

CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS

Clark S. Northup '93 Elected
National President of
Phi Beta Kappa

Enlarged Carillon Rings In the
Sixty-First Year of the
University

Three Score Football Candidates
at Work—Season Opens
Saturday

Experienced Runners Among 27
Back for Cross Country
Practice



Football Games

Football Tickets

Football Ticket Applications

The 1928 Schedule

- Sept. 29—Clarkson Tech. at Ithaca. Admission \$1.00.
Oct. 6 —Niagara at Ithaca. Admission \$1.00.
Oct. 13 —Hampden-Sidney at Ithaca. Admission \$1.50.
Oct. 27 —Princeton at Princeton. Tickets \$4.00. Distribution begins Oct. 15.
Nov. 3 —Columbia at Baker Field, New York. Tickets \$4.00. Distribution begins Oct. 22.
Nov. 10—St. Bonaventure at Ithaca. Admission \$1.50.
Nov. 17—Dartmouth at Ithaca. Tickets \$3.00. Distribution begins Nov. 5.
Nov. 29—Pennsylvania at Philadelphia. Tickets \$5.00. Distribution begins Nov. 5.

Application Blanks

Application blanks with a bulletin of complete information were mailed about Sept. 15 to all former students and to the addresses registered in the office of the Alumni Representative. Additional blanks will be sent on request.

Priorities

Applications are filled in the following order: 1. Members of the Athletic Association, 2. Alumni who are not members, 3. Undergraduates who are not members, 4. All others.

Within the same class applications rank in order of receipt.

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New Chime Bells

Cornell Carillon Increased to Sixteen Bells, Increasing Musical Possibilities

Two new bells, a G bell in the middle range and an upper G bell, have been added to the chimes in the Library Tower. The new bells will permit the playing of compositions in the key of A. The addition of the new bells was accompanied by the installation of a new, modern playing stand.

The new bells were cast by Meneely and Company of Watervliet. They bring the total number of bells in the carillon to sixteen. Dean Albert W. Smith '78 supervised arrangements for the casting and installation of the bells.

The original chime of nine bells was the gift to the University of Miss Jennie McGraw, daughter of John McGraw, one of the Trustees by the charter.

The nine original bells cost about \$5,000, and they were placed in a specially constructed wooden tower on the site of the present Library, and rung for the first time on the afternoon of October 6, 1868, the day of the formal opening of the University.

In 1869, President White added the tenth bell, the present tenor bell of the chime upon which the hours are struck. The first nine bells bear appropriate inscriptions from Tennyson's "In Memoriam." Those for the tenth bell were arranged by James Russell Lowell, who was at one time a non-resident professor at the University.

In 1872, the chimes were placed in the tower of McGraw Hall. Three years later the clock, now in the Library Tower, was placed in McGraw. When the Library was completed in 1891, both bells and clock were moved to their present quarters. In June, 1906, an appropriation of \$8,000 for four new bells was made. The old bells, with the exception of the clock bell, were removed for recasting and a rearrangement of the scale. When all the bells were reassembled, a chime of fourteen bells was made available, a chime whose musical possibilities are now further enhanced by the two new bells recently installed.

On August 15, Robert V. Morse '11 of Ithaca wrote to *The New York Times* a letter commenting on an article in the *Times* which said that the first "practical carillon in North America was installed in Toronto in 1922." He says in part:

"Andrew D. White, that scholar and diplomat who was the first president of

Cornell University, was a great student of cathedrals, and in his travels acquired a love for the carillons of the Low Countries, or chimes, as they were then called in English—chimes that could play tunes, as distinguished from the swinging bells or pealing chimes, where the man leaped from rope to rope and kept up a joyous clamor, but could play no tune. He studied the Belgian system, in which fixed bells are struck by hammers, operated by wires attached to a keyboard; and when he became first president of Cornell there was installed in a high tower, overlooking lake and valley, a carillon which has played three times a day ever since."

Morse speaks of the operation of the chimes and then adds:

"The French word 'carillon' appears to have been recently introduced into our language, meaning playable chimes, as distinguished from pealable chimes, but the thing itself is old here, at least as far back as about 1870, and probably much older. The Cornell carillon was cast by Meenely Brothers in Troy, N. Y., in 1870 or thereabouts, and enlarged and retuned by them about 1910."

LANGDON COUNCIL HEAD

Jervis Langdon '97 of Elmira was re-elected president of the Cornellian Council at the fall meeting of the executive committee in Ithaca. He succeeded Frank E. Gannett '98 of Rochester a year ago.

During the past year, more than 1,000 new subscribers were added to the Alumni Fund, one of the major activities of the Council, the annual report of Harold Flack '12, executive secretary, revealed. The number of contributors was 9,167.

A total of \$571,514 was contributed to the University through the Council during the academic year which closed July 1. Anonymous gifts totaled \$186,000, of which \$150,000 was added to the permanent endowment and \$36,000 to the current expense fund.

Contributions to the Alumni Fund for July and August show an increase of twenty-five per cent over the same period last year.

FIRE CAUSED damage estimated at \$2,000 at the former home of Mrs. Andrew D. White at 508 Highland Road September 15. The blaze started when burning papers were drawn through the chimney by a strong draft and blown on the roof. Damage was confined to the roof and upper part of the house.

Professor Northup Honored

Elected President of United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa—On Cornell Faculty Since 1895



Professor Clark S. Northup '93 of the English Department was elected president of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa at the sixteenth triennial council at Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, on September 11. He succeeds Dr. Charles F. Thwing, president emeritus of Western Reserve University. Professor Northup was also renamed one of the ten senators of the society, an office he has held since 1910.

He was president of the Cornell Chapter in 1916, and had previously served as its secretary for ten years. He has edited two volumes of Phi Beta Kappa Orations and compiled "A Bibliography of Phi Beta Kappa," which was published last year.

Professor Northup entered Cornell in 1889 as a President White Scholar. He received the A.B. degree in 1893 and the degree of Ph.D. in 1898, three years after he became connected with the teaching staff as an assistant in English. He was made an instructor in 1897 and an assistant professor in 1903. He has been a full professor of English since 1919.

Professor Northup has been a co-operating editor of *The Journal of English and Germanic Philology* since 1906, has served for a number of years as a reader in English for the College Entrance Examination Board, and as head reader and examiner in English at various periods. He studied in Munich and London, and has lectured at Columbia University Summer Sessions. For the most part, however, his scholastic activities have been carried on at Cornell.

Among Professor Northup's published works are "A Manual of American Literature" (with others) in 1909; "Studies in Language and Literature" (with others), 1910; "Progressive Studies in English" (with Miss A. Blount); "A Bibliography of Thomas Gray"; "A Register of Bibliographies of the English Language and Literature"; and many papers and reviews. He has also edited a number of standard works. He was the editor in 1898 of the first volume of the CORNELL ALUMNI NEWS.

61st Year Begins

Classes Start September 27—Enrollment Limitation Effective—Some Faculty Changes

Cornell began its sixty-first year on September 24 with freshman registration, followed for two days by the registration of older students.

