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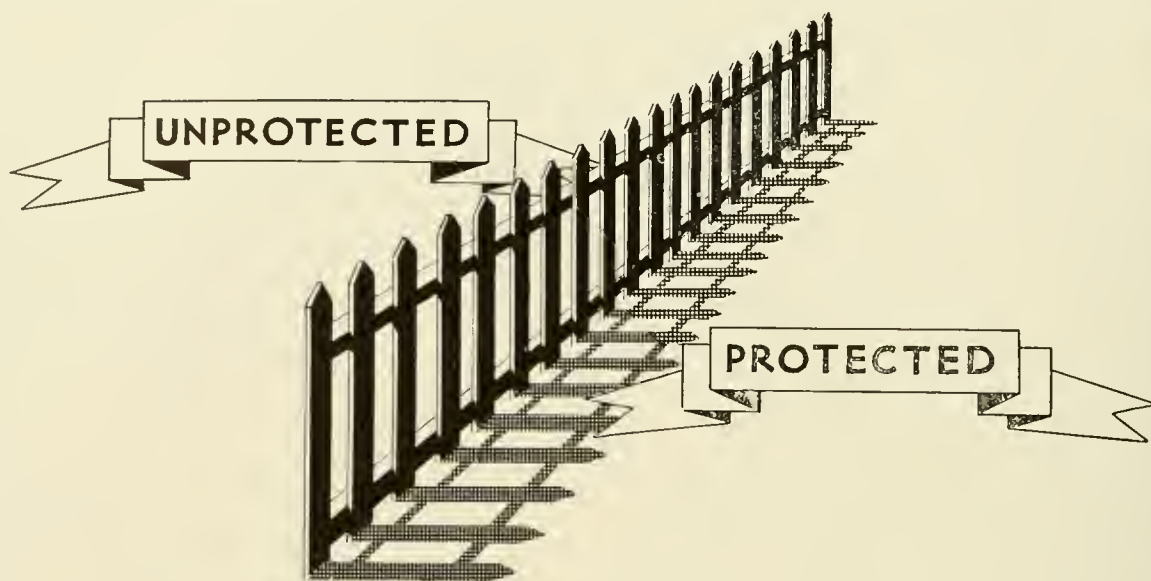
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What Are the Freshmen Like?

The Director of Admissions Writes of the Class of 1938

BY DR. BRUCE M. BIGELOW

"WHEN I wanted to enter Brown," said a prominent alumnus recently, "I called upon Benny Andrews. Lest I might not understand the administrative duties of a college president in the nineties, the alumnus paused to explain that E. Benjamin Andrews was not only the president of Brown University, but also acted as dean of the faculty, dean of undergraduates, comptroller, and director of admissions.

"Benny listened to my story for a few minutes," continued the alumnus, "and then greeted me with the words, 'Very good, sir, we'll see you here in the fall.'"

Apparently this was the typical method of entering Brown in 1892. I could only say in response that evidently, judging by results, President Andrews knew how to pick students. Doubtless the other alumni who were admitted to Brown by this great personality would endorse this conclusion.

Those of us in admissions work today, who spend the winter, spring, and summer interviewing scores of boys, parents, and headmasters, writing innumerable letters, and reviewing complicated school records, often wish that admission in 1934 could be handled with the simple technique of 1892. How easy it would be if we could only talk with the applicant for a few minutes, size him up with a critical eye, and then give him a prompt and final decision.

TODAY, however, the present routine is inescapable. High schools are crowded with students as never before, and every year they send out a host of graduates into the business and the college worlds. College is particularly attractive to many of these high school boys, whose impressions are gleaned from Hollywood and the sporting pages, and who suppose that college life consists chiefly of playing pranks and football. This army of applicants to American universities must be met by a barrage of examinations and tests; otherwise the colleges would be filled with students who would have no chance of lasting four years. It is not really a favor to admit an applicant, knowing full well that the boy has hardly a gambler's chance of staying in college. If eventually he is forced through failures to leave college, the failure affects not only himself, but his parents, his secondary school and the college.

But there are other standards besides the academic. We want to admit only the students who will work and play together in a community of young gentlemen. Were it not for the fact that admission officers can secure complete records concerning the applicants, we should be facing an impossible task. Academic ratings are now made in the

secondary schools from day to day, aptitudes and interests are charted from month to month, character records are entered on the books, alumni interviews are reported, and complete personnel information is filed. By reviewing this mass of material, the Committee on Admissions makes its final selection of the Freshman Class. Both the reviewers and the reviewed are human, however, so we expect mistakes.

WE like the Class of 1938, but we naturally would like our own selections. We are always proud of our entering class—at least until the first exams are over. The class numbers 374, slightly less than a year ago. We received a record number of applications for admission, but the list included many with precarious financial resources. We tried to discourage a good many applicants in this group, for we did not want them to jeopardize their health in order to obtain a college education. Many boys, however, in an almost pathetic manner hope for Aladdin's Lamp. Just before college opens, however, they surrender to facts and are forced to withdraw their applications. There is nothing more pathetic than an enthusiastic, ambitious youth who has graduated with honors from his secondary school, who wants a college education above almost everything else in the world, but who cannot reach it.

The cost of going to college seems to be an increasingly difficult problem. Although at Brown during the past few years there has been an increase of twenty per cent in the number of applicants for admission, there has also been during this same period an increase of over one hundred per cent in the number seeking financial aid. The typical cost of a year at any one of the leading eastern colleges is over \$1,000. This includes tuition, board, room, and incidentals, but is exclusive of traveling expenses, clothes, and amusements. And these last items find their way into a student budget!

LOOK back a hundred years and you will see a very different picture. The Brown catalogue of 1834 says, "College bills, including tuition, room rent, use of library, and incidental expenses . . . \$64.50 per annum." This amazingly low figure does not include board, but apparently food was not exorbitant in price. According to the catalogue, "The board in commons is charged at its nett expense, and varies with the price of provisions. Good board is furnished at from \$1.00 to \$1.12 per week, and that which is more expensive at from \$1.50 to \$1.61 per week." Board for the 39 weeks of the college year, therefore, varied from \$39.00 to \$62.79.

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Even a generation later when the alumnus of Andrews' regime entered Brown he faced tuition charges of only \$110 as against \$400 today, and single rooms ranged in rent from \$15 to \$75 as against \$100 to \$300 at the present time.

In spite of this increased cost of education, Brown, fortunately, still remains a democratic college where personality, character, and brains rate higher than Rolls Royce roadsters. The freshman who this year hitch-hiked to Brown from the Middle West will be just as well received as the boy who flew here in his own plane from New York. The freshman class today has its share of wealth and poverty, but neither condition determines the popularity rating of a single boy.

GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION

THE geographic distribution of the entering class is about the same as it has been for the past decade. While visiting schools in the Middle West this year I sensed a growing interest in Brown on the part of both headmasters and boys. Many applicants from this section of the country, however, who wanted to enter and whom we would gladly welcome, could not afford to go to a college a thousand miles away from home. An increase in the number of applications for admission from this section, therefore, did not result in a larger registration.

The geographic distribution is as follows:

Massachusetts	84
Providence	65
Rhode Island (outside Providence)	62
New York	58
Connecticut	30
New Jersey	18
Pennsylvania	18
Middle West	23
Other New England States	10
South	4
California	1
Japan	1
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Although because of the financial situation there are fewer students attending private schools today than a few years ago, the even balance which we hope to have at Brown between private and public school students is still maintained.

Number entering from Public High School:	
New England	162
Outside New England	46
	208
Number entering from Private Preparatory School:	
New England	90
Outside New England	76
	166
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Parents who are disturbed because their sons have no definite vocation in mind will be relieved to know that forty per cent of the Class of 1938 at Brown have no definite vocational plans at the present time. We understand that this condition is typical of college freshmen everywhere. About thirty-five per cent of our freshmen are heading for one of the professions, while the others are looking toward a great diversity of vocations.

PROPOSED VOCATIONS

Undecided	151
Medicine	44
Engineering	39

Law	35
Chemistry	18
Journalism	14
Business	13
Teaching	13
Banking	9
Manufacturing	8
Diplomatic Service	6
Ministry	4
Art	2
Coaching	2
Dentistry	2
Military Service	2
Accounting	1
Advertising	1
Architecture	1
Brokerage	1
Criminologist	1
Druggist	1
Finance	1
Forestry	1
Music	1
Photography	1
Real Estate	1
Theater	1

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The fathers of our freshmen are representative of various occupations. The majority are in some form of business activity. Besides these, there are 24 engineers, 14 lawyers, 11 educators, 10 doctors, 9 ministers, and many more including a governor, authors, musicians, golf professionals, artisans, and laborers.

IN checking over our application blanks we find that the average age of our freshmen is 18 years and 10 months. The youngest is 15 years and 4 months, and the oldest 24 years and 6 months. Their height ranges from 5 feet 4 inches to 6 feet 4 inches with an average of 5 feet 10 inches, and the weight ranges from 115 pounds to 215 pounds with an average of 156.

First honors for the subjects liked best by 1938 in the secondary schools go to Mathematics, English, and History. The subjects liked least in the secondary schools are Latin, Mathematics, and French. It is no great discovery that we find our freshmen either liking Mathematics best or least. As far as this subject is concerned, it seems that very few boys fails to react definitely in one way or the other.

One hundred and one fathers and fifty-one mothers of our freshmen attended college. We are particularly gratified that forty of our freshmen are the sons of Brown alumni. This is a record number, and speaks well for the growing interest of our alumni in their alma mater. There has been a definite increase in the number of alumni sons every year for the past decade.

