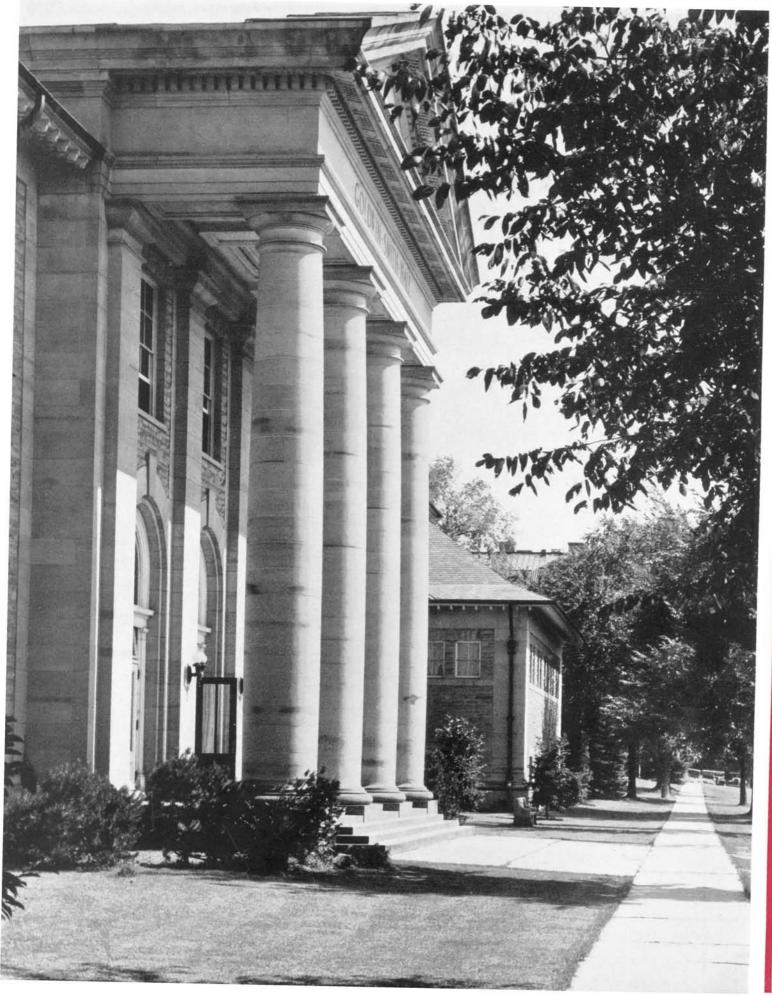
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### COUNSELOR OF STUDENTS Approved by Trustees

A Counselor of Students for the University was authorized by the Trustees at their spring meeting, following a recommendation of the Faculty which was approved by President Day. It was announced, however, that the University's budget will not permit appointment of the new official until at least 1940.

When appointed, the Counselor of Students will be under the administrative supervision of the Dean of the University Faculty. His duties, as defined by a Faculty committee which recommended creation of the office, will be "to promote the effectiveness toward educational objectives of all enterprises in the University, aside from the strictly scholastic functions entrusted to the various Faculties, through:

"(a) Informal advisory relationship to student social life, housing, fraternities, student organizations, interests, and activities. The Counselor's relationship to the Committee on Student Conduct will be that of adviser. Responsibility for disciplinary measures will remain with the Committee. He will be ex-officio chairman of the University Faculty Committee on Student Activities.

'(b) Close cooperative contact with the offices of Admissions, Health, and Physical Education and Athletics.

(c) Responsibility for coordinating and, in conjunction with existing agencies, for administering the induction of students, including procedures for orientation and assistance of new students; scholarships and other financial aids; counseling of students; personnel statistics and information.'

The committee further observed: "It is impossible to forecast either the degree of centralization that will be most effective or the time and manner in which such centralization might be brought about. At this point the proposal assumes careful study of existing arrangements and of all proposals of change, and full cooperation on the part of existing units of organization."

#### CALIFORNIANS INVITE BOYS

Cornell Club of Southern California entertained eleven high school students at a dinner in Los Angeles, May 2. C. Reeve Vanneman '03, past president of the Cornell Alumni Corporation, was the principal speaker, and the fifty persons present also enjoyed color motion pictures of the Campus and of the 1938 football game with Dartmouth. Edgar L. Kaw '23, former Varsity captain and halfback, was present and spoke briefly.

Toastmaster was Irving H. Crowne '24, who was introduced by John B. Shaw '21, president of the Club.

A new directory of all Cornellians in southern California is shortly to be published by the Club. The secretary, Guy T. Burroughs '22, 935 South Valencia Street, Los Angeles, is collecting names. addresses, and occupations.

#### **ICAAAA SMOKER MAY 26**

John T. McGovern '00, unanimously re-elected by the ICAAAA chairman of its Veteran's Association, announced that the Cornell Club of New York will be host to the annual informal supper and smoker of the ICAAAA, May 26. Coach John F. Moakley will be one of the guests, and all former athletes, coaches, officials, members of the press, and friends of track and field are cordially invited to attend. Tariff of \$1.75 may be paid at the door, or reservations may be made at the Cornell Club of New York, 107 East Forty-eighth Street, New York City.

#### PASS BAR EXAMS

Every one of the six graduates of the Law School last January successfully passed both parts of the New York State Bar examinations given in March, according to word received at the Law School. This record of 100 percent for Cornell compares with a percentage of 33.4 who passed, of all in the State who took the March examinations. The successful Cornellians are Frederic K. Baldwin, William H. Borger '36, Homer T. Jennings, Edwin M. Miller '35, Thomas F. Newman, Jr. '36, and Monroe J. Polensky.

In addition, four Law School graduates of last June passed the recent Bar examinations: Frank Albanese '35, Edward Harris, Jr. (son of Edward Harris '00), David Horwitz '36, and Richard B. Tolins '35.



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### SENIOR SOCIETIES ELECT Next Year's Chapters

Senior societies announced May 10 the election of fifty-eight members of the Class of '40 to comprise their chapters for next fall. Sphinx Head elected nineteen; Quill and Dagger, twenty-nine. Names of the new members, with their home towns, Colleges, principal activities, and fraternity affiliations, if any, follow. Sons of alumni have their parents' names and Class numerals in parentheses.

#### Sphinx Head

William C. Baird, Rochester; Civil Engineer-

ing; editor-elect Cornellian; Psi Upsilon. Beach Barrett, Kew Gardens; Mechanical Engineering; editor-elect Cornell Engineer, President ASME, Tau Beta Pi; Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Charles S. Bowen, Binghamton; Administrative Engineering; 150-pound football, baseball; Psi Upsilon.

Sidney Davis, Milton, Pa. (George C. Davis '05 and Frederica M. Dorner '31); Arts; assis-tant manager baseball; Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Edmund V. Eichler, Utica; Arts; captainelect football.

Charles A. Hunt, Jackson, Mich; Civil Engineering; assistant manager rowing; Delta

Kappa Epsilon. Frederick G. Jaicks, Hinsdale, Ill.; Adminis-trative Engineering; football, Tau Beta Pi, Student Council; Chi Psi.

John W. Magoun, Jr., Steelton, Pa. (John W., '12); Mechanical Engineering; assistant manager basketball; Psi Upsilon. Robert H. Mathers, Upper Darby, Pa.; Hotel Administration; captain-elect wrestling and introduced compilers.

and intercollegiate champion, Student Council; Sigma Pi.

cil; Sigma Fi. Edwin C. Murck, Brooklyn; Arts; assistant manager track; Beta Theta Pi. George F. Polzer, Jr., Staten Island; Arts; basketball, baseball. Robert W. Pressing, Cleveland, Ohio;

Robert W. Pressing, Cleveland, Ohio; Chemical Engineering; track, chairman Junior Prom, Student Council; Phi Gamma Delta. Elwyn Seelye, White Plains (Elwyn E., 'oq); Arts; Willard Straight Hall board of

managers, circulation manager Sun; Psi Upsilon.

Upsilon. Alan W. Vaughan, Western Springs, Ill. (Leonard H., '03); Arts; captain-elect basket-ball; Psi Upsilon. George M. Walker, Somerville, Mass. (Harry A., '05); Arts; track, cross country; Chi Pai

Chi Psi.

Edward A. Wardwell, Rome; Arts; manager-elect Freshman football; Psi Upsilon. Donald A. Weadon, Garden City; Arts;

track; Chi Psi.

Robert L. Wiggans, Ithaca (Roy G., PhD '19); Arts; soccer, hockey, lacrosse, director Freshman Camp, secretary-elect Student Coun-

cil; Beta Theta Pi. William H. Worcester, Aurora, Ill.; Ad-ministrative Engineering; football, track, Tau Beta Pi; Chi Psi.

#### Quill and Dagger

Stanley W. Allen, Jr., Glendale, Ohio; Arts;

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rowing; Delta Upsilon.
Curtis B. Alliaume, Utica (Curtis F., 'o6);
Arts; manager lacrosse; Phi Delta Theta.
Benjamin R. Andrews, Jr., Edgewater, N. J.
(Benjamin R. Andrews 'or and Elizabeth
Russell 'or); Arts; president CURW; Sigma Pi.
Richard C. Beutell, Pelham Manor; Arts;

vice-president Interfraternity Council, rowing, basketball; Chi Phi.

Durand B. Blatz, Philadelphia, Pa.; Arts; manager-elect Freshman crew, chairman Junior Smoker; Delta Upsilon.

James M. Bostwick, Hamilton, Canada (Henry M., '01); Arts; golf, hockey; Sigma Phi.

Robert D. Brennan, Geneva; Arts; lacrosse, manager-elect swimming, president Scabbard and Blade; Phi Delta Theta

R. Selden Brewer, Hartford, Conn.; Agri-culture; manager-elect Musical Clubs, Savage

Club, president Scarab; Kappa Sigma. Kenneth G. Brown, Millerton; Agriculture; football, baseball; Sigma Nu. Richard K. Collins, Ithaca; Arts; rowing. Dallas M. Coors, Ithaca (Herman, '1

13): Arts; president Model League of Nations; Kappa Alpha. William T. Fine, Canastota, Mechanical

Engineering; captain-elect boxing. William E. Fisher, Jr., Stevens Point, Wis.

Civil Engineering; rowing, Tau Beta Pi; Chi Phi.

Joseph E. Griesedieck, Webster Groves, Mo. (Alvin F., '16); Administrative Engineer-ing; manager-elect Freshman baseball, Tau Beta Pi; Delta Tau Delta.

West Hooker, Winnetka, Ill.; Arts; presi-dent-elect Student Council, rowing, boxing, football; Sigma Phi. John C. Jaqua, Jr., Winchester, Ind. (John

'15); Arts; managing editor Sun; Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Teh-chang Koo, Shanghai, China; Mechanical Engineering; president Cosmopolitan Club, Tau Beta Pi; Telluride.

Arthur K. Peters, Jackson Heights (Arthur C., '15); Arts; soccer, manager-elect tennis, art editor Widow; Phi Delta Theta.

George E. Ranney, Ithaca; Agriculture; captain cross country, track.

Richard J. Rothman, New York City; Arts; business manager Sun; Zeta Beta Tau.

George A. Sears, Brooklyn; Arts; crew coxswain; Alpha Sigma Phi.

Robert W. Storandt, Rochester; Arts; editor Sun; Kappa Sigma.

William D. Wallace, Camillus; Mechanical Engineering; manager-elect football, Tau Beta Pi; Delta Tau Delta.

Lawrence W. Wheeler, Sterling, Ill.; Arts; president-elect Widow, track; Alpha Delta Þhi.

Emery G. Wingerter, Red Bank, N. J.; cross country, track.

Ivan R. Wood, Mount Morris; Arts; captainelect soccer, basketball; Phi Delta Theta Arthur J. Wullschleger, Larchmont; Arts;

intercollegiate outboard motorboat champion. Delta Upsilon.

James A. Young, Jr., Angelica; Agriculture; Student Council, rowing; Alpha Sigma Phi.

Walter W. Zittel, Jr., Buffalo (Walter W., '04); Arts; track; Delta Phi.

