directly to the support of the organization they should realize more than ever that they are the organization and that it is working for their interests and Cornell's.

THE ANNUAL CONVENTION

Among alumni the weight of opinion seems to be that the First Annual Convention of the Associate Alumni should be held as soon as possible after the war is over (probably in May, 1920). This will be a great get-together meeting of alumni and will afford alumni, Faculty, and Trustees a common ground on which to discuss University matters. The annual convention should also be the means of binding together alumni from various parts of the country and various clubs into one solid organization, working for the good of Cornell. Such at least has been the result of annual conventions held by the Harvard, Yale, and Princeton alumni associations, which are nearly always attended by four or five hundred alumni from all over the country.

ASSOCIATE ALUMNI TO PROVIDE MEMORIAL TO CORNELL'S HEROES

At a meeting of the directors of the Associate Alumni, held December 7, 1918, in Buffalo, a resolution was unanimously adopted directing the president of the Associate Alumni to appoint a committee to work on plans and arrangements for raising a great fund among Cornell alumni and others, and to take charge of the actual raising of the fund.

It was suggested by many of the directors that an appeal for funds for such a worthy cause would meet with a tremendous and instant response on the part of the 30,000 or more Cornellians everywhere, and that it might even meet with considerable response from those who are not Cornellians but who wish to help perpetuate the memory of some of the Cornell heroes. Because of this belief the directors felt that under no circumstances should the fund be less than one million dollars and that perhaps considerably more could be raised:

The president of the Associate Alumni, Nicholas H. Noyes, '06, has been recently in conference with Edward L. Stevens, '99, president of the Cornellian Council, and with the members of the Trustees' Committee on Endowment Fund, with the idea of seeing whether it would be advisable to combine the work of all three of these organizations for the purpose of raising this memorial fund, or, in the event of the work being done by more than one organization, that there be no duplication of effort.

In all probability there will be something available for announcement to alumni generally in the near future as to the details of the plan that will be followed. The actual raising of the fund will undoubtedly be started this spring and substantial progress can probably be reported by the time of the Semi-Centennial Celebration.

The purpose for which the fund will be used has not yet been decided, but undoubtedly alumni will want to see it used in such a way as to do the University the greatest possible good.

From the information gathered by the University Secretary's office it is known that more than five thousand Cornellians have served in the war. More than one hundred and fifty have given their lives. What more fitting thing could the 30,000 living Cornellians do than raise this fund as a memorial of these men, a fund which, at the same time, will be of vital assistance to Cornell at this critical time.

Surely no Cornellian will want to have his name omitted from the list of subscribers to this fund even though his subscription may have to be moderate. It is believed that Cornellians everywhere will rise to this occasion cheerfully, liberally, and loyally.

CORNELL'S SEMI-CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION JUNE 20, 21, AND 22, 1919

Undoubtedly the largest Cornell gathering that has ever taken place and one of the most important will be the Semi-Centennial Celebration to be held in Ithaca next June. Primarily it will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of Cornell's first Commencement. Incidentally it will be a "Welcome Home" to the thousands of Cornellians who have been in their country's service. Nor will those who have paid the great price be forgotten, as plans for building a beautiful memorial to them will either be launched or will be under way by that time.

The plan now is to have the Semi-Centennial Celebration commence Friday morning, June 20, with the formal exercises and speeches. Friday afternoon there will be gatherings of the alumni of each college of the University, to discuss and consider what can be done to better the work in the respective college.

In the evening the University will give a dinner to the alumni in the new University Drill Hall, which will accommodate thousands. There will probably be a few short speeches after the dinner.

Saturday, June 21, will be Alumni Day. The task of making the arrangements, for this day, as for the general participation of alumni in the whole celebration have been turned over to the Associate Alumni.

It is planned in the morning to have a very important meeting of the alumni association. Many matters of vital interest to the alumni will be taken up at that time, among them, the reorganization of local clubs, the memorial fund in memory of Cornellians who have died in the service, physical training for the undergraduates in connection with their military training, obtaining for Cornell a better quality of undergraduate, and the continuance of intercollegiate athletics.

