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ACH year at its annual convention the American Institute of Architects confers the title of "Fellow in the Institute" upon a few architects chosen for distinguished service to the profession in the field of practice or that of teaching. At the forty-ninth annual convention, recently held in Washington, the title of Fellow was conferred upon twelve architectsan unusually large number-and of these twelve three are Cornell men. They are Warren Powers Laird, 1885-87, professor of architecture in the University of Pennsylvania; G. F. A. Brueggeman '95, of St. Louis, and William H. Schuchardt '95, of Milwaukee.

THE QUESTION OF PENALIZING absences from class periods before and after holidays came up at the December meeting of the University Faculty and the whole matter was referred to a committee which is to report at the February meeting. Statistics of the recorded absences at Thanksgiving time and also just before and just after the Christmas recess will be prepared and studied by the committee with a view to legislation.

THE UNIVERSITY CALENDAR has been changed by the addition of one day to the Christmas recess. Instruction will be resumed on January 6, 1916, instead of January 5. The added day compensates for the shortening of the Thanksgiving recess.

WINTER'S FIRST SNOW makes trouble in Ithaca every year for freshmen who have come from tropical countries. Often a hard bump on the pavement is the freshman's first warning that snow makes treacherous footing. Hector Gandia, a freshman from Porto Rico, was taken to the Infirmary last week suffering from a fracture of the skull. He had slipped and fallen on the sidewalk in front of his rooming house, 119 Dryden Road. He is recovering from the injury.

AN INVITATION to speak on the Campus was sent to the Rev. Billy Sunday by the Cornell University Christian Association last week. Mr. Sunday is conducting meetings in Syracuse. The Sun published an editorial, expressed in

temperate language and signed by its editor-in-chief, Maurice W. Howe, questioning the propriety of the invitation to Mr. Sunday. The Sun held the opinion that "the fundamental principle for which university men should stand has been violated-the principle that their education should be guided by sound reason and clear thinking and that they should gain what they seek in the field of knowledge by the power of their intellects supplemented by rational assistance from their professors rather than by the arousing of hysterical emotions." Opinions on either side were obtained by the Sun from professors and students. Mr. Sunday himself put an end to the discussion by declining the invitation for the reason that he could not conveniently interrupt his work in Syracuse.

TRUSTEES who attended the regular meeting of the committee on general administration on December 4 were Chairman Van Cleef and Messrs. Schurman, Andrew D. White, R. B. Williams, Edwards, T. B. Wilson, Westinghouse and C. E. Treman. Those present at the meeting of the committee on buildings and grounds were Chairman Edwards and Messrs. Schurman, Westervelt, Blood and J. Du Pratt White. The two committees will hold their next regular meetings on January 15 at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York.

On the recommendation of the general committee of the Graduate School, the President White Fellowship in Modern European History for this year has been placed at the service of Dr. Elias Avery Loew, A.B. '02, for resident study and research in the University. After his graduation Dr. Loew studied in Germany and became a favorite pupil of Ludwig Traube, the eminent Munich philologist and paleographer. He gave several years to work in Italy, chiefly in the library of the Vatican, as a student of manuscripts.

THE DEBATE COUNCILS of Columbia, Cornell, and Pennsylvania have adopted the following proposition to be argued in the annual triangular debate which will be held on March 3: "Resolved, that the proposed Administration policy of armament increase is demanded by the

best interests of the United States." Cornell's affirmative team will meet Columbia's negative in Ithaca, and the Cornell negative team will meet Pennsylvania's affirmative at Philadelphia. A week before the triangular contest one of the Cornell teams will hold a debate with a Syracuse University team at Syracuse on the subject chosen for the triangular debate. On the same night another Syracuse team will meet Pennsylvania in Philadelphia on the opposite side of the same question. Both Cornell and Pennsylvania will thus have had one practice debate on the proposition when they meet on March 3.

A NEW SYSTEM of street lighting will be installed in the business district of Ithaca this winter. Sixty-one boulevard lights, so called, will be erected along a distance of two or three blocks in each of the principal business thoroughfares—State, Seneca, Aurora, Tioga, and Cayuga Streets. Each pole will stand twelve feet six inches above the curbing and will be surmounted by a single bulb of 600 candle power.

AN APPROPRIATION OF \$500 has been voted by the University Trustees as a contribution to a fund which Company No. 9 of the Ithaca Fire Department is raising for the purchase of motor equipment. No. 9's station is in College Avenue, near the Campus, and is the only one on East Hill. The company plans to obtain motor apparatus which will include chemicals for small fires and a pump and hose for larger fires. Its horse-drawn apparatus is inefficient because the horses are used by the city for other purposes, such as the collection of garbage. A canvass for further funds is to be made among property owners and fraternities on the hill.

DR. ROBERT J. FOSTER, D.V.M. '02, a veterinarian in the U. S. Army, is spending a few weeks at the Veterinary College preparatory to work in the Philippine Islands, whither he is to go early in the year. He has been on the Mexican border. Last Friday he addressed the students of the college on the subject of veterinary work in the army.



LOOKING ACROSS THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE QUADRANGLE TOWARD SIBLEY COLLEGE  ${\it Photograph\ by\ J.\ P.\ Troy}$ 

### Cornell and the Great War

By Professor Nathaniel Schmidt\*

AMILLE FLAMMARION, the eminent French astronomer and scientific romancer, a few years ago wrote a little sketch entitled La Fin du Monde. He did not, of course, attempt to describe the end of the world. That would have been stupid and inartistic. We stand with awe and admiration before a painting of the last judgment by some such master as Giotto, Fra Angelico, or Michael Angelo. Whatever our theological opinions may be, we are impressed with the grandeur of the conception as well as with the beauty of the work, the suggestion of a moral order, justice triumphant, evil conquered, the faithful redeemed. But

the unrelieved horror of a universal débacle, the ruin of a world by blind elemental forces, without a gleam of hope or rational purpose, would have been an affront alike to reason, moral sense, and taste.