#### LAW QUARTERLY

Jervis Langdon, Jr. '27 writes the leading article in the Cornell Law Quarterly for April, examining the question, "Should the Regulation of Railroad Rates Be 'Streamlined' Too?'' Langdon is general attorney of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, Nickel Plate Road, and Pere Marquette Railway. Two members of the Quarterly board who are third-year students in the Law School contribute the other main articles. William T. Plumb, Jr., managing editor this year, writes on "Illegal Enforcement of the Law." Ralph N. Kleps '37 discusses "Uniformity Versus Uniform Legislation: Conditional Sale of Fixtures,'

#### CORNELL DAY "CHAUFFEURS"

Among the delegations of boys which Cornell Clubs brought to the Campus for Cornell Day, May 5-7, were twenty-one in a special Pullman from Chicago, eighteen from Cleveland, seventeen from Michigan, twelve each from Maryland and Washington, ten from Delaware, and thirty-two from New England.

Alumni donated their cars and their time to bring most of the boys, and among the "chauffeurs" were not a few non-Cornellian fathers and school principals. Those alumni who registered, with the Clubs or regions from which they came, follow:

ALBANY: Prentice Cushing '05.

ATHENN: PRINTE Cushing 05. ATHENN, PA.: Ralph E. Hopkins '12. AUBURN: Albert R. Nolin '21. BINGHAMTON: George H. Young '00, George B. Cummings '12, J. Donald McQueen '24, Harold L. Baine, MS '37. BETHLEHEM, PA.: Edward E. Goodwillie '10. BETHLEHEM, PA.: Edward E. Goodwillie '10.

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J. Durham '16, Millard F. Bingham, 3d '27, CLEVELAND, OH10: Clyde H. Loughridge '06, Walter E. Flickinger '08, John W. Holt '08, Frederick W. Krebs '12, McRea Parker '14, Warren E. Monson '15, Ladimir R. Zeman '16 Zeman '16.

DELAWARE: Joseph H. Shaw '12, J. Harold Maston, Jr. '30, Elman M. Stausebach '36.

DUTCHESS COUNTY: Lloyd L. Rosenthal '32 Essex COUNTY, N. J.: Howard C. Blackwell '05, Brian C. Bellows '06, I. Ellis Behrman '10, Clarence J. Pope 'ro, Joseph J. Kastner, Jr. '12, Edward M. Urband '13, M. Raymond Riley '15, Luis F. Cianchini '16, James E. Brincker-hoff '17, George A. Worn '17, William E.

hoff 17, George A. Worn 17, William E. Frenaye, Jr. '22, Aaron Van Poznak '25, Wen-dell K. Webber '25, H. Stanley Krusen '28. HANNIBAL: Louis E. Johnson '10. LACKAWANNA, N. J.: Walter D. Wood '09, Allan L. Trimpi '10, Raymond P. Heath '11, Harry R. Allen '12, Stratford D. Mills '13, A. Morrimer Freshine' 14. Hugh C. Edmiston '15. Mortimer Erskine '14, Hugh C. Edmiston '15, James R. Hillas '19. HARTFORD, CONN.: Isadore E. Finkelstein

12, Nathan Schatz '15, George Munsick '21, Max M. Savitt '26.

MARYLAND: Henry R. Gundlach '11, Edward H. Carman, Jr. '16, C. Stewart Fisk '21, Guy T. Warfield, Jr. '25. MICHIGAN: Blinn S. Page '13. Merton S. Carleton '15, Harold Cole '16, Frank Nitzberg

22, John S. Livermore '26, Edgar W. Averill '28

Монаwк Valley: Paul W. Wing '15, Robert C. Edmunds '18, Carl W. Peterson '20.

New ENGLAND: Arthur P. Bryant '00, Frank M. Morgan '09, Lawrence M. Selleck '15, Rudolph L. Sittinger '15, Newton C. Burnett '24, Milton G. Dexter '24, William G. Mollenberg '24, R. Claude Bradley, PhD '26, Norman F. Bissell '27.

NEWTON, N. J.: Charles C. Iliff '16.

NEW YORK CITY: Clarence H. Davidson '11, Clyde Mayer '19, Bernard A. Savage '25, Peter T. Gavaris '34.

NORTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA: E. Buckley Wagner '06, Donald B. MacDonald '13.

Odessa: HARRY W. KITTS '36.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.: Chandler Burpee 17, Donald E. Maclay '17, Ezra H. Day '19, Gordon J. Mertz '20, Robert B. Patch '22, Eugene M. Kaufmann, Jr. '26, Charles L. Macbeth '28.

QUEENS COUNTY: William J. Wheeler '17.

Rochester: Alfred M. Darlow '06, Herbert D. Kneeland '10, Max Schweid '13, Leonard C. Treman '14, J. Dean Johnson '30, Frederick W. Armbruster '18, Howard E. Blair '18, Kenneth B. Spear '23, Joseph W. Alaimo '31.

SCHENECTADY: Leon H. Schenck '00, William L. Tryon '07, Horace A. Shoemaker '15, Glen W. Bennett '27, Theodore C. Ohart '29.

SOUTHERN OHIO: William H. Hopple '06, Oscar A. Klausmeyer '13. SYRACUSE: Robert C. Hosmer '03, William

J. Thorne '11.

TRENTON, N. J.: Howard T. Critchlow '10, Percy N. Daniels '15, Douglas S. Dilts '17, Carl F. Ogren '17, George P. Simmen '20. UNION COUNTY, N. J.: Jacob Koopman '13, Burton C. Belden, PhD '31.

WESTERN MASSACHUSETTS: Alfred P. Howes '07, Byron A. Allen '17, Walter B. Gerould '21, L. Peter Ham '26.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA: Benjamin M. Herr '66, John W. Todd '06, Arthur C. Amsler '09, Edward E. Ludwig '16, William C. White '18, Darwin F. Carrell '23, H. Cotton Givan '24,

David C. Amsler 36, Robert H. Menges 37. WASHINGTON, D. C.: John S. Gorrell '05, Creed W. Fulton '09, Allen C. Minnix '15, Edward L. Duffies '19, Abbott H. Greenleaf

23. WATERBURY, CONN.: Donald J. Post '24. WESTCHESTER COUNTY: Ray C. Thompson

'09. WESTFIELD, N. J.: Donald C. Taggart '16, Charles H. Bunn '17, Thomas J. Potts '23.

#### ALUMNI AT WORK

Herbert H. Williams '25, Director of the University Placement Bureau, has recently summarized replies to annual questionnaires concerning employment sent to members of the last three graduating classes of the College of Arts and Sciences.

Of 54 members of the Class of '36 who received questionnaires, 39 reported themselves as employed the first year, 34 the second year, and 36 in 1938. None were reported as unemployed in any year. Average weekly salaries increased from \$22.30 the first year out, to \$28.96, to \$32.78, and 22 men who had been with the same company since graduation averaged last year \$33.33 a week.

The Class of '37 reported 58 employed of 85 questioned the first year, and 47 of 79 questioned the second year after graduation. Twelve were doing graduate study and two were unemployed the first year; and eight were taking graduate work and three unemployed last year. Average weekly salary reported was \$23.62 the first year and \$28.29 the second, with 32 who had been with the same company for two years averaging \$30.08.

Of 74 members of the Class of '38 questioned, 47 were employed, 6 were pursuing graduate study, and three were unemployed. Average starting salary was \$22.79 a week, and ten salary increases were reported, averaging \$5.50 a week.

College of Engineering reports that 94 percent of its 1938 graduates are known to be employed. Of the 148 graduates last year, 128 are at work in business and industry, 11 are taking graduate work, and 9 are unemployed. Chemical Engineering graduates and those of the Administrative Engineering course in Electrical Engineering are reported as 100 percent employed. 1938 graduates of the courses in Administrative Engineering as a whole are 96 percent employed; those of Mechanical Engineering, 95 percent; of Electrical Engineering, 89 percent; and of Civil Engineering, 87 percent.

Williams said last week that prospects for employment of Seniors this year are slightly more promising than last year, but not quite as good as in 1937. More companies are sending representatives to the Campus to interview Seniors this year than came last year, he says, and more students are being hired.

#### MORE ON GEOLOGISTS

Since publication of our article on the semi-centennial of the Geological Society of America, March 16, additional information has been received about the participation of Cornellians in the affairs of the Society.

The late Professor Henry Shaler Williams of the Geology Department was one of the original Fellows, and undoubtedly was instrumental in the first meeting, held in Sage College in 1888. Also, besides the four Cornellians named, Professor Heinrich Ries, Geology, has been a president of the Society, serving in 1928-29.

#### STATE AID REDUCED

The University's three State Colleges are faced with budget cuts for the year 1939-40 of more than \$200,000 as a result of the Legislature's reduction of the State budget by \$30,000,000. Dean Carl E. Ladd '12, Agriculture and Home Economics, and Dean William A. Hagan, '17 MS, Veterinary, with Professor Ralph H. Wheeler '09, Assistant Treasurer of the University, are consulting with the heads of all Departments to determine just where "squeezes" can be made so as least to hamper the work of the Colleges. No general salary reductions will be made, it is said, but it is considered "very evident" that some research will have to be discontinued and a considerable amount curtailed, and that both resident teaching and the Extension Service will be somewhat reduced. A few professorships temporarily vacant will be eliminated, and reductions will be made in graduate assistantships and in clerical and stenographic service. Enrollment of students may also be limited. Budget of the College of Agriculture

for next year now stands at \$1,805,723., a reduction of approximately \$156,000, taking into account obligatory new work transferred to the College by the State without funds to handle it. Home Economics will have \$319,900, which is some \$34,000 less than this year; Veterinary, \$187,505, a reduction of some \$18,000.; and the Agricultural Experiment Station at Geneva, \$349,255., a cut of approximately \$35,000.

## FROM FAR BELOW . . . By Robert L. Bliss '30

The Club is alive with Reunion plans these days: hardly a night goes by but a busy group at dinner get to using the adjectives 'colossal,'' ''stupendous,'' and ''history-making'' in superlative degrees. '29 seems to be doing the big job at the moment; their World's Fair theme reads like a Billy Rose scenario. An aquacade at Beebe isn't as impractical to them as it might sound to us outsiders. We wish them luck. For, although they kept us running around on Upper Alumni with very little on, one cold rainy night in March, 1927, and made us stay in a damp cellar for three days before our Freshman banquet, they're a grand gang.

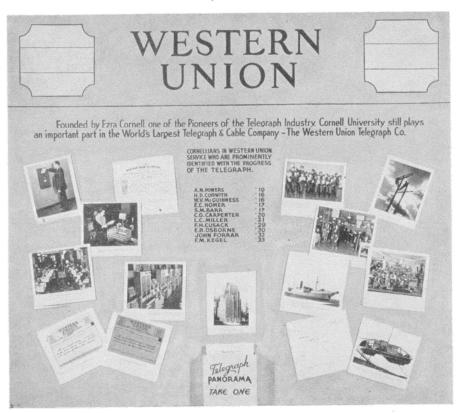
1930 (the great Class) will hold an informal caucus this June. Everyone's supposed to think up the best idea to bring to the roundtable for our Tenth next year. '29 has kindly extended their hospitality and the loan of an idea or two, so if our strategy isn't epic, at least we'll make out all right.

One of the more interesting functions of usefulness of the Cornell Club is its employment service, offered to all Cornell men, Club members or not. Ably directed by Paul Reyneau '13, who is a man really wrapped up in his job, this important work has helped a great many Cornellians. Working under the direction of the University Placement Bureau and with the valuable aid of the Cornell Society of Engineers, the placements have made an impressive record. The other college clubs in town have similar offices, but they haven't made the history ours has in the last fourteen years. They tell me we filled an order for a \$12,000 a year bank president once.

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For years we've been campaigning for a Poughkeepsie Regatta on a week end. Those darn tides always feel like favoring the Pococks on Mondays or Tuesdays, when the younger fellows just can't take off and go. We ran a boatride four years ago, on a Monday, and the only people aboard were hoarse alumni taking the rest cure after Reunion, and children of pre-school age. There was plenty of room—and plenty of deficit. Now, this year, we get a break with the first Saturday date in years—and it's Reunion Saturday. A plague on both your tides!