Fewer freshmen than usual arrived early to take the entrance examinations. More attention is being given to entrance requirements and students accepted for admission generally have the prerequisites. The College of Arts and Sciences again had more than 2,000 applications and has accepted only 500 matriculants. In the College of Architecture only 40 of the 250 applicants were admitted.

Building changes apparent to the returning undergraduates include considerable progress on the new \$2,000,000 women's residential halls; excavations for the War Memorial group of men's dormitories, including McFadden and Lyon Halls and Boldt Tower; a new water supply including a new concrete reservoir of one and one-half millions' capacity, and a new filtration plant; excavations for the new Plant Industry Building and a new bridge over Fall Creek Gorge.

Herman Diederichs '97, professor of experimental engineering and director of the Sibley School of Mechanical Engineering has assumed his duties as the first incumbent of the John E. Sweet Memorial Professorship of Engineering.

Edwin F. Bradford, formerly registrar and director of admissions at Syracuse University, opened the new office of director of admissions at Cornell. Madison

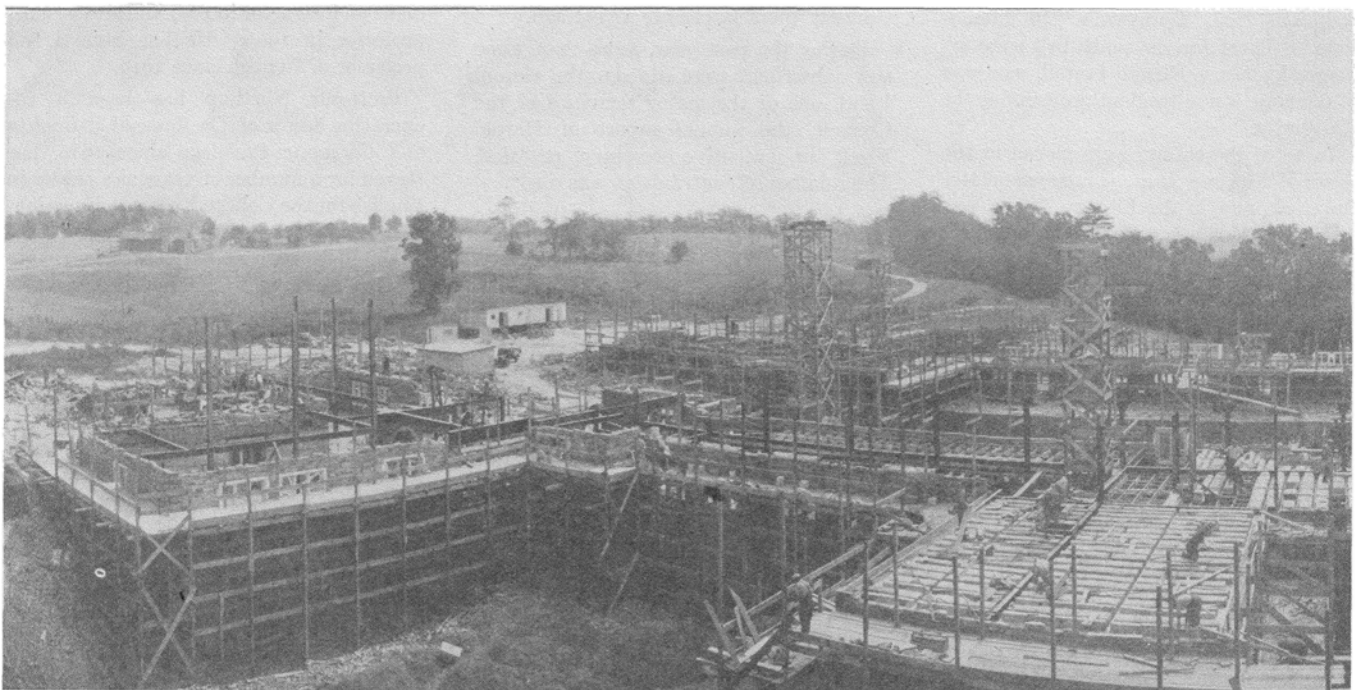
Bentley Ph.D. '98, who has been at the University of Illinois, is now Sage Professor of Psychology, filling the vacancy created by the death of Professor Edward B. Titchener last year.

Other new Faculty members include: N. W. DeWitt, dean of Victoria College, University of Toronto, acting professor of classics; Frank H. Hodder of the University of Kansas, acting professor of American history; Bruce Williams of the University of Virginia, professor of government; Carl Stephenson of the University of Wisconsin, acting professor of medieval history; Lars-Gunnar Romell of Sweden, Charles Lathrop Pack Research Professor of Forest Soils. Alexander D. Seymour, Jr., becomes full professor of architecture, and G. E. G. Catlin Ph.D. '24, professor of political science.

Other appointments and promotions include: D. L. Finlayson, assistant professor of fine arts; R. S. Uhrbrock, assistant professor of psychology in the Department of Rural Education; Frederick G. Marcham, Ph.D. '26, assistant professor of English history; Marion Pfund, acting assistant professor of home economics; Katherine W. Harris, assistant professor of home economics and manager of the Cafeteria; Frank S. Freeman, assistant professor of education; A. E. Murphy, assistant professor of philosophy; Walter H. Stainton '20, assistant professor of public speaking; Russell H. Wagner, A.M. '23, acting assistant professor of public speaking; Albert W. Laubengayer '21, assistant professor of chemistry; C. F. Roos, assistant professor of mathematics; Guy E. Grantham, Ph.D. '20, assistant professor of physics; E. C. Showacre, assistant professor of hygiene and medical

adviser; Muriel Brasie, acting assistant professor of home economics; Richard V. Gibbons '25, acting assistant professor of veterinary medicine; Clifford N. Stark, Ph.D. '27, assistant professor of dairy industry; Marguerite Wilker, extension professor of home economics; Maurice C. Bond, '22-3 grad., extension assistant professor of marketing; Eva M. Duthie, extension assistant professor of rural social organization; Miss H. J. Hubbel, and Miss H. B. Kay, extension assistant professors of home economics; Lillian Shaber, acting assistant professor in junior extension.

Changes in the Medical College in New York include the following: Dr. G. Canby Robinson assumes active head of the combined New York Hospital and Cornell Medical College, as the first director of the joint project; Charles E. Farr, professor of clinical surgery; Harold E. Santee '04, professor of clinical surgery, Bellevue Hospital Clinic; Byron Stookey, professor of clinical surgery; McKeen Cattell, assistant professor of physiology; W. H. Chambers, assistant professor of physiology; Harry J. Deuel, Jr., assistant professor of physiology; John F. Fraser, assistant professor of clinical medicine, Department of Dermatology; Morton C. Kahn '16, Ph.D. '24, assistant professor of health and preventive medicine; M. C. Klotz, assistant professor of health and preventive medicine; Jose F. Nonidez, assistant professor of anatomy; Arthur Palmer '15, assistant professor of clinical surgery, Department of Laryngology; L. W. Smith, assistant professor of physiology; and Hervey C. Williamson, assistant professor of obstetrics and gynecology.