Right here I wish to thank the Brown alumni for the co-operation which they have given during this past year to the admissions office. Never before, I believe, have the alumni demonstrated more enthusiasm in connection with admissions than they have recently. In practically every city which sends boys to Brown our alumni have given generously of their time and energy in the work of interesting desirable students in Brown. Our interviewing system, started in 1929, is running more smoothly than ever. It has gained momentum in every section, and is at present indispensable to our selective admissions program. Alumni and undergraduates are the best publicity agents a college can have, and it is a real joy to be in the admissions office of a college where both of these groups are loyal and enthusiastic.

DEAN CLINTON H. CURRIER and I found that the applicants for admissions this year ran true to form in furnishing the Committee with the usual number of smiles.

One young man would have been glad to enter Brown if we would guarantee that afternoon classes would be over in time for him to make the first horse race at Narragansett Park. We can't make such guarantees in this office so the applicant is going elsewhere.

Disappointment came to another lad when he found that he was not granted a large scholarship in spite of the fact that one of his ancestors fired the first shot in the battle of New Orleans. It was a surprise to this boy to learn that scholarships at Brown were awarded on the basis of the academic standing and need and not upon the heroism of a great-grandfather.

Letters from anxious mothers to the president, deans, and director of admissions are received daily during the spring and summer months. One mother inquires about the quality of our mattresses, another about the Providence climate, a third wants us to see to it that her boy eats regularly—and so on and on. We are eager to keep peace at home, however, so these rubber and umbrella letters are not mentioned to the boy.

One mother thought her boy should be given special consideration inasmuch as she had spent weeks looking up the Bruce and the Bigelow genealogies. After I had become supersaturated with the correspondence in regard to this case, Dean Currier took it over and hoped that the flood was subsiding, whereupon the Currier genealogy was presented with alacrity and completeness. As a climax the genealogist announced the astonishing discovery that a Bigelow had murdered a Currier in Thirteenth Century Merrie England. Facts are facts, but we thought there was no point in un-

earthing more skeletons, so the son was discouraged from coming to Brown.

THE usual number of letters also come in from self-styled football stars from the Atlantic to the Pacific. "I am six feet high, weigh 210 pounds, can kick, throw passes, hit the line, run the ends, and make touchdowns," writes one boy. He informed us that he would like to work his way through college playing football. I suppose there is an advantage in combining work and play, but like so many of these applicants, most of his credits were in glass blowing, cement mixing, or brick laying. He hasn't yet understood why we refused him.

Photographs which come to our attention in the application blanks have their amusing angles. Some boys are particularly proud of the letters which they won as members of the Siwash High School football team. They believe that the mammoth "S" on their jerseys might have an effect upon a Committee on Admissions, so in their back yards the young men pose while decked out in full football regalia, headgear, the big "S" and all.

Another lad sends us a picture his younger brother snapped of him on the beach. Ninety-nine one-hundredths of the picture shows the broad Atlantic and one-hundredth is our applicant. Even the Atlantic is sometimes pretty dull and uninteresting!

Pictures taken with pets are quite frequently received. This year one lad sent us an enlarged photograph of his horse. When we looked closely we could see the boy's head partially hidden by the horse's ear. We liked the horse and wanted to admit him, but we had to refuse the boy.

We should not like to have you believe, however, that our freshmen were selected this year because they had blue



BROWN WAS THEIR PATRIMONY: SONS OF ALUMNI IN THE FRESHMAN CLASS

First row, left to right—Frank A. Shaw, Kenneth C. Foote, George L. Miner, Walter S. Snell, Leonard R. Carpenter, James B. McGuire, Robert M. Thomas, Charles A. Walsh, Jr., William W. Browne, Jr., Dean B. Edmundson, William E. Chichester. Second row—George C. Henderson, Arthur F. Newell, Jr., George C. Bright, Jr., George R. Pierce, Leon H. Denison, Jr., Robert S. Burgess, George C. Slade, Charles B. Round, Wyman Pendleton, Jr., Howard H. King, David J. Purdie, Jr., Monroe E. Fagan, Jr. Third row—Brenton G. Meader, Frederick A. Forbes, William Rice, George J. Slattery, Hollier G. Tomlin, Samuel B. Burgess, Samuel G. Hall, Alfred W. Dickenson, T. Brenton Bullock, William W. MacDougal, Jr. Back row—Norman E. White, Antone G. Singsen, William F. Durgin, Arthur A. Staff, Myles L. Grover.

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eyes and curly hair. Selections were made with great care and only after complete credentials were thoroughly reviewed. In fact, we believe the Class of 1938 to be the most carefully selected class ever to enter Brown. Whether or not we were wise in our selections only time will tell, but right now we throw them an orchid.

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Another Generation

THE forty sons of Brown alumni, to whom Dr. Bigelow refers in his article on the class of 1938, comprise the largest group of sons of alumni which has ever appeared in a freshman class at the University. The group comes from all parts of the East—from points as far away as Chicago and Kansas City, Mo., and from Pennsylvania, the District of Columbia, New York, New Jersey, and from scattered cities and towns in New England. One freshman's home is in Japan.

Their fathers attended Brown in 19 different classes, beginning with Leon H. Denison of Kansas City, a member of the class of 1896, and running through Norman E. White of Cranston and the Rev. Earl H. Tomlin of Providence, who postponed their college days until the classes of 1927 and 1933. Most of the alumni fathers were graduated between 1901 and 1912. The mothers of nine freshmen attended Pembroke College.

Honors for sending back the most sons to Brown go to the class of 1907, which sent five freshmen. The classes of 1908, 1909, and 1912 each contributed four freshmen. The classes of 1906 and 1911 have sent three sons each. Two freshmen have come from the classes of 1902, 1903, 1905, 1910 and 1913, and one from each of the following—1896, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1914, 1915, 1927 and 1933.

More than 30 members of the family of Robert S. Burgess and Samuel B. Burgess, sons of Dr. Alexander M. Burgess '06 of the Division of University Health, have attended Brown University. Their great-great-grandfather, Thomas Burgess, was the first. He was graduated in 1800. Their great-grandfather, grandfather and brother were all Brown men.

OTHER freshmen and their fathers are as follows: George C. Bright—William E. Bright '07 of Scranton, Pa.; Harold H. Brown—Arthur R. Brown '05 of Washington, D. C.; William W. Browne, Jr.—William W. Browne '08, Ph.D. '12 of Yonkers, N. Y.; T. Brenton Bullock—George B. Bullock '05 of Waban, Mass.; Robert S. and Samuel B. Burgess—Dr. Alexander M. Burgess '06; Leonard R. Carpenter—Henry G. Carpenter '06 of Flushing, N. Y.; William E. Chichester—Franklin I. Chichester '08 of West Barrington, R. I.; Leon H. Denison, Jr.—Leon H. Denison '96 of Kansas City, Mo.; Alfred W. Dickinson—the late Alfred W. Dickinson '07 of Newtonville, Mass.; William F. Durgin—Arthur D. Durgin '14 of Wellesley Hills, Mass.; Dean B. Edmundson—Harold B. Edmundson '09 of Newport, R. I.

Monroe E. Fagan, Jr.—Monroe E. Fagan '15 of Providence; Kenneth C. Foote—John A. Foote '09 of New York City, recently from Japan; Frederick A. Forbes—Kenneth R. Forbes 1900, of Stamford, Conn.; Myles L. Grover—Joseph I. Grover '07 of Dorchester, Mass.; Samuel C. Hall—Willard B. Hall '07 of North Providence; George C. Henderson—George H. Henderson '09 of Rumford; Howard H. King—the late Howard H. King '02 of Uniontown, Pa.; William W. MacDougal, Jr.—William W. MacDougal '11 of Wollaston, Mass.; James B. McGuire—John T. McGuire '12 of Fall River, Mass.; Brenton G. Meader—

Lewis H. Meader, Jr., '09 of Edgewood; George L. Miner—Isaac D. Miner '13 of Edgewood; Arthur F. Newell, Jr.—Arthur F. Newell '12 of New London, N. H.

Wyman Pendleton, Jr.—Wyman Pendleton '12 of Providence; George R. Pierce—George L. Pierce, Jr., '10 of East Providence; David J. Purdie—David J. Purdie '11 of Verona, N. J.; William Rice—William O. Rice '03 of Providence; Charles B. Round—Dr. Lester A. Round '10 of Providence; Frank A. Shaw—Percy A. Shaw '08 of Manchester, N. H.; Antone G. Singsen—Arthur G. Singsen '12 of Rumford; George G. Slade—Walter C. Slade '07 of Providence; George J. Slattery—the late Charles A. Slattery '03 of Providence; John H. Slattery—the late John H. Slattery '01 of Providence; Walter S. Snell—Professor Walter H. Snell '13 of Providence; Arthur A. Staff—Arthur E. Staff '11 of Brockton, Mass.; Robert M. Thomas—Rev. Albert C. Thomas, D.D. '08 of Fall River, Mass.; Hollier G. Tomlin—Rev. Earl H. Tomlin '33 of Providence; Charles A. Walsh, Jr.—Justice Charles A. Walsh '99 of Providence; and Norman E. White—Norman E. White '27 of Cranston.

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New Starter for the Franklins

ONE of the hardest jobs that William Allan Dyer '86 has been called upon to do in his busy career had a happy ending last month with the announcement that the H. H. Franklin Company, manufacturer of motor cars, would reopen in Syracuse, N. Y., and give employment to at least a thousand men in the next few months. After the company went into receivership last April, Dyer was appointed head of a special committee to find a purchaser who would take over the plant and start it running again. James Warren, writing in the *Syracuse Journal* of Oct. 18, said:

"Everybody will be glad to see new Franklin cars back on the streets once more. For this newest boost to the industrial advancement of the city Syracuse should take off its hats to the city administration, the Chamber of Commerce, and to William Allan Dyer, Mayor Marvin and President H. Hiram Weisberg of the Chamber in particular. Mr. Dyer headed the chamber's special committee that has been carrying on negotiations since last July."