Flammarion described the state of mind in which mankind would find itself were it face to face with a danger threatening the very life of the planet. A comet is approaching the earth. From a neighboring planet a friendly warning has been sent. It is recognized by astronomers that the territory around Rome is likely to be severely damaged, that absolute safety may not be enjoyed except at the antipodes. Those who credit the conclusions of science take precautionary measures for a quick departure across the seas or through the air. Those who scorn science remain

in the Vatican or cling to the images in their churches, where the calamity ultimately overtakes them. Meanwhile the great universities, these beehives of intellectual activity, are busy elaborating theories of how the earth is likely to come to its end, and practical methods of meeting the emergencies of the future. The earth may die by an accident, a collision with some other celestial wanderer; it may perish by excessive heat, by combustion; or it may freeze to death. How to insure against accidents, secure nourishment and comfort for a growing population, keep cool, keep warm, work together most efficientlythese are the problems occupying earnest thinkers and capable observers at the great centers of learning.

We are confronted to day by a situation far more terrible than that depicted by

<sup>\*</sup>An address delivered by the Professor of Semitic Languages and Literatures before the Cornell Club of Northern New Jersey, at Newark, on December 3.

Flammarion. Mankind is not in danger from any celestial firebrand or any cosmic convulsion; its life, liberty, and pursuit of happiness are put in jeopardy by serious faults in its social and political structure allowing the untamed, still savage forces of its nature to assert themselves. The reaction of this great war, which will probably always fill one of the most sadly instructive pages in human history, in scientific circles, in the large universities of Europe and America, reminds in some respects, though not in all, of that which Flammarion described. In all probability the effects that may be seen at Cornell do not differ essentially from those observable in other institutions of similar character.

The operations of navies, armies and aerial craft in the theatres of war have undoubtedly exercised a subtle influence upon our own. Would our men, defeated before the war by Syracuse, have gained the naval victory at Poughkeepsie last spring, would our land forces have swept unconquered from battle-field to battle-field until the Ouakers finally went down before them on Thanksgiving Day, would the airmen have maintained their splendid record of achievements, if the deadly combat beyond the sea had not unconsciously enhanced the strenuousness of their efforts? But while the fleets over yonder have kep't themselves in being, pursuing the policy of watchful waiting in their canals or other hiding-places, sending out nasty little submarines to sink whomsoever should come in their way, or freebooters to practice piracy on the high seas, our gallant crews have fought in the open, followed the rules laid down, and had no accidents. The armies in Europe have made wanton attacks upon their neighbors, broken into neutral lands, killed, maimed, looted, used asphyxiating gases, and misbehaved generally, while our football players have been brave, strong, generous, alert, fair, and courteous withal. Our airmen have dropped no bombs on poor defenceless civilians. It is a mistake to suppose that the present occupations of the European armies are of more importance than the gymnastic exercises and sports of our students. There is more sanity in the latter, more hope for the future; a thoughtful man is more concerned about perpetuating them, with such modifications as may be deemed desirable, than to perpetuate the barbarous play in which the belligerents are engaged.

The war has naturally increased the interest in military training. More

courses have been given, more students have elected them. The thought of the possibility that our country may need their services has led not a few of our fine young men to avail themselves of the opportunities offered them for military training. It is a good thing for those who wish to serve their country as officers in the army to receive part of their training in a military department connected with a great university. It keeps them in touch with men preparing for other vocations in life, and suppresses the tendencies to develop a spirit of caste, with its own code of honor, and its own prejudices and presumptions.

In the academic community the appeal to nationality, so marked a factor in bringing on the war, has been strongly felt. Men have left us to fight on one side or the other; some have fallen. Men have come back with harrowing tales. There are Teutons anxious to tell us the whole truth, and there are sympathizers with the Allies who dislike to have this truth dinned into their ears almost as much as they dislike the way this war is going. But on the whole we are neutral and good natured, and willing to suffer with our country for this fault, if such it is. The questions of international ethics, of the rights and duties of nations, have aroused a strong interest, shown in the meetings of the Cosmopolitan Club, the Ethics Club, the International Polity Club, and other clubs and fraternities. There is at Cornell a healthy cosmopolitanism, a deep concern for international affairs. large number of foreign students in part accounts for this. But much is due to President Schurman, whose lectures on international law are highly appreciated, and to former President White, whose presence among us is a constant incentive to the growing international mind.

The censorship of news, the preparation of official creeds to be believed by the masses, the suppression of free speech, so characteristic of the belligerent nations, and to some extent also of the neutrals, have had the effect of emphasizing the need of freedom of inquiry and of discussion, and the gratitude we feel that the principle of liberty of investigation, thought and teaching has been so firmly entrenched in our academic life at Cornell. Without it there can be no progress of scientific research, no scholarly integrity, no confidence on the part of the students or the general public in the character, methods of conclusions of academic study, or teachers.

There is scarcely room for doubt that,

whatever the ultimate causes may have been, the indecent haste with which the world was plunged into this war was due to the remnants of autocracy still left in the hands of irresponsible rulers. Democracy alone will not save the world; majorities will often go wrong. But the good sense of the people can be trusted in the long run to decide wisely on matters of vital interest and not involving special technical knowledge. A matter of life and death like war should not be left for any man, or group of men, to decide, but should be submitted to the vote of every man and every woman affected by it. The principle of selfgovernment is applied to a large extent in our student body. No appeal has ever been made in vain by the faculty to the honor of the students. pledges given by fraternities and clubs have been kept. Nor is it likely that any reasonable appeal of the students to the faculty would be disregarded. It would not be at all strange, if in a matter like the calendar, affecting students, parents, alumni, and professors alike, the student body should ultimately be requested to indicate by a formal vote what its preferences are. The University has profited greatly from the fact that the alumni and alumnae are represented on the board of Trustees; and it is sincerely to be hoped that, since there seem to be no legal difficulties, favorable action may be taken on the important plan, submitted by President Schurman and heartily appreciated and approved by the Faculty, according to which the Faculty would also be represented on this Board.

The awful spectacle of this world-war has unquestionably had a sobering effect upon the University, students and professors alike, deepening the moral earnestness and affecting the religious outlook upon life. There are evidences on all sides of the strengthened hold of spiritual realities, of a keener sense of responsibility, and a greater reverence. Not the least indication of this is the attitude of the vast majority of Faculty and students to the very suggestion that Mr. William Sunday be invited to "revive" the religious life of the University. With all the lightheartedness of youth, and all the curiosity this man has aroused, life is too serious at present, its problems too vast and insistent, its obligations too solemn, and the old explanations of its origin, significance, and destiny too obviously inadequate, for earnest seekers after truth to be attracted by Mr. Sunday. The humble, yet persistent search for truth that characterizes an ever increasing number of men and women at Cornell, their anxiety to disengage their minds of all racial, national and religious prejudices, their concern for physical health and vigor, freedom, self-government, and moral idealism, their eagerness to find a means of ridding the world of the deep-seated disease of which the great war is only a frightful symptom, their loyalty to conviction and to duty, and their quest for stronger spiritual forces than those that have broken down before the onslaught of surviving savagery, are evidences that religion in its truest sense is honored and has a home in the institution we love.

