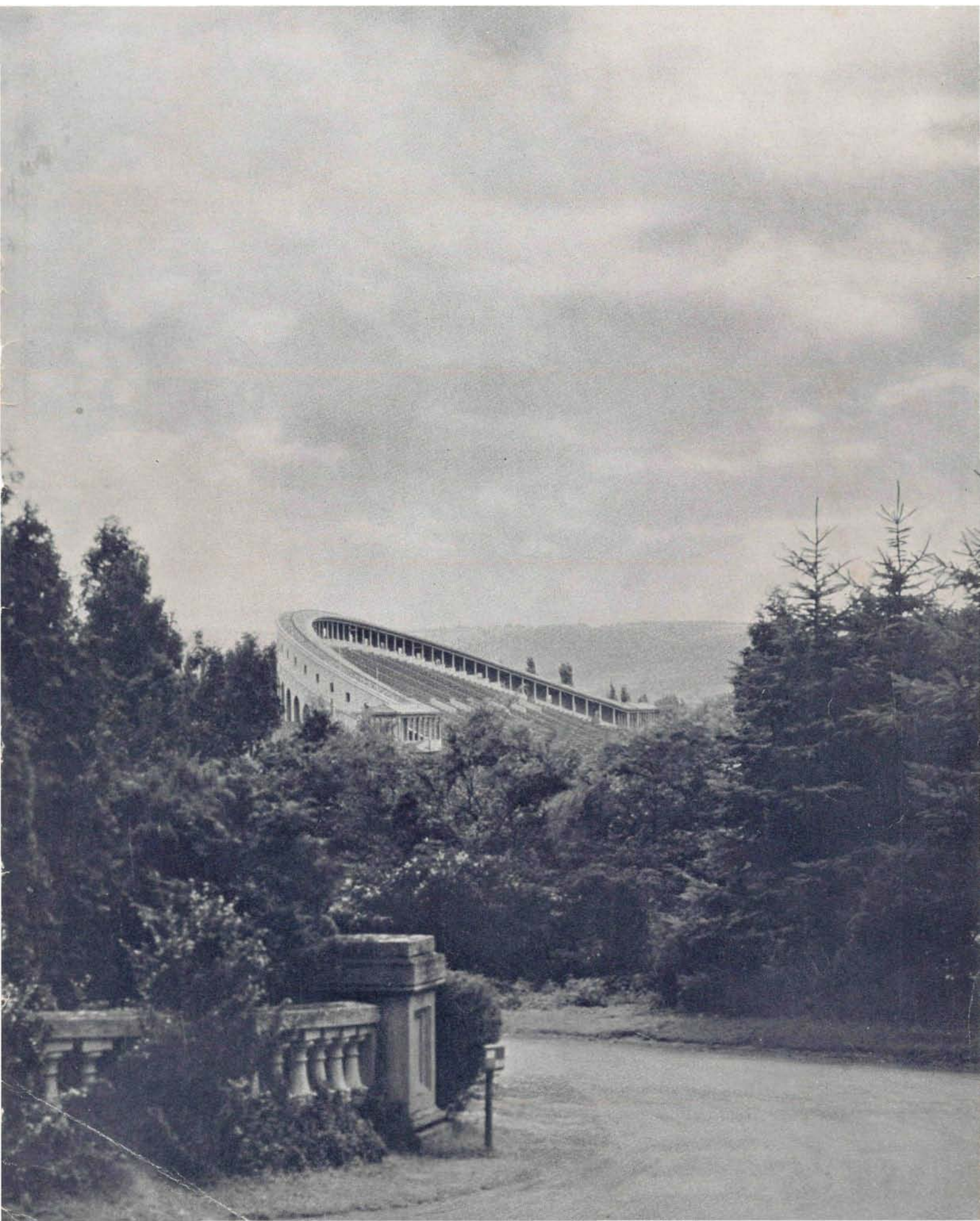


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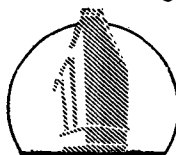
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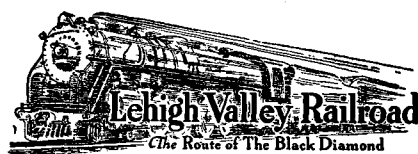
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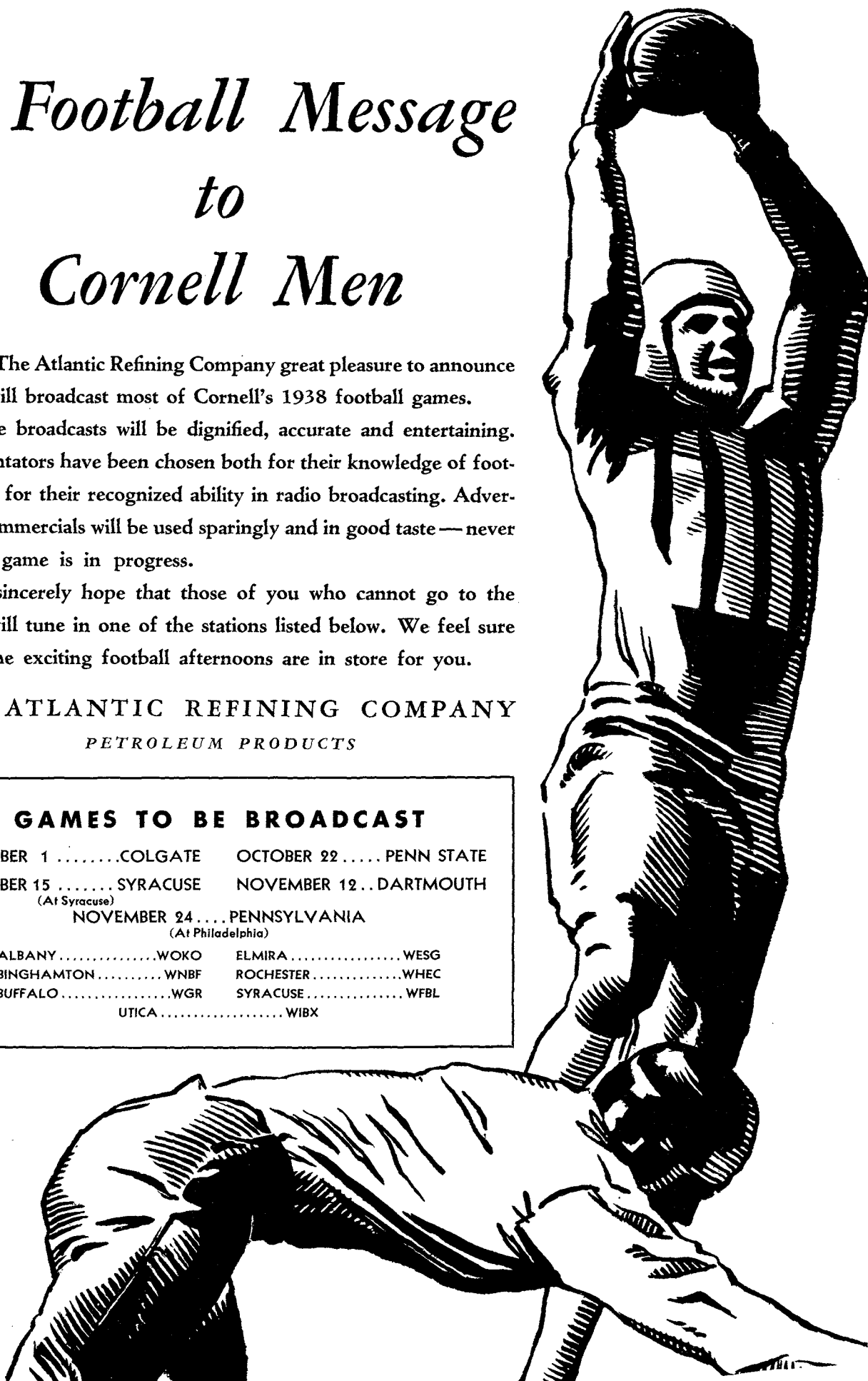
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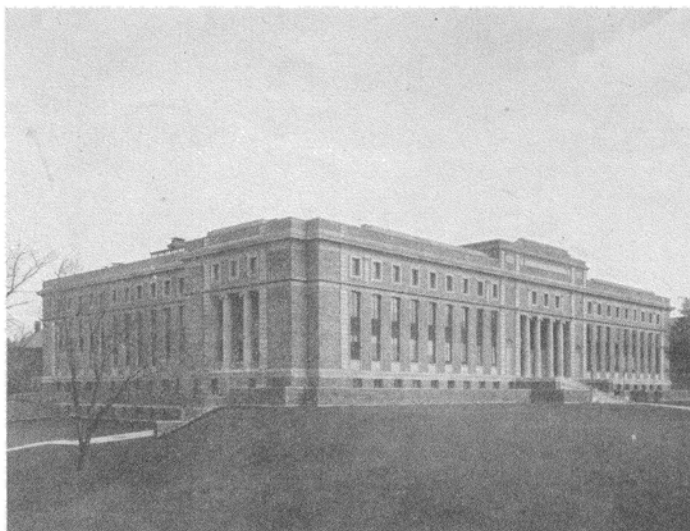


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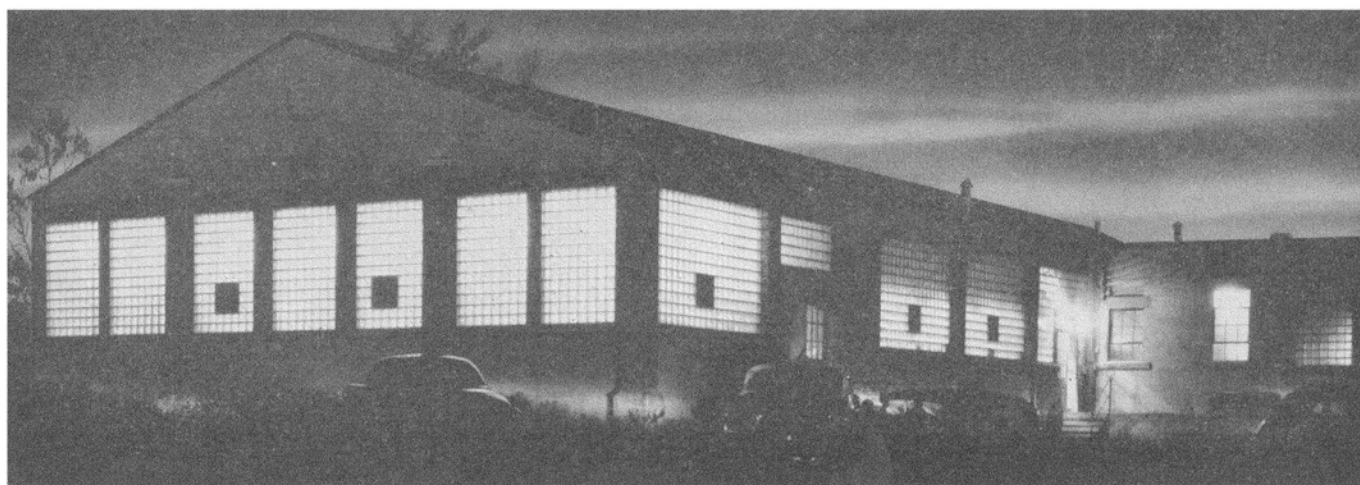
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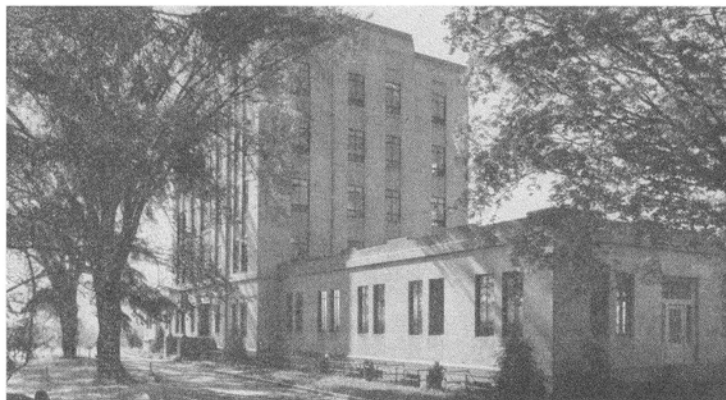
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ENGLISH ON NEW BASIS To Meet Student Needs

Opening of the University for the new year brings toward completion the co-ordination of the instruction in English, of which the ALUMNI NEWS described the beginning October 28, 1937. Raymond F. Howes '24 recounted new appointments to the English Faculty and the courses given by the various members, and described a new full-year course for Freshmen in which they were to be grouped according to their abilities rather than College registrations.