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No More Brown Ph.B.'s

BROWN UNIVERSITY, first institution in the United States to award the Ph.B., has decided to discontinue the degree. The ruling applied for the first time to the Class of 1938 and will not affect upperclassmen who have been fulfilling requirements for the Ph.B. Hereafter only the A.B. degree will be given for liberal arts study.

Abandoning of the degree, which was introduced under President Wayland's administration, means that candidates for admission to Brown will not have to present Greek or Latin credits, nor will study of the classics be required in college. The step conforms to the general practice in other leading American universities. It was voted by the Board of Fellows after a recommendation of the Faculty.

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Leading the Vermont Bar

Judge Collins M. Graves '95 of the Municipal Court, Bennington, Vt., was elected president of the Vermont Bar Association at the annual meeting held in Montpelier, Oct. 3. The association has voted to raise requirements for admission so that an applicant must have done work equivalent to two years in college.

Of Brown and Brown Men

A Devoted Trustee Dies

AUGUSTUS LEVI ABBOTT '80, trustee of the University since 1909 and for many years a leading lawyer in St. Louis, Mo., died in St. Louis, Oct. 15, 1934. He had been sick for more than a year.

A descendant of George Abbott, who came from Guilford, England, in 1642 to settle in Rowley, Mass., he was born in Weymouth, Mass., Aug. 6, 1858, the son of the Rev. Levi Augustus and Mary Abby (Preston) Abbott. He prepared at LaCrosse, Wis., High School, attended the University of Chicago for a year, and came to Brown in 1877 to enter the class with the late President W. H. P. Faunce, Judge Samuel H. Ordway, and others who have made 1880 famous. He won his A.B. in June, 1880, his A.M. in 1883, and his LL.B. at Washington University, St. Louis, in 1885.

Before studying law he served as Associate Professor of Mathematics at Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill., 1881-84. After admission to the Missouri bar in 1884 he commenced practice in St. Louis and until his last illness was senior partner of the firm of Abbott, Fauntleroy, Cullen & Edwards—the Edwards being John B. Edwards '96. He was a member of the St. Louis Board of Police Commissioners, 1911-13, having been appointed by Governor Hadley. During the World War he was chairman of the 11th District Legal Advisory Board; and had been a member of the law committee of the Northern Baptist Convention since 1908, and chairman since 1919. He also belonged to the Missouri and St. Louis Bar Associations, Phi Beta Kappa, and Psi Upsilon. He was for many years a lecturer at Benton College of Law, from which he received the honorary degree of LL.D. in 1917. He was co-author of *Law of Eminent Domain*, which was published in 1888.

He was married April 20, 1887, to Miss Annette Blair. Surviving are two sons, John B. Abbott '15 and Preston O. Abbott '19, and a daughter, Mrs. Arthur B. Hague of St. Louis. "He was a devoted and enthusiastic alumnus," President Barbour said in his letter to the University Corporation.

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Comte de Lafayette's Guest

ARTHUR M. McCRILLIS '97, President General of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and Mrs. McCrillis returned to Providence last month after a visit abroad, during which they were extensively entertained in Paris. One of their pleasant memories is the tea given in their honor at La Grange, the country home of Lafayette, now owned by the Comte de Lafayette.

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The New England Council Viewpoint

ARETURN to reliance upon the "energy, initiative and will to recover" of business men "free from domination by unrepresentative and irresponsible Government bureaus" was declared a necessity for a rebirth of business confidence in this country in an address delivered by Henry D. Sharpe '94, president of the New England Council, at the opening of the 36th quarterly meeting of that body at Poland Springs, Me.

The Phi Beta Kappa Council

BROWN was well represented at the 18th Triennial Council of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa held in Cincinnati in September. Professor Albert Knight Potter '86 and Professor William T. Hastings '03 were the delegates representing the Brown Chapter. Professor Morton C. Stewart '94 was a delegate from the Union College Chapter. Dr. F. W. Shepardson '83 was present as a member of the Senate of the United Chapters. President Mary E. Woolley '94 of Mount Holyoke is also a member of the Senate.

Important questions of policy, relating to the future program of the Society, were under discussion at the meetings of the Council, in connection with a proposed revision of the Constitution and By-Laws. The proposals were referred to a special committee, of which Professor Hastings is a member.

Dr. W. Randolph Burgess '12, Deputy Governor of the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, has been elected treasurer of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa for "the coming triennium."

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From Atrocia to Rainbow

LIKE a boy's dream of winning a World's Series with a home run in the ninth was C. Sherman Hoyt's turn at the wheel in the third race of the America's Cup series, in the opinion of Lemuel F. Parton, newspaper syndicate writer. "For more than thirty years," said Parton in his column, "Hoyt has been America's great amateur first mate, living yachting, talking and dreaming of boats, and here he is, at the wheel of the Rainbow in that breath-taking stretch run which put the defender back into the contest! It must have been like the ecstatic second of the blooming of a century plant."

Parton, after referring to Hoyt's undergraduate days at Brown and the University of Glasgow, recalled the designer's famous Atrocia, the boat built in a quest for a new formula for speed and so eccentrically styled that she earned her name. Its mast was stepped quite a piece abaft the beam. It didn't stand up as a speed boat, Parton recalls.

Professor Zenas R. Bliss, Hoyt's Brunonian companion in the Rainbow's afterguard and navigator of the cup boat, has been kept busy filling lecture dates, many of them before engineering groups.

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Underwriting Welfare Work

THE Providence Community Fund, whose president is Albert H. Poland '09 and the chairman of whose board is Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe '94, is on the eve of its ninth annual campaign, seeking to finance again the welfare work of its thirty-eight associated agencies. As in similar campaigns throughout the country, the workers are stressing two important facts:

First, that government relief work, as extensive as it is, can only bring to people suffering as a result of economic conditions the actual assurance against starvation and freezing.

Second, the great work of the welfare agencies is urgently needed during the present period—even more urgently needed than ever before.

Brunonia Plays the Game

IF there has been any cry about over-emphasizing football at Brown, that cry must have been quieted in the melancholy days of October. Brunonians, players and supporters, have had to eat humble pie and go back for seconds. No matter how it's served, it's still humble pie.

In the first three major engagements of the 1934 varsity schedule the Bear was held scoreless while Harvard, Yale, and Syracuse ran up 83 points. Even in defeat against Harvard, the team looked good, but one had to look hard for redeeming features on the two succeeding Saturdays. Against Springfield on November 3rd Coach McLaughry tried to reorganize his forces and turn again to the attack, to instill a new spirit in a squad of harassed players. Springfield accounted for, the Brunonians were still possessed of no unbounded hope as they looked ahead to Columbia, Holy Cross, and Colgate, three of the East's strongest machines. Curiosity about "next year" came early this season.

Harvard 13, Brown 0

BBROWN wasted power galore against Harvard in an early season invasion of Cambridge and saw the Crimson capitalize two mistakes to score a touchdown in the opening and closing moments of the hard-fought, interesting game. The Brunonians made ten first downs as against three and ran up a yardage of 183 as against 108, but they had no scoring play.

The game had hardly started when Harvard blocked a punt and took possession of the ball on Brown's 26-yard line. It seemed as though the Brown forwards might hold there, but Harvard's Moseley started an end sweep, eluded a tackler behind the line, and cut back through tackle to catch the secondary out of position and score. Seemingly undismayed by this touchdown, which was converted, the Brunonians took the next kick-off and marched down the field to the Crimson six-yard line before surrendering the ball. The line was opening up fine holes and the running guards were leading the interference off tackle for gains of five and six yards at a crack, but the timing was never quite right to shake a runner loose. A shift to another style of attack ended when a completed forward just failed to make a first down, on the six-yard line.

Perhaps the game was lost on the quarterbacking, for despite progress in the neighborhood of the tackles, the Brown attack shifted to sweeps and passes on several other occasions, too. Brown forced the play throughout the first half, once reaching the sixteen-yard line. The second period was notable for the decisions of the officials, who had to give six verdicts which nullified plays, among them touchdowns by each side. Ball's spectacular catch of a forward in the last minute of the half went for naught when officials ruled that he was beyond the end zone.

In the second half, as a drizzle drenched the field, ball, and humans, Brown was able only once to penetrate into Harvard territory. Harvard was making little headway, either, but near the end of the game she intercepted another Brown forward and converted it into a touchdown to put the game on ice. It looked to some in the stadium as though the Brunonian passer was tossing the ball to an ineligible linesman at the time, and the defending back had little opposition in his theft.

This 13-0 defeat was the closest the varsity came to a "moral victory" against a major rival in October.

Yale 37, Brown 0

BEATEN by Harvard, Brown still looked like a good team, and her supporters were not at all prepared for the rout at New Haven on the next week-end. Four touchdowns came in sharp order in the first period, followed by two more at appropriate intervals. The 37-0 defeat was the worst any McLaughry eleven had ever experienced. Defensively the Brunonians had little to offer, especially against aerial wiles and accuracy, and their one spell of attacking zest advanced the ball some 50 yards only to subside on the Yale 11-yard marker.

The statistics of the game offer small comfort, although Brown made eight first downs against ten and gained 131 yards from scrimmage against 184. One Bruin pass out of eight essays was completed for a net of three yards, while the home team completed nine of 14 passes tossed right into the center of the Bear's box defense. A host of reserves saw service without receiving any medals.

All in all it was an afternoon remarkably forgettable.

Syracuse 33, Brown 0

SAID the optimists, "In 1933 after Princeton walloped Brown 33-0, Brown came back and beat Syracuse in a good game of ball." Applying that sanguine memory as an inducement to witness Brown and Syracuse in action in 1934, the optimists took it on the chin.