#### Professor Stephens Entertained Has Five Pleasant Days with Old and New Friends in Ithaca

Professor H. Morse Stephens of the University of California (professor of modern European history in Cornell, 1894-1902) has been in Ithaca for five days and has had a good time renewing old friendships and making new ones. He was the guest of Professor George L. Burr at the Telluride House. Throughout the five days he was kept busy accepting hospitalities.

Last Friday night Professor Stephens met several of his old friends, faculty members and others, at a dinner given by Professor Burr at the Town and Gown Club. The guests included three members of the old Kipling Club, which used to meet in Professor Stephens's rooms in Cascadilla even before "The Seven Seas" was published.

He had several opportunities of meeting undergraduates. On Sunday afternoon at the Alpha Delta Phi house he talked to about eighty of them. Professor Sill introduced him as the founder of the Savage Club of Ithaca and the virtual founder of the Sunday Night Club. Professor Stephens read to the boys from "Puck of Pook's Hill," from which he said more English history could be learned than from many a text book. He spoke of the Cornell spirit, which he said was more western than eastern. The Savage Club gave a party for him at the glee club rooms Sunday night and heard from him an interesting talk about the club's early days, when, he said, nobody expected it to live. Here he read some more Kipling, poems of the South African war.

On Monday Professor Stephens was the guest of the President White Club, which is composed of the professors of history and political science, at dinner at the Ithaca Hotel. On Tuesday morning he spoke before one of Professor Strunk's classes.

Professor Stephens had been in Cleveland and New York before he came to Ithaca. In New York he attended a meeting of the council of the American Historical Association, of which he is president. He returns to Cleveland to address the chamber of commerce, of which Bascom Little '01 is president. He will be in Washington at Christmas time to deliver the president's address at the annual meeting of the American Historical Association.



NORMAN J. GOULD, M.C.

# N. J. Gould in Congress '99 Man Takes His Seat in the House of Representatives

Norman J. Gould, M.E. '99, of Seneca Falls, N. Y., took the oath of office as a Member of Congress on December 6. He was elected to the Sixty-fourth Congress last month as representative from the 36th district of New York.

Gould prepared for college at Lawrenceville. In his senior year at Cornell he was the manager of the navy. He is a member of Sigma Phi and Quill and Dagger.

Since his graduation Gould has been connected with the Goulds Manufacturing Company, which his grandfather founded, and he is now the president of the company, the successor of his father in the office. He is thirty-eight years old.

Gould's maternal grandfather was Norman Judd, who was United States Minister to Prussia during the Civil War and was afterward a Member of Congress from Illinois.

# Education and the Farmer Dean Galloway's Talk Before the University Club of Buffalo

Dean Galloway of the College of Agriculture spoke before the University Club of Buffalo last Saturday night on the topic "Education and the Farmer." "In all the world," he said, "we are the only people that have stood for a free and enlightened husbandry. Our motto has been, whether we have expressed it or not, 'No peasantry here.' If there is one great dominant thought and ideal that we have developed in our democracy it is that ignorance must be abolished at any cost; that the future of a democracy must come through the enlightenment of all the people. farmer and the farmer's sons and daughters are beginning to get their share of this educational effort."

He sketched the development of various rural agencies in the past quartercentury, showed how the federal appropriations had increased from less than half a million annually to twenty-five millions at the present time, and indicated the good uses to which the money had been put in the advancement of the people's interests. Federal agricultural workers had increased from three hundred to about fifteen thousand in all fields, had come largely into direct contact with farm problems through actual demonstration, reaching into all states and correlated with the work of the states.

He pictured the evolution of the agricultural colleges, generally known as land grant colleges, which at first were considered as merely local institutions but which grew in importance and influence and became part of a great national system. He said there were now sixtyeight such land grant colleges supported in part by federal funds. Twenty-three of these were connected with state universities, mostly in the west. These colleges had an aggregate enrollment of 105,000 students, with more than half of them in agriculture and mechanic arts. Seven of the larger institutions, including California, Kansas, Iowa, Minnesota, Wisconsin, New York, and Ohio, contained about 10,000 students or nearly one-fifth of all those now enrolled in agricultural colleges. These seven institutions now employed about seven hundred professors, instructors, and assistants, and were expending in the aggregate more than two and a quarter million dollars for education in agriculture. All this work had developed during the past twenty-five years, most

of it within fifteen years. All these colleges were fulfilling three important functions—teaching resident students, conducting scientific education and research, and extending available knowledge beyond the institution and actually upon the farm. The state of New York held the leadership among these colleges in number of students and extent of funds available, and probably in the work accomplished.

The specific problem of the farmer, in spite of his progress during the past twenty-five years, Dr. Galloway summed up as being his lack of effective organization and his still too independent and individualistic attitude, which kept him largely from the benefits of co-operation and community endeavor.

### Cornell Men at Bridgeport

## Many Graduates There Now—Two Meetings in the Last Month

With the outbreak of the European War an increased demand arose for skilled engineers in the ammunition manufacturing plants and allied industries at Bridgeport, Conn., and one result of this demand has been a large influx of Cornell graduates to the city. On the evening of December 4 more than forty Cornell men assembled at the University Club to celebrate the football victory of Cornell over Pennsylvania. Shortly before this, upon the invitation of P. Howard Powell '95, the Cornell men assembled at his home, 246 Vine Street, for a delightful social evening. Remarks were made by Mr. Powell and by the Rev. Stephen F. Sherman, jr., '97, rector of Saint John's church, Bridgeport. The Cornell men entertained the guests with songs and experiences of college days. Guests were present from Columbia, Princeton and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

It is purposed to hold during the winter similar social gatherings at the homes of the older Cornell graduates.

The following were present at Mr. Powell's home: Wayne W. Cowan '15, Clifford B. Cronan '15, Lucien H. Staley '15, W. L. Warfield '15, J. M. Phillips '14, D. H. Gleason '14, H. Elmore Cobb '15, H. C. Einstein '15, G. W. Zink '12, R. L. Krouse '15, Miguel Bracho '15, Allan I. Davis '15, Ernesto Ornelas '15, Stanley Dewsnap '15, Rodrigo B. Rodriguez '15, Alfred L. Boegehold '15, John Chew '15, Karl W. Hawk (Columbia) '15, Leroy E. Briggs (M. I. T.) '10, Henry D. Chaplin (Princeton) '17, Sydney Fisher (Columbia) '14, Stephen F. Sherman, jr., '97, and P. H. Powell '95.