Beginning this fall, the entire English curriculum is coordinated to offer flexible but integrated programs both to students taking their major work in the Department and as ground work in English for students in other departments and Colleges of the University. The new program was initiated and has been carried through largely by the efforts of Professor William C. DeVane, for three years head of the Department, who resigned July 1 to return to his alma mater as dean of Yale College. His successor is Professor Herbert J. Davis, who comes this fall from University of Toronto as chairman of the Department.

Professor DeVane explains that the new plan involves largely the regrouping of present courses in English to the end that students may plan a definite program best fitted to their requirements. Students majoring in the Department are now required to complete twenty-four credit hours instead of twenty-one, and for these and others, courses are now offered to upperclassmen in four distinct groups. Instruction is by means of lectures, informal discussion in small groups, and through seminars.

Students majoring in English are required to complete at least nine of their required twenty-four credit hours within a group of courses which deal with the great periods of English literature. Beginning with Chaucer and his age, these include the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, Shakespeare, eighteenth century prose and poetry, Victorian literature, American literature, and the English novel.

Courses in the forms of literature comprise a second group, including mediaeval literature, myths, drama of various periods, biography, the novel throughout its development, poetry, and contemporary criticism.

Another group, of small seminars on individual writers, will be given in rotation, year by year, so that students in their last two years may have a wide choice for intensive study. Within this group, majors in English are required to

complete at least six credit hours, with the further requirement that at least six of all hours must be taken in courses dealing with periods before 1660.

The fourth group is of courses in language and composition, including Old and Middle English, style and usage, short story writing, and English composition.

On leave of absence from Yale until next February, Professor DeVane and his family are still living in Ithaca. He is at work upon a two-volume work on Browning, which he says will be his last. His Browning Handbook, published in 1935, is already a classic. Although sorry to leave Cornell, he speaks with enthusiasm of his opportunity as Dean of Yale College, which he says is a "new conception, concerned with policies and appointments, not with student discipline."

FOR HARVARD GAME

Reservations for the Harvard game football rally and smoker being arranged by the Cornell Club of New England at the Parker House in Boston October 7, the night before the game, indicate unprecedented attendance, according to Frank H. Briggs '35, assistant to the president of the Parker House. Not only for the smoker but for the entire week end the Parker House has been designated official Cornell headquarters, and a committee of the New England Club, headed by President Newton C. Burnett '24 and Chairman William G. Mollenberg '24, will be on hand to assist the hotel staff in making visiting alumni welcome.

All Cornell men and their guests are invited to the Friday evening smoker. The ROTC band will be hurried from the train from Ithaca to play, there will be Cornell songs and cheers, and prominent Cornellians and Harvard men will speak, following a buffet supper in the Parker House roof ballroom.

A contingent from New York City and waystations will arrive for the game Saturday noon in a special train of the Cornell Club of New York. Equipped with soda and lunch bar service cars, the train will leave Grand Central Terminal in New York at 8:25 Saturday morning, October 8, stopping at Stamford, Conn. at 9:10 and New Haven at 10. It will be met in Boston by a private train of the Boston Elevated for transportation directly to the Harvard stadium in Cambridge, and will leave Boston South Station shortly after the game is over, making the same stops returning. Round trip fare from New York on the Cornell Special is \$8.50; tickets at the Cornell Club of New York, 107 East Forty-eighth Street (telephone Plaza 5-7210).

McMULLEN SCHOLARS Include Alumni Sons

Thirty-one undergraduates enter the College of Engineering this fall having won McMullen Regional Scholarships amounting to \$400 a year each during their entire courses in the University, provided they maintain satisfactory academic records. Nine of the thirty-one are sons of Cornellians; all were selected by the Faculty of Engineering after having been interviewed and reported upon by regional committees of Engineering alumni in fifteen districts of the United States outside of New York State.

Eleven of the new students are entering Chemical Engineering; nine, Mechanical Engineering; six, Civil Engineering; and five, Electrical Engineering. Two are Sophomores, selected to fill vacancies, both, as it happens, coming from Baltimore Polytechnic Institute. The thirty-one come from twenty States, having been selected from among 294 applicants from thirty-nine States. Their school records show consistently high scholarship, and prowess in many other directions, including class and school offices, athletics, music, journalism, public speaking, dramatics, military honors, photography, and Boy Scout and YMCA activity.

John B. McMullen, president of the Atlantic Gulf and Pacific Company, bequeathed dividends of his dredging concern to Cornell in 1923 "for the purpose of creating and maintaining free scholarships for the education of young men as engineers." As the McMullen Fund, the endowment now amounts to more than \$1,500,000, is steadily increasing, and has provided scholarships amounting to more than \$300,000. Originally \$200 a year, the Scholarships have this year been increased to \$400, amounting to full tuition. They are not offered in New York State because other scholarships are available here.

With the twenty-nine members of the Class of '42, this year's quota brings the total number of McMullen Regional Scholarship holders now in the University to approximately 100. First to receive them were the Class of '39. This year's recipients are:

Richard Belyea, Upper Darby, Pa.; Ralph H. Brown, Milford, Conn.; Norman L. Christensen, Englewood, N. J.; James W. Cochrane, Augusta, Ga.; George F. Critchlow, son of Howard T. Critchlow '10, Trenton, N. J.; William C. Fleming, Jr., Chicago, Ill.; R. H. Grant, Jr., Denison, Tex.; Carl Green, Jr., Coral Gables, Fla.; John H. Halgren, Menominee, Wisc.; Rickford J. Hanner, Charlotte, N. C.; James W. Hart '41, son of Carlos D. Hart '06, Baltimore, Md.; Edmund W. Hostetter, Jr., Zanesville, Ohio; Irvine T. Kennedy, son of Walter C. Kennedy '07, Upper

Darby, Pa.; Gordon Kiddoo, Winnetka, Ill.; James L. Kraker, Jr., son of James L. Kraker '12, Beulah, Mich.; William N. Kruse, son of Walter O. Kruse '12, Davenport, Ia.; Paul W. Leighton, Twin Falls, Idaho; William H. McDonald, Jr., Mt. Hope, W. Va.; Louis W. Mead, St. Louis, Mo.; David W. Milhan, son of David N. Milhan '15, Pueblo, Colo.; James H. Moore, Jr., son of James H. Moore '16 and the former Madeline O. Berls '19, Montclair, N. J.; John M. Mylroie, Jr., Fairfax, Va.; David J. Nelles, Detroit, Mich.; Norman T. Nelson '41, Baltimore, Md.; Mircea R. Sfat, Jackson, Mich.; Frank W. Silcox, Jr., Newport, R. I.; John Slauta, Cleveland, Ohio; Frank C. Smith, son of F. A. Cushing Smith '12, Wilmette, Ill.; LaRoy B. Thompson, Tilton, N. H.; B. J. Walker, son of Edward E. Walker '03, Erie, Pa.; William H. Webster, Hinsdale, Ill.

Chairmen of the regional alumni committees to help select McMullen scholars are:

For Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island: Chester T. Reed '03.

Pennsylvania: Thomas F. Crawford '05 and Eugene C. Batchelar '02.

New Jersey: G. Gilson Terribery '15.

Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North and South Carolina, District of Columbia: Creed W. Fulton '09 and William E. O'Neil, Jr. '29.

Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana: James D. Willcox '07 and Archibald B. Morrison '01.

West Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee: Nathan W. Dougherty '13.

Ohio: Frederick W. Krebs '12 and Otto E. Hilmer '07.

Indiana, Michigan: Matthew Carey '15.

Illinois: Alfred H. Hutchinson '09.

Texas, Oklahoma, Arkansas: John G. Pew '25.

Missouri, Nebraska, Kansas: Shurly R. Irish '18 and John W. Towle '94.

Iowa, Wisconsin, Minnesota: Charles S. Whitney '14.

North and South Dakota, Montana, Wyoming: Pitt Covert, Jr. '11.

Colorado, Arizona, New Mexico, Nevada, Utah: Carl A. Gould '07.

California, Oregon, Washington, Idaho: Orin W. Fisher '14, Carroll R. Harding '10, and Sterling C. Lines '98.

TWO WITH NOPCO

National Oil Products Co., Inc., Harrison, N. J., has two Cornellians as members of its technical staff concerned with the production of NOPCO XX, a vitamin concentrate used in animal feeds. Andre E. Briod, Grad '30, is technical director in charge of the company's vitamin laboratories. Fuller D. Baird '28, director of nutritional laboratories, designed, inaugurated, and supervised the company's experiment station at Fleming-ton, N. J.

About ATHLETICS

FOOTBALL TEAM DEVELOPS

Pre-season practices have brought about changes in the lineup of the team which will launch Cornell's fifty-second football season October 1 in a game with Colgate on Schoellkopf Field.

When the squad reported September 7, Coach Snively, on the basis of spring practice, had envisioned a lineup of eight Seniors, two Juniors, and one Sophomore.

But injuries and the rapid development of other Sophomores have altered this plan, although at this writing there is no certainty as to the personnel of the first team Coach Snively will select to oppose Colgate.

Of the Seniors, these seem sure of their places:

Jerome H. Holland of Auburn, left end; William W. McKeever of Spring Lake, N. J., left tackle; A. Sidney Roth of Brooklyn, left guard; Captain Alfred F. Van Ranst of Brooklyn, center; and Carl F. Spang of Quincy, Mass., right end.

The other three Seniors on the original list of eight were John C. Hemingway of Syracuse, right guard; Robert M. Rose of Tonawanda, blocking back, and George W. Peck of Elmira, wingback.

Hemingway, hampered by injuries, has given way to Philip M. Tuths '39 of Brooklyn, a reserve tackle last year; Rose is having a fight with the Sophomores; and Peck has been sharing his post with another of the strong second-year contingent.

M. Witmer Baker of New Cumberland, Pa., tailback, and E. Vincent Eichler of Utica, fullback, the two Juniors, appear sure of their assignments.

Nicholas Drahos of Lawrence, the lone Sophomore, has also been forced out of the lineup by injuries. In his place at right tackle is another Sophomore, Frederick W. West, Jr., of Lansdowne, Pa.

The two top Sophomore candidates for blocking back are Kasimir E. Hipolit of South Bound Brook, N. J., and Walter J. Matuszczak of Lowville. The Sophomore who has been sharing the wingback position is Harold F. McCullough of Brooklyn.

Punting is the key to the composition of the backfield, for in the Rose-Peck-Baker-Eichler combination there is no kicker near the caliber of last year's right guard, Elliot H. Hooper '38. Peck has done some punting in practice. McCullough, however, is one of the best on the squad. He may be started in place of Peck.

The line, with Tuths and West, averages approximately 205 pounds.

Last year, Cornell defeated Colgate, 40-7, its eighteenth victory in twenty-four games played since 1896, with two games ending in ties.

MANY TO PLAY FOOTBALL

With the Varsity football team playing away from home October 15 and 29, nevertheless football doubleheaders will be offered on Schoellkopf Field those afternoons, the Freshman and 150-pound teams meeting opponents here.

This year Cornell has joined the Eastern Intercollegiate 150-pound Football League, and all lightweight games are League engagements. This year too, for the first time, an intercollegiate schedule will be played by a Junior Varsity team selected from among the candidates for the Varsity squad. They open on Schoellkopf October 8 against the junior varsity eleven of the U. S. Military Academy, while the Varsity is playing Harvard at Cambridge.

Unless otherwise designated, games of the following schedules are in Ithaca:

JUNIOR VARSITY

Oct. 8—Army
21—Syracuse at Syracuse
Nov. 11—Cortland Normal at Cortland

FRESHMEN

Oct. 15—Kiski School
22—Penn State at State College
20—Manlius School
Nov. 4—Syracuse
19—Pennsylvania

150-POUND

Oct. 15—Princeton
22—Rutgers at New Brunswick
29—Lafayette
Nov. 5—Yale
12—Villanova at Villanova
24—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia

FOOTBALL BROADCASTS

Some of Cornell's football games will again be broadcast by the Atlantic Refining Company this year.

These hook-ups have been arranged (figures in parentheses are kilocycles):

Oct. 1, Cornell-Colgate: WFBL (1360) Syracuse, WGR (550) Buffalo, WHEC (1430) Rochester, WIBX (1200) Utica, WESG (850) Elmira, KYW (1020) Philadelphia, Pa., WNBK (1500) Binghamton, and WOKO (1430) Albany.