The afternoon of this day will be devoted entirely to sports. There will probably be an intercollegiate ball game, and perhaps alumni, golf and tennis matches, with silver cups for the winners.

In the evening will be the greatest entertainment of the entire Semi-Centennial Celebration,—a Welcome Home smoker for all Cornell men in service—at which there will be several speakers of national reputation. The entertainment will include a supper, lots of singing and cheering, and stories of actual experience by Cornellians who were at Chateau-Thierry and St. Mihiel. At this smoker alumni will be grouped by classes so that they will have a good opportunity to see classmates and friends. Here also a silver cup will be presented to the local club and to the class having back the largest percentages of their members. It is confidently expected that four or five thousand alumni will be back for the Semi-Centennial, of whom many will return particularly for this great smoker, perhaps the largest indoor gathering of college men ever held anywhere.

On Sunday morning, with appropriate and interesting exercises, the statue of the Founder will be unveiled, and in the afternoon the baccalaureate service will take place. The evening will be left more or less free for all classmates to get together for a farewell if they wish to do so. Commencement itself will take place on Monday morning, June 23.

Every graduate—every former student, whether a graduate or not—is urgently requested to make plans to attend this Semi-Centennial meeting. Never have you had an opportunity to see so large a number of your college friends and classmates. Every class of the University will have a reunion at that time.

THE AMERICAN UNIVERSITY UNION IN EUROPE AND THE CORNELL BUREAU

In the summer of 1917 there was opened in Paris the American University Union in Europe, a university club for American college men in Europe in the cause of the Allies. In addition to its club features, the Union maintains an information bureau for relatives and friends and for the colleges, makes reports on casualties, arranges visits to the sick and wounded, and provides means of communication between the soldiers and their inquiring friends.

Over forty colleges and universities are members of the Union, and a half-dozen maintain bureaus to care specially for their own men. Cornell joined the Union in September, 1917, and established the Cornell Bureau that December.

A contract was made with the competent management of the Royal Palace Hotel, corner of the Rue de Richelieu and the Place du Théâtre Français, for the

entire use of its hotel, and on October 20, 1917, the successful career of the Union was launched. The hotel has eighty outside bedrooms, forty-two bathrooms, and can supply lodging for one hundred. There is provision for reading, writing, entertainment, relaxation, and medical advice. An excellent, moderate priced restaurant cares for two hundred. No tips are permitted, and pension may be had for 15 fr., which, under varying exchange values, has averaged about \$2.63 per day for room, board, and comfortable surroundings.

The Cornell Campus Cozy Corner is the name of the lounge space set apart for Cornell's use. Here are a Cornell bulletin board, Cornell periodicals, banners, a register, and a roll of honor. Alphonse D. Weil, '86, a merchant long resident in Paris, has devoted his time unstintingly to making Cornell's end of it a success, and has been actively assisted by Ridgeway Bishop, '16, a Chicago man in the American Red Cross.

The registration at the Cornell Bureau has reached about a thousand. Four Cornell Overseas Dinners have been held, and a regular weekly dinner and smoker is held each Monday.

A branch of the Union, without separate bureaus, was formed in London in March, 1918. Through the courtesy of the Farmers' Loan and Trust Company, headquarters were acquired in their London offices at 16 Pall Mall, East, S. W. 1, and accommodations were arranged at the St. James's Palace Hotel in Bury Street. In May, 1918, a meeting was held in Rome at which the Italo-American University Union was formed as another branch of the A. U. U.

The charges to the men cover all service, but no overhead. The colleges and universities paid membership fees, based on probable use, for which Cornell's share was \$500. Obviously further funds were necessary and the great portion of the expense of the Union was borne by alumni of the colleges.

Professor Martin W. Sampson, Chairman of the Associate Alumni War Work Committee, appealing to alumni, undergraduates, and Cornell clubs, raised about \$6,200 between February and May, 1918, to carry Cornell's share.

The end of the war leaves the Union with a problem—whether or not to continue as an American university club in Paris. The problem has not yet been solved. The Associate Alumni has pledged itself to see the Union through and will, of course, raise whatever funds are needed to finance it as long as the American army is in Europe.