Brown was up against a smooth machine that performed flawlessly for half the game. The Orange attack, for its deception, versatility and power, was one of the finest seen on Brown Field, and poor tackling by the bedevilled Brunonians made it seem all the better. Demoralization set in again.

Even on the attack, the Brown eleven stalled, gaining 75 yards and losing 64 from scrimmage and adding 26 more on two passes that helped eke out the eight first downs. Syracuse ran up 19 and gained about 550 yards in sundry ways. Only a tendency to fumble deterred progress in the second half. In vain McLaughry had juggled his line-up and thrown in a full complement of reserves in experimental desperation.

The optimists retired to a cave and ate worms.

Brown 13, Springfield 7

HAVING fasted for three previous Saturdays, the Brown Bear nibbled on touchdowns at the expense of Springfield on November 3 and felt much happier. After a week of practice with more emphasis on touch football than contact work, the players put their heart into two touchdown drives, one of them in the first quarter of 27 yards and the other in the closing period for a 66-yard advance notable for the first use of the triple-wingback offensive in several weeks.

The first score was ground out piecemeal, with Karaban carrying the ball eight out of the nine times necessary to go the short distance. Apart from the captain's plunging, there was no trace of power even though the goal-line was crossed, and other offensives lapsed with touchdowns in view. But in the closing half the triple-wingback formation seemed to put new fire into line and backfield, and the cheering section roared in delight at the new-found effectiveness. The supporters didn't even mind that Springfield ran seven

plays soon afterward for a gain of 91 yards and its score, for Brown seemed to have found a punch at last.

Although held to two touchdowns, both by Karaban, the Bruins had much the better of the battle, with 17 first downs to five and 291 yards gained as against the Indians' 136. Among features were: Ball, right end, calling the plays in the huddle; Brown's goal-line stand in the second when Springfield blocked and recovered a punt on the Bruin six-yard line; Parks of Springfield intercepting a Brown pass and running it out from behind his own goal line; Harrie Hart, converted from end, starting in the Brown backfield; Elrod's runs that contributed to the second touchdown.

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The Freshman Season

A FRESHMAN team that rallied after an opening defeat by Brockton High School, 7-2, to win succeeding important games has operated with a strong backfield and an uncertain forward line, according to observers. For spirit, they say, the Cubs cannot be beaten.

Certainly the thriller of the fall was the game with Andover at Brown Field. Outplayed most of the afternoon and seemingly licked, the Freshmen took the ball late in the game on an intercepted pass. The score was 20-14 against them, the distance to the goal-line was 30 yards, and there was time for only one play. That play, a forward from Greenberg to Bernstein in the end zone, miraculously succeeded, and then, with the score tied, the try for a goal hit the cross-bar and bounded over for the extra point.

Seriously hurt in the game was Donald LaVine of Brooklyn, for whom Coach Kahler gave blood in a transfusion later in the evening. Although it has been the custom of the Freshmen to elect a captain at the end of a season, the squad unanimously elected LaVine their captain.

Again Greenberg and Bernstein, former Worcester Academy backs, were the stars as the Brown 1938 eleven defeated the State College yearling team, 14-0. For one touchdown Bernstein ran 46 yards, and he scored the other after forward passes had contributed substantially to a 56-yard advance.

Worcester Academy yielded a touchdown in the opening period and in the last, but in between times she ran through a Brown Freshman line for five touchdowns and won 31-13. Bernstein made both Brown scores in this game at Worcester November 3.

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League Competition in Soccer

BROWN booters had a chance to make 10 points toward a championship this season in the newly formed New England Intercollegiate Soccer League, in which she was a charter member, along with Harvard, Dartmouth, M. I. T., Springfield, Tufts, Massachusetts State, Amherst, Williams, and Wesleyan. Brown was scheduled to meet five of these colleges in varsity competition: Harvard, M. I. T., Dartmouth, Tufts, and Springfield. A victory over a league member counts two points, a tie game one, and a defeat nothing.

The season opened with an 8-0 trouncing of Clark, with Captain Tolman starring in goal and Read and Murray contributing most of the scoring points. On a wet field the team suffered a 2-0 defeat at Harvard hands, forcing the play into enemy territory only in the first period. Only Tolman's brilliant defense kept the score down thereafter. In a spectacular comeback against Yale, the Brunonians dominated the play and made their best record in several years at New Haven by earning a 1-1 tie. Yale's only score

came on an accidental goal by a Brown man, but the count was evened by a beautiful passing play in which Neubert and Wareham fed the ball to Murray for the kill. Two overtime periods failed to break the deadlock.

Brown took two points at M. I. T.'s expense by beating the Engineers 5-1 November 3 at Aldrich Field, although held scoreless for the first half. The Brunonian forwards split the Tech defense in the third period, though, to counter three times and put the game on ice. Murray, Knott, Read, Wareham, and Tuller all scored before Tech sank her only goal.

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Terms End for an Ideal Mayor

MAYOR FREDERICK A. JONES '96 of Cranston will retire to private life at the expiration of his present term at the end of this year. He refused to be a candidate for reelection despite pleas on every hand. He has made a noteworthy record as Mayor, as even his most partisan opponents will agree.

The Providence *Evening Bulletin* said editorially in praise of his regime: "He has balanced the city's budget, put an end to the pernicious practice of deliberately running operating deficits and of borrowing huge sums in anticipation of taxes and has enforced a reasonable economy both in current expenditures and in capital outlays. He has refused to play party politics—even when that refusal brought him into sharp conflict with his own party organization.

"In short, Mr. Jones has conducted his office as every Mayor's office should be conducted, and as very, very few are. He has inspired popular confidence by restoring municipal government in Cranston to a plane which it had not previously occupied in years."

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Not the Morro Castle

How would you feel the day after the Morro Castle burned if your own liner caught fire at sea? Walter J. Nelson '34 can tell you, for he was on board the S. S. Santa Rita of the Grace Line when her cargo started to blaze off Panama on September 9.

There was this difference: aboard the Santa Rita the fire was immediately discovered, there was no panic nor alarm although the fire continued to smoulder for some days, the crew was well drilled and efficient. It was Nelson's duty, as pianist in the ship's orchestra, to play during meals and other periods to keep the passengers calm. His routine went on as though nothing out of the ordinary was happening, and the only casualty aboard was to a stowaway who nearly suffocated when he was trapped in the hold with the fire.

Nelson is at the University of Maryland Dental School this year.

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Saw the Strike from the Air

Louis C. Horvath '25, on duty with the Aviation Corps, Connecticut National Guard, had something like six consecutive hours of flying during the recent textile strike in his State. He spotted so-called "flying squadrons" of strikers and reported their whereabouts, and the directions in which they were heading, to outposts on the ground.

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Books for the White House

Joseph L. Wheeler '06, librarian of the Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore, Md., was a member of the committee which selected 200 contemporary books that were presented to President Roosevelt on Oct. 23 to supplement the permanent library of the White House.

In the Letter Box

BRUNONIAN OXONIAN

FROM Owen F. Walker '33, now in his second year as Rhodes Scholar at Oxford, Dr. Barbour has received a letter from which the following excerpts have been taken. The President believes rightly that many of our alumni will be interested in it, for "Walker is a pretty good observer of conditions and events."

Walker is studying at Oriel College, and he speaks of a sincere admiration for his tutor, Dr. Stallybrass, a notable figure in Oxford life and in the legal world of England, author of the standard work on torts. Walker will take his examinations for his B.A. degree in June. He writes in part:

"Since coming here I have devoted myself to a study of English government. An absorbing study is out of the question as most of my time goes into my chosen study of law. However, that subject alone casts great light upon the internal organization of England. The manner of government is not apparently systematic or efficient judged from the point of view of technical means. Many old and varying institutions survive, but they fit their purpose well.

"Parliament still retains its excellence and the deliberations of that body are always interesting and enlightening. The present government is undoubtedly a good one and commands respect for its achievements, a balanced budget, a slowly quickening trade, a gradual absorption of unemployed give evidence of progress.

"But underneath it all there seems to be a gradual movement towards a more collectivist system. Taxes increase on the upper classes to benefit the poor. Industries have been more or less regimented into line and the Health Insurance, workmen's compensation acts, the unemployment insurance schemes work well and soundly. More than once I have heard from a reliable source that the elections of the next year will again return a national government, but that the election after that will find the nation in the hands of the Labour Party.

"That party has a fairly well defined program of action, involving the state control of industry. Much of its radicalism has been mitigated by an experience at Government. Its Socialist League division suffered rebuff after rebuff at the late party congress. Its chief problem is in the lack of good and effective leaders. Englishmen who are qualified to speak intelligently berate the lack of an effective opposition—to the party in power. Such lack of quality has not existed since the Napoleonic Wars. Then, too, the reminder of Disraeli's statement that England has never fared well under a coalition government is often pointed to.

"The government of the nation and its colonies is becoming the attention of the Oxford undergraduate. Many of them desire to spend their lives in the Colonial or Indian Civil Service. It is entirely a competitive examination system which governs entrance into these. The highest quality of men goes into the Indian Civil Service. It takes a first-class man from Oxford or Cambridge to make the grade, and firsts at Oxford are not many."

"SUPPOSITIONS, MERELY"

To the Editor:

SUPPOSE, on graduation, a class establish a fund of \$100.00 to be disposed of on its 50th reunion. Could it find a worthy outlet?

Suppose, on graduation, a class instructed its Secretary to print and distribute in leaflet form, on May 1st of each year, selected letters received from non-local members. Would it tend to unify the class?