A guy who isn't going to get a great deal of sleep this summer is Jess Moulton '32. He's in charge of the Electrified Farm at the Fair and lives right there on the farm with Mrs. Moulton. He rides herd on the finest lot of creamful cows



#### Cornellians with Western Union

College of Engineering is collecting exhibits from commercial and industrial firms showing the work of Cornellians in these organizations. They attracted considerable alumni interest during Cornell Day, and will be on display again as a feature of the "Cornell Today" exhibits during Reunions, June 16-18.

in the country and keeps them happy. His cows get milked on the bovine merry-go-round. Last heard, all were completely contented, although none had caught the brass ring.

Another busy Cornellian is genial hard-working George Peters Rea '15, newly elected president of the New York Curb Exchange. Highly regarded in the canyon where the ticker makes music, conservative prediction has it that he'll make no small amount of history before he lays down the gavel.

SHOTS OF THE WEEK: The Admissions Committee, limp as a dishrag after passing 120 new members at one sitting... Dick Davidge '02, back from Florida .... "Otto" Affeld '97 holding forth on compulsory drill....The fever-heat interest in this crew of ours, not overshadowing in the slightest Captain Bob White's unpredictable baseball team....Dr. de Forest '84, Club librarian, wondering where an acquisition of 5000 new books will go .... Walt Heasley '30, new executive secre-tary of the Cornellian Council, telling us that alumni gifts are looking up.... The reminiscent remarks that these dining room murals bring out this weather.

#### FIND RARE MANUSCRIPT

Discovery of a rare manuscript of the fifteenth century, whereabouts of which was previously unknown to scholars, is credited to Professor Morris G. Bishop '14, Romance Languages. It is in the University Library, in the collection bequeathed to Cornell in 1919 by the late Benno Loewy, New York lawyer and bibliophile. When it came to his attention, Professor Bishop recognized the manuscript as a rare find, and his judgment is confirmed in a letter just received from Professor Jules Jeanjaquet of the University of Neuchatel, dean of Swiss medievalists, who terms it "of the highest interest and significance."

In a volume dated 1426, written in red and black in a fine clerical hand, appears the only known copy of a poem entitled "Ly Romans de vraye Amour," written in Fribourg, Switzerland, by the Town Chancellor, Peter Cudrifin. Professor Bishop says that the poem has genuine literary merit and that the author, in his description of the love of God, expresses his emotion with real elevation of thought and expression. It is regarded as an important addition to the scanty records of Swiss-French literature of the fifteenth century, and no less important for the study of antique French and the thought of that period.

Professor Jeanjaquet will collaborate with Professor Bishop and Arthur S. Bates, AM '37, instructor in Romance Languages, in annotating and editing the manuscript for publication,

# About ATHLETICS

### WIN PRINCETON MEET

The track team, showing surprising strength in running and hurdling, defeated Princeton,  $74\frac{1}{2}$  to  $60\frac{1}{2}$ , on Schoellkopf Field last Saturday.

Donald A. Weadon '40 of Garden City set new Cornell and meet records with his 0:14.7 victory in the 120-yard high hurdles. James B. Pender '39 of Lawrence, Mass., turned in a new meet mark with an 0:23.4 performance in the 220-yard low hurdles.

Pender and John H. Nevius '39 of Flemington, N. J., accounted for 20 Cornell points. Pender also won the 100yard dash, and Nevius captured the 220yard dash and 440-yard run. In the 440, Nevius turned in victories over two of Princeton's strongest runners, Douglas and Goold.

All the races were close. Emery G. Wingerter '40 of Red Bank, N. J., outsprinted Kirkland in the stretch to win the mile run by five yards, and George E. Ranney'40 of Ithaca turned in another surprising victory by defeating Gilkes of Princeton, the favorite, by a stride in the two-mile run.

Cornell's edge in the field event first places was narrow, and Frederic W. West, Jr. '41 of Lansdowne, Pa., turned in the outstanding performance by defeating Wise of Princeton in the shot put.

Captain William W. McKeever '39 of Wayne, Pa., in the hammer; Albert R. Davis, 2d '39 of South Euclid, Ohio, in the pole vault, and John W. Borhman, Jr. '41 of Harrisburg, Pa., in the javelin, won by decisive margins.

The summary:

120-yard high hurdles: Won by Weadon, Cornell; second, Longstreth, Princeton; third, Wheeler, Cornell. Time, 0:14.7 (new meet and Cornell record; old meet record, 0:14.8, set by J. Hamilton Hucker '37 in 1937; old Cornell record, 0:14.8, by Walker Smith '20 in 1920 and tied by Hucker in 1937.)

100-yard dash: Won by Pender, Cornell; second, Jackson, Princeton; third, Zittel, Cornell. Time, 0:09.9.

One-mile run: Won by Wingerter, Cornell; second, Kirkland, Princeton; third, Water-

 man, Princeton. Time, 4:25.3.
 440-yard run: Won by Nevius, Cornell;
 second, Douglas, Princeton; third, Goold, Princeton. Time, 0:48.8.

Two-mile run: Won by Ranney, Cornell; second, Gilkes, Princeton; third, Wright, Princeton. Time, 9:42.8.

220-yard low hurdles: Won by Pender, Cornell; second, Zittel, Cornell; third, Greeley, Princeton. Time, 0:23.4 (new meet record; old record, 0:23.8, by Hucker in 1937).

220-yard dash: Won by Nevius, Cornell; second, Jackson, Princeton; third, Swezey, Cornell. Time, 0:21.9.

880-yard run: Won by Douglas, Princeton; second, Schmidt, Cornell; third, Thum, Princeton. Time, 1:57.1.

Hammer throw: Won by McKeever, Cornell, 163 ft. 41/2 in.; second, McCutcheon, Cornell, 145 ft. 21/4 in.; third, Davis, Princeton, 142

ft. 3 in. Shot put: Won by West, Cornell, 48 ft. 9<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in.; second, Wise, Princeton, 48 ft. 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> in.; third, Van Ranst, Cornell, 45 ft. 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> in.

High jump: Tie for first between Robinson and Barr, Princeton, 5 ft. 11½ in.; tie for third between Van Allen, Cornell, and Wise, Princeton, 5 ft. 9½ in. Pole vault: Won by Davis, Cornell, 12 ft.;

tie for second between Olinger, Cornell, and Corbett, Princeton, 11 ft. 6 in.

Javelin throw: Won by Borhman, Cornell, 184 ft. 61/8 in.; second, Lane, Princeton, 170 ft. 81/2 in.; third, Bedford, Princeton, 160 ft. ı in.

Broad jump: Won by Pettit, Princeton, 22 ft. 7 in.; second, Perina, Princeton, 22 ft. 55% in.; third, Corbett, Princeton, 22 ft. 4½ in.

Discus throw: Won by Herring, Princeton, 149 ft. 101/2 in.; second, Rutledge, Cornell, 132 ft. 31/2 in.; tie for third between Van Ranst and McCutcheon, Cornell, 127 ft. 2 in.

#### LACROSSE TEAM LOSES

The lacrosse team lost to Penn State, 11-7, on Alumni Field last Saturday, as the visitors gained an early lead and were never headed.

Richard C. Campbell '41 of Towson, Md., set the scoring pace for both teams. Playing the out home position, Campbell scored five goals. Carlton H. Sheely '39 of Syracuse, playing at first attack, scored the other two.

#### "C"s FOR FENCING, POLO

Award of the "C" for fencing to eleven men, and for polo to four, was announced recently by the Athletic Association. The Association also awarded four Freshman numerals in polo, eight in fencing, and nine in hockey. The "C" awards:

FENCING John M. McLellan '39 of Short Hills, N. J., Benjamin Suchoff '40 of Brooklyn, Charles N. Lowenfeld '40 of New York City, Edward S. Holcomb '39 of Brooklyn, Richard H. Paul '41 of Elmira, Daniel F. Kelley, Jr. '41 of San Juan, P. R., Jack L. Ratzkin '40 of Brooklyn, Edward D. Garber '40 of Brooklyn, Hiroshi H. Korematsu '39 of Oakland, Calif.. C. H. Korematsu '39 of Oakland, Calif., C. Frederick Tears, Jr. '40 of Warren, Pa., and Russell L. Hopping '40 of Brookline, Pa.

#### Polo

Arthur B. Christian '39 of Elmira, Merton F. Gerhauser '39 of Chagrin Falls, Ohio, David Pollak '40 of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Henry J. Lawrence '40 of Smithtown Branch.

#### WIN TWO AT TENNIS

The tennis team added two more victories to its string last week, defeating Penn State, 5-4, at State College May 10 and winning from Columbia, 8-1, on the Cascadilla courts last Saturday.

The summaries:

CORNELL 5, PENN STATE 4 Singles: Randall, Cornell, defeated Hilde-brandt, 6-4, 7-5; Weinstein, Penn State, de-feated Gifford, 3-6, 6-3, 6-1; Boochever, Cornell, defeated Goodman, 6-2, 6-4; Hughes, Penn State, defeated Waslenko, 3-6, 6-1, 6-3; Devine, Cornell, defeated Arberg, 6-3, 5-7, 7-5; Bigott, Penn State, defeated McCarthy, 6-2, 6-4

Doubles: Hildebrandt and Weinstein defeated Randall and Gifford, 6-4, 6-4; Boochever and Riday defeated Goodman and Bigott, 1-6, 7-5, 6-3; Devine and Affron defeated Feldman and Hughes, 6-3, 6-2.

CORNELL 8, COLUMBIA I Singles: Randall, Cornell, defeated Mason, 6-0, 6-4; Gifford, Cornell, defeated Rosen, 6-4, 6-1; Schwartzman, Cornell, defeated Fulkerson, 3-6, 6-1, 6-3; Waslenko, Cornell, defeated Crumb, 6-1, 6-2; Devine, Cornell, defeated Leodas, 6-1, 3-6, 6-4; North, Cornell, defeated Newman, 6-2, 6-4.

Newman, 6-2, 6-4. Doubles: Randall and Gifford defeated Mason and Fulkerson, 6-1, 6-2; Schwartzman and North defeated Crumb and Leodas, 1-6, 6-3, 6-4; Newman and Rosen defeated Riday and Dye, 8-6, 6-0, 6-0.

#### **GOLFERS TIE AT FOURTH**

The golf-team finished in a three-way tie for fourth place in the six-team Eastern Intercollegiate Golf Association's southern division after matches at the Country Club of Ithaca last Friday and Saturday.

Cornell defeated Pennsylvania, 6-3, Friday, then lost to Georgetown, 8-1, and Princeton, 6-3, Saturday.

Earlier in the week, at Hamilton, Cornell lost to Colgate, 5-4, in a non-League match.

The final League standing:

	W	L
Princeton	5	0
Georgetown	4	I
Penn State	3	2
Cornell	I	4
Pennsylvania	I	4
Pittsburgh	I	4

Cornell's No. 1 player, John C. Sterling, Jr. '41 of Newport News, Va., lost only to the national intercollegiate champion, Burke of Georgetown, in the week-end matches.

#### 150-POUND CREWS WIN

Varsity and Freshman 150-pound crews defeated Columbia on the Harlem River, New York City, last Saturday.

The Varsity lightweights won from the Columbia A crew by one and one-half lengths. The times for the 15/16 mile race: Cornell, 6:00.8; Columbia A, 6:06.6; Columbia B, 6:08.8.

The Freshman lightweights won by a wider margin. The times for the mile race: Cornell, 4:40.8; Columbia, 4:51.4.

On the Inlet last Saturday, the second Freshman crew defeated Lafayette High School of Buffalo in a mile race, with the third Varsity a length behind.

#### APPOINT NEW COACH

J. Russell Murphy, athletic director and football coach in the public schools of Mansfield, Ohio, will join the football coaching staff with the beginning of practice September 15. He received the AB at University of Colorado in 1923, and except for the next year as athletic director and coach of football and basketball at Colorado State Preparatory School, has been at Mansfield ever since. He received the MA in health and physical education at Teachers College, Columbia University, in 1935.

Murphy will replace as assistant football coach James M. Tatum, who returns to the University of North Carolina as director of freshman athletics.

#### CORNELL 13, YALE 2

The baseball team climbed another notch in the Eastern Intercollegiate League last week, to second place. Victory over Yale, 13-2, at New Haven May 12, put Cornell in the running for the championship as Harvard resumed the lead with a victory over Dartmouth that sent the Indians down to third place. League standings:

0	υ	W	L	PC
Harvard		6	2	.750
Cornell		5	2	.714
Dartmouth		6	3	.667
Pennsylvania		3	4	.429
Columbia		2	5	.286
Princeton		I	3	.250
Yale		I	5	.167

In defeating Yale, Cornell squared the season's series and sent Jubitz, the Yale pitcher who had held Cornell to four hits in their first game, to the showers in the fourth inning.