Cornell men who are now in Bridgeport and who are not mentioned above are S. Philip Davis '12, G. S. Coffin '12, L. R. Longfield '13, Leland Burnham '14, S. M. Ford '15, Winthrop Kent '15, J. O. Green '15, H. F. Hodgkins '15, A. Moses '15, F. G. Dennison '15, G. A. Fleckenstein '15, F. Martindell '15, and R. Bartholomew '15.

#### Club Activities in New York

#### A Fine Series of Friday Night Entertainments for All Cornell Men

The Cornell University Club of New York has entered upon an active winter season. During the last two months the number of men making use of the club-house at 65 Park Avenue has broken all records. The names of more than fifty applicants for membership have been posted in the last month.

A program of interesting "club nights" has been arranged. Every Friday evening during the winter there is to be a lecture or informal talk which will be of interest to any Cornell man. Several have been held already, with an attendance at each one of more than a hundred and fifty men. These Friday night entertainments are open to all Cornell men whether they are members of the club or not. They offer a newcomer to the city an excellent opportunity to get acquainted with his fellow Cornell men in New York.

New members of the board of governors are John H. Barr '89, Willard D. Straight '01, Dr. Henry P. de Forest '84. and George L. Fielder '89. Under the leadership of the new president of the club, Mr. Barr, the members of the board have been giving considerable time and attention to the club's affairs during the last three months, and the results are now beginning to show. Mr. Fielder is chairman of the entertainment committee, which has arranged the series of Friday night events. "Bob" Dunbar '04, chairman of the house committee, has improved the service in the restaurant and throughout the house. The special membership committee is getting many new applications for membership.

The regular weekly series of Cornell Club Nights was started on Friday evening, November 12. Dr. Louis Livingston Seaman '72, one of the organizers of the American Motor Ambulance Corps in Belgium and France, related some of his personal experiences at the front. A week later Mr. B. R. Baumgardt gave an interesting lecture called "An Evening with the Stars" and illustrated with

lantern slides, showing some of the advances made in the last few years in the application of photography to astronomy. On November 26 Dr. H. H. M. Lyle '96 gave an illustrated talk on the work of the American Hospital unit at Juilly (Seine-et-Marne), with which he was connected for several months.

Friday evening, December 3, was made ladies' night. It was the first time in the history of the club that ladies had been entertained at the house. A fancy dress ball was given. More than a hundred and fifty Cornell men and guests attended in fancy costume. The house was decorated and lighted with Japanese lanterns under the artistic direction of André Smith '02. Ladies' Night was so successful that it will probably be made an annual event.

On December 10 Cornell men who were attending the annual meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers held their annual dinner at the house. After dinner about two hundred Cornell men heard Major-General Leonard Wood speak on this country's military needs in the light of what has happened in Europe during the last year and a half. His auditors were pleased to hear General Wood commend the character of the instruction in military science and tactics which is being given at Cornell University. Dr. John A. Brashear of Pittsburgh, a past president of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, was also a guest. He told some interesting incidents about Cornell men with whom he had become acquainted in the course of his remarkable career. Professor D. S. Kimball spoke on some phases of athletics at Ithaca. President Barr presided and spoke briefly about the club's activities.

#### A CANADIAN BULLETIN

A monthly bulletin is now issued by the Cornell Association of Eastern Canada. It is published in four-page form, without any special title, and is edited by W. G. Merowit, the secretary of the association. It contains announcements of association events, personal news about alumni in Canada, and notices of University and undergraduate happenings. There are three other such bulletins published—in Chicago, Detroit, and Pittsburgh.

THE SABBATIC LEAVE heretofore granted to Professor Martin Sampson for the second term of this year has been postponed to the second term of 1916-17, at his request, on account of conditions in Europe.



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UBLICATION of the News will be omitted for one week of the Christmas recess. A number will be issued next week, on December 23, and the number following that one will be published on January 6.

The season of annual dinners is at hand and the News will be glad to receive and publish announcements of the times and places chosen for such events. Doubtless a good many associations will hold their banquets on Founder's Day, January 11, in observance of All-Cornell Night. In other cases local circumstances may make it necessary to select other days for the annual event. We shall be glad to assist the committees in advertising their dinners.

Some of the alumni, we find, continue to be disturbed by newspaper reports that Dr. A. H. Sharpe may be invited and persuaded to give up his work at Cornell to become head coach of football at another institution. Under his present contract with the Cornell University Athletic Association Dr. Sharpe

has four more years to serve as head coach of football here. We are permitted to state on high authority that the Athletic Association has not received a request to release Dr. Sharpe from his contract and that if such a request should be received it would be denied.

#### WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA

The Cornell University Association of Western Pennsylvania held a successful and interesting dinner on December 11 in honor of Cornell's first championship eleven. There was an enthusiastic crowd of Cornellians present, young and old. Football songs, long yells for team, coaches, and the two Western Pennsylvania varsity players, Barrett and Ecklev, shook the roof. Confidence in the fact that Cornell football had finally "arrived" and in the present coaching system and coaches was a very evident feeling. William Metcalf, jr., '01, told about the Harvard game and the development of the team as he watched it up to that time. (Short yell for Harvard!) John H. Scott '09 gave a vivid description of the Penn game. other "short one.")

A Western Pennsylvania Cornell Scholarship, to be filled by competition from the high schools and preparatory schools of Western Pennsylvania, amounting to \$250, was formally established by the Association. The scholarship will be awarded as a gift to the successful candidate, not as a loan, for use during the freshman year. It is expected that other scholarships in addition to this first one will be established from time to time.

J. Harry Letsche, jr., '12, 416 South Linden Avenue, Pittsburgh, is in charge of arrangements for the concert of the University Musical Clubs on December 29. Preparations are being made to entertain the undergraduates and to take care of the large audience expected. A smoker will be held at the University Club immediately after the concert. The smoker will be open to all Cornell men who happen to be in Pittsburgh at that time. It is expected that delegations from the alumni associations of other universities will also be on hand. A big Cornell night is being planned.