Suppose a graduating class established a "Reunion Autograph Album" . . . names on the left, faced by yearly columns for signatures of those attending year by year. Would it revive old memories of the distant past?

Suppose the next graduating class establish an album, to be kept in the Library, wherein each class on its 50th reunion shall place the photograph of its most upstanding member, faced by a brief biography, a "Who's Who at Brown" album, a "Last Tribute" album or what you will . . . as a final expression of appreciation and esteem. Would it prove increasingly interesting as the years roll on?

Suppose the Alumni Association omitted from its yearly report the names of donors. Would it lessen the latent criticism of those not contributing?

Suppose said Association, in place of its expensive, tabulated form of report, published in leaflet the same class details in single line style. Could the Association's gift to the university be thereby increased?

Suppose the university abolish its athletic directorship, confine itself to intramural competition, concentrate on mental rather than on muscular training. Would "college education" be meaningless?

Suppose the university sent each graduate the yearly report of its treasurer, showing its itemized assets and liabilities. Would the welfare needs of the university have a more intimate appeal?

Suppose the university returned to the donating class the "recreation field" 12 miles away as foreign to the principles on which the university was founded, as opposed to the basic principles of a college education, as inconsistent with the economical trend of the times, as redolent of future upkeep charges and as utterly impracticable for the purposes designated in the gift. Would anyone care?

Suppose the university divorced the women's college and compelled the ladies to stand on their own. Would it improve the financial condition of the university as well as its standing among the educational institutions of the day?

Suppose the university, in view of the desecration of the flag at Amherst last year, require the Oath of Allegiance from each and all of its professorial and student bodies. Would American ideals be better protected?

JOHN P. KNOWLES, 1880.

St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 24, 1934.

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Directors of the Monthly

ELECTION of Directors to the Board occupied the attention of those at the adjourned annual meeting of the Brown Alumni Monthly, Inc., in Faunce House on October 18. The following were designated: Ivory Littlefield '09, Lawrence Lan-

pher '23, V. A. Schwartz '07, Louis B. Palmer '28, H. S. Chafee '09, Noel M. Field '26, Providence; Alexander Graham '06, New York; Edward Place '24, Boston. One vacancy will be filled later.

The by-laws of the Monthly were amended to include an additional office, that of assistant treasurer.

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Gentlemen of the Faculty

PROFESSOR EMERITUS EDMUND B. DELABARRE, on whom the Government of Portugal has bestowed the rank and title of Officer of the Military Order of San Thiago da Espada for his work with regard to early Portuguese exploration along the Atlantic Coast, was the guest of well known Portuguese-American leaders at a dinner in Providence last month.

Professor Leslie E. Swain of the Department of Physical Education is the new president of the Rhode Island Physical Education Association, having been elected at the annual meeting last month. The association is affiliated with the American Physical Education Association and has the same general purposes. Professor F. W. Marvel was the first president of the Rhode Island group.

Professor Walter H. Snell of the Department of Botany is chairman of the committee recently appointed to combat the Dutch elm disease in Rhode Island.

Dean R. G. D. Richardson of the Graduate School and chairman of the Department of Mathematics has been chosen a member of the visiting committee of the Mathematics Division of Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Professor Louis Landré of the Department of Romance Languages spoke on "Present French Policies" at the first meeting of the present academic year of the Sphinx Club at the University, Oct. 18. He voiced the opinion that there would be no European war in some time.

Professor William T. Hastings of the English Department is a contributing editor of the Bulletin of the Shakespeare Association of America. He had articles in the January and July numbers this year.

Professor Will S. Taylor of the Department of Art will be a visiting lecturer to the Vesper George School of Art, Boston, this year, speaking on modern murals in Europe and America.

Professor Lindsay T. Damon will be the delegate from the Brown branch when the American Association of University Professors holds its annual meeting in Philadelphia this month. Professor Leonard Carmichael is president of the Brown branch and Professor Harold Schlosberg secretary-treasurer.

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Addressed Alumni Council

ALFRED H. GURNEY, Alumni Secretary, early in October addressed members of the American Alumni Council at a meeting of District One (New England and Eastern Canada) held at Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt. His topic was "Problems of Alumni Co-operation." Stanton P. Nickerson, publicity officer, at the same time was in attendance at the conference of the New England section of the American College Publicity Association, held at Durham, N. H.

Activities of the Brown Clubs

New York

THE series of monthly dinners arranged by the Brown University Club in New York has got away to a good start. The first one, the pre-football dinner on the evening college opened, introduced J. W. Nutter '24, director of athletic publicity at Brown, as speaker. President Hunter S. Marston '08 was in the chair, and Supreme Court Justice James A. Dunne '98 was toastmaster.

Nutter gave a revealing and edifying talk on the 1934 football squad, showed moving pictures of the 1933 Brown-Yale game, and of the 1934 individual players, coaches and trainers. At the end of the program it was voted to make this dinner an annual one in September.

The second monthly dinner took place Wednesday, Oct. 24, with Dean Frank H. Sommer of New York University Law School as guest and speaker. Dean Sommer is an authority on public utility subjects, having written the New Jersey public utilities act when Woodrow Wilson was Governor. Because of the Federal Government's present attitude toward public utilities, Dean Sommer's talk was very enlightening for both consumer and investor. President Marston presided and Charles E. Hughes, Jr., '09 was toastmaster.

The November dinner, as before announced, was all arranged for Friday, the 9th, the eve of the Brown-Columbia football game.

The Club's squash tournament began Monday, Oct. 22, and a team of five to represent the Brown Club in the Metropolitan Squash Racquets Association was to be selected after the finals. Among the competitors are A. H. Benjamin, Jr., '35, Hugh S. Butler '32, G. R. Coughlan, Jr., '31, J. M. Curtis '30, A. I. Gilbert '26, G. S. Goodspeed '14, E. G. Hapgood, Jr., '31, W. T. Hoyt '28, W. B. Leonard '31, George Lysle '28, J. N. Micucci '31, Paul D. O'Brien '27, F. H. Rohlf's '26, D. H. Scott '32, A. B. Sikes '23, A. H. Sinauer '29, Richard Small '32, and E. T. Throop, Jr., '28. Indications point to a strong Class C team this season.

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Brown Engineers

THE Brown Engineering Association is pointing the way these days to all Brown Clubs by its activity. The annual Providence meeting of the association took place Saturday, Oct. 27, the day of the Brown-Syracuse game. Many of the engineers went to the game; others visited the campus to look over old scenes and meet members of the Division of Engineering who could not get out to Brown Field. In the evening the whole crowd gathered at the Brown Outing Reservation in Greenville to hear Professor Zenas R. Bliss '18, navigator on the Rainbow during the America's Cup races, give his thrilling talk on cup yachts in general and the cup races in particular. Professor W. H. Kenerson was in charge of the arrangements, working with President Wayne M. Faunce '21 and Secretary Charles G. Burgess '24 of the Engineering Association.

On Tuesday, Oct. 30, the engineers got together at the Hotel Wentworth, New

York City, to hear Herbert M. Knight, engineer with the Maryland Casualty Company, tell of some of the interesting phases of construction and bonding work. Mr. Knight is native of Providence and has many Brown men among his acquaintances. A dinner preceded the meeting.



A PRESIDENTIAL VISIT
Henry S. Chafee, head of the Associated Alumni, who met with the Chicago Brown Club

Alumni Visitors

MOST guests who bring news of Brown to alumni in distant cities are members of the Administration, but sometimes it is alumni laymen who supplement this liaison work. A recent visitor to Chicago was the President of the Associated Alumni, Henry S. Chafee '09, who hoped to meet with the Brown Club there during the week of October 28. When Sidney Clifford '15, Vice President of the Rhode Island Region, went to Cleveland a few days before that, he was the guest of the Brown Club of that city.

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Boston

THE holiday and certain unforeseen influences combined to have a poor effect on the attendance at the smoker given by the Brown Club of Boston in the Swiss Room of the Copley Plaza, Friday, Oct. 12, the night before the Brown-Harvard football game. Yet the small number of alumni present gave good account of themselves in singing and cheering, and the committee led by Edward Place '24 put on a pleasing program.

The guests were William J. Bingham, director of athletics at Harvard, Coaches D. O. McLaughry and Paul H. Hodge '28 of the Brown squad, and a group of radio stars rounded up by Linus Travers '27. The Alumni Secretary was also on hand, and he can testify to a delightful evening which many alumni in Boston and neighborhood may well regret that they missed.

President Claude R. Branch '07 introduced the speakers; Roy W. Leith '12 led the cheers and songs; and George L. Parker '96 was at the piano. A strong, experienced combination, and each one played his part in true Brown fashion. Everybody missed Bill Sykes '21, whose death four days before the smoker, was a shock to his friends and acquaintances in Boston.

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New England Vice President

ROY W. LEITH '12 of Boston was elected Vice President of the New England Region of the Associated Alumni to fill the office left vacant by the death of R. G. Sykes '21. Mr. Leith was also elected a member of the Executive Committee and will serve with that body.

Wardwell C. Leonard '18 of New Bedford has resigned from the Executive Committee after faithful and useful service thereon, and the Committee read his note of resignation with regret at the October meeting.

Professor Zenas R. Bliss has been appointed Faculty member of the Board of Directors for one year.

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New Haven

THE Brown Club of New Haven paid honor to Dr. F. W. Marvel as the dean of athletic directors by a dinner at the Hotel Taft, New Haven, the night before the Brown-Yale football game. The dinner was really a Brown-Wesleyan-Yale affair, carried out in fine style by the committee, aided and abetted by Louis F. Horvath, honorary member of the Club and assistant manager of the Taft.