Walter J. Sickles '41 of Pearl River, although he gave up ten hits, pitched his fourth straight League victory. He was supported by a fifteen-hit attack, bringing the total of Cornell hits in four consecutive League games to forty-six.

Frank K. Finneran '41 of Harrison paced the batters with four hits, one a double. George F. Polzer, Jr. '40 of Staten Island hit three doubles, and Kenneth G. Brown '40 of Millerton connected for three singles.

Cornell's play afield was in sharp contrast to its game with Colgate on Hoy Field May 10. Cornell was charged with nine errors, seven of them committed by Polzer at shortstop, and Colgate won, 11-6. Against Yale, Cornell completed four double plays.

The Cornell-Navy game scheduled at Annapolis last Saturday was cancelled by rain.

The Yale game box score:

CORNELL (13)						
	AB	Ŕ	Н	PO	Α	Ε
Brown, cf	4	3	3	0	0	о
White, c	4	í	i	3	0	о
a-Gannett, lf	r	0	0	ō	0	о
Polzer, ss	5	1	3	3	3	0
Mogk, 1b	Ś	I	2	11	ò	о
Scholl, 3b	ŝ	I	ı	τ	6	0
Ruddy, lf, c	4	1	0	3	0	2
Matuszczak, rf	5 3 4 5 4	I	I	ĩ	0	0
Finneran, 2b	4	3	4	4	5	0
Sickles, p	3	1	Ó	I	3	0
		~~~				—
Totals	38	13	15	27	17	2
a-Batted for Whit	e in 1	lint	h inr	ing.		
Y	ALE (	2)				
	AB	R	Н	PO	Α	Е
Krech, ss	4	0	0	0	2	0
Loveday, 2.b	4	I	I	4	4	0
McClellan, lf	4	0	ο	I	ò	0
Collins, cf	4	I	2	I	I	0
Hazen, 1b	4	о	3	9	0	0
Holt, rf	4 3 4	0	0	3	0	0
Besse, 3b	4	0	2.	I	2	0
Millett, c	4	0	ı	8	2	1
Jubitz, p	I	0	0	0	0	0
Ames, p	2	о	I	0	I	0
Humphrey, p	0	0	0	0	I	0
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Totals	34	2	10	27	13	I
Score by innings:						
Cornell		11			•	-13
Yale		10	0 0	<b>) I</b>	-000	- 2

Runs batted in: Polzer 4, Brown 2, Finneran 2, White, Mogk, Ruddy, Matuzczak, Collins. Two-base hits: Polzer 3, Finneran. Three-base hit: Collins. Stolen base: Loveday. Sacrifices: Sickles, White, Finneran. Double plays: Scholl, Polzer and Mogk; Sickles and Mogk; Scholl, Finneran and Mogk; Polzer, Finneran and Mogk. Left on bases: Cornell 9; Yale 8. Bases on balls: Off Jubitz, 2; off Ames, 2; off Humphrey, 3; off Sickles, 3. Struck out: By Ames, 6; by Sickles, 3. Hits: Off Jubitz, 6 in 3½ innings; off Ames 7 in 4; off Humphrey, 2 in 1%. Hit by pitcher: By Ames (Brown). Wild pitch: Ames. Passed balls: Millett 2. Losing pitcher: Jubitz. Umpires: Frayer and Meade. Time, 2.20.

#### FRESHMAN RESULTS

Freshman teams won three and lost two contests last week.

The tennis team defeated Syracuse, 5-4; the lacrosse team defeated Penn State, 10-4; the baseball team broke even, defeating Syracuse, 9-5, and losing to Penn State, 6-1; and the track team lost to Penn State, 75% to 59%.

The Penn State engagements were all at Ithaca last Saturday.

Outstanding in the track meet were George A. Knoerl of Buffalo who won the high and low hurdles and Frank P. Hoag of Poughquag who captured the mile and half-mile runs. Hoag's mile time was 4:31.8, compared to Wingerter's varsity time of 4:25.3 in the concurrent meet with Princeton. Flashiest performer was Norman Ewell, Penn State's freshman Negro sprinter who equalled the varsity time of 0:09.9 in the 100-yard dash and bettered it by fourtenths of a second in winning the 220yard dash in 0:21.5. Ewell holds the world's record for the fifty-yard dash, indoors.

#### JOBS OPEN

Job Bulletin No. 66 of the University Placement Bureau lists an unusual variety of "Positions Open." They range from engineers for many kinds of work and in many places, to include salesmen, a nursery school director, home service representative for a utility, a shipping operator, a landscape architect, architects, and several agricultural jobs.

These periodic Bulletins will be mailed without charge to any Cornellian who requests them of Herbert H. Williams '25, Directon, University Placement Bureau, Willard Straight Hall, Ithaca. Information on these jobs is also on the file at the Placement Service of the Cornell Club of New York, 107 East Fortyeighth Street, New York City.

SECOND PLACE in the 130-mile Albany to New York outboard motorboat race May 14 was captured by Arthur J. Wullschleger '40 of Larchmont. He is intercollegiate champion; led the field down the Hudson to ten miles below Poughkeepsie, but was outstripped by four minutes at the finish by Clayton W. Bishop, Onset, Mass., fireman.

# THE REGENTS INQUIRY REPORT By Cornelius Betten, PhD '05

Under a grant of half a million dollars from the General Education Board there has recently been completed, by a group of men distinguished in educational administration, a comprehensive study of education in New York State. It is officially known as "The Regents Inquiry into the Character and Cost of Education in the State of New York."

The report of the Inquiry is of the very greatest importance to the citizens of the State

and undoubtedly it will serve for some years as a basis for changes to be made in the practices of the schools and in the laws under which the schools operate. Higher education is not dealt with as extensively as are other parts of the school system, and there is relatively little that applies directly to Cornell University. There are however important recommendations which the University should regard with care.

The report shows that seventeen percent of young people of college age in New York State are actually in college, a percentage higher than that of any other populous state except California. It is also found that while there is in New York no State university in the ordinary sense, there is an adequate supply of colleges, universities, and professional schools; and it is recommended that existing law be amended so as to limit rigorously the incorporation of independent institutions of this type.

The new feature particularly urged by the report is the upward extension of the high school curriculum beyond the twelfth grade, introducing at this stage new cultural courses preparing for civic and economic life, and new subprofessional courses which will prepare boys and girls to enter technical and subprofessional occupations.

The report recommends that the six State Schools of Agriculture be placed under the supervision of the State College of Agriculture at Cornell, but with the understanding that they may later be attached to the local school systems when these shall have been developed beyond the twelfth grade as advocated by the report.

In dealing with the State Museum the report recommends that the research activities of that institution be placed under the direction of Cornell University and that this research and also that going on in other State departments be directed by a joint committee on scientific re-

Recently-published report of the Regents Inquiry into the Character and Costs of Education in New York State has attracted widespread attention. Dr. Luther H. Gulick, director of the Inquiry, summarizes the results in the Atlantic Monthly for April, and a general statement of findings is published in book form with the title, Education for American Life.

For the information of Cornellians the Alumni News asked Dr. Betten briefly to describe those parts of the Inquiry report which affect the University. As most of our readers know, Dr. Betten is Dean of the University Faculty and Director of Resident Instruction in the State Colleges of Agriculture and Home Economics. search under the chairmanship of the President of Cornell University and with representation from many public agencies.

While the number of institutions of higher education is found to be adequate, the report states that qualified youth are nevertheless debarred from college work for economic and other reasons. It is therefore recommended that the number of State competitive scholarships be raised from 3,000 to 6,000, and

that the amount of the stipend be raised from 1000 a year to an amount sufficient to pay the tuition in any college in the State though not to exceed either 3000or the amount needed by the scholarship holder. It is also recommended that 1000 Regents Graduate Scholarships of \$400 each be established for graduate academic, scientific, or professional study.

The report recommends that the present State relations with Cornell, Syracuse, and certain other universities be continued but that no more such arrangements be set up. In other words, it is proposed that instead of moving toward the public university plan which flourishes in the more western states, New York State shall place reliance on the scholarship plan.

Perhaps the most important recommendations of the report relate to the secondary school system. It is advocated that all high schools be made of large enough size (say 300 to 1200 pupils) so as to insure adequate range of subject matter, opportunities for student government, intramural sports, and group music; that educational and vocational guidance services be instituted; and that character education be more distinctly recognized. General education, with emphasis on such basic skills as reading and writing, is urged as the chief concern in grades seven to twelve, with opportunity also for some vocational training of a broad sort, not aimed at developing specialized skills.

#### WESTCHESTER WOMEN START

Thirty alumnae, of Classes from '93 to '38, met April 29 at the home of Mrs. Newton I. Steers (Claire L. Herder) '02 in White Plains, to plan for organizing a Cornell Women's Club of Westchester County. Mrs. R. H. Shreve (Ruth Bentley) '02, chairman of the Federation Scholarship Fund committee, described the current campaign to provide scholarships for women at the University, and Mrs. Edwin S. Knauss (Dorothy Pond) '18 of Poughkeepsie outlined the procedure of organizing a Club.

A committee on organization for the new Club was selected, with Mary E. Dixon '38 of Bedford Hills, chairman. Its other members are Mrs. Dean L. Kelsey (Mary R. Preston) '09 of White Plains, Mrs. Morton Snyder (Grace H. Hare) '11 of Rye, Mrs. Edmund H. Stevens (Norma V. LaBarre) '15 of Scarsdale, Mrs. Frederick P. Kinne (Olive M. Monroe) '20 of Chappaqua, Hannah M. Lyons '24 of Peekskill, Mrs. George A. Stout (Frances A. Stesel) '27 of Briarcliff Manor, and Mrs George E. Lockwood (Katherine R. Morris) '35 of New Rochelle.

### CORNELL IN SIAM

Cornell today and the story of its founding by Ezra Cornell and Andrew D. White is the subject of an article entitled "To Larger Vision," by Nobuko Takagi Tongyai '34 in a Siamese magazine recently sent by the author to Miss R. Louise Fitch, Dean of Women. The magazine is printed mostly in Siamese, but this article is in English.

Mrs. Tongyai teaches at Chulalongkarana University in Bangkok, Siam. Her husband, Chakratong Tongyai '35, is in the Siamese Department of Fisheries. He is a nephew of former King Prajadhipok; received the BS in 1935, a year after they were married. Nobuko Takagi entered the Arts College from Jamestown with State cash and tuition scholarships, and received the AB in 1934. She was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Phi Kappa Phi, Pi Lambda Theta, and Mortar Board, and served on the councils of WSGA and CURW and as secretary and president of the Women's Cosmopolitan Club and the Japanese Students' Club.

#### **ISOLATE NEW ENZYME**

The Associated Press recently distributed to newspapers a report of the isolation of a new enzyme in the Biochemistry laboratories of the University that protects living cells from poisoning and which accounts for the speed of horses in contrast to other animals.

Dr. Alexander L. Dounce '30, instructor in Biochemistry, and Orville D. Frampton, Grad, of Los Angeles, Cal., have crystallized an enzyme of horse liver and demonstrated that it destroys hydrogen peroxide, which is formed in the blood as result of the oxidation of animal tissues. In the laboratory, two flasks of diluted blood, are used to demonstrate the decisive action of the horse liver catalase. To both a small quantity of potassium cyanide is added, and to one the catalase. In this, the liquid remains a bright red, foaming at the top, the catalase destroying the hydrogen peroxide formed when the poison attacks the cells of the blood. Blood untreated with the enzyme, however turns brown almost immediately as the potassium cyanide kills the blood cells.