Stunts by John W. Todd '06, "Eddie" Goodwillie '10, "Davy" Llewellyn '13, and Mr. Charles Dunkinson, president of the local W. and J. alumni association, helped make the evening enjoyable.

THE ANNUAL AGRICULTURAL BANQUET will be held in the Armory on Dec. 18.

#### **OBITUARY**

#### A. N. Fitch '71

Asahel Norton Fitch, who was one of the first students registered in Cornell University, died on December 7 at his home at Sylvan, on Fox Island, in Puget Sound, Washington. He retired to his island home ten years ago on account of ill health.

Mr. Fitch was born on a farm near Groton, N. Y., and came to Cornell in 1868 from Hamilton College, where he had completed his freshman year. He was one of the founders of the Cornell chapter of Theta Delta Chi. He graduated in 1871 with the degree of Ph.B.

After his graduation Mr. Fitch studied law in Rochester and practiced there till 1887. In Rochester he founded a bank in partnership with the president of the Eastman Kodak Company. He moved in 1887 to Tacoma, where he established a law practice and started the Traders' Bank. He was a leading and highly respected citizen of Tacoma for fifteen years until ill health compelled him to retire from business. He leaves a widow.

#### John L. Ahern '94

John Louis Ahern, Ph.B. '94, LL.B. '95, died at his home in Buffalo on December 9. He was killed by the discharge of an army rifle. The newspapers reported his death as suicide, but his friends say that the shooting must have been accidental.

Ahern was born in Broome County, N. Y., in 1870, and was prepared for college at Whitney Point and Ithaca. He entered Cornell in 1890. He was elected to the Sun board in his freshman year and retained his connection with that paper throughout his undergraduate course. He was the leader of one of the factions when the Sun board was deadlocked over the election of a business manager in 1893, and two rival editions of the paper were issued from different printing offices for several weeks until a vote of the students ended the controversy in favor of the Sun of which Ahern had been chosen business manager. Ahern was a member of the Masque and the Cornell Congress, a contestant for the '86 Memorial Prize, and a Commencement orator.

After he graduated from the law school Ahern was advertising manager of the Buffalo *Evening News* for a year. Then he was admitted to the bar and for a year was a clerk in the office of Humphrey, Lockwood & Hoyt (the late William B. Hoyt '81). Since 1897 he had prac-

ticed law independently. He joined the 74th Regiment of the National Guard in 1897, became a first lieutenant in 1913, and shortly afterward was made a battalion adjutant. He was a member of the regimental rifle team. He was married last spring and his wife survives him.

#### ALUMNI CALENDAR

#### Wednesday, December 29.

Washington, D. C.—The annual Christmas dance of the Senators Club at Cornell will be given at the Raleigh Hotel in Washington on December 29.

Tuesday, January 11.

FOUNDER'S DAY. This day has been chosen by the Associate Alumni of Cornell University for "All-Cornell Night." It is recommended that local groups of alumni observe the day by meeting and holding appropriate exercises.

#### BRIEF UNIVERSITY NEWS

A CHRISTMAS LETTER has been sent to Professor Georges Mauxion by the faculty and students of the College of Architecture. Professor Mauxion was a member of that faculty when the war began and he is now serving as an officer of the French army at the front. The letter was an expression of the college's good wishes. Friends of Professor O. G. Guerlac are sending him a Christmas letter, too. He was recalled to France last summer.

LECTURES on "the province of interior decoration" and "interior decoration and the human temperament" were given under the auspices of the College of Architecture this week by Mr. Sumner Robinson, of New York. Mr. Robinson is a graduate of Stanford University.

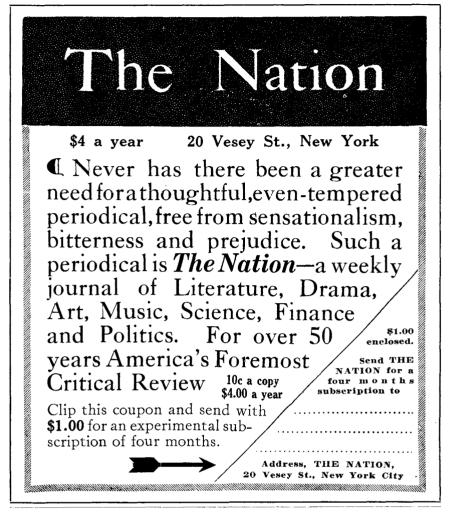
Professors Kimball and Diederichs of Sibley College went to New York last week to attend the annual meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.

THE UNDERGRADUATE FASHION in overcoats for campus wear this winter is a reefer of moleskin or cordurov lined with sheepskin.

THE Sun has announced the election of John A. Krugh '18, of Kansas City, to its business staff. Krugh is a member of Phi Gamma Delta.

THE REV. DR. JOHN DOUGLAS ADAM of the Hartford Theological Seminary will preach in Sage Chapel on December 19.

THE football men were to meet for the election of a captain on Wednesday night of this week.



#### CORNELL LUNCHEONS

The list below is published here for the guidance not only of members of the associations in the cities mentioned but also of Cornell men from other towns who may be able to attend any of the luncheons. The NEWS wishes to keep it complete and accurate, and requests those in charge of the luncheons to inform the editor of any change that may be made in their arrangements.

Binghamton.—Every Tuesday at 12:15 o'clock in the grill room of the Chamber of Commerce, on the twelfth floor of the Press Building.

Boston.—Every Thursday, 12:30 to 1:30 o'clock, at the Quincy House.

Buffalo.—Every Tuesday, 12:30 to 2 o'clock, at the Hotel Iroquois, Parlor G.

Thursday, 12:30 Chicago.—Every o'clock, at the Hotel Morrison, Floor B. Service table d'hôte, 30 cents and 50

Cleveland.—Every Thursday at 12

o'clock in the Beefsteak Room (downstairs), Hollenden Hotel.

Dayton.—Every other Saturday, 12:30 o'clock, at Rike-Kumler's.

Detroit.—Every Thursday, 12:15 o'clock, at the Hotel Statler.

Indianapolis.—Last Friday of each month during the fall, winter, and spring, at 12:15 o'clock, at the University Club.

New York.—Every Wednesday at the Machinery Club, 50 Church Street.

Philadelphia.—Luncheon every day, 12 to 2 p. m., at the rooms of the Cornell Club of Philadelphia, 1519 Sansom St.

Pittsburgh.—Every Friday between 12:15 and 1:30 p. m., at McCreery's, corner of Wood Street and Sixth Avenue.