THE CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS—WHAT IT MEANS TO THE ALUMNI AND TO CORNELL

There are nearly 30,000 graduates and former students of Cornell. Most of them want to keep closely in touch with the University—particularly now that Cornell is on the eve of a new growth in power and in service to the country.

There is no better way for an alumnus to keep in close touch with the University than by taking the Cornell Alumni News, in fact there is no way quite so good. It gives each week the important news with reference to undergraduate life, but more important still, it gives the news of what is going on in the Trustees' meetings and in the Faculty meetings, extensive personal news with regard to the alumni generally, complete news of the athletic teams, debating teams, and similar

organizations, and detailed information concerning Cornell clubs throughout the country. In fact it keeps alumni in touch with every detail of University affairs in which they are likely to be interested.

There are at present about five thousand alumni who subscribe to the *Alumni News*, but there should be ten or fifteen thousand. Cornell would be a better University for it and the alumni would be better men and women for it. The Associate Alumni of Cornell University is interested in seeing The *Cornell Alumni News* grow stronger and more influential, because we believe every increase in the subscription list contributes to the strength of the University itself.

The price is \$3.60 per year and there are forty issues each year. It reaches you every week during the University year and monthly in the summer, or practically without interruption. We urge you, if you are not a reader of the paper, to send your yearly subscription to The *Cornell Alumni News* Ithaca, New York, or, if you feel that you would like to try the *Alumni News* for a short period before subscribing regularly, send \$1 for a three-months' trial subscription this spring of 1919. Such a subscription will carry you through the baseball and crew season, and give you all the Cornell news for the twelve weeks preceding the Semi-Centennial Celebration, as well as the valuable records that will be part of the issues in honor of the Semi-Centennial.

CORNELL WOMEN AND THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI

The Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs is an organization whose primary business is to consider problems of the education of women. It is an effective organization and accomplishes its purpose well.

In problems that are essentially those of the entire University, however, there is an increasing interest among the alumnae. Such problems are the province of the Associate Alumni, and in this organization women have a part.

Women are represented on the Board of Directors by two members out of nineteen, while in meetings they are entitled to representation by delegation based on the membership for which they pay their assessments.

THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI IS INVESTIGATING THE MATTER OF PHYSICAL TRAINING

So important is the matter of proper physical as well as proper military training for undergraduates and at the same time so vital to the University's welfare is a proper continuance of intercollegiate athletics that the Associate Alumni have appointed a special committee to study the whole subject. John L. Senior, '01, of Jackson, Michigan, who was for six years a graduate manager of Cornell athletics, is chairman of the committee and the other members are Judge Harry L. Taylor, '88, of Buffalo, and Romeyn Berry, '04, of New York City. Alumni everywhere will have confidence in any decision that these alumni arrive at, knowing that it will be the result of careful investigation and study by men of proven ability and loyalty.

LOCAL CORNELL CLUBS AND THEIR FUNCTIONS

Before the war there were about eighty Cornell alumni clubs. Most of them were in America, but several were in China, France, and other foreign territory.

The entry of five thousand Cornellians into active service depleted these clubs greatly, with the result that many went out of existence for the period of the war. Now, however, they are rapidly reorganizing and getting back into active work for Cornell. It is through these local clubs that most of the Associate Alumni work is done.

The reorganization of backward clubs, the reviving of inactive clubs, and the organization of new ones is the work of the Associate Alumni Committee on Local Clubs, of which Erskine Wilder, '05, 1038 Crosby Street, Chicago, is chairman. The complete personnel of this Committee will be found in the list of committees.

The committee on local clubs also has the duty of suggesting and supervising the work the local clubs undertake in Cornell's interest. Among the more important things done by local clubs in recent years are:

1. The holding of preparatory school luncheons to which many of the best "prospects" among the high school and preparatory school boys, *together with their fathers*, are invited. This plan has been followed by the Chicago and Cleveland alumni and has proven successful. Usually moving pictures of Cornell and Cornell activities are shown, and speeches are made by University officers, Faculty members, and alumni.