From Wesleyan, where Dr. Marvel was in charge of physical education before he returned to Brown, came Dr. Edgar J. Fauver, successor to Dr. Marvel, and Professor Frederick Slocum '95, one of Dr. Marvel's college friends. Malcolm Farmer, director of athletics at Yale, represented his University; and Hubert M. Sedgwick, dean of New Haven newspapermen, former Yale athletic sports writer and a chum of Dr. Marvel's at Worcester Academy, spoke for college men in general. Also present from Brown were former Dean Otis E. Randall, a great favorite with the New Haven alumni, and A. H. Gurney, Alumni Secretary. Rev. B. Malcolm Harris '13 was the concise and humorous master of ceremonies, and song leader.

Porter Wood '76 of Seymour, Conn., one of Brown's oldest living graduates, won a hearty cheer when he sang an old Brown song, and there was genuine interest in what Dr. Marvel, Dr. Fauver, Mr. Farmer, and Mr. Sedgwick said about athletics, and relationships among Brown, Yale and Wesleyan. Professor Slocum recalled his college associations with Dr. Marvel, and Dean Randall praised the conduct of Brown athletics under Dr. Marvel's guiding hand. Mr. Sedgwick told of school days at Worcester Academy, and the Alumni Secretary tried to fill in for Coach McLaughry with comment on the make-up of the football team.

The dinner, which brought about 50 alumni together, was the result of active work on the part of A. L. Breckenridge '11, president of the Club, C. F. Andrews '26, V. A. Hedberg, Jr., '22, Walter V. Brown '27, Louis C. Horvath '25, Henry H. Buchholz '25, and others.

Brunonians Far and Near

BY A. H. GURNEY

1871

Arthur H. Armington, Past Grand Master of Masons in Rhode Island, received a 50-year pin at the annual medal night of What Cheer Lodge, No. 21, F. & A. M., in Providence last month. President Clarence A. Barbour was the principal speaker at the meeting. Armington has been a Mason for 56 years. His only senior is Dr. George B. Peck '64, who has been a member of the fraternity for 67 years.

1876

Porter L. Wood of Seymour, Conn., was the dean of alumni present at the testimonial dinner given by the Brown Club of New Haven at the Hotel Taft Friday evening, Oct. 19, in honor of Dr. F. W. Marvel '94, graduate director of athletics and dean of athletic directors in the United States. Wood spoke briefly, and also sang an old Brown song for the entertainment of his fellows.

1878

Rev. Charles J. Staples, retiring as pastor of the Unitarian Church, Northbridge, Mass., after a pastorate of 13 years and after having been active in the ministry for 52 years, was the guest with Mrs. Staples and their daughter, Miss Priscilla Staples, at a farewell reception previous to his retirement October 1. His parishioners gave him a hand-wrought silver bowl, suitably inscribed; and Mrs. Staples and Miss Staples received bouquets of flowers. He and Mrs. Staples are now living in Westboro, Mass. It is of interest to note that Staples's father, Rev. Carlton A. Staples, was a minister of the gospel for 50 years. Thus father and son covered a century in the ministry, an unusual record.

Robert Alexander and his family are living at 6724 Parmalee Avenue, Los Angeles. Alexander, we understand, is confined to his house by illness. He would like to hear from any of his classmates and former companions at Brown.

1884

William A. Viall has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his wife, who died in Providence, Sept. 30, 1934, after an illness of nearly three weeks. Mrs. Viall, who was a native of Medina, O., was an active member of Grace Episcopal Church, and took a leading part in the charitable and welfare work of the church. She also did a great deal to develop and maintain St. Elizabeth's Home on a sound basis. One of her daughters is the wife of C. Gordon MacLeod '15.

1891

Frank D. Lisle's daughter, Miss Frances Weld Lisle, was married to William Barkly Wallace in Providence, Oct. 12, 1934.

Edward Bailey Birge of the Faculty of the University of Indiana was the Brown representative at the centennial anniversary of Franklin College, Franklin, Ind., Oct. 17. Dean Charles W. Gilkey '28, honorary, of the University of Chicago was a speaker at the centennial convocation.

1893

Archibald C. Matteson's daughter, Miss Jane Matteson, is a Junior at the University of Wyoming this year, with geology as her special subject. She has been a student at Bryn Mawr for the past two years.

William J. Brown and Mrs. Brown have

changed their residence to 52 Olive Street, Providence.

Thomas P. Corcoran has been reappointed by the Rhode Island Supreme Court a member of the committee on claims for the term ending October, 1937.

1894

Henry M. Barry is associated with Norman S. Case '08 as Case's personal assistant as a member of the Federal Communications Commission. "In this altogether happy relationship," Barry wrote not long ago, "I find myself participating in what virtually amounts to a homecoming for me, for thereby I am renewing many pleasant associations with Rhode Island folk, temporarily suspended some years ago when the interests of 'constituents' across the Connecticut line became paramount considerations." Barry refers to the years he served former Senator Hiram Bingham of Connecticut as secretary and office director.

William W. Moss's daughter, Miss Mary Louise Moss, and Donald P. Tucker were married at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Moss in Uxbridge, Mass., Oct. 20, 1934. Miss Alice Washburn Moss was her sister's maid of honor, and the ushers included Peyton H. Moss '36 and W. W. Moss, Jr., '37.

1896

John B. Edwards is chairman of the Board of Governors of Lincoln University, and is also on the board of the St. Louis Public Library. He continues the practice of law at 1001 Mississippi Valley Trust Building, 506 Olive Street, St. Louis.

Rev. Harry S. Mabie has begun his fifth year as pastor of the East Baptist Church, Lebanon, O.

Dr. George A. Matteson and his family are back at 522 Elizabeth Road, San Antonio, Texas, after having spent the summer at their house on Hammond Hill in South County, R. I.

Leon H. Denison's youngest son, Leon, Jr., is a member of the Freshman Class at Brown. He prepared for college at Deerfield Academy.

1897

Congressman Charles D. Millard was a candidate for re-election from the 25th New York District on the Republican ticket. He has been in Congress since 1930.

Paul R. Bullard of Keene, N. H., where one of his numerous interests is a feldspar mine, which he controls and manages, is a member of the code authority for the feldspar industry, and as such is spending considerable of his time in Washington nowadays.

Dr. John Harrington Cox has retired from West Virginia University after a service of 32 years with the title of Professor Emeritus of English Philology. He is living and working at his home, The Hedges, 34 Campus Driveway, Morgantown, W. Va.

1898

Dr. Thomas J. Burrage, Colonel, Medical Reserve Corps, U.S.A., was recently elected president of the Maine Department Reserve Officers' Association.

Thomas E. Steere has been re-elected a director of the Providence Athenæum.

1899

Edward A. Stockwell has begun another term as treasurer of the Providence Athenæum, having been re-elected at the last annual meeting.

Rev. Antonio Mangano, D.D., celebrated the 30th anniversary of his entrance into the Christian ministry in connection with a similar anniversary of the First Italian Baptist Church in Brooklyn, N. Y., last month. Mangano has been pastor of the church since 1931. Among those taking part in the celebration, which lasted a week, were Rev. Harry Emerson Fosdick, D.D., '19, honorary, Dr. Frank A. Smith, Secretary of Missions and Education in the United States, and Rev. Dr. Russell M. Brougher of the Long Island Baptist Association.

1900

George L. Hunt gave the report on "Selection of Judges" at the annual meeting of the Vermont Bar Association in his home city of Montpelier, Oct. 3.

1901

Edwin Farnham Greene's new house address is 30 Sutton Place, Apt. 9A, New York City.

Colonel G. A. Taylor, U.S.A., retired, recently showed and personally handled in the ring two of his English setters at the Eastern States Exposition, Springfield, Mass. Lake Ridge Dictator, son of Champion Gilroy's Chase, and Wynkyn's Countess Walewska, named for the Polish mother of Napoleon's adult son, took four blue ribbons in their classes—winner's, reserve winner's, and two firsts. The Jewett Farm poultry, from Colonel Taylor's place at Old Hadley, took three blues and a red at the Three-County Fair in Northampton.

1902

Alfred G. Chaffee was a candidate for re-election as State Senator from Scituate on the Republican ticket as this issue of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY was on its way to the printer. The Democrats were making strenuous effort to defeat him, as well as other senatorial candidates from the small towns of Rhode Island, in hope of strengthening their position in the State Senate.

Earl N. Manchester, librarian of Ohio State University, came back to the campus to attend the opening of college and to visit old friends as well as to see that his son, John W. Manchester, was properly started on his Sophomore year.

Winfield H. Dennett is manager of the finishing department of the Palmer Mill of the Otis Company, Three Rivers, Mass.

1903

Clarence C. Gleason, who was in ill health for several months, was feeling himself again this fall and is back on the job with the Puritan Life Insurance Company in Providence.

1904

Rev. James M. Lent's daughter, Miss Barbara Brainard Lent, and Earle T. Bears of Attleboro, Mass., were married at the home of the Lents in Providence, Oct. 19, 1934.

Harry W. Hastings, Professor of English at the Albany State Teachers College, was

the Brown representative at the inauguration of Dr. Dixon Ryan Fox as president of Union College, Schenectady, N. Y., last month.

An appreciation of the late Major Henry W. Stiness, U.S.A., by William Sandager, assistant clerk of the Rhode Island Supreme Court, was read with interest and approval by a great many Brown men when it was printed in the *Providence Evening Bulletin* some weeks ago. Major Stiness, member of the Class of 1902, will be recalled by most of the '04 men.

Edward P. Taft's son, Edward, Jr., is a regular end on the Brown football eleven this season. He developed rapidly in the preliminary games and started against both Harvard and Yale.

1905

Arthur R. Brown, whose son Harold is in the Freshman Class at Brown, is a structural engineer with the Veterans Administration, Arlington Building, Washington. He came to Providence with his son just before college opened, called up David Davidson—and the result was that some of the '05 men got together with him for a pleasant reunion.