Syracuse.—Every Thursday, between 11:30 and 12:30 o'clock, at Endres', 209 South Warren Street.

Washington, D. C.—Every Tuesday, 12:30 o'clock, at the University Club. Meeting place: Alumni Room.

### ATHLETICS

#### 1916 Football Schedule

#### Out-of-Town Games with Harvard and Penn-Michigan Coming to Ithaca

The football schedule for 1916 was submitted this week to the committee on student affairs for ratification. It contains nine games, the same number as last season, and seven of them are to be with teams which were met this year. The two newcomers on the schedule are the Carnegie Institute of Technology, which takes the place of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and the Massachusetts College of Agriculture, which succeeds Washington and Lee on the Cornell schedule.

The only games not to be played in Ithaca are the Harvard and Pennsylvania contests. The Michigan eleven will come to Schoellkopf Field.

The proposed schedule: September 30—Oberlin at Ithaca. October 7—Gettysburg at Ithaca. October 14-Williams at Ithaca. October 21—Bucknell at Ithaca. October 28—Harvard at Cambridge. November 4—Carnegie Tech. at Ithaca. November 11--Michigan at Ithaca. November 18—Mass. Ag. College at Ithaca. November 30-Pennsylvania at Philadelphia.

#### Basketball

#### Cornell 37, Niagara 13

Niagara's basketball team was completely swamped by the rapidly developing Cornell five in a fast game played in the Armory last Friday night. Shelton, the football end, has reported for practice, and has superseded Austin at left guard, the only position left open on the team by graduation. Ashmead and Shelton make a powerful and fast pair of guards. Both play a hard game. Their vigilance is shown by the fact that while they were in the game Niagara scored only two field goals. Brown and Lunden, having played together for three years, are a clever pair of forwards, and Sutterby, the big center, is making the best of his physical advantages this year. All of the five show ability to shoot with considerable accuracy, but they are all inclined to neglect passing in order to try long shoots at the basket.

Sutterby and Ashmead were the heavy scorers in the Niagara game, securing five and four field goals respectively. Brown was a bit off form on his foul shooting, netting only three out of seven tries. Cornell scored 17 points in the first half and Niagara scored only six. An entire substitute team played the last five minutes, but added only three points to Cornell's score.

The complete schedule follows:

Non-League
Dec. 3—Cornell 36, Clarkson Tech. 25.
Dec. 10—Cornell 37, Niagara 13.
Dec. 18—N. Y. U. at New Yofk.
Jan. 22—Rochester at Ithaca.
Jan. 29—Rochester at Rochester.
Feb. 12—Oberlin at Ithaca.
Feb. 16—Carnegie Tech. at Ithaca.
Feb. 26—Army at West Point. Intercollegiate League Schedule Intercollegiate League Scale Dec. 17—Cornell at Princeton.
Jan. 7—Dartmouth at Columbia.
Jan. 18—Cornell at Pennsylvania.
Jan. 15—Columbia at Dartmouth.
Jan. 15—Princeton at Pennsylvania.
Jan. 18—Pennsylvania at Yale.
Jan. 19—Columbia at Princeton.
Jan. 22—Yale at Columbia.
Jan. 22—Dartmouth at Pennsylvania.
Jan. 25—Princeton at Yale.
Feb. 4—Pennsylvania at Dartmouth. Jan. 25—Princeton at Yale.
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Feb. 8—Dartmouth at Yale.
Feb. 12—Pennsylvania at Columbia.
Feb. 12—Yale at Dartmouth.
Feb. 15—Princeton at Columbia.
Feb. 19—Columbia at Pennsylvania.
Feb. 19—Cornell at Yale.
Feb. 19—Princeton at Dartmouth.
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Feb. 23—Pennsylvania at Princeton.
Feb. 25—Cornell at Columbia. Feb. 25—Cornell at Columbia. Feb. 26—Dartmouth at Princeton. Feb. 26—Yale at Pennsylvania. Feb. 29—Dartmouth at Cornell. March 3—Columbia at Cornell. March 3—Yale at Princeton. March 6—Pennsylvania at Cornell.

March 8—Columbia at Yale.

March 9—Princeton at Cornell.

#### **Baseball Schedule for 1916**

#### Yale and Columbia the Guests for Spring Day and Commencement Respectively

The athletic association this week ratified the baseball schedule for next spring. It is similar to those of recent years. The number of games is two or three less than were in last season's schedule. The list follows:

#### Southern Trip

April 6—Swarthmore.
April 6—Swarthmore.
April 7—Maryland Agricultural College.
April 8—Catholic University, Washington.
April 10—University of Virginia.
April 11—University of Virginia.
April 12—U. S. Naval Academy.
April 12—Banselylagia April 13—Pennsylvania.

Regular Schedule

April 15, Saturday—Dickinson at Ithaca.

April 19, Wednesday—Bucknell at Ithaca.

April 22, Saturday—Lafayette at Ithaca.

April 29, Saturday—Princeton at Ithaca.

May 3, Wednesday—Rochester at Ithaca.

May 3, Friday—Columbia at New York.

May 6, Saturday—Princeton at Princeton.

May 11, Thursday—Vermont at Ithaca.

May 13, Saturday—Michigan at Ann Arbor.

May 17, Wednesday—Michigan at Ithaca.

May 25, Saturday—Yale at Ithaca.

May 25, Thursday—Colgate at Hamilton.

May 27, Saturday—Vernsylvania at Ithaca.

May 30, Tuesday—Yale at New Haven.

June 3, Saturday—Williams at Ithaca.

June 16, Friday—Colgate at Ithaca.

June 17, Saturday—Penn. at Philadelphia.

June 21, Wednesday—Columbia at Ithaca. April 13—Pennsylvania

Rowing.—Cowles Andrus '16, of Syracuse, has been elected to the office of crew representative on the Athletic Council, the office formerly assumed automatically by the commodore of the navy. No commodore was elected after the race at Poughkeepsie last June because of a death in the family of one of the oarsmen, and this fall the crew men decided not to elect a commodore. Last year, and a few times before, it has happened that the man elected commodore

did not make the eight the following spring, so the oarsmen decided to elect a representative to the council in the fall, and to postpone the election of the captain until the crew is at Poughkeepsie and picked for the race. Andrus stroked the varsity eight in the two early season races last spring, but was shifted to number four at Poughkeepsie. In his sophomore year he rowed on the junior varsity crew. He is a member of Seal and Serpent and of Sphinx Head.