Two years ago, Professor James B. Sumner, Biochemistry, and Dr. Dounce obtained crystalline beef and lamb catalase, which are probably identical, but differ from the newly-isolated horse catalase in that the horse is more active. A slow-moving cow or lamb, Dounce explains, does not require such an active enzyme as the horse; if race horses had only the beef or lamb enzyme they would not be able to run as fast as they do. Apparently, also, the amount of catalase in an animal or plant appears to be related to the activity of the organism.

#### **CHILDREN OF '08**

The Class of '08 has sent at least 124 children to Cornell in the last eleven years, according to a study made by Professor Chester J. Hunn '08. He has compiled for each year the number of entering students who signified that they were children of his Classmates, but points out that undoubtedly there are more, since some students always neglect to indicate Cornell parentage. From the record, he finds the following numbers of entering '08 children:

1928 I	1934 17
1929 8	1935 21
1930	1936 13
1931 8	1937 15
193212	1938 8
193312	
	TOTAL 124

Of these, 93 entering students reported one parent a Cornellian, and 31 reported both parents alumni. The record indicates that three members of the Class have each sent three children to the University, and twenty-seven '08 alumni have each had two children here.

#### ENGINEERS ELECT OFFICERS

Annual banquet of the Cornell Society of Engineers, at the Cornell Club of New York May 3, was attended by fifty-five members. Also among the guests were the presidents of the engineering alumni societies of Yale, Harvard, and Princeton, each of whom extended the greetings of his organization, and Beach Barrett '40 of Kew Gardens, new editor of The Cornell Engineer.

Walker L. Cisler '22, outgoing president of the Society, presided. He was succeeded by Willis H. Carrier '01 of Syracuse, who was elected the new president. Vice-presidents are John P. Syme '26 of New York City and Furman South, Jr. '12 of Pittsburgh, Pa. Paul O. Reyneau '13, director of the Cornell Club Placement Service, was re-elected secretary-treasurer, and the recording secretary is Herbert B. Reynolds '11 of New York City.

Principal speaker was Robert Lane, chief editorial writer and former Washington correspondent of the Newark (N.J.) Evening News. He discussed the present international situation, and answered questions from the audience.

### NOW, IN MY TIME! By Romeyn Berry

The University has finally come around to having what at most places is called a Dean. At Cornell he is to be called officially Counselor of Students. As a matter of fact, the official title doesn't make much difference because the new office will soon be designated by whatever name the students themselves give it. I rather hope they call it Tribune of the Plebes which is about the way it will work—if it works.

The duties of the Counselor of Students will be to do those things that Davy Hoy used to do for students over and above the things he was paid for doing.

Davy abused students shamefully, and in a loud voice, but he wouldn't let anybody else do it. He hated to have them break the law of the land and the rules of the Faculty, and did everything he could to prevent their breaking them. But once the crime had been committed Mr. Hoy conceived it to be his function to obstruct the wheels of justice and to keep vengeance from the culprit's head. He was good at it, too.

Mr. Hoy reasoned, I think, that a Grade A verbal assault and battery by himself constituted a sufficient punishment for any offense. Once that had been administered he'd seize his hat, slip quietly downtown and see to it that nothing else happened. The District Attorney, the City Judge, the Mayor, the County Judge, and the editor of the Ithaca Journal were always pie for Davy Hoy to fix, because at some time in the past he had gotten each and all out of comparable troubles and he didn't hesitate to recall names, places, dates, and telephone numbers in dealing with them.

Fixing the Faculty Committee on Student Affairs was frequently more difficult but Davy could do a pretty good job on that, too. Being secretary of the Committee and custodian of its records gave him a terrific advantage. When the Committee sat as a criminal court it was his function to call the calendar and to lay before the tribunal the charges and the evidence, and I suspect he was not above mislaying exhibits on occasions when he found the professors in a hanging temper.

Perhaps you think it wrong for a University officer to do the things that Davy Hoy used to do for students when the spirit of pity lay heavily upon him. Perhaps! But I could name you a hundred Cornell graduates (including three Trustees and six full professors) who are now respected citizens of blameless reputations, who would have done time or at least have been brutally ejected from the University in Sophomore year, had not Davy Hoy diddled the evidence in their behalf at crucial moments.

Don't forget, too, that we've had some student suicides at Cornell. Needless, childish, and pitiful, most of them! But I'm pretty sure we'd have had many more if Davy hadn't been around to remove the fear of consequences in the nick of time. Remind me sometime to tell you about some of the terribly lawless things Davy used to do to save boys from themselves!

Davy Hoy's been dead a long time now. Lots of people remember him only as a rough old bear. But make no mistake—he was more than that! If this new Tribune of the Plebes functions half as effectively as Davy did, thousands of students—and their parents—will bless the day the new office was created.



Cornell Day Songfest in Willard Straight Hall

Led by Henry J. Heimlich '41 of New York City, new drum major of the ROTC Band, Cornell Day guests and their student hosts crowded the cafeteria Saturday night after the Bailey Hall show, to sing Cornell songs with a will. *Photo by Burke '42* 

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#### HOTEL EZRA CORNELL

Hotel alumni and other prominent hotelmen from eight states, members of the Faculty, students, and others comprised the 500 or more "guests" who registered at the fourteenth annual Hotel Ezra Cornell, May 12 and 13 in Willard Straight Hall.

Climax of the event, operated by students of the Department of Hotel Administration, was the seven-course dinner Friday evening in Memorial Room, prepared and served by students. Guests entered the building under an electric sign, found in the lobby a naturalistic garden of spring flowers about a lighted fountain, and were served hors d'oeuvres from a long table bearing ice sculpture in one of the lounges.

Piece de resistance of the dinner was "Maytime delight," individual ice cream baskets filled with fresh strawberries, and these were brought into the dining hall by a parade of thirty student chefs, to the applause of the diners. Then to the blare of trumpets, the forty-foot "Flag of the Hosts of Nations," made up of 450 napkins contributed by hotels in every state and many foreign countries, was unfurled high above the heads of the diners on the west wall of Memorial Room.

C. Oscar Strand '39 of Grand Rapids, Mich., managing director of Hotel Ezra Cornell, introduced President Day as the first speaker. The President paid his compliments to the Department of Hotel Administration, saying, "There is something dynamic about the Hotel School that is good for the whole institution." Frank Case, owner-manager of the Algonquin Hotel in New York City and author of the recent book, Tales of A Wayward Inn, spoke of his own experience and recalled incidents of the "great and near-great" he has known, while he gave advice to young hotelmen. Professor Howard B. Meek, head of the Department, also spoke briefly, to congratulate the 1939 Hotel Ezra Cornell staff.

While the room was being cleared, the guests attended a performance by the Musical Clubs in the Willard Straight Theater, returning to Memorial Room to dance until the wee hours.

Friday and Saturday, Hotel Seniors and visiting hotelmen got acquainted at luncheon, and Friday afternoon all attended a roundtable discussion on the policy of the United States in world affairs. President Day spoke of the need for more even distribution of material resources for a "durable peace" and predicted that chances are three to one against the United States staying out of any general world conflict. Professor Herbert W. Briggs, Government, discussed this country's policy with regard to European affairs, and Professor Knight Biggerstaff, History, spoke on Far Eastern relationships. Meanwhile, visiting women guests were entertained at bridge and a tea by women students in Hotel Administration.

Saturday afternoon, a picnic supper of students, Faculty, and visitors at Taughannock was preceded by an alumni baseball game, with Albert E. Koehl '28 captain of the team of even-year Classes and Professor John Courtney '25 captain of the odd-year team. The score was not announced.

#### **CORNELL ENGINEER**

The Cornell Engineer for April publishes "Dynamics of Present-day Economy," a talk given recently to Seniors in Engineering by Carl S. Coler '11, of the industrial relations division of Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. Robert C. Ross '41 of Brighton writes on "Television Today and Tomorrow," and "The Problem of Housing America" is discussed by Robert J. Reeves '40 of Denver, Col. Character sketches and photographs of Professors John E. Perry, Railroad Engineering, and Frank O. Ellenwood, Heat Power Engineering, appear on the Faculty pages.

#### TAU BETA PI ELECTS

Tau Beta Pi, Engineering honor society, has elected to membership five Seniors and ten Juniors. Seniors are William C. Chandler of Brooklyn, Bruce L. Cormack of Buffalo, Frederick F. Reimers of Hammond, La., John G. Tammen of Short Hills, N. J., and James J. Wilder of Rochester. Juniors are Crawford G. Adams of Sodus, Beach Barrett of Kew Gardens, Charles R. Baxter, Jr. of Charlotte, N. C., Melvin Blessing, Jr. of Buffalo, William E. Fisher, Jr. of Stevens Point, Wis., Joseph E. Griesedieck of Webster Groves, Mo., Frederick G. Jaicks of Hinsdale, Ill., Teh-chang Koo of Shanghai, China, Edwin P. Swatek, Jr. of Chicago, Ill., and William H. Worcester of Aurora, Ill.

Senior officers next year are Joseph Coors of Golden, Col., president; William D. Wallace of Camillus, vice-president; Koo, corresponding secretary; Jaicks, recording secretary; and Fisher, treasurer.

# COMING EVENTS

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

#### SATURDAY, MAY 20

- Ithaca: Freshman track meet, Cook Academy Freshman baseball, Syracuse
  - Baseball, Princeton, two games Dramatic Club presents "The Cardiff Giant," by Professor Alex M. Drummond and Robert E. Gard, AM '38, Willard
- Straight Theater, 3:15 De Ruyter: Dedication of marker at site of
- Ezra Cornell's boyhood home, 3
- Princeton, N. J.: Carnegie Cup regatta, Prince-ton, Yale, three crews New Haven, Conn.: Heptagonal track meet West Point: Lacrosse, U. S. Military Academy Tennis, U. S. Military Academy, Varsity and Freshmen

SUNDAY, MAY 21 New York World's Fair: Salute to Cornell athletes, Court of Sport, 2

MONDAY, MAY 22

MONDAY, MAY 22 Chicago, Ill.: Provost H. W. Peters '14, Trus-tee Bancroft Gherardi '93, and Dean S. C. Hollister, Engineering, at annual Cornell Club dinner, University Club

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2.4

- Ithaca: Baseball, Harvard, Hoy Field Freshman baseball, Ithaca High School,
- THURSDAY, MAY 25 Ithaca: Freshman tennis, Mansfield Teachers FRIDAY, MAY 26
- Ithaca: Tennis, Toronto, Cascadilla courts, 4:30
  - Dramatic Club presents "The Cardiff Giant," by Professor Alex M. Drummond and Robert E. Gard, AM '38, Willard Straight Theater, 8:15 Navy Day Ball, Drill Hall, 10:30

- SATURDAY, MAY 27 Ithaca: Spring Day "Wild West" parade from downtown to "Tombstone Gulch" on Alumni Field, 9-