Oct. 15, Cornell-Syracuse: WSYR (570) Syracuse, WGY (790) Schenectady, KYW, WESG, WNBK, WGR, WHEC, WIBX.

Oct. 22, Cornell-Penn State: WWSW (1500) Pittsburgh, Pa., WFBL, WGR, WHEC, WIBX, WESG, WNBK, WOKO, KYW.

Nov. 12, Cornell-Dartmouth: WNAC



(1230) Boston, Mass., WTIC (1040) Hartford, Conn., WICC (600) Bridgeport, Conn., WSAR (1450) Fall River, Mass., WNBH (1310) New Bedford, Mass., WLLH (1370) Lowell, Mass., WNLC (1500) New London, Conn., WSPR (1140) Springfield, Mass., WTAG (580) Worcester, Mass., WEAN (780) Providence, R. I., WORK (1320) York, Pa., WBRY (1530) Waterbury, Conn., WFBL, WGR, WHEC, WIBX, WESG, WBNF, WOKO, KYW.

Nov. 24, Cornell-Pennsylvania: WCAU (1170) Philadelphia, Pa., WPG (1100) Atlantic City, N. J., WHP (1430) Harrisburg, Pa., WGBI (830) Scranton, Pa., WKOK (1210) Sunbury, Pa., KDKA (980) Pittsburgh, Pa., WEEI (590) Boston, Mass., WORC (1280) Worcester, Mass., WMAS (1420) Springfield, Mass., WDRC (1300) Hartford, Conn., WPRO (630) Providence, R. I., WFBL, WGR, WHEC, WIBX, WESG, WBNF, WOKO.

At the home games, the commentator will be Tom McMahon of Station WBNF, Binghamton, with Lawrence Bruff '38 of Ithaca, son of Mrs. Nan Bruff '09, doing the commercial announcements.

As in past years, the public address system to the press box and stands will be used, with Elmer S. Phillips '32, Station WESG radio announcer, at the microphone.

SOCCKER, CROSS COUNTRY

Varsity and Freshman soccer and cross country schedules were announced last week, the Varsity soccer team assigned eight games and the cross country team two dual meets, a quadrangular meet, and the Intercollegiates.

The schedules (games in Ithaca unless otherwise designated):

Varsity Soccer

- Oct. 1—Colgate
- 15—Pennsylvania
- 21—Syracuse
- Nov. 4—Lehigh at Bethlehem
- 5—Princeton at Princeton
- 12—Swarthmore
- 19—Navy at Annapolis
- 24—Haverford at Haverford

Varsity Cross Country

- Oct. 15—Alfred
- 29—Columbia, Dartmouth, Yale at New York
- 5—Syracuse at Syracuse
- 14—Intercollegiates at New York

Freshman Soccer

- Oct. 21—Cortland Normal at Cortland
- 29—Penn State
- Nov. 1—Odessa High
- 11—Syracuse at Syracuse

Freshman Cross Country

- Oct. 15—Alfred
- 22—Penn State
- Nov. 5—Syracuse at Syracuse
- 14—Intercollegiates at New York

ODDS AND ENDS

This is Cornell's fifty-second intercollegiate football year....New assistant to Trainer Frank Kavanagh is Ray Morey, formerly with Trainer Frank Sheehan in his downtown massage office. George Cointe, who coaches the fencing team, will continue as another assistant

to Kavanagh....Coach Snively and Kavanagh addressed the New York State Scholastic Coaches Association at Syracuse September 18....Leroy Mills, New York attorney who specializes in teaching football players how to kick, spent a week end with the squad....A. Sidney Roth '39 of Brooklyn lost fifteen pounds this summer during a hay fever attack. He still weighs better than 200....Karl J. Nelson '38 is the first graduate assistant football coach since the regime of Gilmour Dobie.

Robert J. Kane '34, assistant track coach, has been giving a hand at pre-season practice of the Ithaca High School football squad. Last Saturday he was watching Varsity football scrimmage on crutches, having broken a bone in his foot....Moses L. Goldbas '39 of Utica, the 125-pound intercollegiate boxing champion, will probably fight at 135 pounds this year. He now weighs 155.

TO UNITE ALUMNI EFFORT

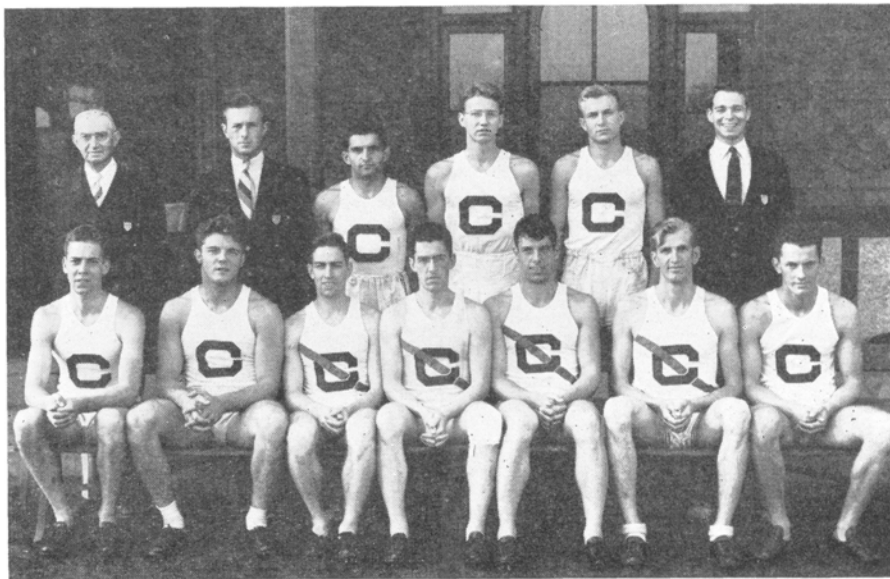
Preliminary steps toward the coordination of Cornell alumni activities were taken at a conference of representatives of the various alumni organizations, held in Ithaca September 24.

At the invitation of the special committee of the Cornell Alumni Corporation appointed last spring by President C. Reeve Vanneman '03, directing officers of the University Alumni Office, Cor-

nellian Council, Alumni Corporation, Federation of Cornell Women's Clubs, Association of Class Secretaries, University Placement Bureau, and the ALUMNI NEWS were invited to meet with the committee last Saturday at Willard Straight Hall. Also invited were the members of the University Trustees' committee which had been directed by the Board to cooperate toward the end of coordinating and integrating the various alumni organizations.

Presiding at the conference was Elbert P. Tuttle '18, chairman of the Corporation committee, of which the other members are Vanneman and Mrs. R. H. Shreve (Ruth Bentley) '02, also present. Several hours of frank discussion brought unanimous agreement upon a general plan of coordination, to be submitted to the governing boards of the constituent agencies. With their approval it is hoped that the plan may be presented at the convention of the Cornell Alumni Corporation in Chicago, November 4 and 5.

JAMES E. MATTHEWS '17, assistant to the University Comptroller and formerly Ithaca city clerk, has been appointed by Mayor Myers to the vacancy in the Civil Service Commission caused by the death of Professor George W. Cavanaugh '93. Matthews was earlier elected a director of the Chamber of Commerce, succeeding H. Edward Babcock, University Trustee, who resigned.



THEY WON FIVE FIRST PLACES AGAINST OXFORD-CAMBRIDGE IN LONDON

Cornellians of the Cornell-Princeton team at their training quarters, Iffley Road, Oxford University. Left to right, top row: Coach John F. Moakley; Henry S. Godshall, Jr. '36, Assistant Director of Athletics; Benjamin F. Levy, Jr. '39 of Elmira, mile; Harry Scott, Jr. '38 of Newark, Ohio, 220-; Walter W. Zittel '40 of Buffalo, 220-yard low hurdles; David M. Crawford '38 of Upper Darby, Pa., manager. Bottom row: John H. Nevius '39 of Flemington, N. J., 440-; Alfred F. VanRanst '39 of Brooklyn, shot-putter and captain of the Varsity football team; Edmund V. Mezzitt '38 of Weston, Mass., mile; Captain J. Hamilton Hucker '39 of Buffalo, who won the 120-yard high hurdles and the 220-yard low hurdles; James B. Pender '39 of Lawrence, Mass., winner of the 100-yard dash and 220-yard dash; Howard W. Welch '39 of Trumansburg, who set the only new meet record, winning the three-mile run; Lester E. Murdock '40 of Buffalo, high jump.

WOMEN TALK CONVENTION

Cornell Women's Club of Chicago held its opening meeting of the year September 10 at the Chicago Women's Club. Mrs. Franklin N. Corbin Jr. (Margaret Arronet) '21 presided. Mary B. Livingston '93 is secretary-treasurer.

After luncheon and routine business, Newton C. Farr '09 discussed plans for the convention of the Cornell Alumni Corporation at the Hotel Sherman in Chicago, November 4 and 5. The Club voted unanimously to support the convention and to spread the news so that all Cornellians within reaching distance would feel impelled to come.

MILWAUKEE WASH

Beulah Donohue, writing in the Milwaukee Sentinel July 15, quotes the familiar jingle about rain or fair weather following St. Swithin's Day, and thus gives notice of the annual Midsummer Wash of the Cornell Club of Milwaukee, the next day:

Cornell men with a flair for the antique in weather prediction (along with the rest of us who have plans afoot for the next month, and no taste for deluges) are hoping that Friday, set aside for the saint who seems to have had summer weather as his particular bailiwick, will be cloudless, and that the charm attributed to a fair July 15 by the old saying will at least hold over the weekend.

Saturday, out at the Eschweiler country place at North lake, Cornellians from here and roundabout will gather for an event which is almost as traditional as spring house parties in undergraduate life, and almost as important as Ithaca June reunions to the alumni.

Tagged the annual "Midsummer Wash" for a reason no one seems to be able to explain; given around a small swamplike pool called Cornell Lake, but which is so small and muddy that it can be used neither for bathing nor boating; including a crew race which nobody ever wins, and a baseball game which usually ends in hysterics on the part of both spectators and players, the annual outing is one of those inconclusive items which are so alluring that no one invited would ever dream of missing.

George F. Foote of La Jolla, Calif., who was a guest Cornellian at the picnic last year, found the day so much fun that he timed his Milwaukee visit to coincide with it this year, and will be on hand Saturday to again give the Foote clan the distinction of having three generations present. His son, Edward T. Foote '06, at whose home he is visiting, and his grandsons, Bob '39 and Pete '41, are the other Cornellians who will attend.

Henry Bryant '04 of Waukesha, who has made arrangements for the alumni golf game at Merrill Hills Country Club which, on Saturday morning, will preface the actual picnic, is one of the Ithaca men who has seldom missed the "Wash" since the Eschweilers started having it in the early 1920s. James '16 and Robert '09 Friend, who will play host to the alumni at Pine Lake in late afternoon, are other regulars, and so are George G. Goetz '12, Henry D. Lindsay '10, A. W. Mellowes '06 (whose son, Charles '33, will also attend), A. Lester Slocum '13, W. Clifford Stevens '06, and, of course, the Eschweilers—Theodore '19, Carl '18 and Alex '16.

Jack Wilson '35, who comes of another staunch Cornell family, and Bruce MacLeod '35 will captain the teams for the baseball game which will follow the informal picnic luncheon at the Eschweilers; Ernst Clarenbach Jr. '31 and Henry Reuss '33 are help-

ing Chairman Wilson with plans for swimming events and crew races at Pine Lake in the afternoon. After the races, the Friends will give a cocktail party for the alumni, and then there will be a steak grill supper at the Eschweilers. Sunday you'll be able to pick out those staunch ex-collegians by their limping tread.

LETTERS

Subject to the usual restrictions of space and good taste, we shall print letters from subscribers on any side of any subject of interest to Cornellians. The ALUMNI NEWS often may not agree with the sentiments expressed, and disclaims any responsibility beyond that of fostering interest in the University.

WORLD TRAVELER



TO THE EDITOR:

When I returned in June from a trip around the world, I found quite a stack of numbers of the ALUMNI NEWS. In going through these, it appears you are interested in pictures of Cornellians in out-of-the-way places. Here is one from Port Moresby, Papua, with a little fellow who became my friend for a package of cigarettes.

I was told that the natives in British New Guinea are protected from being taught to wear clothes by a law which prohibits such teaching. Consequently, the women wear only grass skirts and the men take after Gunga Din. A most amusing experience was on the Island of Nias, off the southwest coast of Sumatra, where the natives locked up their women and drove away their pigs to prevent them from becoming contaminated by the white people.