Cross-Country.—Linus Vere Windnagle '17, of Portland, Oregon, has been elected captain of the cross-country team for 1916. He is a member of Delta Tau Delta and of Aleph Samach. Windnagle finished ninth in the intercollegiate run this fall, and first in the dual races against Harvard and Pennsylvania. He finished second in the mile run at the intercollegiate track meet last spring.

Hockey.—After two weeks of indoor practice the hockey team took to the ice last Monday. Beebe Lake was too rough for good skating, but the Inlet ice was in fairly good condition, and the team planned to practice there until the rink on Alumni Field was frozen. The rink was completed, but constant snow had prevented satisfactory flooding.

The tennis team is taking indoor practice this winter for the first time. A court in the Armory is reserved for two hours every afternoon for the use of the thirty-two candidates.

#### SIX CORNELL MEN IN TENNIS HONOR ROLL

An unintentional injustice to Robert B. McClave '10, of Scranton, Pa., was done by the NEWS last week in publishing the names of Cornell men who have been ranked among the first hundred lawn tennis players of the country. "Bob" McClave's name was in the first hundred and should have been published with the five names which the NEWS noted. McClave was the captain of the Cornell tennis team in 1910. This is the third time since he graduated that he has been rated among the first hundred players by the national association.

#### MR. CAMP'S ALL-AMERICA TEAM

Mr. Walter Camp's All-America football team, announced last week, includes Barrett and Shelton of Cornell. Barrett is selected for quarterback. Cool of Cornell is placed at center on the second team. Peck of Pittsburgh is Mr. Camp's first choice for that position.

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### ALUMNI NOTES

'90, LL.B.-Harry C. Davis was last week elected president of the bar association of Denver, Colorado, for the coming year. He assumed office at once. Mr. Davis is a member of the law firm of Whitney & Davis and is a former president of the Rocky Mountain Cornell Association.

'91, M.E.—Augustus Wood was promoted last June from chief draftsman to general manager of The Niles Tool Works Company. His address is 306 South D Street, Hamilton, Ohio.

'95, M.E.-Harry J. Clark is mentioned by the newspapers for possible appointment to the office of commissioner of public works of Syracuse, N. Y. Clark was for several years in the construction department of the Empire United Railways and is now in the managing department of the company.

'97, LL.B.—George A. Rogers is president of the Rogers Bros. Company, general paving contractors operating in Southern California with offices in the Hibernian Building, Los Angeles. He is also president of the Contractors' Securities Company in that city.

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## THE CORNELL MUSICAL CLUBS

BUFFALO, N. Y. Star Theatre, December 23, 1915

Alumni sale to be held at box office of the Star Theatre on Monday, December 20th.

General sale held at the box office on December 21. 22 and 23.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.

Waldorf-Astoria, December 27, 1915
Alumni sale to be held at Cornell Club, 65 Park
Ave., on December 20, 21, 22 and 23. Mail orders
should be sent to Mr. Fred H. Potter, jr., Cornell Club, 65 Park Avenue.

General sale to be held at Cornell Club and Waldorf-Astoria on December 24 and 27.

Albaugh's Theatre, December 28, 1915
Alumni sale to be held at Albaugh's Ticket Office, on December 21.

Congrel colors.

General sale at Albaugh's ticket office on December 22, 23, 24, 27 and 28.

PITTSBURGH, PA.

Carnegie Music Hall, December 29, 1915 Alumni sale to be held at C. C. Mellor Co., 604 Wood St. on December 24.
General sale at C. C. Mellor Co., on December 27, 28

WHEELING, W. VA.

Court Theatre, December 30, 1915
Alumni sale to be held at Box Office of Court Theatre on December 27.

General sale to be held at Box Office of Court Theatre on December 28, 29 and 30.

CINCINNATI, O.

Emery Auditorium, December 31, 1915 Alumni sale to be held at The Rudolph Wurlitzer Co., 117-121 E. 4th St. on December 28.
General sale to be held at The Rudolph Wurlitzer Co. on December 29, 30 and 31.

DETROIT, MICH.

Knights of Columbus Hall, January 1, 1916 Alumni sale to be held at Grinnell Bros., 243 Woodward Ave. on December 29.

General sale to be held at Grinnell Bros. on December

30 and 31 and on January 1.

CLEVELAND, O.

B. of L. E. Building, January 3. 1916
Alumni sale to be held at B. Dreher Sons & Co.,
1028 Euclid Ave. on December 30.
General sale to be held at B. Dreher Sons & Co.,

on December 31 and January 3.

ALBANY, N. Y.

Harmanus Bleecker Hall, January 4, 1916

Alumni sale to be held at the box office of Harmanus
Bleecker Hall on December 28 and 29.

General sale to be held at the box office of Harmanus Bleecker Hall on December 30 and 31 and on January 3 and 4.

BINGHAMTON, N. Y.

Binghamton Central High School, January 5, 1916 Alumni sale to be held at the Central High School on December 31.

General sale to be held at the Central High School on January 3, 4 and 5.

'98, A.B.; '02, M.D.—Dr. Edward Raymond Hildreth, a medical missionary in Porto Rico, is lecturing in Washington and New York City and on Long Island.

'01. B.S.A.-D. L. VanDine, of the U. S. bureau of entomology, has returned to Washington headquarters after a season at a field station in the Mississippi delta region. He is engaged in a study of the relation of malaria to agriculture in the South. His address is Route 2, Bethesda, Maryland.

'05, '07-Elizabeth Hoyt Church '05 and Oswald Drew Ingall '07 were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Church of 63 Pringle Street, Kingston, Pa., on October 22. Edgar Stehli '07 was best man and Reba J. Miller '05 was bridesmaid. The bride is a sister of F. C. Church '09. Mr. and Mrs. Ingall are at home at Twin Elm Farm, East Norton, Mass.

'06, A.B.—Edwin Griswold Nourse is acting head of the department of economics of the University of Arkansas.

'07, M.E.-Roy L. Stone's address is 313 West Nineteenth Street, Wilming-

'08, M.E.-O. H. Simonds, manager of the Vicksburg Light & Traction Company, was recently elected president of the Mississippi Electric Association and the Mississippi section of the National Electric Light Association. He is the president of the Young Men's Business Club of Vicksburg, which has a membership of five hundred.