  - Freshman baseball, University School, Hoy Field, 10:30
  - 150-pound crew races, Pennsylvania, Freshman and Varsity, Cayuga Lake, 12 Varsity baseball, Dartmouth, Hoy Field, 2

  - Tennis, Harvard, Cascadilla courts, 2:30 Regatta, Harvard, Pennsylvania, Syracuse,
- reshmen, junior-varsity, and varsity, Cayuga Lake, 4:30 Dramatic Club presents "The Cardiff Giant," by Professor Alex M. Drummond and Robert E. Gard, AM '38, Willard Straight Theater, 8:15 New York City: ICAAAA track meet, Ran-
- dall's Island
- Philadelphia, Pa.: Lacrosse, Pennsylvania
- THURSDAY, JUNE I Ithaca: Law School Commencement, Myron Taylor Hall

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7 New York City: Medical College Commence-

ment

FRIDAY, JUNE 16 Ithaca: Class Reunions start

SATURDAY, JUNE 17

- Poughkeepsie: IRA regatta, freshman 3, junior-varsity 4, varsity 5 Baseball, Columbia, two games, Hoy Field Hanover, N. H.: Baseball, Dartmouth
- SUNDAY, JUNE 18
- Ithaca: Baccalaureate sermon and '39 Class Day exercises

Monday, June 19 Ithaca: Seventy-first Commencement, Drill Hall, 11

# ON THE CAMPUS AND DOWN THE HILL

SPRING HOUSEPARTIES were the order in six Campus fraternities last week end. Chaperones at Delta Phi were Heber E. Griffith '11 and Mrs. Griffith; at Chi Phi, Ezra B. Whitman, Jr. '32 and Mrs. Whitman; at Sigma Phi, Henry A. Carey '12 and Mrs. Carey; at Phi Epsilon Pi, Haiman S. Nathan '35 and Mrs. Nathan (Muriel Silber) '36; at Psi Upsilon, Herbert H. Williams '25 and Mrs. Williams; and at Chi Psi, Frederick I. Biggs '32 and Mrs. Biggs.

DARTMOUTH INDIAN, the wooden squaw given last fall by the Class of '15 as a permanent trophy to be held by the football game winner, is missing. Since last November she had stood in Schoellkopf Field House just outside the office of Henry S. Godshall, Jr. '36, assistant director of athletics. She was scheduled to be on the stage during the Cornell Day show in Bailey Hall, but when the committee came for her she had disappeared, and has not yet been found. The Athletic Association has taken no official action, nor has Proctor Manning been called into the case.

"EVALINE" and "Alma Mater," sung by Phi Kappa Sigma, won first prize in the interfraternity singing contest entered by six houses. Judges were Eric Dudley, Director of the Glee Club; George L. Coleman '95, Director of the University Orchestra; Professor Paul J. Weaver, Music; and Louis C. Boochever '12, Director of Public Information.

APLHA PSI has won the interfraternity boxing championship of the University, the result of a 145-pound match that broke a three-way tie with Delta Chi and Tau Delta Phi.

WOODFORD PRIZE, of a gold medal or \$100, given each year since 1870 for the best English oration, was won May 9 by Ned Weissberg '39 of Brooklyn. His subject was "Challenge to Democracy," and he arraigned the Fascist states. The other speakers were Leon M. Marsh '39 of Brooklyn, "A Positive Peace Policy"; Frederick L. Turner '39 of Buffalo, "Justice in the Law"; and Mrs. May Rawitch '39 of Far Rockaway, "Tolerance: the Touchstone of Democracy."

FUERTES MEMORIAL Prize winner, in the twenty-sixth annual contest for students in Engineering and Architecture, April 21, was Karl J. Nelson '38, former football player and assistant coach last season. He is a fifth-year student in Chemical Engineering; spoke on "Chrome-Nickel Steels Versus Cast Iron in Nitrator Construction," to win first prize of eighty dollars. Second prize, forty dolSTUDENT COUNCIL elections, preceded by two weeks of aggressive campaigning in the Sun, brought a total of 1889 ballots cast, the largest vote in history. Junior officers elected for next year are West Hooker of Winnetka, Ill., president; Willard T. DeGolyer of Castile, treasurer; and Robert L. Wiggans of Ithaca, secretary. The five other Juniors elected are Warren W. Hawley III of Batavia, Lawrence W. Wheeler of Sterling, Ill., Frederick G. Jaicks of Hinsdale, Ill., Robert H. Mathers of Upper Darby, Pa., and Isaac N. Groner of Buffalo. Sophomores: Marne Obernauer of Pittsburgh, Pa., Walter J. Matuszczak of Lowville, Richard E. Holtzman of Millersburg, Pa., Jack C. Antrim of Worthington, Ohio, and Kennedy Randall, Jr. of Staten Island. Freshmen: Peter M. Wolff of Highland Park, Ill., Frank B. Williams, 3d. of Hillsdale, N. J., and Donald S. Kent of Brooklyn. Election was by proportional representation. So far as can be observed, the several pre-election coalitions had little to do with the results. Besides the men named, next year's Student Council will comprise the president and first vice-president of WSGA, Patricia Avery of Groton, Conn., and Mary V. Dodds of Pittsburgh, Pa., with vote; and without vote, the president of the Interfraternity Council, Radford H. Severance of Buffalo; president of the Independent Association, Charles W. Crandall of Kendall; and the editor of the Sun, Robert W. Storandt of Rochester.

lars, went to Robert B. Roe '39 for his plea for "Aeronautical Engineering at Cornell." Third prize, twenty dollars, was won by William N. Freeman '40, who spoke on "Peacetime Planning for Air-Raid Protection."

GLIDER RECORDS of Ithaca airport were shattered April 30, when Udo W. Fischer '39 of Mt. Airy, Pa., stayed aloft in his German-built glider one hour ten minutes, and reached an altitude of 5,000 feet. Towed up by an airplane, he was released at 2,400 feet; came down only because he was not dressed to go higher.

SIGMA DELTA CHI, professional journalism fraternity, exercised its prerogative again after a lapse of twelve years in a Delicate Brown Dinner at the new Glenwood Hotel May 10. About 100 members of the Faculty and University Administration, prominent townspeople, and Seniors saw themselves "done to a turn" in four playlets after the dinner by undergraduate members of the chapter. R. W. Sailor '07, editor of the ALUMNI NEWS, presided as "ringmaster." TRACK MEET Saturday afternoon was interrupted as John F. Moakley was called to the microphone of the public address system. There Walter H. Foertsch '39, president of the Student Council, presented him, on behalf of all students, with a testimonial commemorating his fortieth year as track coach, beloved and respected by all, and as the man whose teams have brought ten intercollegiate track championships and seventeen cross country championships to Cornell.

WILLARD STRAIGHT HALL board of managers last week elected H. Lyford Cobb '40 of Bronxville, a newly-elected member, to succeed Peter Kendzior '39 of Chippenham, England, as chairman. Lyman H. Smith, Jr. '40 of Naples was re-elected secretary.

SAGE CHAPEL PREACHER May 21 is the Rev. Karl Reiland, formerly rector of St. George's Church, New York City.

LECTURES this week include the first three of the current series of six Messenger Lectures, by Dr. Charles H. Mc-Ilwain, professor of the sicence of government in Harvard University, "Some Phases in the History of Constitutionalism," May 15, 17, and 19.

ONE-ACT PLAYS, "Waiting for Lefty," by Clifford Odets, and "Anschluss in Olympus," by "Harry E. Janos" (Harold E. Johnson '38) were presented by the Cornell Branch of the American Student Union in the Willard Straight Theater May 11.

DEATH took Dr. Nathaniel L. Garling, retired Ithaca dentist and former alderman, suddenly, May 6. Graduate of Northwestern in 1898, he had practiced in Ithaca from 1901 until a few years ago. Mrs. Ruth Russell (Ruth Garling)'31, of the Alumni News staff, is his daughter.

STARTER for the track meet on Schoellkopf Field Saturday was James Cameron, the son of James Y. Cameron whose gun has started the runners in every previous meet in Ithaca but three since 1907. The elder Cameron, now seventy-one, was struck by a car in a Buffalo street April 14, and is under a physician's care at Buffalo General Hospital. His son has worked with his father starting track meets for several years, but this was his first official appearance here.

SEEN AT SCHOELLKOPF Saturday: John M. Batten '37, up from Bermuda for Hotel Ezra Cornell and to hire several Seniors to work for him this summer at The Coral Island Club; and William C. Kruse '38, on a holiday from his job with Atlantic Refining Company in Baltimore.

# BOOKS By Cornellians

#### **KEY TO NATURE**

Handbook of Nature Study. By Anna Botsford Comstock '85. Ithaca. Comstock Publishing Company. 1939. 937 pages. \$4.

Anna Botsford Comstock has been dead almost nine years, but her work goes on. This monumental book of hers, first published in 1911, has now emerged from the hands of her living disciples in its twenty-fourth edition augmented and embellished by them, but not essentially changed in spirit or in plan.

Spring peepers in the bogs, hepaticas in the April woods, stars in the summer night; birds, plants, bugs, animals, clouds, and rocks; every sound and sight of the breathing world about us is here pointed out, pictured, and explained with such simple lucidity as to silence the inquiring child, and with such scholarly dignity as to satisfy the mature person whose formal education omitted the biological sciences while exciting endless curiosities about them.

I've always been a little resentful against Cornell University because in my undergraduate days as an avowed student of the Humanities, she gave me the impression that it wasn't quite nice for a person to have no more than a speaking acquaintance with nature; that she'd bust me out in a minute if I dabbled at all without becoming a thoroughgoing botanist, ornithologist, astronomer, and biologist. All I wanted to know was the name of the star that hung over Connecticut Hill after supper, the relationship between the frogs who are boysopranos in April and the big ones who sing bass in August, and exactly how the skunk does it and not just what.

But Cornell University in the turn of the century told me that I couldn't have any of the secrets unless I joined the organization and went through all the degrees in orderly fashion. Anyhow that was the impression she gave me, and it made me mad!

But this book of Mrs. Comstock's, distinctly a Cornell product, squares the account, answers all the questions that have been festering for forty years, and makes the coming of another spring a far more exciting event than it has ever been before. This year I can find out what pushes the sap up in the maples, why a fly sharpens his back legs, which wild flowers always grew around here and which are escapes from gardens. I can know about woodchucks, clouds, and bloodroot, and which weeds can be suppressed by cutting off and which have to be dug up; the distinction between daffodils and jonquils, between starlings and similar birds. And there is in me an

overwhelming sense of gratitude to Mrs. Comstock and her students that I may possess this knowledge without becoming a professional scientist, and also without being tucked in and told a silly bedside story by old Aunty Southwind.

"Handbook" is the correct term. There is an astonishing index and cross index which enables you to turn to any subject you desire without hunting, and with nothing much to start from except a red bird or a blue flower. The illustrations clearly identify the subject of your inquiry and the description and explanation is usually sufficient. If it isn't, there is a bibliography of forty-nine pages in the back of the book which will enable you to pursue any remaining curiosity about bug, bird, star, or stone into the most esoteric corner of systematic science.—R. B.

#### **ROCHESTER HEARS ALUMNI**

Andrew L. Gilman '08 was the speaker at the regular Wednesday luncheon of the Cornell Club of Rochester May 10, at the University Club. He discussed pending legislative proposals for compulsory automobile insurance.

May 24, Frank E. Gannett '98, University Trustee, will be the luncheon speaker.

# NECROLOGY

'88 AB—LEWIS AURELIUS BEARDSLEY, May 6, 1939, in New York City. He had retired recently after many years as principal of a New York public school. Historical and Political Science Association; Students' Guild, secretary.