If I ever get another vacation, I would like to go to Singapore and make airplane trips to the places reached by the British and Dutch air services.

I hope to see you this fall in Ithaca at the Dartmouth football game.

WARNER D. ORVIS '07

CONNECTICUT OUTING

Forty-one Cornell alumni from Connecticut and two from Rhode Island attended an outing held at Clarkhurst, East Hampton, Conn., July 30. Swimming, golf, and softball were the main attractions in the afternoon. A steak dinner was served in the evening and an orchestra played Cornell songs. J. Carlton Ward '14 acted as toastmaster, and the principal speaker was Thomas I. S. Boak '14, president of the Cornell Club of New Haven, who last June was elected Alumni Trustee of the University.

LEHIGH CHANGES TIME

With return of many cities to standard time September 25, Lehigh Valley Railroad made changes in the times of all but one of its trains between New York and Philadelphia and Ithaca.

From New York the night train now leaves at 9:35, twenty-five minutes later than before; from Philadelphia at 9:30, arriving Ithaca 5:10 a.m., with sleeper open for occupancy until 8. The Black Diamond for upstate now leaves Pennsylvania Station, New York, at 8:15 a.m., Philadelphia 8:35 a.m., and arrives Ithaca 4:01 p.m.

Going eastward from Ithaca the night train leaves about an hour later than before, at 11:51, arriving New York at 8:10 a.m. and Philadelphia, 7:45 a.m. Black Diamond eastbound out of Ithaca is as before, leaving at 11:03 a.m., arriving New York at 6:50 p.m., Philadelphia 6:33 p.m.

A morning train now leaves Ithaca for Rochester and Buffalo at 9:15, arriving Rochester at 11:40 a.m. and Buffalo 12:25 p.m.

CONVENTION ADVANCES

All signs point to a notable gathering of Cornellians in Chicago Friday and Saturday, November 4 and 5, for the fifteenth biennial convention of the Cornell Alumni Corporation. From the host city come assurances of support by the 1200 or more alumni in its metropolitan area and by the many hundreds more within a radius of 200 miles, for this first general alumni gathering in Chicago since 1922. Representatives from most of the Cornell Clubs throughout the country are expected, and a large contingent from Ithaca. The goal of 500 attendance—a record if achieved—appears to be entirely reasonable. All Cornell men and women are invited to participate, whether or not they are active members of Cornell Clubs.

Heading the list of speakers will be President Edmund Ezra Day. Other members of the Faculty and the Board of Trustees who will speak include J. DuPratt White '90, vice-chairman of the Board, Dean Carl E. Ladd '12, Agriculture and Home Economics, and James Lynah '05, Director of Physical Education and Athletics.

The Chicago general convention committee is headed by Newton C. Farr '09, and his aides include a small army of active Chicago alumni who are divided into subcommittees to handle special features. Working with the directors of the Cornell Alumni Corporation, the men and women of Chicago are arranging a program that will keep alumni interested and occupied.

Business sessions are scheduled for Friday morning and afternoon and Saturday morning. C. Reeve Vanneman '03, president of the Alumni Corporation, will preside at them, for a discussion of questions of general alumni interest. Friday evening will come the convention banquet. Saturday afternoon it is expected the crowd will go *en masse* to the Northwestern-Wisconsin football game at Evanston.

Hotel Sherman will be convention headquarters. Inquiries should be addressed to the Secretary, Cornell Alumni Corporation, Alumni House, Ithaca, New York.

BAKER LECTURERS

George F. Baker Lectures in Chemistry for the academic year 1938-39 will be given by Professors Harold C. Urey of Columbia, in November and December; G. B. Kistiakowsky of the Harvard chemistry department, next February and March; and P. W. Bridgman, professor of physics at Harvard, in April and May.

NEW YORK GOLFERS

Karl F. Kellerman, Jr. '29 is the 1938 golf champion of the Cornell Club of New York. At dinner at the Apawamis Club, Rye, following the Club's twenty-first annual tournament and outing, he received a silver tray, and his name is now inscribed on the Club's Walter A. Davis Cup. Runner-up was Samuel J. Graham '09, who was presented with a silver cigarette box. The name of Henry J. Benish '20 now appears on the Governors' Bowl in the Clubhouse with those of previous years' holders of the low net score for eighteen holes, and Benish received a replica of the Bowl. Thirty-six-hole gross score prize went to Charles J. Baker '27, and the veteran's prize was won by Walter S. Wing '07. Kickers' prizes were presented to George E. Bliss '25 and Sanford Brown '11, guest prize for low eighteen net to S. Yates Austin, Jr. '31, an award for nearest second shot to the pin on the eighteenth hole was won by Walter A. Davis '24, and Aertsen P. Keasbey '13 won the putting contest.

Townsend Wainwright '28 was the Cornell Club's host at Apawamis; Charles H. Blair '97, the Club president, presided at dinner and Charles A. Dewey '12 was toastmaster. Frank A. Wright '79 was honorary chairman of the arrangements committee; Edward G. Johnson '29, chairman; and Robert L. Bliss '30, chairman of the Club's entertainment committee, reporter.

NOW, IN MY TIME!

By Romeyn Berry

The editor asked me to go to Schoellkopf Field, where I once did a stretch of seventeen years, and then write a piece about all the changes. He did not mention Rip Van Winkle. It was not necessary.

A high, Cyclone wire fence has been constructed around Hoy Field in place of the temporary wooden fence which was put there when Percy Field burned up in 1921.

Kite Hill, back of the Crescent, has been leveled to a high plateau (for automobile parking) and its grim secrets reverently removed. Up to 1907, you remember, Kite Hill was known as Dead Horse Hill and was the final resting place of the University's farm animals.

Lower Alumni Field has been tile drained, and all left tackles, which in my day averaged around 180, have been replaced by a more modern type which shave blue, sing bass, and grade between eight and nine to the ton.

The Fordson tractors and the model T dump truck which supplanted the athletic horse after the cold winter of 1924 have gone. They now have a glistening little power unit on big rubber tires which can take the trunks and vaulting poles to the Lehigh station in ten minutes, or move the entire board track in a morning. Mr. Floyd Darling operates it expertly, but his heart is not in the work; it died with the athletic horse in 1924.

The football room retains the distinctive football smell of expensive leather, hot bodies, and carbolic acid, but no longer on his own motion can the wing back dispatch a compet to the stock room for a new shoe lace. Mr. Everett MacQuade, former Quadrangle janitor, now operates the stock room and would not believe a student on oath—not even a wing back. Written requisitions and receipts are politely but firmly insisted upon.

The football coaches have an office and a stenographer of their own, and Miss Grace McFerrer who came in to help out when Miss Loretta Feeley married the right tackle along about 1925, now has a cash register to help her. It has more stops, keyboards, levers, and pedals on it than a pipe organ. For thirteen years Miss McFerrer kept books, sold football tickets in case lots, and made change by the hatful without ever making a mistake. Up to now she has had to depend on adding up on her fingers in the middle of a howling mob, and you can imagine how proud she is of the new cash register, even though she does not yet wholly trust it.

It takes a pretty flexible Rip Van Winkle to accept all these new things on

sight with shouts of unqualified approval. I can't quite do it, but I can come awfully close. Freely, cheerfully, and without mental reservation I admit that all these changes up at Schoellkopf constitute a vast improvement over anything that was there before. The new fences look as if they'd keep assistant instructors from crashing any more games. This new type of left tackle is bound to prove more efficient than the old fashioned, little left tackles who screamed with pain and boyish astonishment whenever an opponent stamped on their insteps. The new motor is a wonder.

And yet, somehow, I found myself missing the athletic horse, and I'm withholding judgment on the cash register in any office that you can't keep students out of. One of these days, I fear, some drunk who owns an accordion is going to get so fascinated by that cash register that he'll try to play the "Rhapsody In Blue" on it. After that just try to find out how much of all that money is to be credited to the Pennsylvania game; how much to Syracuse, Colgate, and Penn State! A hopeless task for many plumbers!

But perhaps the students, too, have changed a lot since my time, in the manner of the left tackles. It's even barely possible, I suppose, that accordion players don't get drunk any more.

TWO GET RECOGNITION

Awards of \$1,000 each and gold medals, in recognition of achievement in two fields of endeavor, have been made to two Cornellians during the summer by the Borden Company.

At the recent meeting of the Poultry Science Association in Pullman, Wash., it was announced that the Borden medal and award in poultry husbandry had been made to Professor Leo C. Norris '20, Poultry Husbandry. Earlier, at the annual meeting of the American Dairy Science Association at Columbus, Ohio, Dr. William E. Krauss '21 received one of two Borden awards in the field of dairying. The two Cornellians roomed together as graduate students, and both were students of Professor Leonard A. Maynard, PhD '15, Animal Nutrition.

Norris's award recognizes his research in animal nutrition, where he has made important discoveries about vitamins and is more recently working on the element, manganese. He received the BS in 1920 and the PhD in '24; has been a member of the Animal Husbandry and Poultry Husbandry Departments since graduation, appointed Professor of Poultry Husbandry in 1936; is a member of Alpha Gamma Rho.

Recognition came to Krauss for his research in the nutritive value of milk. He received the BS in 1922 and the PhD in '26; is now associate dairyman at the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station at Wooster, Ohio. Mrs. Krauss is the former Mildred E. Stratton, AM '22.

THE UNIVERSITY OPENS Record Enrolment Forecast

Enrolment for the University's seventy-first year was forecast at 6,500, a record-breaking number, Monday as the Freshman registration lines formed in the Drill Hall and the various College offices. The Colleges of Arts and Sciences, Home Economics, Veterinary Medicine, and the Medical College filled their quotas of students by midsummer, it was announced, and have turned away a large number of qualified applicants. Engineering is expected to have an increase of more than 100 students, with the new School of Chemical Engineering able to admit only about half of those who applied. The Freshman Class was expected to number about 1700; last year's final figure was 1515.

Fraternity and sorority houses were alive with activity over the week end, in preparation for the annual period of intensive rushing. Returning students registered and were assigned to classes Tuesday and Wednesday, and instruction begins September 29.

Freshman caps appeared on the Campus Friday and Saturday, and the Freshman advisory committee table in the lobby of Willard Straight Hall had a long line before it constantly, while Student Agencies competes, solicitors for the Sun and other student publications did a rushing business. Freshman camp of CURW on Keuka Lake turned away applicants this year. They were addressed by President Day and others, and came back to the Campus Saturday. Freshman women in Home Economics came together last Thursday for two days of living together in Prudence Risley Hall and introduction to college life, and Saturday afternoon all entering women were entertained at tea by the WSGA in Willard Straight Hall.

Law, Medicine Start

Ten days ahead of the general opening of the University, Law School registration September 17 brought a total of approximately 186, with a few still unsettled at press time. This is eight more students than the final figure of last year. Of the 73 first-year students, 39 have either received Cornell degrees or are Seniors in Arts and Sciences, the other 34 holding degrees from 22 other colleges and universities.

New in the Law School this year is Morris P. Glushien '29, as Teaching Fellow appointed by the University Board of Trustees. Furthering the School's policy of stimulating independent work by its students and of giving personal guidance to individuals, Glushien will help in the first-year moot court program and will assist members of the Faculty who conduct third-year problem courses, through personal conferences with students electing those courses. For a time after he received the

LLB in 1931 the new Teaching Fellow remained to assist Professor Horace E. Whiteside '22, completing the New York annotations to the Restatement of Contracts. He then entered the practice of law in New York City; for the last six years has specialized in corporation and real estate law as a member of the legal staff of the Prudence Co., Inc., Realty Associates Securities Corporation, and their affiliates. He won State cash and tuition scholarships at the University, was awarded the first Fraser Scholarship in the Law School, was an associate editor of the Law Quarterly, is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi.

The Medical College in New York opened its forty-first year at exercises September 21, with a welcoming address by Dr. George J. Huer, professor of Surgery and surgeon-in-chief of the New York Hospital. Enrolment of 288 is the largest since the College has occupied its present quarters, last year there being 262 in New York and 20 in Ithaca. The first-year Class, of 75 men and six women, hold degrees from 35 colleges and universities.

At the opening exercises awards for the new year were made: The Polk Prize for efficiency in research, first, to George A. Wolf, Jr. '40 and Cornelius E. Sedgwick '40, second, to Lois M. Smedley '39 and Alan G. Simpson, Jr. '39; the John Metcalfe Polk Scholarship, to Lisgar B. Eckardt '40; Thorne Shaw Scholarships, first, Edward C. Kinkle, Jr. '39, second Jacques C. Saphier '40 (AB '36), third Richard R. McCormack '41; the Mary F. Hall Scholarship to Miss Smedley.