'08, M.E.-George N. Brown is electrical engineer for the Utica-Syracuse lines of the New York State Railways. He also has charge of the instruction department for motormen and conductors in both cities. His address is 301 Slocum Avenue, Syracuse, N. Y.

'08, Sp.-C. R. Barker is a farmer at New Lyme, Ohio.

'09, A.B.—A daughter was born on December 9 to Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Henry, of Elmira.

'09, B.S.A.; '11, M.S.A.-Edward H. Thomson was married to Miss Ethel Cutts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cutts of Milford, N. H., on November 3. G. H. Miller '09 was best man. Other Cornell men present were S. M. Thomson '13. brother of the bridegroom, and Lawrence G. Dodge '05. Mr. and Mrs. Thomson will reside at 1417 Belmont Street, Washington, D. C.

'09. B.S.A.—S. F. Willard, jr., was married to Miss Helen D. Buck, of Wethersfield, Conn., on September 11.

1915. Their home is at 3147 Prospect Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio.

'10, B.Arch.--Announcement has been made of Edward E. Goodwillie's engagement to Miss Clarissa E. Macfarlane, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. James W. Macfarlane of Penn Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa. Goodwillie is in the sales department of the Pennsylvania Steel Company, Oliver Building, Pittsburgh.

'10, B.S.A.—George G. Becker is the head of the department of entomology in the University of Arkansas and is the state entomologist. His address is Fayetteville.

'11, LL.B.—Herbert P. Luce was married to Myra Ruth Engelking, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Engelking, of Tonawanda, N. Y., on November 11. Robert F. Luce '17 was best man and



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the ushers included F. A. Haist '11, C. H. Davidson '11, and C. W. Vogt '14. Mr. and Mrs. Luce will reside at Hollis, Long Island.

'11, A.B.—E. Laurence Palmer is associated with Peck & Johnson, lawyers, American Trust Building, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

'11, M.E.—William Kenneth Sowdon was married to Miss Margaret Louise Duryee on July 24, 1915, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank V. Bronell, Cana-

joharie, N. Y. Among the guests were Wilson K. Page '09, Malcolm S. Jones '10, and Charles A. Volz '11. Mr. and Mrs. Sowdon live at 506 Warburton Avenue, Yonkers, N. Y.

'11, M.E.—A. W. Wakeley is assistant factory manager of the Wilson Steel Products Company of Chicago, makers of nails, rivets, tacks and wire. His address is 5102 Kenwood Avenue, Chicago.

'12, B.S.—Raymond S. Washburn was married on October 2 at San Jose, Cal., to Miss Flossa M. Roper, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. B. Roper of Cleveland, Ohio. They will be at home after January 1st at 1417 Belmont Street, Washington, D. C.

'12, C.E.—J. L. Green is in the engineering department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad at Chicago.

'12, M.E.—Henry R. Roseboro is with the Southern Utilities Company, a J. G. White concern, at Jacksonville, Florida.

'12, M.E.—H. J. MacWilliams is now associated with the Scranton Supply &

Machinery Company, Scranton, Pa., in the capacity of sales engineer in charge of power plant equipment and power transmission machinery.

'13, M.E.—G. E. Carman is with the Pierce Arrow Motor Car Company and lives at 45 Wakefield Avenue, Buffalo, N. Y.

'13, M.E.—Percival S. Goan has taken a distributing agency for Paige and Chevrolet cars in southern Montana and has organized the Northwestern Phonograph Corporation to do a wholesale and mail order business in phonographs. His address is Box 1300, Billings, Mont.

'13, C.E.—F. B. O'Connor was placed in charge of the Philadelphia office of the Alphons Custodis Chimney Construction Company in September. His office is in the Pennsylvania Building.

'13, C.E.—Morris A. Spamer was married to Miss Margaret Duckwall Stanton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Stanton, at Tampa, Florida, on December 1st. They will make their home at Ocala, Florida.

'14, M.E.—Maurice R. McMicken is a student in the University of Washington law school. He is in the class of '17. His address is 1630 Sixteenth Avenue, Seattle, Wash.

'14—Walter R. Malby is with The Fidelity & Casualty Company, 92 Liberty Street, New York.

'14, C.E.—R. E. J. Summers is working for R. L. Polk & Co., Seattle, Wash. He was recommended by the University for a commission as second lieutenant in the regular army but failed to get an appointment because there was no vacancy. He has recently taken the examination for admission to the engineer corps of the army.

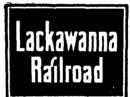
'14, A.B.—Edgar Williams is with the New York office of a large house engaged in South American trade. His address is 132 Sixth Avenue, Brooklyn.

'14, M.E.—Norman S. Stone's address is 232 Biddle Street, Milwaukee, Wis. He is with the Bucyrus Company of South Milwaukee.

'14, M.S.A.—L. F. Gieseker is in charge of soil investigations in Montana State College at Bozeman.

'14, B.Arch.—R. L. Burns is in the office of Tiffany & Conrad, Phelps Building, Binghamton, N. Y.

'14, LL.B.—Howard O. Babcock is associated with the law firm of Cohn, Chormann & Franchot, 44 Falls Street, Niagara Falls, N. Y.



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The views of the campus at different seasons of the year are as faithful as they are interesting and beautiful. And the pictures of landscape, lake and falls have been selected with admirable aesthetic taste and judgment.

The fine athletic development of the year is expressed not only by the familiar view of the boatrace but by the view of the Schoellkopf memorial and stadium crowded with people, and the pictures of the Harvard-Cornell football game at Cambridge on October 23d, which resulted in the score of Harvard 0, Cornell 10. Nor have either winter sports or military training been overlooked.

The colored title page showing the Library, with the grass, flowers and trees, and the glow of the distant sky, all in their natural colors, is a new and beautiful feature of the Calendar.

Altogether, I think this may be regarded as the crown of the series of Calendars which from year to year you offer to the students and friends of Cornell University.

Very sincerely yours,

J. G. SCHURMAN.

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### J. P. Troy

Morse Hall

Ithaca

'14. M.E.-- I. Carlton Ward, ir., is now with the Niles works of the Niles-Bement-Pond Company at Hamilton,

'15, C.E.—A. G. Cadiz is doing general civil engineering work for E. Burnett, 11 East Twenty-fourth Street, New York. F. S. Marlow, B.Arch. '10, is the managing architect in the office, and F. H. Klie, B.Arch. '10, is in the same office.

'15, B.S.-Estella L. Church is teacher of home-making in the high school at Worcester, N. Y.; she organized the department there.

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