THE PROGRESS ON THE NEW WOMEN'S DORMITORY

The photograph was taken from the roof of the former Scorpion house on Wait Avenue now used as a building headquarters. It shows the Country Club in the

ATHLETICS

Football Squad at Work

Cornell football practice began on September 10 with fifty-six men reporting to Coach Dobie. A dozen or so more reported later. The squad this year includes sixteen men who won their varsity letters last year. Several who were attending the Civil Engineering Camp were late in reporting for practice.

Captain Dudley N. Schoales '29 of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, heads the list of experienced ends. Three other wingmen who won letters last year, Robert E. Alexander '29 of Westfield, N. J., Woodward A. Wickham '29 of East Cleveland, Ohio, and Fred J. Wrampelmeier '29 of Cincinnati, Ohio, have also reported. Phillips K. Champion '30 of Philadelphia, Pa., George P. Hunter '30 of Brooklyn, Ernest H. Kingsbury '29 of Ithaca, and William J. Quest '29 of Louisville, Ky., are also trying for end positions.

John F. Anderson '29 of Glendale, Ohio, regular tackle last year, has not yet reported. Samuel Wakeman '30 of Quincy, Mass., who also played regularly last year, is again a candidate. Others seeking tackle berths are Lawrence L. Levy '29 of New York, Charles E. Parker '29 of Tampa, Fla., Robert O. Modarelli '30 of Union City, N. J., James P. Tattersfield '30 of Ambler, Pa., Joseph R. Wortman '30 of New York, and Paul N. Hunt '31 of New Brunswick, N. J.

Guards available are Arthur L. Towson '30 of Smithsburg, Md., Warren L. Worden '30 of Enid, Okla., and Jackson D. Waterbury '29 of Rome, letter men last

year; Carlos A. Martinez '29 of Mexico City, Mexico, Richard W. Steinberg '29 of Nedrow, squad men in 1927, and Edmund L. Cobb '30 of Ithaca, ineligible last year.

The centers are headed by Ferris P. Kneen '29 of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, and include Walter W. Sibson '30 of Philadelphia, Pa., William S. Ibold '29 of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Nichols A. Malone '30 of Auburn.

The backs include Sidney D. Beck '29 of Trenton, N. J.; Norman E. Scott '30 of Attleboro, Mass., Howard S. Johnson '30 of Charleston, W. Va., Wesley C. Bender '29 of Rockaway Beach, Earl G. Bristol '29 of Oceanside, Robert N. Lyon '29 of Cleveland, Ohio, Griffith R. Davies '30 of Agawan, Mass., ineligible last year; and Bruce W. Hackstaff '31 of Brooklyn.

Assisting Coach Dobie are Emerson Carey '27, captain of the 1926 team, Eugene P. Balderston '28, Thomas F. Fennell '26, and Davis S. Hill '26.

Harriers Start Practice

Cross country practice began September 17 when a squad of twenty-seven men reported to Coach Moakley. The 1928 fall campaign includes two dual meets, both at Ithaca, the quadrangular race, and the Intercollegiates at New York. Horace H. Benson '29 of Esperance is the cross country captain.

Other members of last year's squad available are Orson C. Beaman '29 of White Plains, Samuel R. Levering '30 of The Hollow, Va., Frederick G. Dulaff '30 of Brooklyn, John Walsh '30 of Somerville, Mass., John R. McKaig '30 of Buffalo, and Roswell G. Eldridge '30 of Lexington, Mass. The schedule:

Fall Schedules

FOOTBALL

September 29	Clarkson Tech, at Ithaca
October 6	Niagara at Ithaca
October 13	Hampden-Sidney at Ithaca
October 27	Princeton at Princeton
November 3	Columbia at New York
November 10	St. Bonaventure at Ithaca
November 17	Dartmouth at Ithaca
November 29	Pennsylvania at Philadelphia

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

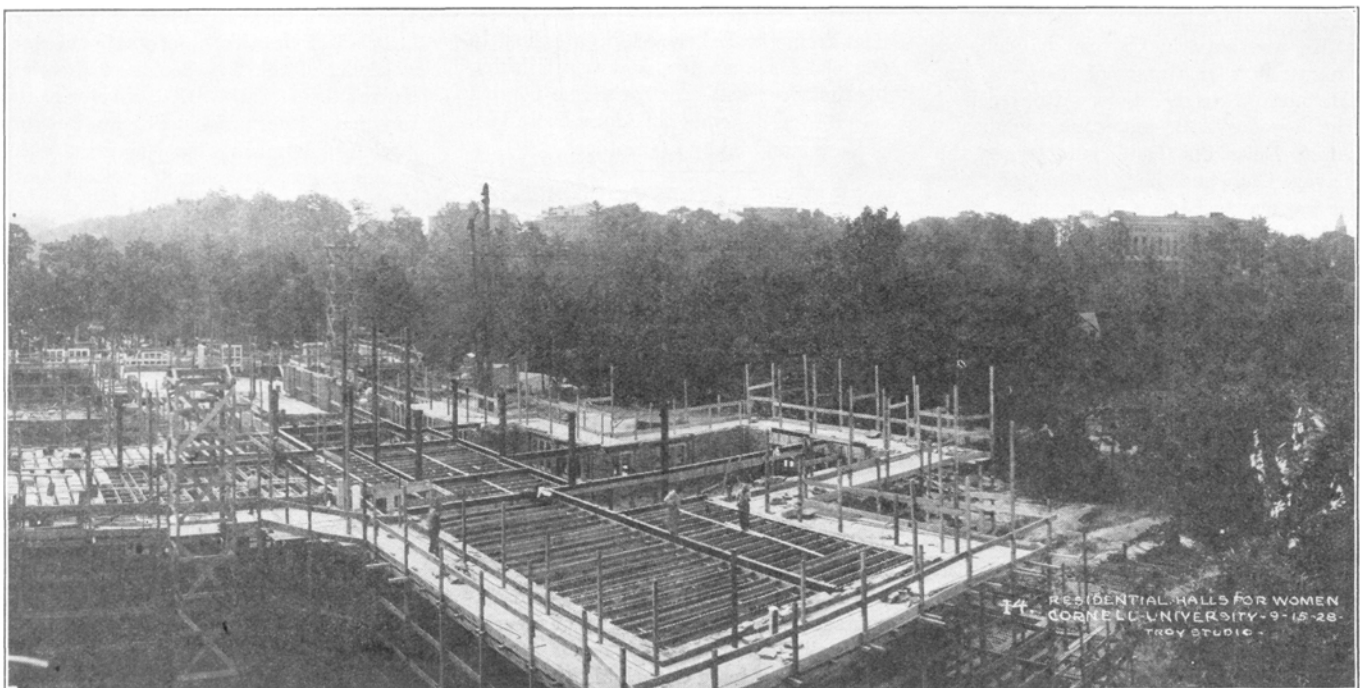
October 20	Cortland Normal at Cortland
October 27	Manlius at Ithaca
November 3	Dickinson Seminary at Ithaca
November 10	Pennsylvania at Philadelphia

CROSS COUNTRY

October 20	Alfred at Ithaca
November 10	Columbia, Dartmouth, and Pennsylvania at New York
November 17	Dartmouth at Ithaca
November 26	Intercollegiates at New York

SOCCER

October 6	Hamilton at Ithaca
October 20	Pennsylvania at Ithaca
October 26	Princeton at Ithaca
November 3	Syracuse at Ithaca
November 10	Lehigh at Bethlehem
November 16	Dartmouth at Ithaca
November 29	Haverford at Haverford



background to the left and at the extreme right, across the gorge, Baker Laboratory, the chemistry building.