THIRTEEN SECOND LIEUTENANTS of the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers, having received the BS at West Point, have been detailed for further study in the School of Civil Engineering. They will spend the academic year and next Summer Session here, candidates for the MS in Engineering degree. Since 1924, 122 West Pointers have come to Cornell for this training.

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COMING EVENTS

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

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1

Ithaca: Soccer, Colgate, 1:30
Football, Colgate, 2:30

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7

Boston, Mass.: Cornell smoker and buffet supper, Parker House, 7:30

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 8

Ithaca: J-V football, U. S. Military Academy, 2:30
Cambridge, Mass.: Football, Harvard, 2:30
New York City: Cornell Club train leaves Grand Central Terminal 9:15 a.m., Stamford 9:10, New Haven 10

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11

Detroit, Mich.: James Lynah '05 at Cornell Club smoker

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15

Ithaca: Freshman football, Kiski School, 1:30
Cross country, Alfred, 2
Soccer, Pennsylvania, 2:30
150-pound football, Princeton, 3:30
Syracuse: Football, Syracuse, 2:30

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21

Ithaca: Soccer, Syracuse, 4
Syracuse: J-V football, Syracuse
Cortland: Freshman soccer, Cortland Normal

MONDAY, OCTOBER 24

Scranton, Pa.: President Edmund E. Day and Foster M. Coffin '12 at Cornell Club dinner

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22

Ithaca: Freshman cross country, Penn State, 2
Football, Penn State, 2:30
New Brunswick: 150-pound football, Rutgers State College: Freshman football, Penn State

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29

Ithaca: Freshman football, Manlius School, 1:30
Freshman soccer, Penn State, 2
150-pound football, Lafayette, 3:30
New York City: Football, Columbia, 2
Cross country, Yale, Dartmouth, Columbia

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 1

Ithaca: Freshman soccer, Odessa High School, 4

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 4

Ithaca: Freshman football, Syracuse, 4
Chicago, Ill.: Cornell Alumni Corporation two-day convention opens, Hotel Sherman
Bethlehem, Pa.: Soccer, Lehigh

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 5

Ithaca: 150-pound football, Yale, 2
Syracuse: Cross country, Syracuse
Princeton, N. J.: Soccer, Princeton

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 8

Ithaca: Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra, Bailey Hall, 8:15

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 11

Cortland: J-V football, Cortland Normal
Syracuse: Freshman soccer, Syracuse

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 12

Ithaca: Alumni Homecoming Luncheon, Drill Hall, 12-1:30
Soccer, Swarthmore, 1:30
Football, Dartmouth, 2
Villanova, Pa.: 150-pound football, Villanova

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 14

New York City: Cross country intercollegiate championships

ON THE CAMPUS AND DOWN THE HILL

ITHACA ESCAPED serious damage from the equinoctial hurricane that wrought havoc along the Atlantic coast and even in some upstate sections, September 21. The barometer fell dangerously, and high winds blew down some trees and raised unprecedented waves on the Lake, but damage was negligible. The first day of fall, September 23, brought bright sun and clearing weather after the month to then had established a near-record, with 6.7 inches of precipitation.

FRESHMEN WERE WELCOMED to the University by President Edmund E. Day at a "Get Wise" meeting in Bailey Hall Tuesday afternoon, sponsored by the Freshman advisory committee. William T. Mills '39 of Rome, chairman of the committee, spoke, as did Walter H. Foertsch '39 of Rochester, president of the Student Council. Women's Self Government Association held its own "Get Wise" meeting for Freshmen women in Willard Straight Theatre Wednesday evening, where the President again spoke.

SEASON TICKET books for athletic events this year sell for \$15, and a committee of undergraduates headed by Jansen Noyes, Jr. '39 of Montclair, N. J., is at work to realize a goal of 3,000 sales. Books admit to the three home Varsity football games and for half the admission to the Syracuse game, to four Freshman games, one 150-pound game, a Junior-Varsity game, eleven basketball games, three track meets, three wrestling meets, two boxing matches, and seven baseball games—an advertised value of \$33.20.

CLUB LIDO on the Trumansburg Road is no more. With prohibition taking effect September 25 in the Town of Ithaca (outside the city), it is understood that Ithaca's major night spot will shortly house—of all things—a regional training school of the National Youth Administration!

HISTORY OF CORNELL was related by Louis C. Boochever '12, University Director of Public Information during a "Salute to Ithaca" radio program from Station WESG, September 23.

THERM - ELECTRIC METERS Company, Inc., manufacturing a demand meter designed by Professor Paul M. Lincoln, acting Director of Electrical Engineering, formally received its new plant on South Hill, built for it by Ithaca Enterprises, Inc., September 23. William A. Boyd, president of Ithaca Enterprises, presented the keys of the modern glass-bricked factory building to Professor Lincoln, president of the firm. Already in operation, the plant has approximately forty-five employees. Arthur N. Gibb '90

PERENNIAL REJUVENATION of the community is taking place again. Like the first occasional robins that forecast the spring, here and there ten days ago a Sun man appeared, intent on advertising, and now and then another student was distinguishable as not a football candidate. Meanwhile, Faculty families returned, and Faculty children disappeared to their schools, here and elsewhere. Then suddenly, overnight it seems, Campus and town burgeon into full activity; fraternity houses again blazed with lights; and the Chimes ring out. The students are back!

and Arthur V. Leonard '16 designed the factory, and Jes J. Dall, Jr. '16 was the general contractor. John W. Reavis '21, Harrison L. Goodman '26, and Robert R. Spole '35 are associated with Professor Lincoln as directors of the firm.

JAMES WRAY, rowing coach until 1936, has come back to Ithaca from living with his daughter in Bel Air, Md., to manage the new gas station of the Sinclair Oil Company, which opened September 17 at the corner of College Avenue and Dryden Road.

PROFESSIONAL ALUMNI workers from thirty-six colleges and universities in five Eastern States, New York to District of Columbia, attended a district meeting of the American Alumni Council in Willard Straight Hall September 11-13. Dean Dexter S. Kimball, Engineering, Emeritus, speaking at a luncheon, told them that "the day of great gifts to educational institutions is passing," because "the opportunities to amass great fortunes is disappearing," and expressed the belief that the land grant colleges and heavily endowed institutions would eventually survive, as sectarian schools and those of small endowment would disappear. Kenneth M. Wilson '25, now assistant to the president of Hobart College, addressed the conference on "Planning the Special Campaign."

SMALL TOWN EDITORS next took possession of Willard Straight Hall, for the annual two-day newspaper institute on country weeklies, September 16 and 17. August 15-19, 450 persons from five States attended the twelfth annual conference of the Middle Atlantic Grange Lecturers' Association.

SAGE CHAPEL PREACHER October 2 is the Right Rev. G. Ashton Oldham '01, Bishop of Albany. It is safe to predict that, as is the Bishop's invariable custom, he will arrive in Ithaca in time to attend the Saturday football game.

FRATERNITY RUSHING started officially at eight Monday morning, rules providing that for three days no communication may be had between fraternity men and Freshmen from 10:40 p.m. to 8 a.m. From 8:30 to 9:30 p.m. rushing may be carried on only in the Freshman's room. Fraternity delegates who stood in line at their prospects' doors at 7:30 Monday morning drew lots for the order in which the advantages of their respective houses could be presented.

SORORITIES are somewhat more finished in their procedure. Freshmen women from A to L were looked over at one Panhellenic Association dance in the Old Armory Monday night, and from M to Z Tuesday evening. By their rules, even the Junior "grandmothers" of Freshmen are not allowed to talk about sororities except at stated occasions, until 8 a.m. October 18.

SIX CANDIDATES for the Republican nomination for sheriff of Tompkins County brought the only contest in the primaries. Harrison Adams, the present sheriff, won with 1417, over 1261 for David M. Abbott '35, formerly of the Varsity football and boxing squads. Abbott carried ten of the seventeen City districts, and two of the thirty-one districts outside the city.

RECONSTRUCTION HOME, which has attained nation-wide reputation for treatment of polyomyelitis, has acquired a twelve-room addition in the former Calkins residence, the Home now fronting on Albany, Clinton, Fayette, and Center Streets. As in previous years, James Lynah '05, Director of Physical Education and Athletics, has announced that again this year a busload of children from the Reconstruction Home will be guests of the management at each Varsity football game on the Hill.

TEN-MILE SWIM from Stewart Park, at the end of Cayuga Lake, to Taughanock Park was completed in August by A. Donald Rankin '39 of Batavia in 3 hours, 37 minutes. Last summer he swam the opposite direction in five hours.

CURW MEN'S CABINET has elected Benjamin R. Andrews, Jr. '40 of Edgewater, N. J., president for this year. Sylvan Cole, Jr. '39 of New York City is vice-president, and William P. Lentz '39 of Baltimore, Md., is secretary.

NEW PRESIDENT of the women's CURW Cabinet is Virginia H. Bennett '39 of LeRoy. Dorothy N. Burt '39, whose father is Sage Professor of Philosophy, is vice-president; Jean L. Striebing '40 of Northfield, Ohio, is treasurer; and Betty E. Niles '41 of Rochester, secretary.

Concerning THE FACULTY

PROFESSOR WALTER F. WILLCOX, Economics and Statistics, Emeritus, was a member of the American delegation to the twenty-fourth session of the International Statistical Institute, which was scheduled to meet in Prague, Czechoslovakia, September 12-17. September 14 Mrs. Willcox received a cable that he was leaving for Paris, and the next day, another saying that he would be in London. The conference was broken off, and the delegates were forced to evacuate Prague, due to the government crisis. Professor Willcox is expected home early this month.

DEAN S. C. HOLLISTER, Engineering, contributes a chapter on "Stress Welding" to a Welding Handbook recently published by the American Welding Society. July 29 he lectured at the University of Michigan on "Applications of Elasticity to the Design of Pressure Vessels." An earlier lecture in the same series at Michigan was given by Dr. J. N. Goodier, who joined the Engineering Faculty July 1 as acting professor of Mechanics, on "Applications of the Theory of Elasticity in Analyzing Thermal Stresses."

PROFESSOR THEODORE H. EATON, JR., '30, Rural Education, has a son, George Theodore Eaton, born August 22.

FACULTY TENNIS CLUB championship was won by Dr. John H. Curtiss, Mathematics, who defeated Professor James K. Wilson, PhD '14, Agronomy. Professor Wilson held the title for twenty-five successive seasons of the Club's forty-nine, until two years ago. Dr. Curtiss holds official ranking as the eleventh Eastern player.

DR. H. EARL SPENCER, PhD '33, for seven years until 1936 instructor in Mathematics, was a summer visitor in Ithaca with Mrs. Spencer (Julia B. Snyder) '25 and their son, Bobby. Dr. Spencer is a member of the faculty of Presbyterian College, at Clinton, S. C.

"COLLEGE INTERVIEWING Under Changing Economic Conditions, From the Viewpoint of the Colleges," by Professor John R. Bangs, Jr. '21 and John R. Moynihan '26, Engineering, was published last month by the Engineering Experiment Station as the second of a new series of reprint pamphlets. Originally published in the Journal of Engineering Education, the pamphlet has been distributed to more than 400 representatives of industrial firms who employ college men. No. 1 of the Engineering Reprint Series, published last March, was by Professor Herbert H. Scofield

05, Engineering, "Some Tests to Show the Effects of Freezing on the Permeability, Strength, and Elasticity of Concretes and Mortars," from the Proceedings of the American Society for Testing Materials. Bulletins of the Reprint Series are available without cost from the College of Engineering.

TRANSFERS by the War Department have taken three officers of the ROTC this year, and brought three more for tours of duty here. Major Merle H. Davis, Ordnance, has been transferred to the Office of the Chief of Ordnance, Washington, D. C.; will be replaced by Major Willis R. Slaughter, who comes from Picatinny Arsenal, N. J. Captain John L. Chamberlain, Jr. has been ordered to France for a year of study and will then become an instructor in the U. S. Military Academy at West Point. His place is taken by Major Frederic A. Metcalf, who comes from Hawaii. Captain Walter B. Larew, Signal Corps, is assigned to the staff of the Signal Corps school at Fort Monmouth, N. J., and from Fort Monmouth comes Captain Robert W. Raynsford to replace him here.