Rev. George D. Allison, D.D., pastor of the First Baptist Church, Willmette, Ill., had an article on "Ocean Park Summer School" in a recent issue of *The Watchman-Examiner*. The school, which is at Ocean Park, Me., is one, he says, "of which Baptists may well be proud." And he thought it a high privilege to speak every day while he was at the school to "such a host of Christian youth."

Frederick E. Hawkins is serving as assistant principal of the Central Evening High School, Providence.

George Bullock's son Brenton is a member of the Freshman Class on the Hill and is also on the Freshman football squad.

1906

Walter Angell's son, Everett L. Angell '33, and Miss Elizabeth Tillinghast of Providence have become engaged, according to the Providence papers. Young Angell is with the Narragansett Electric Company.

1907

Leonard S. Little, president of United States Finishing Company, and Mrs. Little have changed their residence to 1424 Narragansett Boulevard, Edgewood, R. I.

William F. Huntley's house address is 50 Chester Street, Boston, Mass. Bill is practising law with Harold F. Hathaway at 11 Pemberton Square, Boston. His son Philip is nearly ready for college.

Rev. and Mrs. Merrick L. Streeter have returned to their mission station in Tavoy, Burma, where they have served for 22 years. They have been home for the past year and a half on furlough. They have left behind two daughters, one in Pembroke College and one in a missionary school in Ohio. Before they left they were guests at a farewell service at Broadway Baptist Church, Providence, and their fellow parishioners gave them an all-wave, world radio set for their use in Burma.

Rev. Oscar Maddaus, minister of the Reformed Church, North Hempstead, N. Y., was a Rhode Island visitor last month, coming to Woonsocket to take part in an anniversary service at the Presbyterian Church of which he was former pastor. He stopped in Providence to come up the Hill to see an undergraduate from his parish as well as Al Gurney at the Alumni Office. In recent weeks he has been travel-

ing in the Middle West, holding conferences with local ministers as representative of the Presbyterian Synod.

Once again the Class takes a modest bow for making a record. The Brown publicity office said in its news release last month that "honors for sending back the most sons to Brown go to the class of 1907, which sent five Freshmen." The five are George C. Bright (he is Bill Bright's second son to enter Brown); Alfred W. Dickinson; Myles L. Grover; Samuel C. Hall (son of Willard B. Hall, a special student in 1903); and George C. Slade.

Dr. Asa Sheldon Briggs's daughter, Miss Janet Louise Briggs, and Frederick Boyd Guild were married in Providence, Oct. 24. Asa's son Sheldon is doing well as a member of the Class of 1937 on the Hill.

1908

Percy A. Shaw, superintendent of the Manchester, N. H., Water Department, has been named a member of the board of directors of the New England Water Works Association. His son is a Freshman at Brown.

Harry A. Jager, principal of Hope Street High School, has begun his third year as chairman of the Rhode Island State Principals' Athletic Committee, which controls all organized school athletics in the State.

F. I. Chichester, who has a son in the Freshman Class on the Hill, has removed his family from Chicago to 53 Annawamscutt Road, West Barrington, R. I. Chick is a district distributor of Pyroil, with his office at 174 Richmond Street, Providence.

When former Governor Norman S. Case of the Federal Communications Commission was interviewed over an NBC hook-up one night in September, he received a great introduction from Martin Codel, publisher, who did the interviewing. Mr. Codel, who asked Case about the telephone end of communications—Case is a member of the Telephone Division—spoke of President Roosevelt's high regard for the Governor "both as a man and as a public official," and went on:

"One needs to spend only a short time with Governor Case to be impressed with his quality of mind and his statesmanlike outlook. Indeed, his record not only bespeaks the statesman, but his tall, powerful frame, his keen eyes, his greying hairs and moustache and his frank manner of speech impress you with the feeling that here is the finest type of American public servant. I may say with no disrespect intended that Governor Case could readily be cast by any motion picture director for the part of a Governor or a diplomat or a high Government official, for he even looks the part."

Leon E. Varnum is teacher of physics in the Lincoln High School, Jersey City, N. J., and lives at 286 Sherman Avenue, Teaneck, N. J. He has two sons, Alden and Richard, who are about ready for college.

Nathan Sternsher was the Democratic candidate for office of District Attorney for the southern district of Massachusetts in the recent election. He had no opposition in the primary, and he made a strong campaign. The political district includes Bristol, Barnstable, Dukes and Nantucket Counties, a large and difficult territory to cover.

1909

William Davis Miller was elected a director of the Providence Athenaeum at the 1934 annual meeting in September.

W. Washington Dove's wife, Mrs. May Idell (Broga) Dove, died in Providence, Sept. 23, 1934, after a short illness. She was the mother of Wallace B. K. Dove '20.

Don Clark, president of the National Association of Purchasing Agents, was guest at a testimonial dinner given him by the Rhode Island Purchasing Agents' Association, of which he is a past president, at the Narragansett Hotel, Providence, Oct. 22. Professor James P. Adams represented Brown, and other Brown men at the head table were Ernest I. Kilcup '12, Alfred B. Lemon '13, and Harry A. Hughes '17, who was soloist of the evening.

1910

Daniel W. Abercrombie is with the Equitable Life Assurance Society, Room 3211, 120 Broadway, New York City. There are two other Brown men in the same office, Richard D. Heins '28 and W. H. Schofield '24.

1911

Wendell S. Brown has been elected a director of the Edgewood Yacht Club, Edgewood, R. I.

1912

Capt. Wiley H. Marble has been acting as camp commander at Camp Weeks, CCC, Putnamville, Vt. "The officers up here are ambitious," he said in a recent letter. "They want to organize a football team. I suggested touch football, and several were insulted. . . . At times it is foolish to try and conceal your age." Wiley is coming back to Worcester two week-ends this month to referee Holy Cross Freshman football games.

Preston H. Hood is taking an active part in arranging the program of the Fall River, Mass., Civic Forum, which is bringing a prominent speaker to the city once a week this fall and winter.

Hoey Hennessy is editor of the *Bulletin* of the Brown University Club in New York. He's also reporter and make-up man, we understand, and he is doing a fine job in all three roles.

Willard B. Anthony was elected standard bearer at the annual conclave of Calvary Commandery, No. 13, Knights Templar, in Providence late in September. The Commandery, one of the largest in Massachusetts and Rhode Island, will observe its 75th anniversary this month.

1913

Alfred B. Lemon was re-elected last month chairman of the Providence Republican City Committee to serve his fourth full term.

Edward A. C. Murphy's correct mail address is Miller Place, L. I., N. Y. Report is that Ed has retired from the Faculty of Westfield, N. J., High School.

William J. Reed has been recuperating at his home, Warwick Neck, R. I., after an emergency operation for appendicitis. He is planning to spend the winter in Providence.

1914

Walter Deady, Jr., is head of the firm of Deady & Prinzing, accountants and auditors, at 110 East 42nd Street, New York City.

Robert S. Holding's mother, Mrs. Mary Dunn Holding, died in Providence, Oct. 2, 1934. Another son was the late Franklin Holding, who had an international reputation as a violinist.

Arthur (Doc) Durgin's son, Bill, is a member of the Freshman football squad at Brown.

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W. F. (Chink) Tewhill's football team, representing the Horace Mann School for Boys, scored a noteworthy triumph last month by defeating Lawrenceville by two touchdowns. Caswell Adams, sports writer on the *New York Herald-Tribune*, spoke of "Ump" Tewhill in his story, which nickname may be up to date, but which doesn't sound just right to these old ears.

1915

John S. Roney has resigned as president of Rogreen Publications, Inc., publishers of *The Executive Purchaser* and gone back to his old job as Cleveland representative of *News-Week, Inc.*, the well-known weekly magazine, with his offices at 1050 Hanna Building, Cleveland. John is a resident of Shaker Heights, 3591 Lytle Road.

Ralph B. Graham and his family have changed their residence to 133 Cole Avenue, Providence.

Edgar J. (Spike) Staff is the new junior vice commander of Providence Post, No. 1, American Legion.

Professor Samuel Rogers, Mrs. Rogers and their three children, together with Miss Patsy Richmond of Providence, sailed late in September for France, where they plan to remain for the winter. Rogers, on leave from the University of Wisconsin, will spend much of his time studying contemporary French literature and maybe plotting out a novel or two. His "Dusk at the Grove," the *Atlantic Monthly* prize winner, is right up among the best sellers.

1916

Jesse M. Bailey is the new president and treasurer of the Alling Rubber Company, which operates a chain of stores in Connecticut and Massachusetts, selling rubber and sporting goods and radio and motor car supplies. Bailey has been with the company since graduation. Most of his time has been spent in the Hartford store, the headquarters of the chain. During his years in Hartford he has been active in Brown alumni affairs, in the Kiwanis and Advertising Clubs and in the Boy Scouts of America.

Major William Curtis Chase is enrolled as a student at the Army War College, Washington, D. C., where he will remain for the year's course. He's been on duty at Fort Stotsenburg and Manila, Philippine Islands, for the past three years.

Professor Bancroft H. Brown of the Dartmouth Faculty is the new secretary of the Dartmouth College Athletic Council, chairman of the finance committee of the Council and also a member of the advisory committee.

George H. Wood reports a change of mail address to Valentine Circle, Box 414, Apponaug, R. I.

1917

Jack Hall has put on a uniform again and is Provost Marshal of the 6th District, CCC, with his headquarters at Camp Greene, near Montpelier, Vt.

C. Bird Keach is Captain General of Calvary Commandery, Knights Templar, of Providence, and will have an important part in the celebration of the 75th anniversary of the Commandery this month. The celebration will last three days, beginning Sunday, Nov. 18.