Photo by Troy Studio

OBITUARIES

Charles Pullin '73

Word has been received of the death recently of Charles Pullin, a dentist in Newark, N. J. He spent a year in the mechanical engineering course at Cornell, and in 1876 received the degree of D.D.S. from the New York College of Dentistry.

J. Byers Holbrook '96

John Byers Holbrook, consulting engineer, died suddenly in New York on August 19. He was born in New York in 1872, the son of Edwin W. and Fannie Chick Holbrook. He received the degree of M.E. and was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon and Aleph Samach.

Holbrook designed the mechanical plants for the Trinity Building and the City Investment Company Building in New York, and the Parliament Building in Toronto. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Blanche Meehan Holbrook.

Welton H. Rozier '01

Welton Henry Rozier, attorney and real estate dealer in St. Louis, Mo., died last March after an illness of several months. Born in Ste. Genevieve, Mo., on May 9, 1876, the son of Henry L. and Mary Janis Rozier, he entered Cornell in 1898 and remained a year taking special work in arts. He was a member of Zeta Psi.

He is survived by two sisters and three brothers, Edgar J. Rozier '99 and Henry and Francis Rozier.

Allen Bole '02

(Robert) Allen Bole died on June 11 in Tucson, Ariz., where he had gone a year ago for his health.

He was born in Cleveland, Ohio, on August 29, 1878, the son of Joseph K. and Melinda Patterson Bole. He received the degree of A.B., and was a member of Alpha Delta Phi, Quill and Dagger, the Savage Club, and the Glee Club, of which he was manager in his senior year.

Until his retirement because of ill health, Bole was president of the National Pole Company of Escanaba, Mich. He is survived by three brothers, Benjamin P. Bole, David C. Bole '11 and Hamilton B. Bole '11.

Oliver M. Ainsworth '14

Oliver Morley Ainsworth, professor of English at Beloit College, died in Bath, N. Y., on September 16, after a series of operations. He was born in Penn Yan, N. Y., on March 5, 1889, the son of Herman W. and Sarah Birdsall Ainsworth. He received the degree of B.S. in 1915 and of Ph.D. in 1920. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Recently he edited Milton's Tractate of Education for the Cornell Studies in English.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Anna Bruce Ainsworth, and a son and daughter.

A. Perry Himes '16

Albert Perry Himes, for many years an engineer in the bridge department of the Nickel Plate Railroad, died on August 8.

He was born on August 11, 1893, the son of Albert J. Himes '87 and Grace Himes. He received the degree of C.E. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Eleanor Parmalee Himes, and three daughters, Alberta, Carol, and Grace Himes.

Roland C. Velguth '16

Roland Chester Velguth, senior member of the firm of Velguth and Papenthien, architects in Milwaukee, Wisc., was drowned in Lake Michigan on August 11, apparently stunned by a life preserver thrown him after he slipped overboard from the yacht on which he was cruising.

He was born in Milwaukee on October 1, 1890, the son of Frederick W. and Clara Linde Velguth. He received the degree of B.Arch. and was a member of Alpha Sigma Phi. He is survived by his wife and a son, Louis Velguth, 2d.

Frederick S. Rummmler '31

Frederick Sittig Rummmler was drowned in Lake Michigan, four miles off Lake Forest, on August 28, when a catboat in which he was sailing capsized from a strong gust of wind. The other members of the party were picked up by coast guardsmen.

He was born in Chicago on August 25, 1908, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene A. Rummmler. He had completed his first year in mechanical engineering, and was a member of Delta Phi. He was a cousin of Joseph M. Rummmler '29 of Chicago.

John F. LaMarche '31

John Frederick LaMarche died of meningitis on August 4, in Cleveland.

He was born in Lorain, Ohio, on May 6, 1909, the son of Frank and Mary E. LaMarche. He graduated as an honor student from the Lakewood High School in Cleveland a year ago, and was finishing his first year at Cornell when he became ill. He was a member of Alpha Delta Phi.

He is survived by his mother.

LE FEVRE ESTATE TO CORNELL

George W. Le Fevre '89, who died on August 13, in Paris, left, under the terms of his will, more than \$250,000 to Cornell. This sum represents the residue of his estate, and the income of the fund is to be used yearly in payment of \$400 scholarships to students successful in passing special examinations.

Competition for these scholarships will be limited to freshman men and women who are in need of financial assistance to complete their education. The will explains that the bequest was made "to advance the interest and usefulness of Cornell University and to aid and encourage young men and women of superior ability."

Le Fevre entered Cornell in 1885, taking the course in letters. He remained two years. Recently he has devoted his time to traveling. His home was in New Paltz.

Scout Executives Meet

Cornell Host to Boy Scouts of America at Biennial Training Conference

Cornell University was host, from September 5 to 12, to the Fifth National Training Conference of Scout Executives, a biennial meeting of the men of the United States who direct the activities of the Boy Scouts of America. The conference brought to the Campus more than one thousand visitors during the week, including many distinguished guests from this country, England, Chile, and Canada.

The address of welcome in behalf of President Farrand, who was abroad at the time, was given by Dean Albert R. Mann '04 of the College of Agriculture. Addresses of welcome were also given by Charles H. Newman '13, president of Louis Agassiz Fuertes Council of the Ithaca Boy Scouts, and Mayor Fred B. Howe of Ithaca.

The conference headquarters was maintained in Willard Straight Hall, which also housed the largest exhibit of Boy Scout work ever held. Executives were housed in the dormitories and in several Campus cottages. The main sessions of the conference were held in Bailey Hall, with midday luncheons and the closing banquet in the Drill Hall. Goldwin Smith Hall was used for discussion groups. The entire Campus was used by the executives during the outdoor programs.

Among the prominent men on the program were Dr. John H. Finley, associate editor of *The New York Times* and former New York State commissioner of education; Dr. William H. Kilpatrick, professor of the philosophy of education, Teachers' College, Columbia; Mortimer L. Schiff of New York, international commissioner of the Boy Scouts of America; Hubert S. Martin, C.B.E., director of the Boy Scout International Bureau, London, England; John H. Stiles, assistant chief commissioner, Canadian Boy Scout Association; George Palmer Putnam of New York; Dr. Henry P. Fairchild, professor of social economy and director of the Bureau of Community Service and Research, New York University, and Colonel Theodore Roosevelt.

At one of the programs, a group of Scout executives who graduated from Cornell appeared on the platform in scout uniforms and carnelian and white neckerchiefs and sang Alma Mater. The executives later put the words of the conference marching song to the music of "Cornell Victorious."