PROFESSOR GEORGE L. HAMILTON, Romance Languages and Literatures, and Mrs. Hamilton, spent the summer in California.

PROFESSOR HARRY CAPLAN '16, Classics, was a member of the summer school faculty at Northwestern University.

PROFESSOR OTTO KINKELDEY, Musicology and University Librarian, taught this summer at Harvard.

PROFESSOR JOHN E. PERRY, Engineering, attended the national convention of Phi Sigma Kappa in San Francisco, Cal., early in August.

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made of the marriage of Professor Vladimir Karapetoff, Electrical Engineering, to Miss R. M. Cobb of Winthrop, Mass., and Leonia, N. J., November 25, 1936. Cited recently in the New York Times as one of the leading women chemists, Miss Cobb, who retains her professional name, has specialized in industrial colloids and their application to paper technology. During Professor Karapetoff's sabbatical leave from last June until September, 1939, he and Mrs. Karapetoff will travel and make their home temporarily in New York City, where both are engaged in research and consulting work.

DR. CRAIG R. THOMPSON, since last June instructor in English, married Isabella T. McMaster of Carlisle, Pa., August 20. Mrs. Thompson is the daughter of Dr. W. H. McMaster, president emeritus of Mount Union College, Alliance, Ohio.

DR. DEAN F. SMILEY '16, Medical Adviser, said in a Summer Session lecture that the proposals for universal Federal

disability and health insurance offered by the recent National Health Conference were "too costly" and would result in "government regulation of the medical practice through experts."

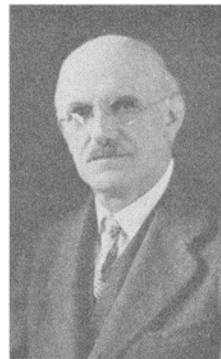
PROFESSOR HERBERT A. WICHELS '16, Public Speaking, spent the summer teaching at Columbia.

KERR '95, BOYLE DIE

Dr. Abram Tucker Kerr '95, a member of the Faculty for thirty-eight years and since 1902 secretary of the Medical College at Ithaca, died August 15, after a long illness. As the administrative officer of the Ithaca division of the Medical College, he acted as dean, registrar, adviser, and friend to many generations of pre-Medical students; and, representing the Medical College, had served the longest of any of the company who attend the weekly Tuesday luncheon conferences of Deans and the President of the University.

It was Dr. Kerr, further, who as chairman of the University committee on public health and hygiene largely conceived the idea of education and preventive medicine here and was active in reorganizing and installing the University Medical Office in the present quarters in the Old Armory, in 1919 under Dr. Haven Emerson. When Emerson left the next year, Dr. Kerr took charge until Dr. Dean F. Smiley '16 was appointed professor of Hygiene and Medical Adviser. In June, 1931, Dr. Kerr's portrait, painted by Professor Olaf M. Brauner, Architecture, was presented to the University by his friends and former students, he then having completed thirty-one years of service to Cornell, and it hangs today in the Medical College office in Stimson Hall.

Entering the Science Course from Buffalo in 1891, Dr. Kerr received the BS in '95; was a member of Beta Theta Pi, a captain of Artillery, and president of the Medical Society. He received the MD at University of Buffalo in '97, and studied at Göttingen, Johns Hopkins, and University of Friburg. He taught histology and anatomy at University of Buffalo until he returned to Cornell in 1900 as assistant professor of Anatomy. Two years later he became secretary of the Medical College in Ithaca, and since 1904 had been professor of Anatomy. He was elected to Sigma Xi, Nu Sigma Nu, Gamma Alpha, Alpha Omega Alpha, and Phi Kappa Phi; was a Fellow of the AAAAS and member of many professional societies and of the Cornell Club of New



York; and contributed to textbooks and scientific journals.

He is survived by Mrs. Kerr, who lives at 116 Kelvin Place, Ithaca, and by Bruce D. Kerr '35, their son, and Cynthia J. Kerr '39, their daughter.

Professor

James Ernest Boyle, who taught the first courses in Marketing in the University and was one of the first in the United States to write about and teach the marketing of farm products died September 18 at



his Ithaca home, 115 Cayuga Heights Road. He was an authority on the marketing of grain, cotton, and livestock, and his vigorous criticisms of Government farm policies in *Atlantic Monthly*, *Saturday Evening Post*, and elsewhere attracted wide attention. After his death, it was disclosed by Professor Preserved Smith, History, that "a few years ago overtures were made to him by persons high in public life which would have opened to him a political career that would have been not less than distinguished. He preferred to devote his whole time to teaching and study."

Professor Boyle came to Cornell in 1917 as extension professor of Rural Economy, having been for twelve years head of the department of economics at University of North Dakota and for a year field agent in marketing of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Since 1923 he had been professor of Rural Economy.

Born November 22, 1873, in Boyle, Kans. (named for his pioneering forbears), he received the AB at University of Nebraska in 1900, the AM at University of Kansas the next year, and the PhD at University of Wisconsin in 1904. He was a founder and first president of the University of North Dakota Co-operative Store, an organizer and first president of the North Dakota State Tax Association, and State director for North Dakota of the National Conference on Marketing and Farm Credits.

His books included *Speculation and the Chicago Board of Trade*, *Rural Problems in the United States*, *Agricultural Economics*, *Marketing of Agricultural Products*, *Co-operation in the United States*, *Brief on Farm Relief*, and *Cotton and the New Orleans Cotton Exchange*. Recently he was commissioned by the Cuban government to study and report on its sugar industry, and had been chairman of a committee of the National Association of Manufacturers to investigate the relation of chain stores to farmers.

For several years Professor Boyle had presided at open forums on public questions at the First Presbyterian Church in Ithaca, and last year he was president of the Faculty Research Club. He leaves Mrs. Boyle and their two daughters, Mrs. Arthur B. Rogers (Elizabeth Boyle) '29 and M. Louise Boyle '31.

NECROLOGY

'89 LLB—LEWIS EDMISTER MOSHER, July 14, in Horseheads, his lifelong home. Since 1895 he had practiced law in Elmira, for a time in partnership with the late Dennis P. Lynch '89, and was known as one of the foremost trial lawyers of the region. He entered the two-year Law Course in 1887, was admitted to the Bar in 1890, and was a former president of the Chemung County Bar Association. In 1936 and 1937 he was Democratic candidate for Member of Assembly.

'94 AB, '95 LLB—A(DDISON) BERTON REED, December 25, 1937, at his home, 2913 Foster Avenue, Brooklyn. He had practiced law all his life, for many years in New York City and Brooklyn. He entered the Arts College in 1890; '86 Memorial speaker; Senior pipe custodian; Quill and Dagger; Delta Chi.

'97 AM, '00 PhD—WILLIAM TYLER (WILHELM) MILLER, March 16, 1938, in San Pedro, Calif. Having received the AB at University of Michigan in '92, he entered the Graduate School in '95 and for four years assisted Dr. L. H. Bailey as associate editor of the *Cyclopedia of American Horticulture*. From 1901 to 1912 he was with Doubleday, Page & Co. in New York City, as manager and horticultural editor of *Country Life in America* and later as editor of *Garden Magazine*. He published several books on gardening and landscape gardening. The next four years he was assistant professor of landscape horticulture at University of Illinois, then practiced landscape architecture in Detroit, Mich., and latterly had been a fruit grower in Southern California, living with Mrs. Miller (Mary Farrand Rogers) '96, at 1209 South Crenshaw Boulevard, Los Angeles, Calif. Phi Beta Kappa, Sigma Xi, Psi Upsilon.

'98 LLB—CHRISTOPHER EDWARD KOB, recently, in Naples, where he was born and practiced law throughout his life. He was admitted to the Bar in 1899 and elected town clerk; was successively village clerk, village trustee, and for many years was at once a supervisor, town clerk, and village clerk. Daughter, Mrs. M. Edgerton Deuel (Madalene Kob) '25.

'01 AB—RICHARD OLIVER WALTER, June 23, 1938, in Newton, Mass. He entered the Arts College in 1897 from

Binghamton High School, and since graduation had been with the Equitable Life Assurance Society in Boston, Mass. He was actively interested in religious education, and was a speaker for the CUCA on the Campus in 1916. In 1912-13 he was treasurer of the Associate Alumni. Cornell Club of New England. Son, Richard F. Walter '27.

'02 ME—WILLIAM GARLAND NICHOLLS, May 23, 1938, in Wollaston, Mass., where he had lived for nineteen years, at 30 Muirhead Street. He had been an engineer with General Electric Company for thirty-five years, first in Schenectady and in their Boston office since 1919. He entered Sibley College in 1898 from Cohoes.

'03 AB—FLORA ANNETTE HARWICK, March 4, 1938. She entered the Arts College in 1899 from Jacksonville, Fla. and had lived there since graduation, the last few years being at Cragmont Sanitarium, Black Mountain, N. C.

'03 ME—GEORGE BARTGES MERRILL, June 24, 1938, in Akron, Ohio, where he had spent his life. He entered Sibley College in 1899 from University School, Cleveland, Ohio, and was for a time with Robinson Clay Products Co. in Akron. Son, James A. Merrill '29.

'09—GEORGE ALFRED TILDEN, December 8, 1937, in Los Angeles, Cal., where he had lived since 1931. He entered Sibley College in 1905 from Asheville School, Asheville, N. C., and remained two years; was for a time with the Southern Tank Gas Range Corporation in Baltimore, Md. Theta Delta Chi.

'10 AB—BENJAMIN DORRANCE BEYEA, June 14, 1938, in Wilmington, Del. Since his discharge as an Ensign, USNRF, in January, 1919, he had been with E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., first in the development department and since 1936 as assistant to the president. He lived at 728 Greenhill Avenue, Wilmington. He entered the Arts College in 1906 from Wyoming Seminary. Junior Varsity crew; Scarab; Delta Kappa Epsilon.

'10 ME—RUSSELL BLAIR HURLBURT, July 17, 1938, at his home, 62 Sunnyside Way, Bonnie Crest, New Rochelle. Except for Army service and four years from 1925, he had been with the affiliated engineering firms of Pratt & Whitney and Niles-Bement-Pond since graduation. From 1929 to 1936 he was European sales manager in Paris, London, and Brussels, and for the last year had been foreign sales manager in New York City. While living in Hartford, Conn. in 1923, he was secretary of the Cornell Club of Hartford, and later became a member of the Cornell Club of New York. After service on the Mexican border with the New York National Guard in 1916, he became a first lieutenant, Ordnance, and served in Washington, D. C., Madison,

and Milwaukee, Wisc. In 1925 he went to Miami, Fla. with the firm of Sellers & Hurlburt, Inc., construction and building, and for two years from 1928 was with Robert Gair & Co., manufacturers of paper boxes, before going abroad for Pratt & Whitney. He entered Sibley College in 1906 from Mt. Vernon, Ia.; was Freshman Class secretary and Junior Class president; won the "C" in track and football; was a member of the Athletic Council and the Cornellian board; Sphinx Head; Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Scarab; Aleph Samach; Scalp and Blade. In 1910 he coached football at West Virginia University. Mrs. Hurlburt, who is a sister of Ralph E. Chapman '11, survives with two children.

'13—FRANK PAUL CURTIS, February 10, 1938, in Washington, D. C., where he had been in business for some fifteen years, living in Burke, Va. He entered the Arts College from North Adams, Mass., in 1909, remained one term, and later engaged in forestry and logging in Maine, Minnesota, and Wisconsin, attending a winter term at University of Chicago in 1912.

'15, '16 AB—GURNEY ALEXANDER LUNT, June 30, 1938, in an automobile accident in Pontiac, Mich. For fifteen years he had been a salesman for International Business Machines Co., the last three years in Detroit, Mich., and before that in Cincinnati, Ohio, and Syracuse. He entered the Arts College in 1911 from Dunkirk, having attended Somes School. He was in the Army during the World War. Delta Chi.

'19, '20 BS—BRYAN MONROE EAGLE, July 4, 1938, in Memphis, Tenn., on the way to his home in Little Rock, Ark., from a trip to Florida. He attended Culver Military Academy and entered the College of Agriculture in 1915 from Lawrenceville School. In 1918 he enrolled in the Field Artillery Officers' Training School at Camp Taylor. Returning to Little Rock after graduation, he was a banker, first in Memphis with the National City Bank, then becoming vice-president of the American Southern Trust Company in Little Rock. For a time he was assistant bank commissioner of Arkansas, and had recently been appointed field finance supervisor for the WPA at Fort Worth, Tex. Manager baseball; Psi Upsilon; Sphinx Head; Majura; Book and Bowl; Heb-sa.