2. Carrying on proper Cornell propaganda in high schools by means of Cornell moving pictures, talks by Cornell faculty members, etc., and obtaining proper Cornell publicity in newspapers.

3. Providing scholarships at Cornell for promising prospective students from the state or city where the local club is situated.

4. Keeping Trustees and Faculty in touch with alumni sentiment on important University problems.

5. Keeping alumni in touch with Cornell athletics and with undergraduate affairs and other University matters.

6. Providing a ready channel through which funds for Cornell may be obtained and other appeals made to alumni generally.

7. Making it possible for alumni in the same locality to keep in touch with each other and work effectively in the interest of Cornell.

For the purpose of doing more effectual work, the local clubs have been divided into geographical divisions with a member of the Associate Alumni Committee on Local Clubs in charge of each division. These divisional sub-chairmen report to the Chairman of the Committee on Local Clubs. The grouping will be found in the lists of committees.

As a result of a resolution passed by the Associate Alumni directors at their meeting in May, 1918, every local club, wherever situated, is requested to appoint a "Committee on Associate Alumni Affairs" whose duty it shall be to keep in constant touch with the Associate Alumni organization.

Complete information on how to organize and keep active a local Cornell club, may be obtained from the chairman of the committee.

A LIST OF CORNELL ALUMNI CLUBS

Before the war there were approximately eighty clubs, all more or less active. A score of these clubs have dropped out of existence, to be revived, for the most part, after conditions have returned to normal and their absent members have re-entered civil life. A list of clubs that are known to have dropped out since 1916, with headquarters city in case of regional clubs, is given below:

Connecticut (Fairfield); New Haven; Springfield, Mass.; Brooklyn; Dutchess County, New York (Poughkeepsie); Northern New York (Watertown); Oswego County (Oswego); Seneca Falls, New York; Albion, New York; Central Pennsylvania (Harrisburg); Luzerne County, Penn. (Wilkes-Barre); Wheeling, West Virginia; North Carolina, (Raleigh); Kansas City; Louisiana (New Orleans); Texas (Houston); Denver; Pacific Northwest (Tacoma); Southern California (Los Angeles); Chicago Women; Pittsburgh Women; and Troy Women.

The list below contains, perhaps, a few clubs that are not known to be active, but in the main they hold some form of meetings and none of them has given notice of suspension of activity.

GENERAL ORGANIZATIONS

The Associate Alumni.—R. W. Sailor, Care Cornell Alumni News, Ithaca.

The Cornell Association of Class Secretaries.—R. W. Kellogg, Ithaca.

The Cornellian Council.—Clara Howard, Morrill Hall, Ithaca.

The Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs.—Clara Howard, Morrill Hall.

The Cornell Bureau, American University Union.—8 Rue de Richelieu, Paris.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATIONS

New England

New England.—Creed W. Fulton, 58 Pearl St., Boston.

New York

New York City.—Foster M. Coffin, 65 Park Avenue.

The Society of Civil Engineers.—E. A. Truran, 33 Lincoln Terrace, Yonkers.

The Lawyers' Association.—John T. McGovern, 141 Broadway, New York.

Ossining.—Judge Milton C. Palmer.

Eastern New York.—C. R. Vanneman, 555 Providence St., Albany.

Schenectady.—J. J. Matson, Consulting Eng. Dept., General Electric Co.

Otsego County.—E. G. Rathbun, Oneonta.

Herkimer County.—F. D. McIntosh, Little Falls.

Utica.—Charles B. Mason, 30 Genesee St.

Syracuse.—Frederick E. Norton, Syracuse Chamber of Commerce.

Rochester.—G. E. Wynkoop, 615 Powers Building.

Binghamton.—A. L. Gilmore, 1104 Press Building.

Southern Tier.—Frederick B. Gridley, 412 East Second Street, Elmira.

Western New York.—F. L. Brown, 932 White Building, Buffalo.

Niagara Falls.—F. L. Lovelace, 730 Main Street.

Jamestown.—Albert S. Price, 406 Fenton Building.

Eastern States

Northern New Jersey.—H. E. Eberhardt, Maplewood, N. J.