At the closing banquet the executives presented to Mrs. Anna F. Grace '10, as a gift to the girls who assisted in waiting on table, a check for \$1,000.

Dean Mann, on behalf of President Farrand, received a scout statuette, presented by the conference committee.

BOOKS

The Progress of the League

State Security and the League of Nations.
By Bruce Williams, Ph.D. Baltimore.
The Johns Hopkins Press. 1927. 19.5
cm., pp. xii, 346. The Albert Shaw Lec-
tures on Diplomatic History, 1927. Price,
\$2.75.

In this volume Professor Williams, who comes to us this fall from the University of Virginia, traces the growth of international consciousness so far as it affects the ideas of compulsory arbitration, collective protection against war, and disarmament. The original draft formed a Johns Hopkins dissertation. In the enlarged form in which we now have it, it embodies the lectures delivered on the Shaw Foundation, and also some additional matter. In appendices totaling 98 pages will be found selected articles from the Constitution of the League of Nations, Observations on Article 10 and Resolution 14, the text of the Draft Treaty of Mutual Assistance and of the Geneva Protocol, Observations on the Protocol, and the Locarno Agreements.

Lord Bryce, we think, was wrong when he remarked in 1921 that nations are now where man was before he developed law—in a state of nature, outside law. It is by no means certain that at any given moment of human history there ever was such a state. Moreover, Lord Bryce failed to recognize the fact that the nations of today are made up of individuals who are eons ahead of man in a state of nature, that for three centuries, since the time of Grotius, the ideas of international law have been evolving—slowly and painfully, it is true, but nevertheless definitely. The World War does not disprove this; indeed, Germany's care to defend the invasion of Belgium was an admission of an international rule of action which she recog-

nized and professed to have definite grounds for setting aside, as did England in seizing the Danish fleet in 1807.

Moreover, this international sense has grown enormously in the last decade. Its growth has been greatly hastened by the deliberations of the League of Nations and in connection with the treaties concluded at Locarno. How do matters now stand?

It has become evident that nations will not give up the right of self-defence by means of war (and every nation desirous of war hypnotizes itself into the belief that only by going to war can it properly defend itself) without some guarantee of protection. The League of Nations, partly because of the refusal of the United States to enter, has not yet been able to work out machinery for affording such protection; in the meantime the Locarno agreements have to some extent supplied it, and the psychological situation of increased confidence in the advance of the peace idea is bound to improve. In spite of the failure of the Disarmament Conference, the prospects for a permanent peace are encouraging. The World Court must come next. "If we concede," says Dr. Williams, "that the most menacing international disputes arise from matters now left to the exclusive determination of states, it is essential to the advance of pacific procedure that these matters be brought under an international jurisdiction competent to provide a definitive settlement of the question at issue. The creation of this jurisdiction and the proper determination of its content presents a task with which the future international organization must necessarily deal."

Books and Magazine Articles

In *The Sewanee Review* for July-September Professor Homer A. Watt '06 of New York University writes on "Some Tap-Roots of Victorianism." "Apuleius and His Influence" by Professor Elizabeth H. Haight, Ph. '09, of Vassar, is re-

viewed by H. M. Gass. "Flaubert's Youth" by Professor Louis P. Shanks '99, of Johns Hopkins, is reviewed by Maximilian Rudwin. Lascelles Abercrombie's "Romanticism" is reviewed by Professor Theodore T. Stenberg, Ph. D. '26, of the University of Texas.

In *The Stanford Illustrated Review* for July Dr. David Starr Jordan '72 writes on "Charles Henry Gilbert (1859-1928), Teacher, Naturalist, and Explorer." There are portraits of Dr. Gilbert and the author.

In *The Nation* for August 8 "National Character" by Ernest Barker is reviewed by Professor George E. G. Catlin, Ph. D. '24.

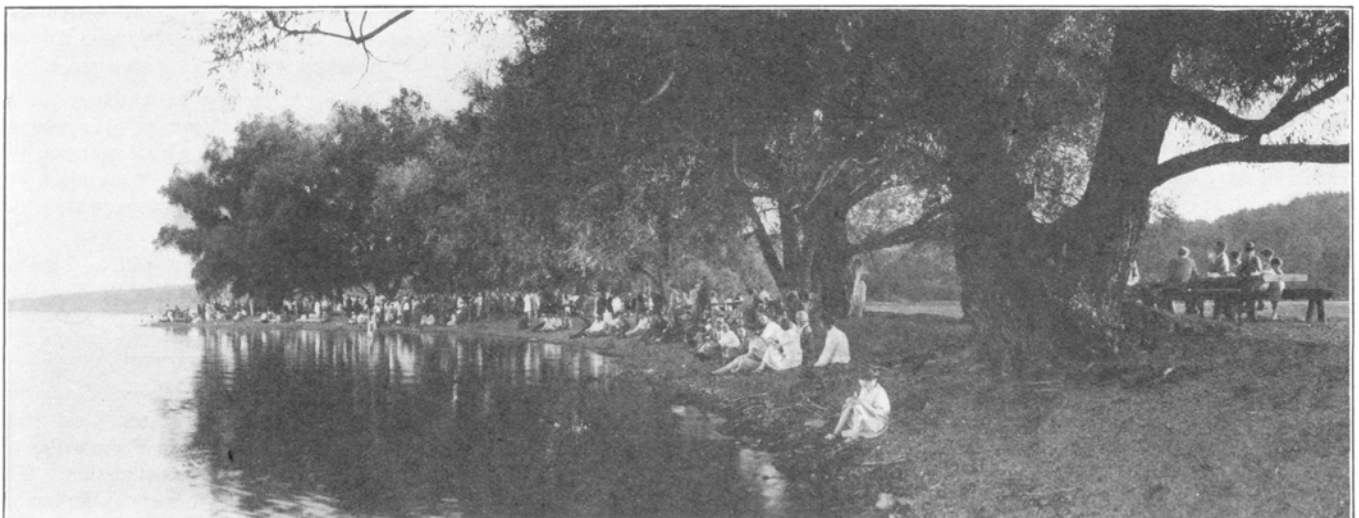
In the *Bulletin* of the National Electric Light Association for September Cladd H. Chase, M.E. '15, prints his Harriet Billings Prize Paper, on "Effective Good-Will Performed by the Distribution Department." The award of this prize was made at the 1928 meeting of the N. E. L. A. The article is illustrated.

In *Science* for August 3 Professor J. Chester Bradley '06 writes on "Family Names" in science. Professor Frederick Bedell, Ph.D. '91, has a note on "The Earliest Dynamo." In the issue for August 17 appears the address on "Entomology" delivered by Dr. Leland O. Howard '77 at the recent Entomological Congress. In the issue for September 14 the Congress is described by Professor Glenn W. Herrick '96.

In *Bird-Lore* for July-August Professor Arthur A. Allen '08 has an illustrated article entitled, "Mother Goldfinch Tells Her Story."

In *The Psychological Bulletin* for September Professor Karl M. Dallenbach, Ph.D. '13, writes on the recent literature of "Attention."