'24—HOWARD CHARLES BALME, December 9, 1937, in Buffalo. He entered Sibley College from Lafayette High School, Buffalo, in 1920, and remained two years.

'32 MD—JOSEPH MARTIN SWINDT, July 11, 1938, in Olema, Cal. He practiced as a physician and surgeon in Chino and Pomona, Cal. He received the AB at Pomona College, and entered the Medical College in New York in 1928.

Concerning THE ALUMNI

*Personal items and newspaper clippings
about all Cornellians are earnestly solicited.*

'01 ME—Warren G. Ogden is a patent lawyer with offices at 68 Devonshire Street, Boston, Mass. Former president of the Cornell Club of New England, he lives at 162 Monroe Road, Quincy, Mass.

'04 ME—Irving Warner is vice-president in charge of research, production, and operation, of the Warner Company, Philadelphia, Pa. He lives at 1109 Broome Street, Wilmington, Del., and is chairman of the finance committee of the Wilmington City Council.

'04 AB—Henry C. Hasbrouck, consulting accountant, moved his office July 15 from 61 Broadway, New York City, to 26 Journal Square, Jersey City, N. J. He lives at 88 Douglas Road, Glen Ridge, N. J.

'05 AB—Albert S. Tenney, having received the MD at Harvard Medical School in 1908, spent five years in Seattle, Wash., and the next six years in China. Since 1921 he has been in East Orange, N. J., where his address is 164 Harrison Street. He specializes in dermatology, is on the staff of the Orange Memorial Hospital and Skin and Cancer Hospital in New York City, and frequently lectures on China and Oriental music. He has published about forty original musical compositions, and writes that he has four children, all through college.

'05 ME—Robert P. Fritch is president of Union Bronze Co., 516-522 Tulpehocken Street, Reading, Pa. He lives in Reading at 1036 North Fifth Street.

'05 ME; '32, '33 CE; '29, '30 CE; '31 '32 CE—The three sons of Carlos A. Martinez '05 are with their father in Mexico City, Mexico, associated in the Martinez-Zorilla Construction Company. Jose C. Martinez-Zorilla '32 is president of the company; lives with his father and Carlos A. Martinez-Zorilla '29 at 630 Tomas de Chapultepec, Mexico City. Cristobal M. Martinez-Zorilla '31, married and with a son and a daughter, lives at 620 Tomas de Chapultepec.

'07—Dr. David W. Park is with the State Department of Social Welfare, 205 East Forty-second Street, New York City. He lives at 372 East 183d Street, New York City.

'06 ME—George W. Roddewig is general manager of Compania Minera Unificava, del Cerro de Patosi, operating the second largest tin mine in Bolivia. His address is Patosi, Bolivia, care of C.M.U.C.P.

'06 AB, '11 MD—Following his father's example as an oarsman, William Lee, the son of Dr. W. Forrest Lee '06, was one of the ten who received the first

athletic insignia for rowing at Dartmouth, last June. Dr. Lee rowed four years at Cornell, and his son has rowed at Dartmouth several years, but this was the first season the College has given Varsity letters to its crew.

'12 BArch—Daniel D. Merrell married Annette Remer of New York City, July 13. He practices architecture, with offices at 11 East Forty-fourth Street, New York City.

'12 Sp—Leonard T. Kittinger is vice-president of the Shell Union Oil Company, with offices at 50 West Fiftieth Street, New York City.

'15, '16 ME—Charles L. Beckwith is a sales engineer, representing the Dunham Heating Service, at 1846 Hamilton Street, Allentown, Pa.

'16, '17 ME—Emanuel M. Cohen is resident manager of the Park Central Hotel, Seventh Avenue and Fifty-fifth Street, New York City.

'12 CE—Harold D. Hynds, New York City construction engineer, has been appointed, after a "nationwide search for a suitable candidate," as superintendent of plant operation and maintenance of the New York City board of education. Among the buildings he has constructed are the Ritz Tower, Ziegfeld Theatre, Warwick Hotel, and International Magazine Building in New York City. For four years after graduation he was an engineer with a Standard Oil subsidiary; served in the World War as a captain in the Army Air Service; and in 1927 started his own engineering and building business as H. D. Hynds, Inc. In 1933 he was regional manager of the housing division of the WPA, in charge of public works aggregating \$516,000,000, and has since been a consultant to the Federal Housing Authority.

'13—Francis G. Crafts, who left the University to study architecture at University of Pennsylvania, teaches art in the schools of Bellport, Long Island.

'13 ME—Frederick S. Power is president and general manager of the St. Paul Foundry Co., St. Paul, Minn. Married and the father of four children, he lives at 1074 Linwood Place, St. Paul.

'14—Edmund R. Bowden is a member of the insurance firm of Bowden, Gazzam & Arnold, with offices in the Dexter Horton Building, Seattle, Wash., and a director of the Seattle Savings and Loan Association. With Mrs. Bowden and their two sons he lives at 715 McGibba Boulevard, Seattle.

'14 PhD—Dr. Oliver O. Buckley, executive vice-president of Bell Telephone Laboratories, Inc., has been appointed a member of The Engineering Foundation board, by the board of trustees of United Engineering Trustees, Inc., of which it is a part. The Engineering Foundation, endowed in 1914, furthers research in science and engineering through its

founding societies (AIEE, ASME, ASCE, and AIMME) and other engineering organizations. Dr. Buckley will serve four years beginning next October.

'16 AB—Adelheid B. M. Z. Zeller is now Mrs. Ilbert O. Lacy. Her address is 308 Altamont Place, Somerville, N. J.

'17 AB—Mrs. Jane W. Boynton died in Ithaca June 20, 1938. She was the mother of Frank D. Boynton '17 and widow of the late Frank D. Boynton, for many years superintendent of schools in Ithaca and for whom the Frank David Boynton Junior High School is named.

'17 AB—David A. Stafford has been promoted to the rank of major in the Marine Corps. He is on duty at Headquarters, USMC, Navy Building, Washington, D.C., Intelligence Section; has a daughter, Marbary Ann, four, and a son, David Peter, sixteen months, and lives at 114 Jefferson Street, Falls Church, Va.

'20, '21 AB; '24, '26 CE; '02, '15, '16 LLB—The Manor Flash, founded, edited, and published at 12 DeForest Road, Gladstone Manor, Lansdowne, Pa., by Chuck and Dick Mackey, the sons of Charles D. Mackey '21, received nationwide attention recently for its "scoop" of metropolitan newspapers and press services. Interviewing Winthrop Rockefeller, fourth son of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in New York City, Publisher Chuck Mackey learned that although named for his uncle, Winthrop Aldrich, young Mr. Rockefeller has no middle name because his mother did not wish his initials to be W.A.R. When the Manor Flash printed the story, it was flashed around the world by all the news services. The Flash celebrated its first anniversary with an "extra special" edition dedicated to the Philadelphia United Campaign and sold that edition March 6 at a Campaign luncheon, realizing nearly \$100 which was donated to the Campaign "to help kids less lucky than ourselves." Slogans of the Flash are: "Fair Play for Kids" and "Sees All—Prints All." In Atlantic City, N. J., the Flash published two "extra special" editions on the Steel Pier as a feature of Children's Week. Germantown correspondent of the juvenile weekly is Anne Kugler Derham, daughter of Enos J. Derham '24 and granddaughter of William B. Kugler '02. In Montrose, Pa., the correspondent is Mary Gardner, whose father, Braton R. Gardner '15 is owner and publisher of the Montrose Independent and also teaches community journalism at Penn State College. The father of the youthful publisher and editor writes that the Flash "has a large home circulation and also a long mailing list, many Cornellians in all parts of the country being regular subscribers." For some years Sunday editor of the Philadelphia Record and now a public relations counsel at 1307 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Mackey writes that the success of his sons' newspaper has

led him to consider retiring and letting Chuck and Dick, eleven and eight, respectively, support him and Mrs. Mackey.

'21, '22 BS—Andrew G. Baldwin is vice-president of the Victaulic Company

Mentioned in Dispatches

Dr. Hu Shih '14, recently appointed Chinese Ambassador to the United States:

Formerly acting president and dean of the school of literature of Peking National University, Dr. Hu is the second Cornellian to represent his country in Washington. Dr. Sao-Ke Alfred Sze '01, successively envoy to the United States, ambassador to the Court of St. James, and ambassador to the United States, was succeeded in April, 1937, by Dr. C. T. Wang, now resigned.

The late Professor Martin W. Sampson, English, is said to have remarked, "It is entirely possible that a thousand years from now Cornell may be known as the place where Hu Shih went to college." On the several occasions he has lectured on the Campus, Dr. Hu has been exceedingly well received.

Regarded as one of the world's greatest living philosophers, Dr. Hu has for the last few months presented to the world the Chinese case in the Chino-Japanese war, through a lecture tour in the United States and elsewhere. He is now attending the Assembly of the League of Nations in Geneva, Switzerland. He was twice representative from China to the Pan-Pacific Conference; is a trustee of the China Foundation for the promotion of education and culture, and of the Royal Society of Germany.

He received the PhD degree from Columbia University, the honorary degree of Doctor of Literary Humanities from the University of Southern California, and the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters from Harvard University at its tercentenary celebration; has taught philosophy at the University of Chicago and Columbia.

Hu entered the College of Arts and Sciences in 1910 from the New National Institute of Shanghai, and received the AB degree in February, 1914. He continued in the Graduate School for a year. Known to his Campus friends as Suh Hu, he became secretary and then president of the Cosmopolitan Club, was a member of the Cornell Chinese Students' Club, the Philosophical Club, and the Civic Club. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. In 1934 he published *The Chinese Renaissance*, a survey of modern cultural trends in China.

of America, with offices at 26 Broadway, New York City. A former oarsman, he rowed in the "crew of the '20s" during the 1937 Class reunions in Ithaca.

'21 ME—Benjamin A. Cunningham, Jr. is with the Republic National Bank in Dallas, Tex., where he lives at 3810 University Boulevard.

'21 LLB; '33 JSD—Rafael M. Castro-Fernandez and Jose L. Baralt are associated with the law firm of Rounds, Dillingham, Mead, and Nagle, 1 Tetman Street, San Juan, P.R.

'23 ME—Philip S. Otis is a cost and planning clerk with C. K. Williams & Co., 640 North Thirteenth Street, Easton, Pa. Married in 1927, he has a daughter and a son; lives at 827 Burke Street, Easton, Pa.

'25 CE—Edward A. Proctor has been since 1933 president of Proctor and Company, mortgage investment and property management, at 2250 National Bank Building, Detroit, Mich.

'29 CE—Joseph T. Froelich, Jr. has moved from San Antonio, Tex., to The Texas Company Refinery, Tulsa, Okla.

'24 BS—After several expeditions to far lands as an archeologist, Richard F. S. Starr this year received the PhD at Princeton in the department of Oriental languages. In 1924 he was a member of the Harvard University China expedition, returning to serve for a year as registrar of the Fogg Museum of Art at Harvard. As a Fellow of the Fogg Museum for Research in the Near East he took part in and later became director of the Harvard excavations at Nuzi in Iraq, and in 1935 directed the Harvard expedition to Serabit el Khadem (Sinai). For the last three years he has held a fellowship in the Institute for Advanced Study at Princeton, and for part of that time a Carnegie scholarship for study of Islamic art at New York University, where he received the Master's degree in 1937. In 1936 he published a volume, *Excavations and Protosinaitic Inscriptions of Serabit el Khadem*; and the first of a two-volume work, *Nuzi*, in the Harvard-Radcliffe Fine Arts Series is recently out, the second shortly to appear. Mrs. Starr is an alumna of the University of Chicago and they have a son six years old. Starr may be addressed c/o Dr. E. E. Simpson, 6735 Merrill Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

'24 AB, '37 AM—Mildred B. Larkin, with four fellow members of the faculty of St. Agatha's School in New York City, spent two months this summer on a trip to the West Coast and Alaska.

'24 CE—M. Mead Montgomery, recently re-elected secretary-treasurer of the Cornell Club of Chicago, is treasurer of M. A. Mead & Co. He and Mrs. Montgomery live at 308 Ravine Drive, Highland Park, Ill.

'25—Thomas C. Noel is a member of Lawton-Byrne-Bruner Insurance Co., 1201 Pierce Building, St. Louis, Mo.

'25, '26 CE—Appointed by the Swedish Government a member of its official committee for participation in New York World's Fair 1939 is Bjorn R. Edstrom '25 of 28 Kungsgatan, Stockholm, Sweden. He plans to attend next June's reunions, coming over to help plan a Swedish Day at the World's Fair June 25.