Northeastern Pennsylvania.—Seth W. Shoemaker, 827 Electric St., Scranton.

Philadelphia.—R. D. Edwards, 1223 Locust Street.

Delaware.—Alexander Laird, Odd Fellows Building, Wilmington.

Maryland.—L. M. Brooks, 261 Robert St., Baltimore.

Washington.—L. W. Kephart, Bureau of Plant Industry, 1306 B. Street, S. W.

Western Pennsylvania.—A. N. Slocum, Westinghouse Building, Pittsburgh.

Middle West

Cleveland.—L. B. Timmerman, 1239 Guardian Building.

Southern Ohio.—Tell S. Berna, Gwynne Building, Cincinnati.

Central Ohio.—W. J. Armstrong, in care of Jeffrey Mfg. Co., Columbus.

Akron.—F. C. Howland, care of The Thomas Phillips Co.

Toledo.—W. C. Acklin, 1645 Dorr St.

Dayton.—Barton Myers, with Schaeffer Gengenagel & Co., Schwind Bldg.

Kentucky.—Adolph Reutlinger, 123 South Third St., Louisville.

Michigan.—M. A. Beltaire, 679 Atwater, East, Detroit.

Indiana.—N. H. Noyes, care Eli Lilly & Co., Indianapolis.

Chicago.—George M. Chapman, 200 N. Jefferson St.

Milwaukee.—A. H. Candee, 1055 35th St.

St. Paul.—C. R. Vincent, Pioneer Building.

St. Louis.—A. J. Widmer, 1013 Syndicate Trust Building.

Minneapolis.—F. H. Perl, 405 New York Life Building.

Duluth.—A. T. Banning, jr., 1009 Alworth Building.

Omaha.—George B. Thummel, Omaha National Bank Bldg.

Wichita, Kansas.—Hal. M. Black, Wichita Club

Utah.—W. M. McCrea, 460 Utah Savings & Trust Bldg., Salt Lake City.

Logan.—E. G. Peterson, Logan, Utah.

Spokane.—E. V. Price, care H. C. Whitehouse, Hutton Building.

Pacific Coast

Seattle.—M. R. McMicken, 1630 16th Ave.

Portland.—H. P. Henry, Yeon Building.

Northern California.—Dr. J. Traum, Berkeley.

Foreign and Insular

Eastern Canada.—William H. Wardwell, 413 New Birks Building, Montreal.

Hawaii.—Vaughan MacCaughey, 2404 Oahu Avenue, Honolulu, Hawaii.

The Philippine Islands.—Abraham Gideon, City Hall, Manila.

North China.—Y. S. Diang, Tientsin, China.

Women's Clubs

- Albany.**—Miss Inez Kisselburgh, 364 Hamilton St.
Boston.—Mrs. H. M. Varrell, 37 Concord Avenue Cambridge.
Cleveland.—Miss Florence Rosenthal, 10111 Ostend Ave.
Buffalo.—Miss Grace Laing, 306 Bryant St.
Ithaca.—Miss Rebecca Harris, 126 Kelvin Place.
Mohawk Valley.—Miss F. C. Seely, 602 North James St., Rome, N Y.
New York.—Miss Mabel E. Rose, 950 Marcy Avenue, Brooklyn.
Philadelphia.—Miss Olive Long, 4631 Sansom St.
Rochester.—Miss Gwendolen English, 39 Vick Park A.
Washington.—Miss Margaret Connor, 3149 Mt. Pleasant St.
Worcester.—Mrs. H. A. Smith 20 Trowbridge Road.
Bay Cities of California.—Mrs. E. A. Weymouth, 5527 McMillan Ave., Oakland.

REGULAR MEETINGS

The list below is of clubs that are known to be holding regular luncheons or other meetings. While undoubtedly incomplete it contains all regular meetings of which announcement has been received.