In *The Psychological Review* for September Professor Edwin G. Boring '08 of Harvard answers the question, "Does Fechner Measure Sensation?"



THE ENTOMOLOGISTS' PICNIC

A feature of the Fourth International Entomological Congress held at the University August 13 to 18 was a picnic at Taughannock Point which the State Park Commission has equipped for the entertainment of large numbers.

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MANY ALUMNI GATHERINGS

WITH the happy hospitality of the St. Louis Cornellians still fresh in mind, alumni this year will turn East for their annual out-of-town gathering and will soon be looking forward to the post-Thanksgiving convention in Washington, D. C. The opportunity of combining this trip with the annual football game in Philadelphia should prove highly attractive.

There are other events which will bring forth concentrations of alumni this fall that are of unusual interest. The Dartmouth football game in Ithaca on November 17 will be the homecoming game, while the game with Columbia a fortnight earlier in New York will afford the setting for the biennial social get-together of these two great educational institutions.

It is the curtain raiser of these gatherings, however, that looks as if it would furnish the color, auld lang syne, and everything of that sort in great abundance. The football expedition to Princeton, N. J., on October 27, the first in a score of years, should be the pleasant occasion for a gathering of Cornellians and friends of Cornell which another college town away from Ithaca has rarely seen.

The alumnus who travels in the East this fall will be likely to find plenty of companionship.

COMING EVENTS

(NOTE: All University activities at Ithaca are scheduled on Eastern Daylight Saving Time, one hour in advance of Eastern Standard Time.)

Thursday, September 27

Instruction begins, 8 a. m.

Saturday, September 29

Football, Clarkson Tech. Schoellkopf Field, 3 p. m.

Wednesday, October 3

Lecture, "Twenty-five Years of Biochemistry," Professor Hans Pringsheim of the University of Berlin, non-resident lecturer in chemistry on the George Fisher Baker Foundation. Baker Laboratory, 8.15 p. m.

Saturday, October 6

Football, Niagara. Schoellkopf Field, 3 p. m.

Soccer, Hamilton. Alumni Field, 3 p. m.

Saturday, October 13

Football, Hampden-Sidney. Schoellkopf Field, 2.30 p. m.

PROF. PERTSCH DROWNS

Professor John G. Pertsch, Jr., '09, of the School of Electrical Engineering, was drowned in Cayuga Lake, off Taughannock Point, about eleven miles from Ithaca, on August 23, when he attempted to rescue Miss Signe Sjoegren, formerly assistant medical advisor at Cornell. Stricken with cramps or a heart attack, Professor Pertsch sank before aid could reach him.

When Miss Sjoegren was seen to be in difficulty in the water offshore, Professor Pertsch went to her rescue, holding her above water until other rescuers, including Harold Flack '12, secretary of the Cornellian Council, reached them. As they started back to shore, Professor Pertsch, behind the others, sank. The body was recovered after a fifteen-minute search.

Professor Pertsch had been a member of the Faculty since his graduation. He was a member of Sigma Xi, Phi Kappa Phi, Tau Beta Pi, and the American Society of Electrical Engineers. He is survived by Mrs. Pertsch and by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pertsch, at whose home in Baltimore funeral services were held.

ALUMNI OFFICERS MEET HERE

The alumni officers at Cornell were hosts on September 17 and 18 to alumni representatives from colleges in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Delaware, the District of Columbia, and Ontario. The American Alumni Council, which includes colleges and universities from all parts of the country, is divided into districts, and it was District No. 2 which met in Ithaca. With headquarters at Willard Straight Hall, the conference held business sessions on Monday and Tuesday, with incidental social activities making up the rest of the program.

The colleges and universities represented included Adelphi, Byrn Mawr, Buffalo, Carnegie Institute of Technology, Colgate, College of the City of New York, Columbia Duke, Elmira, Georgetown, Goucher, Lafayette, Lehigh, Manlius, Mt. Holyoke, New York University, Ohio Wesleyan, Pennsylvania College for Women, Penn State, Queen's College, Ontario, Radcliffe, Rutgers, Skidmore, Susquehanna, Teachers College, Toronto, Vassar, Vermont, the Women's College of New Jersey, and Wooster.

Institutions other than those in District No. 2 were represented inasmuch as three other meetings were held incidental to the district conference. The Board of Directors and the Aims and Policies Committee of the American Alumni Council met, as did the stockholders of the Intercollegiate Alumni Extension Service.

Local alumni were active in the arrangements. Foster M. Coffin '12, Alumni Representative at Cornell, as director of District No. 2, presided at the conference. Harold Flack '12, executive secretary of the Cornellian Council, is a trustee of the American Alumni Council. R. W. Sailor '07, editor of THE ALUMNI NEWS, is editor of the Council.

THE CLUBS

New York

The second of the 1928 golf tournaments was held at the Quaker Ridge Golf Club at Mamaroneck, on August 14. It was the first time in four years that the Cornell Club Tournament has played otherwise than in the rain. Thirty-two entered the tournament and stayed for the dinner to follow.

George G. Terriberry '15 and Ernest M. Strong '02, each with a net score of 75, won the competition in Class A. Terriberry won in the morning, Strong in the afternoon. In Class B, Charles F. Fitter '04 took the morning round with a net score of 72, and in the afternoon Aertsen P. Kaesbey '13 was low with a net of 70.

Charles A. Dewey '12 was low man in Class C, with a net score of 76 in selected eighteen holes following both morning and afternoon play. C. B. Waterman was low man among the visitors, with a net score of 79.

The next tournament will be held on October 3 at the Green Brook Club, Caldwell, New Jersey.

NEW OFFICES of The Cornell Daily Sun have been established at 109 West State Street, on the second floor of a new theatre building now under construction. The business staff moved in early in September followed soon after by the editorial department. The first issue appeared on September 24.

The Week on the Campus

ON MONDAY, September 24, the University begins its sixty-first year. The Class of 1932 (deary me! that twinge of lumbago!) enters in long registration lines, and initiates its education by a day's exercise in patience. Strolling around the Campus, one observes that things are changing. Next to the Baker dorms, steam-shovels are busy digging the foundation of the War Memorial dormitories. Across the gorge, between the Johnny Parson Club and the golf links, the women's dormitories, Anonymous Hall, rise three or four stories above the earth. Very impressive they look, too, built of that local gray stone with brown dapplings which has, happily, become official. On the Ag Campus, there is much activity on the site of the new Plant Industries Building.

IF YOU SHOULD get out Varna way you would see the new concrete reservoir, impounding one and a half millions (of cubic feet, I suppose), which supplies the Hill with water, via a new filtration plant. Beebe Lake, by the way, looks very sorry, rather like the Great Dismal Swamp. The Trustees appropriated \$75,000 last spring to dredge the lake, but nothing has been done, because, it is said, no one can think of anything to do with the muck after it has been dredged out. Unless someone comes through with a really constructive suggestion, it looks bad for the winter's skating.