'96 ME—JOHN ALBERT SWITZER, April 19, at his home in Bearden, Knoxville, Tenn. He had been professor of hydraulic and sanitary engineering at the University of Tennessee for the past thirty-one years, previous to which he held positions in civil engineering in New York City, Pittsburgh, Pa., and several western states. He was a life member of the Knoxville Technical Society. Professor Frederick G. Switzer '13, Mechanics, is his nephew. His wife is the former Emma M. Lewis '08. Student Council, secretary; Co-operative Society.

'31 AB-MRS. JULIAN SCOTT BUTTER-WORTH (RUTH ELIZABETH WELD), May 9, 1939, in New York City. She had worked at French Hospital and Bellevue Hospital, New York City. Her husband, Dr. J. Scott Butterworth '32, the son of Professor Julian E. Butterworth, Rural Education, is an interne at the Post Graduate Hospital, New York City. Kappa Alpha Theta; Women's Musical Clubs; baseball, manager.

'41—GEORGE DONALD CLAPP, May 5, in Rochester. His home was at 204 University Avenue, Ithaca. He was a Sophomore in the College of Agriculture.

# Concerning THE FACULTY

MYRON C. TAYLOR '94, University Trustee, has been elected an honorary member of the Wells College chapter of Phi Beta Kappa, in recognition of his contributions to better employer-employe relations and toward solution of the European refugee problem.

PROFESSOR HERBERT W. BRIGGS, Government, has been elected to the board of editors of the American Journal of International Law.

DR. RAYMOND C. ALLEN, PhD '38, instructor in Floriculture, has a son, Rodney Macloon Allen, born May 6. Dr. Allen lives at 603 Mitchell Street, Ithaca.

DAVID THOMPSON, son of Professor Homer C. Thompson, Vegetable Crops, has been awarded a four-year tuition scholarship at Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio. He holds the highest scholastic rating in the senior class at Ithaca High School.

Miss R. LOUISE FITCH, dean of women, attended the fourth annual Pre-College Conference for high school girls, held May 5 at Scarborough School, Scarborough-on-Hudson.

PROFESSOR PHILIP G. JOHNSON, PhD '33, Rural Education, has been elected an associate editor of Science Education magazine.

DR. ERL A. BATES, adviser on Indian Extension, has been appointed by the Federal government to assist in working out the national policy toward the native Alaskan population. He will leave for Alaska late this spring to make a personal survey.

CAPTAIN GEORGE M. WILLIAMSON, JR., in command of the ROTC Band since 1935, has received orders transferring him next June to duty with the Field Artillery in Hawaii. New commander of the band will be Major Herbert D. Gibson, Infantry, who was assigned to the ROTG in 1937. Professing no knowledge of music and no previous knowledge of band formations, Captain Williamson has made himself an avid student of the subject. He is responsible for the many intricate and novel formations with which the ROTC Band has entertained spectators at football games and other athletic events in the last four years.

PROFESSOR GUY F. MACLEOD, PhD '30, Entomology, will resign July 1 to teach at the University of California at Berkeley. He has been on the staff for ten years and has conducted research on insecticides, radiant energy, and the use of X-rays, nutrition, and ecology. PROFESSORS CHRISTIAN MIDJO and Olaf Brauner, Architecture, and Virginia True, MFA '37, instructor in Home Economics, are exhibitors whose works are being shown at the 1939 Rochester-Finger Lakes art exhibition, which opened May 8 at the Memorial Art Gallery, Rochester.

PROFESSOR PAUL T. HOMAN, ECONOMICS, has been elected a member of the executive committee of the American Economic Association. He is one of the authors of The Sugar Economy of Puerto Rico, published by the Columbia University Press last December.

DR. J. A. DETOMASI, instructor in Botany, spoke on "Old World Mountain Climbing" at a recent meeting of the Ithaca Rotary Club. Until he came to the United States in 1930, Dr. DeTomasi lived in Milan, Italy, and Bern, Switzerland, and had been an Alpine climber for twenty-five years.

COLONEL WALDO Ç. POTTER, professor of Military Science and Tactics, will be deputy chief umpire of the First Army maneuvers to be held at Plattsburg from August 13 to August 27.

PROFESSOR JOHN COURTNEY '25, Hotel Accounting, has been elected Sovereign Prince of the Ithaca Council, Princes of Jerusalem, of the Scottish Rite Masons. He is a charter member of the Ithaca Council.

FRANK E. GANNETT '98, University Trustee, was scheduled to speak on "The Dentists, The Professions, and Free Enterprise" at the annual meeting of the Dental Society of the State of New York May 10.

PROFESSOR FREDERICK G. SWITZER '13, Mechanics, is featured in the May issue of Who's New in Who's Who, a biographical magazine published by Who's Who in America. He will be included in the forthcoming issue of the book.

PROFESSOR LEONARD A. MAYNARD, PhD '15, Animal Nutrition, is supervisor and Dr. John K. Loosli, PhD '38, is in direct charge of a five-year project on the nutrition of animals, recently inaugurated at the University by the United States Biological Survey. The initial object of the project is to determine proper foods for fox and mink, as an aid to fur farmers.

MAY ATHERTON and Julia Root, instructors in Physical Education, represented Cornell at the meeting of the eastern division of the North American Physical Education Association May 3-6.

# Concerning THE ALUMNI

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

<sup>8</sup>9 PhB—Perry Post Taylor is a lawyer with offices at 1245 Telephone Building, St. Louis, Mo. He writes that he hopes to attend his Class reunion this June.

'94 PhB—University Extension Division of the University of Wisconsin has published "A Sketch of the Revivification of University Extension at the University of Wisconsin," by Professor William H. Lighty '94. The pamphlet traces the early development of the Division, where Professor Lighty has been director of the department of extension teaching since 1906. This Division and its work have been a model for other universities all over the world. The material now published was delivered last summer at the annual conference of the National University Extension Association, of which Professor Lighty is a former president.

'03 AB—Judge Irving I. Goldsmith spoke on "What Machinery is there to Enforce Child Labor Laws?" over radio station WNYC April 27. This was one of a series of talks sponsored by the New York Child Labor Committee.

'04—Theodore P. White is with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, 195 Broadway, New York City.

'07 ME—Huntley H. Gilbert is vicepresident of the Pullman-Standard Car Manufacturing Company, 79 East Adams Street, Chicago, Ill.

'o6 ME—Benjamin M. Herr is owner of the Herr-Harris Company, sales engineers; his address, 571 Briar Cliff Road, Pittsburgh, Pa. He writes, "My son, Benjamin M. Herr, Jr. '39, is of the third generation to attend Cornell."

'09 ME; '07 BArch; '13 BArch— Randolph W. Weed is eastern sales manager of the Detroit Steel Products Company, manufacturers of Fenestra windows, with offices at 420 Lexington Avenue, New York City. He writes that Harold F. Wardwell '07 is vice-president of the company and Burleigh A. Lum '13 is manager of the Los Angeles, Cal., office.

'10 AB; '10 AB—Edith T. Loux teaches in the West Philadelphia High School; lives at 1100 South Fifty-eighth Street, Philadelphia, Pa. She writes, "Anna E. Biddle '10 and I entertained Charles Bowerman, the son of Edwin R. Bowerman '09 and Mrs. Bowerman (Ethel Robison) '10, in Philadelphia a while ago. He is a music student at the Eastman School of Music, Rochester.''

'11 AB—Arthur S. Cotins is a partner in Moser and Cotins, Inc., advertising agency, of 420 Lexington Avenue, New York City, and Utica. He lives at 10 Hopper Street, Utica.

'12 BS—Irving C. Carpenter is with Max B. Miller and Company, 501 Fifth Avenue, New York City; lives at 60 Melrose Drive, New Rochelle.

#### '13 WILL BE HERE

Mattoon, Ill.

"Dear George Rockwell:

"I have heard the call to the Class of 1913 and I shall heed it. Any 1913 man who might and does not come, it the language of the English Department, is one big sap. I have never missed a regular '13 Reunion. As Herm Coors said last year, "It's the greatest Class in a'l the history of Cornell, and the last great Class." Well, I ask you, isn't it: Why should we feel any false modesty about admitting it? Nothing shall keep me from this Reunion. Yours as ever,

#### Fred Peek'

'13 MD—Dr. James W. Wiltsie consultant in physical therapy at the Binghamton Hospital, Binghamton, is the author of Chronic Intestinal Toxemia and its Treatment with Special Reference to Colonic Therapy, a book of 268 pages, published by William Wood and Company, Baltimore, Md.

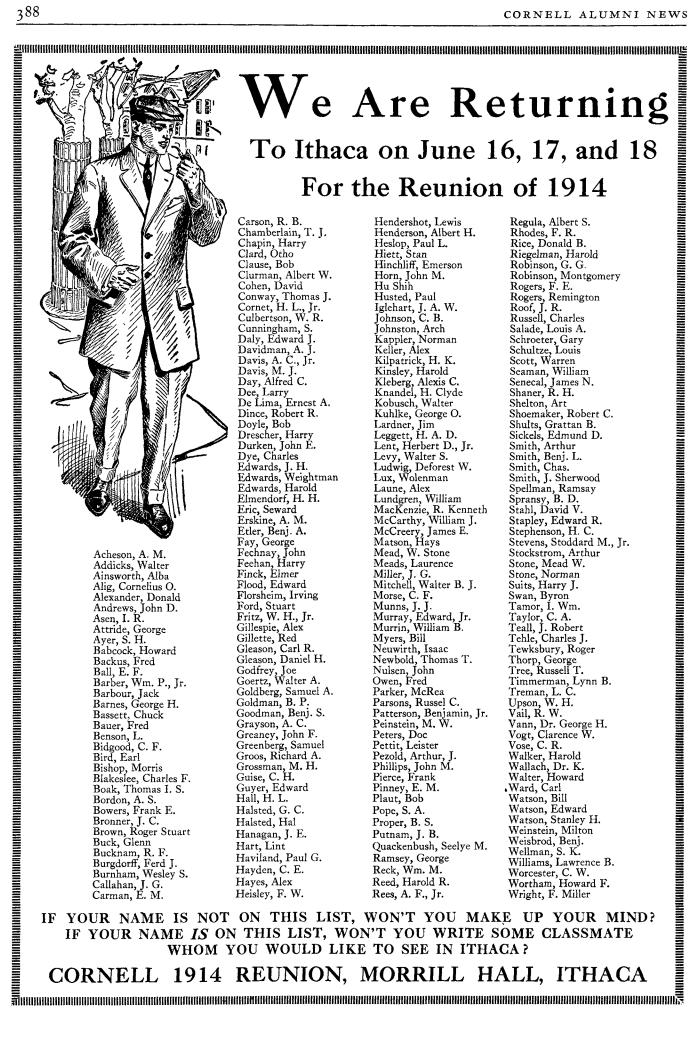


'14 AB—John E. Simonds is Metropolitan representative for the Brandt Cabinet Works of Hagerstown, Md., and the Hubbuch Glass Company of Chattanooga, Tenn. His address is 173 Maple Avenue, Red Bank, N. J.

'14—Philip N. Braun is with the Prosperity Company, Syracuse; lives on the West Seneca Turnpike, R. F. D. 3, Syracuse.

'15 AB—Professor Carl R. Fellers and an associate at Massachusetts State College have developed a dip of benzoated brine to keep the meat of fish and crustaceans fresh so that it can be sold cheaply inland. After thirty seconds in the solution the keeping qualities of fresh fish are greatly enhanced.

CLASS REUNIONS IN ITHACA JUNE 16-18, 1939 '69 - '72, '73, '74, '75 - '79 - '84 - '89 - '91, '92, '93, '94, - '99 - '04 -'09, '10, '11, '12, '13, '14 - '19 - '24 - '29, '30, '31, '32 - '34 - '37





Another meeting of the Greater New York Committee of the Class of 1916 for the 25th Reunion will be held at the Cornell Club in New York City on Friday evening, May 19.

It is hoped at this time to complete further details regarding Reunion plans. Already about one hundred members have signified their intention to return in 1941. More '16 men are finding out each year there is nothing as good for the soul as coming back every June. This year it's June 16, 17, 18. At this time we expect Johnnie Hoffmire, Madam Sherry, Booty Hunkin, Les Brown, Harwood Martin, Schnitz Snyder, Hal Bache, Allen Frick, Bub Pfeiffer, Sam Howe, Pat Irish, Harry Byrne, Franz Scheetz and Jess Dall. Others who expect to be back should notify Same Howe so reservations in the Dorms can be made for the group.—W. F.

'17 CE—Benjamin Friedenberg is with the Bureau of Sewers, Municipal Building, Brooklyn. He lives at 740 East Forty-ninth Street, Brooklyn.

'18 PhD—Dr. Cora L. Friedline is professor of psychology at Randolph-Macon Woman's College and director of the mental clinic of Lynchburg, Va.

'18-Kenneth W. Birkin is with the Sinclair Refining Company, Rockefeller Center, New York City.

'20 AB—Mrs. Horace L. Stevenson (Elaine R. Hedgecock) has a son, Hugh Thomas Stevenson II, born April 12. Mrs. Stevenson lives at 3502 Brookville Road, Chevy Chase, Md.

'21 BS—Lucy M. Maltby is home economics adviser for the Corning Glass Works, Corning. She is now president of the southern district of the New York State Home Economics Association; in this capacity, she will preside at the district's annual spring meeting in Watkins Glen May 20.

'21—Walter B. Gerould is vice-president of A. G. Spaulding and Brothers, Chicopee, Mass. He lives at 235 Overbrook Road, Longmeadow, Mass.

'22, '23 AB—Houlder Hudgins, president of the Sloane-Blabon Corporation, manufacturers of linoleum and felt-base floor coverings, has been elected a director of the Certain-teed Products Corporation, manufacturers of roofing, wall board, gypsum, plaster, and building materials. His address is 295 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

'22, '23 M—Martyn Z. Bentley of Youngstown, Ohio, has a son, Martyn Zug Bentley, Jr., born March 18.

<sup>223</sup> AB—Harold E. Wethey is now a member of the department of fine arts at Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