- Baltimore.**—Every Monday, 12:30 o'clock, at the City Club, in the Munsey Bldg. Regular meetings, third Thursday each month, Hotel Altamont, 8:30 P. M.
Boston.—Every Monday, 12:30 to 1:30 o'clock at the Bellevue Hotel.
Buffalo Women.—The first Saturday of each month at noon at the Ceollge Club, 264 Sumner Street.
Chicago.—Every Thursday, 12:15 o'clock at the City Club.
Cleveland.—Every Thursday, 12 o'clock, at Hotel Statler.
Dayton.—First Saturday of each month at noon, Engineers' Club.
New York.—Daily, Cornell University Club, 65 Park Avenue
New York.—Each Wednesday at 12:30, Machinery Club, 50 Church Street.
Paris, France.—Every Monday, 6:30 P. M., American University Union.
Philadelphia.—Daily, lunch and din., Princeton-Cornell Club, 1223 Locust St.
Pittsburgh.—Every Friday noon at Kramer's Atlantic Garden, Græme Street.
Syracuse.—Every Thursday noon at the University Club.
Tientsin, China.—Second and fourth Sundays of each month, at noon, New Grand Hotel, Asahi Road, Japanese Concession.
Wichita, Kansas.—Every Saturday noon at the Wichita Club.

COMMITTEES OF THE ASSOCIATE ALUMNI

Executive Committee

E. N. Sanderson, '87
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J. P. Dods, '08
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Romeyn Berry, '04

Committee on Nominations

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 Frederick Willis, '01, 156 Fifth Avenue, New York.
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 E. T. Foote, '06, Room 601, 77 Franklin St., Boston.
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 D. R. Cotton, '05, Pioneer Bldg., St. Paul.
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New England.—E. T. Foote, '06, Cutler-Hammer Mfg. Co., Boston.
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Western New York.—N. J. Weldgen, '05, 911 Wilder Bldg., Rochester.
South Atlantic.—Alfred Huger, '03, Charleston, S. C.
Northwest.—D. R. Cotton, '05, Pioneer Bldg., St. Paul.
Middle West.—Gleeson Murphy, '05, Murphy Chair Co., Detroit.
Southwest.—G. R. Mosher, '08, Finance Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.
Pacific.—L. R. Goodrich, '08, Thomas Bldg., Oakland, California.
Women's Clubs.—Miss Clara Howard, '14, Morrill Hall, Ithaca.
Foreign and Insular.—Woodford Patterson, '95, Morrill Hall, Ithaca.

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Edwin N. Sanderson, '87, 60 Broadway, New York, chairman.
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 J. P. Harris, '01, Citizens Savings and Trust Company, Cleveland.
 George J. Tansey, '88, St. Louis Transfer Co., St. Louis.
 George B. Walbridge, '00, Penobscot Bldg., Detroit.
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 Mrs. George D. Crofts, '05, 65 Livingston Ave., Buffalo.
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Directory of Faculty and Students, Second Term, 1918-1919, price 10 cents
Book of Views, price 25 cents.

Any of the following informational pamphlets will be sent gratis and post free on request. The date of the last edition of each is given after the title.

General Circular of Information for Prospective Students, January 15, 1919.

Announcement of the College of Arts and Sciences, April 15, 1918.

Announcement of Sibley College of Mechanical Engineering and the Mechanic Arts, February 15, 1919.

Announcement of the College of Civil Engineering, April 1, 1918.

Announcement of the College of Law, February 1, 1919.

Announcement of the College of Architecture, July 1, 1917.

Announcement of the New York State College of Agriculture, June 1, 1918.

Announcement of the Winter Courses in the College of Agriculture, June 15, 1918.

Announcement of the Summer Term in Agriculture, March 15, 1918.

Supplementary announcement of the second, third, and summer terms in Agriculture, December 15, 1918.

Announcement of the New York State Veterinary College, May 15, 1918.

Announcement of the Graduate School, March 1, 1919.

Announcement of the Summer Session, April 1, 1919.

Summary of the Work of the Associate Alumni of Cornell, April 15, 1919.

Annual Report of the President, September 1, 1918.

Pamphlets on prizes, samples of entrance and scholarship examination papers, special departmental announcements, etc.

Announcement of the Medical College may be procured by writing to the Cornell University Medical College, Ithaca, New York.

Correspondence concerning the Cornell University Official Publication should be addressed to

The Secretary of Cornell University,
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