THE FAMOUS CHIMES have been enriched by two new bells, a G bell in the middle range, and an upper G bell for the high notes. The set, now consisting of sixteen bells, will permit the chime-master to play a considerable number of tunes which have hitherto baffled him. He can even play "the Star-Spangled Banner." Dean Emeritus Albert W. Smith '78 has made it possible for the bells to be obtained, and has supervised their casting and installation.

THE CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION held its third annual freshman camp at Lisle over the week-end of September 23. Seventy-seven men attended. The purpose of the camp is to clear up many of those mysteries of college life that bewilder the entering freshmen.

THE CONSERVATORY of Music reopened on September 20, with the largest registration in its history. It has taken over another building on East Buffalo Street, to be used for its Institute of Public School Music.

THOSE WHO LINGERED in Ithaca during the Long Vac (as the old Oxonians put it) saw some remarkable sights. On August 29 the sky was suddenly filled with roaring and with hovering white and silver planes. Ithaca quaked; had war been declared? The mystery was soon explained. Ithaca was made the headquarters in the search

for M. M. Merrill, the lost manager of the Curtiss Flying Service. "Casey" Jones, the famous flyer, commanded the squadron of seventeen planes.

VISITORS TO the Campus from September 5 to 12 rubbed their eyes in wild amaze. Willard Straight and the region round about pullulated with sturdy fellows dressed in khaki shirts and what we can only describe as khaki athletic-type underdrawers. Some were dressed as sailor-boys and some as Indians on the warpath, and all were plentifully covered with insignia, and all were hearty and gay. It was, in brief, the Fifth National Training Conference of Boy Scout Executives.

THE ITHACA TRACTION CORPORATION was sold at auction on September 7 to Frank L. Morse, president of the Morse Chain Company and the Morse Industries, for \$160,000. Mr. Morse promises the rehabilitation of the street-car system, with the aim of providing a faster and prompter schedule. He combats, with evident justice, the commonly expressed opinion that a bus system should replace the car-line. Ithaca, with its steep hills, its heavy peak loads, its variation in weather conditions between the hill and the flat, presents great difficulties in the economical operation of buses. The city, knowing Mr. Morse's record of success and his public spirit, is happy that its transportation is in such good hands.

ON ONE ITEM of Mr. Morse's proposals certain forebodings have been expressed. The purchase of the Traction Company included the purchase of the power rights in Fall Creek Gorge from the University power plant to a point east of Ithaca Falls. Mr. Morse told a reporter from the *Journal-News* that he hoped "that the possibility of power development in the creek might be more fully realized. . . The entire creek from Beebe Lake to Cayuga Lake might develop as much as 2500 horsepower." He continued that the Morse Industries required additional power, and that this "might become available through the acquisition of the Fall Creek power rights." Now all this has an ominous sound to the sentimentalists, who love to see the water go tumbling down the gorge, setting an example of glorious waste to a workaday generation.

FORMER PRESIDENT SCHURMAN, we observe, is being considered for the nomination as the Republican candidate for United States Senator from New York.

PRESIDENT FARRAND's purposes in regard to research were described in a speech before the Ithaca Exchange Club by Louis C. Boochever '12. A good many outside the Exchange Club should be interested to know the ideas that are determining the procedure in research now going on. Boochever said: "President Farrand plans to develop a great research center which

would co-ordinate the separate researches now being conducted in the various colleges. By the plan which President Farrand has in mind, any scientific research that overlaps any particular field will be able to be worked on jointly by scientists trained in special fields. Thus, a chemist working on a particular problem which involves the field of biology will have available the services of a trained biologist and the scientific equipment and apparatus used in the biological field."

M. G. B.

SPORT STUFF

This is the open season for straw votes. Any time two or three are gathered together someone will say, "Well, let's find out. Everyone who's going to vote for Smith hold up their hands. All right. Put 'em down. Now then, who's for Hoover?"

But that formula is inadequate now that the students are back. A sprinkling of them is for Norman Thomas and insists bitterly on being counted. I didn't know he was running either. One can learn much from flaming youth.

Another important development has to do with gentlemen's underwear. For a number of years we've been wearing union suits—comfortable and practical but painfully undecorative. Listen. They're all wet. I saw my terrible mistake the first day of football practice and before ten boys had their pants more than half off. The shirt is calm enough—just a white sleeveless little thing of the track type. It's the nether garment that gives the opportunity for individual expression. That's where you can get rid of inhibitions and let your untrammelled personality expand. Pastel shades predominate. Canary yellow, baby blue, lavender, geranium, and heliotrope.

This news ought to give the alumni plenty to talk about at the first luncheon. "My Gawd! Students voting for Norman Thomas and football players wearing pink silk drawers. Mr. Chairman! Hey you, Pinkie! Mr. Chairman! I move that in the sense of this meeting—"

This will hold 'em for a little while—at least until the football team loses a game.

R. B.

ABANDON VESPER SERVICES

For the first time in many years, there will be no vesper services in Sage Chapel. During the academic year 1928-9, the morning service at eleven o'clock will be the only service in the chapel on Sunday mornings. The first service, on September 30, will be conducted by Rev. C. Wallace Petty, D.D., minister of the first Baptist Church of Pittsburgh, Pa.

The University has offered to students who have the ability to sing and read music at sight a stipend of \$30 a term for service in the Sunday morning choir of the chapel.

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THE ALUMNI

'76 BCE—On July 27 C. Paes de Barros and his wife celebrated their golden wedding anniversary. Their address is Rua Bugre 27, Sao Paulo, Brazil.

'84 BS, '87 MS—Henry P. de Forest has moved his office to the Mayflower Hotel, 15 Central Park West, New York. He is a physician.

'88 ME—Henry W. Fisher is consulting engineer and manager of the Lead Cable works of the Standard Underground Cable Company, a division of the General Cable Corporation. His business address is S. U. Cable Company, Perth Amboy, N. J. He lives at 119 Water Street.

'90 AM—Archibald Freeman has been placed on one of the three new foundations recently established by the trustees of Phillips Andover Academy. Freeman has been an instructor in history at Phillips Andover since 1892. He has edited several texts and is the co-author of "A Book of Old Maps" published last year. He traveled last summer in Sweden and Norway.

'93 AB—The address of Wells Gilbert is 1115 Spalding Building, Portland, Ore. His son, Giles Gilbert, recently gave successful piano concerts in London and Paris.

'00 ME—John V. McAdam is president and treasurer of the Revolte Wire Company in Hastings-on-Hudson, N. Y.

'00 ME—John A. Hunter is president of the Engineers' Society of Western Pennsylvania. His address is 151 Dickson Avenue, Ben Avon, Pa.