'23 BS—Broder F. Lucas is stationed at the United States Department of Agriculture Flood Control Office, Glendora, Cal.



Big executives in the Class whose secretaries file third-class mail in the wastebasket missed an important message last week. A folder from George Pfann, general Reunion chairman, and Max Scmitt, Class secretary, giving details of preliminary arrangements for the Fifteen-Year Reunion in Ithaca, went to every '24 man, accompanied by a directory of the Class and a return postcard for room reservations and orders for Class uniforms. Anyone who failed to see this mailing should communicate at once with Max Schmitt at the Collins and Aikman Corporation, 200 Madison



22 DVM; '11 DVM-DR. CLARENCE R. ROBERTS (above) has been elected to the board of directors of Sheffield Farms Company, Inc., New York City milk distributors. He has been with Sheffield since 1925, having taught for three years at the State School of Agriculture at Morrisville. Until 1930 he lived in Norwich, supervising milk inspection in Central New York and Northern Pennsylvania. Then he went to New York City as assistant to Dr. Cecil I. Corbin '11, head of the sanitation department. Since 1936 he has been assistant to the vice-president who is head of the creamery department. He is a member of Omega Tau Sigma, played two years in the ROTC Band. He and Mrs. Roberts and their three children live at 122 Howard Terrace, Leonia, N. J.

Avenue, New York City. With the '24 Steam Roller well on its way toward Ithaca, no '24 man can afford to miss this information.

Does anybody share our curiosity as to who's running this Reunion and how they were chosen? We still don't know how they were chosen, but here they are: Honorary Chairman, Henry C. Stone; General Chairman, George Pfann; Finances, Frank Sundstrom; Bailey Hall Rally, Charles Norris and Carl Schraubstader; Refreshments, Walter Davis; Costumes, Fred Wood; Organization of Local Committees, Carl Wedell; Class History, Charles Felske; General Program in Ithaca, Vincent Gerbereux. For their addresses, see the new Class directory.—R. H.

'24, '25 AB, '27 LLB—Edward W. Ickes practices law with the firm of Mann, Strong, Bodine and Wright, 800 Powers Building, Rochester.

'24, '26 ME—Robert W. Boggs is assistant manager of the general publicity department of the Union Carbide Company, 30 East Forty-second Street, New York City.

'24—George W. Bohannon is a mechanical engineer for the D. M. & Ir. Railway Company, Proctor, Minn.

'24—Walter E. Barnes is a buyer for the W. T. Grant Company, 1441 Broadway, New York City.

'24—George Bickley is manager of A. F. Bickley and Son, produce wholesalers and jobbers, Philadelphia, Pa.

'24, '25 AB, '28 MD—Dr. Irving H. Beckwith practices medicine at 170 Maple Avenue, White Plains.

'24, '25 CE—Jonathan M. Ball is Michigan representative for the C. B. Fleet Company of Lynchburg, Va.; lives at 381 Shirley Drive, Birmingham, Mich.

<sup>2</sup>25 AB, <sup>2</sup>26 AM, <sup>2</sup>29 PhD; <sup>2</sup>25 AB, <sup>2</sup>26 AM—John H. Patterson is dean of men at Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt. His wife is the former Anne E. Seymour <sup>2</sup>25.

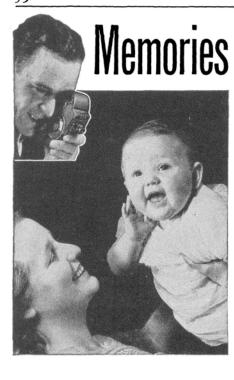
'26 CE—Charles F. Brutschy is with the American Bridge Company, 71 Broadway, New York City; lives at 140-25 Rose Avenue, Flushing.

'25 MSA—Ernest Angelo is stationed at the United States Horticultural Field Laboratory, Bogalusa, La.

'26 DVM—Dr. Walter R. Miller is engaged to Helen Bogert of New Paltz. Miss Bogert attended the College of William and Mary, New York University, and New Paltz Normal School.

'27, '28 CE—Richard W. Edwards is chief engineer for the Socony-Vacuum Transportation Company, with headquarters in St. Louis, Mo.

'27 AB, '29 AM; '25 AB, '37 PhD-Mrs. Ross E, Scanlan (Elizabeth Goepp) teaches speech and dramatics at Queen's



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College, Flushing. She and Scanlan '25 live at 260 Convent Avenue, New York City.

'28—Coy M. Clapp teaches at the Sidney Lanier High School, Houston, Tex., where she lives at 2016 Hazard Street.

'28, '29 AB—Charles H. Henne is with the New York Telephone Company, 65 Franklin Street, Buffalo. He has a son, Peter Charles Henne, born April 25.



'29 AB—Meyer Bender is associated with the insurance brokerage office of Lippin-Bender Company, 225 Broadway, New York City. He lives at 1685 Ocean Avenue, Brooklyn.

'29—Joseph M. Haely is in the oil conservation department of the State of Kansas; lives at the Commodore Hotel, Wichita, Kan.



'30 AB—Howard T. Orloff is with Sears Roebuck and Company, Dallas, Tex.; is married and has two children.

'30, '31 BS—Henry Forschmiedt married Billie S. Brown of St. Louis, Mo., and Dallas, Tex., December 31, 1938. He writes, "About three months ago I opened my own business at 2112 Cadiz Street, Dallas, specializing in the wholesale ripening and repacking of tomatoes." He lives at 1512 North Fitzhugh Street, Dallas, Tex.

'31 AB—Roscoe P. Mann is with Montgomery Ward and Company, Newport News, Va.

'32 PhD—Dr. Marie P. Hamilton is now associate professor of English at the University of Arizona, Tuscon, Ariz. She was recently invited to become a member of the Modern Humanities Research Association, an international organization for the furtherance of advanced studies in languages and literature. She is a member of the Modern Language Association of America and of the American Association of University Professors.

'32, '33 AB—George H. Weltner is a member of the sociology department at Temple University, Philadelphia, Pa., where he lives at 3315 Powelton Avenue. '33 AB, '34 MS—Alice M. Ryan is now at the University of California, Berkeley, Cal., where she lives at 2811 Piedmont Avenue.

'33 BS—Helen M. Cotter is associate 4-H Club agent in Chenango County; her address, c/o 4-H Club Office, Norwich.

'33 AB—Philip F. Finch, Jr. is with the Vanity Fair Silk Mills, Reading, Pa., where he lives at 555 North Fifth Street.

'33 AB; '36 AB—A. Harrison Cornish, Jr. is engaged to Katherine N. Koopman '36. Miss Koopman received the AM from Columbia University in 1937. Cornish is a graduate of Harvard Law School and is now with the law firm of Osborne, Cornish & Scheck, Newark, N. J.

'34 AB—Stanley Frank is with Mary Lee, Inc., 498 Seventh Avenue, New York City; lives at 120 West Eighty-sixth Street, New York City.

'34 AB—Newton D. Chapman III is with E. R. Squibb and Company, New Brunswick, N. J.; lives at 429 Dennison Street, Hyland Park, N. J.

'34 BS—Max Dercum is a member of the forestry department at Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa., where he lives at 100 West Hamilton Street.

'34 AM—Hilton C. Buley teaches at the Vestal Central School, Vestal, where he lives at 36 Front Street.

'35 AB—Genevieve W. Harman is a proof reader at the W. F. Humphrey Press, Geneva, where she lives at 93 Lyceum Street.

'35 BS—Mary W. Steinman, formerly a dietitian at the Philadelphia General Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., is now assistant dietitian at Albany Hospital, Albany.

'35—William J. Bickel is in the erection department of the Bethlehem Steel Company, Oliver Building, Pittsburgh, Pa. His home address is Montray Park, Toms River, N. J.

'36, '37 BS—William Dall is with the American Mechanics Metal Company of East Moline, Ill. His home address is 24 East Thirty-ninth Street, New York City.

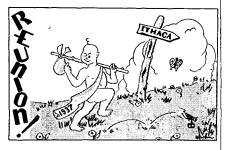
'36 AB; '38 BS—Malcolm J. Mann married Marie E. Travis April 7 in Sage Chapel. Mann is the son of Albert R. Mann '04, former University Provost and now with the Rockefeller Foundation, and Mrs. Mann (Mary D. Judd) '04. Mrs. Mann was a dietitian at the Hawley Home for Children, Saratoga Springs. They now live in New York City, where Mann is a member of the Class of '39 at the Medical College. After July 1, they will live in Rochester, where Mann will serve his interneship at Strong Memorial Hospital.

'36 AB; '38 AM—William B. Schaffrath married Sybil Saxton, AM '38, April 4 in Flushing. Mrs. Schaffrath was chaperone at Risley Cottage; both are registered in the Graduate School. '36 ME—Parker A. Stacy, Jr. is a stress analyst for the Consolidated Aircraft Corporation, San Diego, Cal.; lives at 2784 Chatsworth Boulevard, San Diego. He is engaged to Margaret R. Stratton of San Diego, a graduate of San Diego State College. They will be married in August.

'36, '37 BArch—William A. Buckhout is engaged to Mary Elizabeth Slobohm of Brook Manor, Pleasantville. The wedding will take place in the fall. Buckhout is with Starrett Brothers and Eken, builders, New York City, and lives at 74 Sunnyside Avenue, Pleasantville.

'36, '37 BS; Grad—Vieno A. Pertula was married to Seth Pope, Grad, April 2. Pope is a research assistant in Plant Pathology. Mrs. Pope has been with the Woman's Home Companion magazine in New York City.

'36, '39 BS—Henry L. Huber has been appointed credit investigator for the Hotel Statler, Buffalo. He lives at 95 Winston Road, Buffalo.

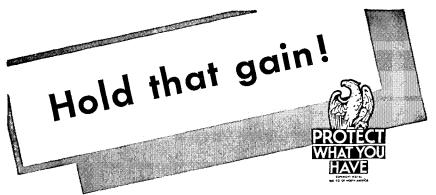


While it's not anticipated that the percentage of millionaires will be quite as high as in some of the other Reunion Classes, advance reports from the Class of '37 Reunion committee indicate that two years of self-support haven't dimmed the enthusiasm and optimism of the youngest graduating class to be represented at this year's Dix Reunion. An unusually large number of the Class of '37 are expected to be in Ithaca June 16-18.

William G. Rossiter, Jr., Class secretary, has appointed the following committee chairmen: Costume, T. Melville Kaufman, New York City; Finance, Charles J. Carmody, Scarsdale; Publicity, Alan R. Willson, Hartford, Conn.; Registration, William J. Simpson, Larchmont. Edmund L. G. Zalinski is vicechairman of the publicity committee, and other committee appointments are expected soon.

Uniformed in beer jackets and crew hats bearing the Class numerals, the Class of '37 will hold a Saturday noon outing in addition to its banquet that evening. Plans for a dance are being considered for the night of June 17.—A.R.W.

'37 AB; '10 MD—Beatrice J. Hirschfeld, daughter of Dr. David B. Hirschfeld '10, was married recently to Seymour Blumenson of New York City. Blumenson is a graduate of New York University, has received that AM at Columbia University, and is now at the Columbia School of Dental and Oral Surgery.



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'37 AB—Jeanne S. Paquette is engaged to VanDeusen Clark of Phoenix, Ariz. Clark, a graduate of the University of New Mexico, teaches in Santa Fe, N. M. Miss Paquette is now in radio work in Santa Fe.

'37 BS-Bertha J. Kotwica is in the home service department of the Central New York Power Corporation; her address, 132 West Seventh Street, Buffalo.

'37 BS-Natalie I. Aronson is taking graduate work at Teachers College, Columbia University; lives at 1891 Harrison Avenue, New York City.

37 BS-E. Charles Jackson is with the Hotel Fountain Square, Cincinnati, Ohio, where he is opening a Purple Cow Restaurant. In August, 1938, he was in charge of opening a Purple Cow Restaurant at the Belden Hotel, Canton, Ohio, and in January, one at the Fort Meigs Hotel, Toledo, Ohio.

'37, '39 BChem—Arthur S. Wenborne is a chemist with the Quaker Maid Company, food products division of the Great Atlantic and Pacific Tea Company. He lives at 16 Allen Street, Brockport.

38 PhD-Chris J. Christensen is now at Edinboro State Teachers College, Edinboro, Pa.

'38 BS in AE-Frederick P. Reynolds married Katherine T. Edwards of Syracuse April 15. Reynolds is with the Columbia Mills, Inc., Saginaw, Mich., where they live at 537 Millard Street.

38 BS-Phyllis V. Wheeler teaches in Edmeston.

'41-Ruth H. Farlin was married to Alexander C. Beverly of Caret, Va., March 25 in Syracuse. Beverly, a graduate of Virginia Military Institute, is now with the Syracuse branch of Larus and Brothers of Richmond, Va.



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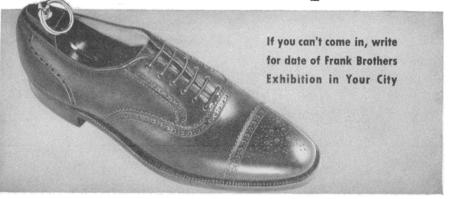
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