'25—John L. Button of Ithaca has been appointed a member of the State committee to direct the Kiwanis Clubs' welfare program for underprivileged children.

'26—Francis E. Brossy, Jr. is with the L. C. Brossy Dyeing Co., 4866 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Mich. Mrs. Brossy is a Wellesley alumna; with their ten-year-old son and six-year-old daughter they live at 171 McMillan Road, Grosse Point Farms, Mich.

'27, '28 ME—D. Verner Smythe last year married Eleanor E. Sherman, alumna of Carnegie Institute of Technology. He received the LLB degree at George Washington University, is an assistant patent examiner in the U. S. Patent Office in Washington, D.C., and lives at 3919 Fourth Street, Arlington, Va. He is executive vice-president of the Comet Class Yacht Racing Association, commodore of the Potomac River Sailing Association, secretary-treasurer of the Chesapeake Bay Yacht Racing Association, and a member of the Capitol Yacht Club.

'28 ME—George H. Woodard has received a patent on an improvement in rotary vacuum pumps, involving a new system of valve-controlled ducts in the rotor. The patent was assigned to the Ingersoll Rand Company. Woodard lives at 329 Summit Avenue, Springfield, Pa.

'28 AB—Helen M. Grant, who teaches German at Ridgefield Park, N. J., visited Germany, Switzerland, France, and Holland this summer.

'28, '29 EE—Joseph L. Proctor, Jr. is a member of the law firm of Shoemaker & Proctor, with offices in the Aledo State Bank Building, Aledo, Ill.

'29; '00—Abram C. Mott, 3d has a son, Abram Cox Mott IV, born March 31, 1938. The baby is a grandson of Abram C. Mott, Jr. '00. Father and grandfather both live in Lansdale, Pa.

'29 BS—Francis J. McAniff has a son, born July 6. He and Mrs. McAniff live at 109 Northway Road, Ithaca.

'29 AB—Clara H. Dee is now Mrs. William E. Hedges; she lives at 169 Somerton Avenue, Kenmore.

'29 BS—Evelyn M. Gaynor received the MA degree at the school of education, New York University, June 8.

'29 AB, '33 MD—Dr. Norman C. Margolius has announced the opening of his office for the practice of gynecology and obstetrics, at 125 Grove Street, Waterbury, Conn.

'30 AB—Dr. Harry Jasper practices medicine at 510 Madison Avenue, Albany.

'30, '31 ME—Ralph L. Hill, Jr. is a refrigeration and air-conditioning sales engineer with the Washington Refrigeration Co., York distributor in metropolitan Washington, D. C., where his address is 3434 Thirtieth Street, N.W.

'30; '99 MME; '00 AB—Albert Stamford, Jr. is an artist with Rittenhouse Artcraft Display, 2217 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa. He is the son of Albert Stamford '99 and Mrs. Stamford (Helen W. Whipple) '00.

'30 ME—Since graduation Theodore V. Radcliffe has been an engineer with the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Co. at Rankin, Pa. His address is 5759 Howe Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

'32 AB—Philip H. Foote is with Dy-Dee Wash Co., Inc., 4136 Mitchell Street (Roxborough), Philadelphia, Pa. He lives in King of Prussia, Montgomery County, Pa.

'33 AB, '34 AM—Dr. Howard R. Seidenstein received the MB and MD degrees at University of Minnesota this June, and has an internship for the next year at New Rochelle Hospital. He was elected to Alpha Omega Alpha at Minnesota; writes of the News: "I read each issue with great pleasure."

'31 AB, '35 MD—Dr. Charles G. Stetson this year finished his surgical internship at Lenox Hill Hospital, New York City, and is resident surgeon in the cancer division, New York Post-graduate Hospital. He lives at Milford Downs, Milford, Conn.

'31, '32 BArch—Edmund N. Bacon, is city planner in the Flint Institute of Research and Planning and the author of Comprehensive City Plan for Flint, Michigan, Part I, recently published. He lives at 310 East Third Street, Flint, Mich.

'31 CE—Robert L. Quick of Ithaca has qualified for a land surveyor's license with the New York State Board of Examiners of Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.

'31—Bronson A. Quackenbush is with H. M. Quackenbush, Inc., Herkimer, where he lives at 20 Park Place, North. He and Mrs. Quackenbush have two daughters and a son.

'32 AB, '35 MD—Dr. George B. Sanders practices surgery in St. Louis, Mo., with offices at 600 South Kings Highway.

'32 ME, '33 MME; '34—William T. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson (Emmy Lou Reddick) '34 have twin children, Janice Ann Thompson and Donald Reddick Thompson, born June 27. They live at 165 Colorado Avenue, Highland Park, Mich.

'32—Kenelm W. Taylor is an accountant with the United States Rubber Company at 1790 Broadway, New York City; lives at 64 Morgan Place, North Arlington, N. J.

'32 ME—Richard S. Stewart married Ruth Dysart Staten, an alumna of Wellesley, June 6. He is a plant engineer for the Texas Company in San Antonio, Tex., where he lives at 128 Katherine Court.

'33 PhD—The Rev. R. Pierce Beaver after October 1 will be at the American College of Chinese Studies, Peiping, China. Until then, his address is 235 Park Avenue, Hamilton, Ohio.

'33 AB—Jean W. Miller was married in Ithaca July 14 to Paul B. Simpson of Portland, Ore., a graduate of Reed College and now enrolled in the Graduate School at the University.

'33 ME, '35 MME—David Dropkin has been appointed Westinghouse research associate in the College of Engineering for the academic year.

'33 AB; '35 BS—Thomas G. Lamberti and Claudia G. Day were married July 6, 1933. A daughter, Karen Marie Lamberti, was born August 3, 1937. They live at 90 East Street, Salamanca.

'33, '34 DVM—Dr. Walter O. Bauer practices veterinary medicine and has a hospital for small animals in Watertown, where his address is 1433 Washington Street. He married in July, 1934, and has a daughter, born in November, 1937.

'34 EE—Robert G. Vaughan, Jr. has a son, Robert Grimstead Vaughan III, born April 18. Vaughan is a manufacturers' agent with Machinery and Equipment Sales, Inc. in Baltimore, Md.

'34; '05 BArch; '04 AB—William M. North '34, having received the LLB at University of Buffalo, has entered law practice in the office of Elton M. Dale, 853 Elliott Square Building, Buffalo. He was married in July, 1937, and lives at 149 College Street, Buffalo. North is the son of Robert North '05 and the former Gladys Miller '04.

'34 BS, '37 LLB—Robert S. Grant married Barbara L. Haskins, Syracuse '33 in Cincinnati, July 2. While in the Law School he coached 150-pound football; is now practicing law in New York City. They will live in Huntington, L. I.

'34 AB; '08 MD—Ralph M. Schwartz this year received the MD at Long Island College of Medicine, and has started internship at the Jewish Hospital in Brooklyn, where his father, Dr. Leo S. Schwartz '08, is chief in gynecology.

'34 AB—Mrs. Claude O. Witze (Margaret L. Eppich) and her husband are the parents of a son, Christopher Paul Witze, born June 26. They live at 327 Main Street, Greenwood, R. I.

'35 AB—Charles K. Barnum, married for two years, is a member of the news staff of the White Plains Reporter; lives at 90½ Pleasant Avenue, Pleasantville.

'35 EE; '38 AB—Herbert L. Prescott married Marion E. Henderson of Bainbridge in Ithaca, Commencement Day, June 20. They live in Sharon, Pa., where

Prescott is with the Westinghouse Company.

'35—Henry W. Lowe, with Compton Advertising, Inc., 630 Fifth Avenue, New York City, has been named account executive in charge of the expanded advertising program by newspapers and radio throughout New England of the West End Brewing Co. of Utica.

'35, '37 BS in AE—John V. Baker has entered the employ of the National Electric Instrument Co., Long Island City. He now lives at 37-21 Parsons Boulevard, Flushing.

'35 BS; '35 Sp; '12 BS, '13 MS—Merrill N. Knapp, for the last two years assistant to Ralph H. Allee '35 at the Albanian-American Institute for rural youth maintained by the Near East Foundation at Kavaje, Albania, has been appointed technical director of the school. Knapp's advancement comes with the transfer of Allee to Macedonia to direct the Foundation's rural life project in forty-eight refugee villages there. Allee assumes the duties of Harold B. Allen, who has taken courses in rural education in Summer Sessions at the University, and returned to the States this summer for a year's further study. Besides directing the farm school for boys, Knapp will conduct the first summer school in Albania for village teachers and the first rural clinical service in the country. Mrs. Knapp and their three-months-old daughter, in the United States since last winter, sailed in August to rejoin him. Knapp is the son of Halsey B. Knapp '12, director of the State Institute of Applied Agriculture at Farmingdale.

'35 AB; '28 PhD—Laura B. Maughan, daughter of Dr. George H. Maughan, '28 PhD, research associate in Physiology, was married June 29 in Manti, Utah, to Harold M. Creer, an alumnus of the University of Utah and Louisiana State University Medical College. She has been teaching the last year in the Payson (Utah) High School. They will live in Spanish Fork, Utah.

'35 BS—Donald E. Curtice married Corrinne L. Teeter of Groton, in Gainesville, Fla., June 25. He is employed there with the American Lumber and Treating Co.

'35 BS; '36 CE—C. Dudley Corwin, Jr. and Mrs. Corwin (Phyllis S. Weldin) '36 have a daughter, Phyllis Marie Corwin, born last April. Their address is Moraine Country Club, Dayton, Ohio. Corwin is manager of the Club

'35 AB—William F. Detwiler, Jr., pursuing the musical interests which made him president of the Musical Clubs and the Savage Club, is a member of the board of directors of the Mendelssohn Choir in Pittsburgh, Pa., of the Pittsburgh Symphony Society, and of the Art Society. He is employed in the control laboratory of the Allegheny Steel Co. in Brackenridge, Pa.

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'36 ME; '07 AB, '09 ME—Andrew W. Peirce last September married Jane Healy of Aurora, Ill. He lives at 209 North Oak Street, Buchanan, Mich., and works for the Clark Equipment Company. "My immediate boss went to, and pitched for, Syracuse in the old days, so it's quite a battle we have." Of his father, Clarence A. Peirce '07, he writes: "He is vice-president of the Diamond T Motor Car Co., in charge of production, and his home is at 237 South Spring Avenue, LaGrange, Ill. He's socking a good golf ball these days, too. Have noticed news about most of my friends in the ALUMNI NEWS. . ."

'37—James G. Dodge, former stroke of the Varsity crew, is now in Miami, Fla., as traffic representative for Pan American Airways. He writes: "I've been so far away from Ithaca since I left there in 1937 with the crew for Poughkeepsie that I've been more than thankful for the News. For several months the latter part of last year, I flew around South America, after which I was located in New York for a very short time before being sent down here to Miami. Now I am more than anxious to get back, if only for a little while." Dodge's address is 3639 Park Lane, Miami, Fla.

'37—Edward A. Miller writes from the Trudeau Sanitarium, Trudeau: "Finally believe that I have the upper hand of the T.B. bug, and expect to get out of Trudeau and back to school for my CE degree."

'37 EE—Edward S. Acton is a test engineer in the General Electric training course. His home address is Wyndcote, Lee Road, Stockbridge, Mass.

'37 BS—Beth W. Dawson, who taught home economics last year in the Cherry Valley High School, was married in Ithaca, June 30, to Gordon A. Hamm. They will live in Batavia.

'38 DVM; '16 DVM—Wilber G. Collins married Lema Drake of Groton, June 30. Mrs. Collins is a graduate of Cortland Normal and last year taught in the Dryden Central School. They will live in Concord, N. H., where Collins is assistant to Dr. Fay F. Russell '16.

'38 AB—Richard R. Anderson is working for the Sun Oil Company; his home address, 461 Siwanoy Place, Pelham Manor.

'38 AB—John S. Kittle, last year manager of the Musical Clubs, is with the Chemico Laboratories, manufacturers and distributors of pharmaceuticals, in Indianapolis, Ind.

'38 AB; '11—William B. Smith is employed in the Glass City Bank, Jeanette, Pa. He is the son of Maurice A. Smith '11, of Jeannette.

'38 BS in AE—John H. McClennan is working for the Niagara-Hudson Corporation, in Syracuse.

'38 ME; '37, '38 AB—Robert T. Brunton married Alice E. Guttman, June 25.

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