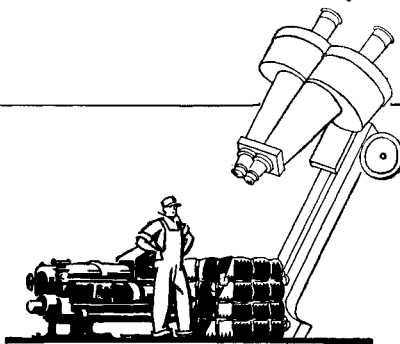
'01 AB, '04 MD; '94 AB—Theodore Bliss is now associated with Dr. Henry P. de Forest '84 at 15 Central Park West, New York. From 1910 to 1927 he did hospital work in Japan and China. The last eight years he was in charge of the Church General Hospital in Wuchang, Central China. Robert W. Wood '94 was chaplain of the hospital, and they were together during the forty-one day siege of the city by the Nationalist Army in 1926. He writes: "Dogs, cats, roots, bark of trees, everything was eaten during the latter part of the siege and daily aeroplane raids provided diversion." Bliss returned to America in 1927 when all Americans were ordered out by the coustil, and spent several months in Cleveland and at the Tonsil Hospital in New York.

'02 AB—Percy E. Raymond, who is professor of paleontology at Harvard, has been given the Walker Grand Prize of \$1,000 for his research on trilobites. He spent the summer with his daughter on a geological field trip in the British Isles. His address is Agassiz Museum, Cambridge, Mass.

'05 ME—Gustavus A. Kositzky, chief engineer of the Northeastern Area of the Ohio Bell Telephone Company, is presi-

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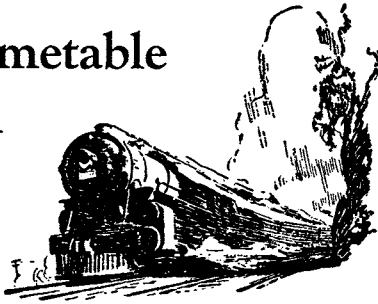
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dent of the Cleveland Engineering Society. In 1925-6 he was vice-president of the Society.

'05 AB—Last November William A. Vawter, 2d, resigned as secretary of Remington Rand, Inc., and after wintering abroad with his family, is now organizing the Vawter Fanfold Company, continuous form printers, of which he is to be president. He lives in Benton Harbor, Mich.

'06, '07 ME—Since April, 1926, Henry P. DuBois has been European financial representative of J. G. White and Company. His headquarters are in Paris and he has spent considerable time in Germany, Russia, Hungary, Switzerland, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia, Poland, and Italy. He is now on an eight months' visit to the United States. His address is 37 Wall Street, New York.

'06 BSA—Wilfred G. Brierley, associate professor of horticulture at the University of Minnesota, is absent on sabbatical leave and will spend the year in graduate study at Michigan State College.

'07—George Comfort is a building consulting engineer. His business address is The George Comfort Co., Inc., 300 Madison Avenue, New York. He lives at 541 West 123d Street.

'08 ME—John P. Dods is assistant to the vice-president of the D. L. Auld Co., in Columbus, Ohio, manufacturers of metal embossings and forgings, bronze enameling, and radio and automobile hardware.

'11—George C. Brainard is president of the General Fireproofing Company of Albany, N. Y., manufacturers of steel office equipment.

'13 CE—Winthrop T. Scarritt is president of the Pratt Chuck Company in Frankfort, N. Y. His address is R. D. 1, New Hartford, N. Y.

'13 AB—John E. Whinery has been elected a director of J. G. White and Company, with whom he has been associated, at 37 Wall Street, New York, N. Y., during the past three years.

'16 AB—John E. Flitcroft is professor of English in Carroll College in Waukesha, Wisc.

'17 AB—Dr. and Mrs. Carl Koller have announced the marriage of their daughter, Hortense Wilhelmina, to James H. Becker, on June 4, in New York.

'20—Mrs. Alfred DeGroot Woodruff of Montclair, N. J. has announced the engagement of her daughter, Ruth Coward to Warren D. Perry.

'21 AB—Mrs. Andrew C. Beagle (Hazel E. Day) lives at 85 Alexander Place, Buffalo, N. Y. She has a year-old daughter, Elaine Lynette.

'22 ME—Fred W. Utz is manager of the Compania Sud Americana de Servicios Publicos. His address is Casilla 98, Antofagasta, Chile.

'24, '25 AB—Sidney Vogel has opened offices for the general practice of law at 23 North Main Street, South Norwalk, Conn.



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'27 AB—Mr. and Mrs. Leland Young Robinson of Riverhead, N. Y., have announced the marriage of their daughter Myra B. Robinson '27, to Clifford George Cornwell on June 30. They are living at Plaza Hall, 347 Lansdowne Avenue, Lansdowne, Pa.

'27 AB—Harriet E. Lee will be an assistant instructor in geology at Wellesley College next year. She received her master's degree in geography from Clark University in June.

'27 CE; '27 BS—Mr. and Mrs. Jay P. Kinney have announced the marriage of their daughter, Olive C. Kinney '27, to Walter B. Brandt '27 on July 14, in Washington. They are living at 304 Euclid Avenue, Elmira, N. Y.

'27 ME; '27 AB—Dorothy L. Sharpe '27, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Sharpe, and George M. Trefts, 3d, were married at Sage Chapel on September 8. John C. Trefts '02, father of the groom, was best man, Mrs. Paul F. Rhines (Karen S. Brauner '28) was matron of honor, Betty T. Wyckoff '27, Gertrude Adams '26, and Ruth A. Smith '27 were bridesmaids, and among the ushers were Henry A. Russell '26, John C. Trefts, Jr., '26, Herman Sielbach, Jr., '29, F. Henry Baldauf '28, and Henry M. Stillman '30.

'28 BS—Warren W. Fisk is associated with the F. G. Shattuck Company in the Schrafts tea room at 418 South Warren Street, Syracuse, N. Y. He lives at 653 West Onondaga Street.

'28 BS—Charles W. Atkinson was married on June 18 to Doris M. Hitching. They are living in Honolulu, H. T.

'28 AB—Eugene P. Balderston, Jr., was married on June 20 to Miss Marcia Hulings of Rutherford, N. J. He has returned to Cornell for graduate work and to be an assistant coach of football.

'28; '31—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Briggs of Ithaca have announced the marriage of their daughter, Dorothy E. Briggs '31, to John H. Caldwell '28, on March 27. They spent the summer at Camp Otter, Dorset, Ontario, where he was swimming instructor.

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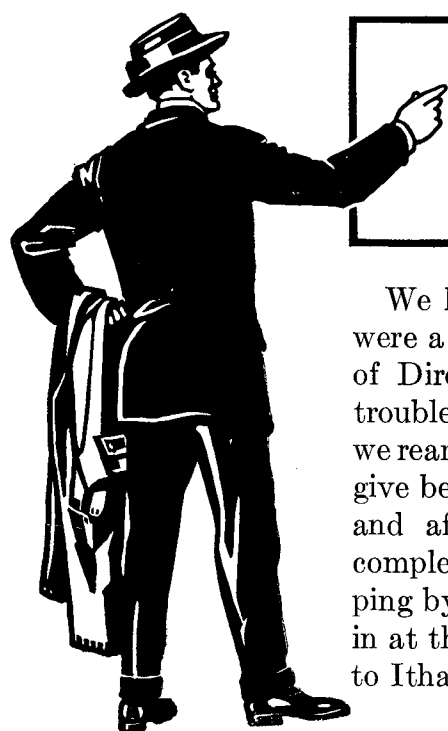
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