Ralph A. Armstrong is serving his second year as a member of the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni which meets monthly in Providence. His brother Stephen is a member of the Brown football squad. Ralph is still on the job as associate

counsel with the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, Springfield.

1918

J. Harold (Jimmy) Williams, head of Narragansett Council, Boy Scouts of America, is back on the job after a much-needed vacation. He is directing about 6,000 scouts, and it's real work. His board of directors urged him to slow down for a while. He did, and now he is going strong again, as snappy and as smiling as ever.

Lieut. Col. Peter L. Cannon was an aide to the Chief Marshal of the annual Holy Name parade in Providence, Sunday, Sept. 23.

Walter R. McGinn, who received his LL.B. from Harvard in 1933, is associate counsel for the Veterans Charitable Legal Association, Inc., 619 Washington Street, Room 506, Boston. Walter was ill in veterans hospitals in Massachusetts from 1922 to 1931.

When we spoke of John M. Dowe's candidacy for Congress from the Second Connecticut District last month the editor gave him the wrong numeral. We apologize to him and 1918.

1919

William H. Edwards has been re-elected a director of the Providence Athenaeum.

Ernest L. Sperry, who left college in Junior year to enlist in the United States Army, is division transmission engineer with the southern division of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Company, with his headquarters in Providence. He and his growing family (two boys and two girls) live at 83 Wilbur avenue, Oaklawn, R. I. Clinton, the oldest boy, will be ready for college in about four years.

1920

Dr. Marshall N. Fulton, Secretary of the Rhode Island Committee on Rhodes Scholarships, talked on Oxford student life before a group of students and Faculty members one night this fall.

1921

Roger P. Jenks, auditor with the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company, recently transferred his headquarters from New York to Park Square Building, Boston.

Stanton Smith is sales manager for the Anchor Webbing Company, Pawtucket.

Lawrence R. Foote represented Brown at the inauguration of Dr. Gordon K. Chalmers '25 as president of Rockford College, Rockford, Ill., Oct. 10. President Barbour, unable to attend in person, designated Foote as his and Brown's delegate.

Professor Knowlton M. Woodin of the Department of Biology at Norwich University was the Brown representative at the inauguration of Porter H. Adams as president of Norwich, Oct. 22.

Playing under the name of Allan Tower, John Coggeshall will be back on Broadway again this winter after a season of summer stock at the Griswold Playhouse, New London. While he has played stock as leading man in Pittsburgh and a number of other cities, he was with Mrs. Patrick Campbell in "The Sex Fable," with Florence Reed in "Criminal at Large" and played Providence in "The Dark Tower." One of his best parts was that of Chico in the road company of "Seventh Heaven."

1922

Alden Chesebro is a member of the sales staff of Foss-Hughes Company of Rhode Island, agent for Pierce-Arrow and Studebaker motor cars.

Carl Taber is with the DuPont Rayon Company with his office in the Empire State Building. He lives at 50 East 39th Street, New York City.

John R. Stevens and his family have gone back to Columbus, Ga., where John is again managing the J. W. Schuessler department store. His house is at 2105 Wynnton Drive. John spent the summer in the North and wanted to stay in this part of the country if possible. But he likes Columbus, and he said a while ago that Dixieland and a job looked a lot better than New England and nothing to do.

Henry G. T. Langdon is working with the Maryland State Forestry Service in Little Orleans, Md., and is making that town his home.

Edward W. Day's father, Edward J. Day, well-known resident of Cranston, R. I., died Oct. 16, 1934. Ed has the sympathy of the Class in his loss.

It's Professor Lawrence Whitcomb now, Larry having been promoted to Assistant Professor of Geology at Lehigh by the trustees of the University last month. He and Mrs. Whitcomb are living at 431 Washington Avenue, Bethlehem, Pa.

1923

W. C. (Bill) Roux is now responsible for all advertising of the National Broadcasting Company. He joined NBC about two years ago to direct the work of consolidating the sales promotion activities of the company's owned and operated stations, and he did such a thorough job that he received appointment as advertising manager. He's been in advertising work ever since he left Brown.

Bob Litchfield is acting as business manager (in his spare time) of the Grid-Gramme Publishing Company, which syndicates football programs to leading colleges. (Brown went on the list this fall.) Bob's chief work is with the Graybar Electric Company at 327 Northwest Street, Syracuse, N. Y.

Clarence E. Bennett is Assistant Professor of Physics in charge of elementary physics at the University of Maine, Orono. He went to Orono this fall after having taught for three years at M. I. T.

Arthur S. Hanson, who spent his Junior year with the Class at Brown and then took his A.B. at Columbia in 1923, reports that he is an engineer with the Fidelity Appraisal Company, 310 Citizens Building, Cleveland, O. He was married July 6, 1934, to Miss Ruth A. Dittman.

Fred Sweet, Assistant Professor of German at Beloit College, Beloit, Wis., received his Ph.D. "with most honorable mention" from the University of Strassbourg, France, last spring.

Roland Saacke is a partner in a Providence concern offering counsel to inventors with regard to patents and promotion. "Roy" has been far from unsuccessful in his own right as an inventor, perhaps his best known patent being that for the Plymouth and Chrysler type of automobile ventilation.

1924

Allan MacKille is with the Shell Eastern Petroleum Products Corporation in Brooklyn, N. Y., we hear.

Stanley Robinson is manager of the Montgomery Ward & Co. retail store in Marysville, Calif., with tires as his special department. He and Mrs. Robinson live at 819 Olive Street, Yuba City, Calif.

Dr. Robert (Dick) Mazet, Jr., is a practicing physician at 120 East 75th Street, New York City, but he still claims Plandome, L. I., as his home town.

Harold Moore, member of the sales staff of the General Electric Company, and Mrs. Moore are occupying their new apartment at 4301 Chestnut Street, Philadelphia.

Phil Saunders, Jr., is a certified public accountant at One Federal Street, Boston, and is living at 235 Rawson Road, Brookline, Mass.

Jack Lubrano was in charge of playground activities in Cranston, R. I., again last summer.

1925

Evan Fellman, reporting the arrival of a second daughter, Margaret, says that he is "still at it down here in Memphis with E. L. Bruce Company, world's largest manufacturer of hardwood floorings, as manager of the Terminix Division. Things are going nicely but my big handicap is that Brown men are few and far between in this section. However, on a trip through the East last month I did manage to see my old buddies, 'Duffy' Myers and 'Chick' Cuddeback in Philadelphia and New York, respectively. 'Duffy' had plenty of beer on tap and 'Chick' was wearing a black derby."

Hal Neubauer, New England district sales manager for the Fleischmann Distilling Sales Corporation, is living with his family at Governor Long and Otis Roads, Hingham, Mass.

A fine letter from Jack Foley a short time ago recorded the fact that Jack and Dick Cowell had got together for dinner one evening and talked over old times. "Our first meeting since we left the Hill in '25," wrote Jack. "Dick is with the Curtis Publishing Company, has a youngster 20 months old, and lives at 906 Anderson Avenue, Drexel Hill, Pa."

John Wachter's new house address is 24 Remsen Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

C. C. (Cike) Johnson, who is in the drug business with his father in Point Pleasant, N. J., was a campus visitor one afternoon last month on his way home from a visit with friends in Derry, N. H. As a member of the Point Pleasant First Aid and Emergency Squad, he was one of the first on the

scene at the time of the Morro Castle disaster, and he has vivid recollections of that catastrophe.

Bob Rockefeller, with the Bankers Trust Company at 16 Wall Street, is living at 25 East 10th Street, New York City.

Gordon Chalmers became president of Rockford College, Rockford, Ill., on Oct. 10. He's one of the country's youngest college heads, his 31st birthday coming next February. His inaugural address dealt with the importance of education "in fitting men and women for happy lives in a turbulent world" and was a vigorous and chastening piece of writing.

Easton Louttit and his brother Robley '32, who own a farm and camp in West Greenwich, R. I., suspected a water snake of killing their baby ducks and geese. They trapped the snake on a week-end in the country, then opened it to see if there were any signs of ducklings in its stomach. They found the snake was carrying a family of 36 little snakes, all alive, enclosed in a sort of sausage-skin bag, each separated from the next by a kind of knot.

Charles H. Morhouse, Lt., M.C., followed the legendary example of General Sheridan when the textile strike broke out this fall. "Ty" was 27 miles away from his barracks at the time and had to ride his "trusty mount" back posthaste, he writes. He is now assigned to Plattsburg Barracks, N. Y., having been transferred from Fort Sam Houston, a change of the earlier orders that would have put him on transport duty. Since Plattsburg is only 70 miles north of his home town, Ticonderoga, he is now able to have an occasional week-end in the surroundings that gave him his nickname. A recent letter expressed the hope that he would reach Providence for the Colgate game.

1926

Ernie Intlehouse keeps moving. He recently transferred from New Orleans, La., to San Francisco, Calif., where he is supervisor of the Western division of the American National Insurance Company, with his offices in the Pacific National Bank Building, Suite 902. Mrs. Intlehouse and Nancy Jo Intlehouse came East to spend the summer in the White Mountains.

Al Rafuse, with the W. T. Grant Company, is seeing a lot of the Middle West. It's hard to keep up with his moves, but for the present we have him located as manager of the Grant store, 701 Broadway, Gary, Ind.

Rev. George P. Helliwell is minister of the Congregational Church in Canova, South Dakota.

Maurice McPeck is a member of the sales staff of Canada Dry Ginger Ale Company in the Providence territory.

Mark Coles, with the New Jersey Bell Telephone Company, reports that he and his family have changed their address to 12 Washington Terrace, East Orange, N. J.

Mark Jacobson is Professor of Law at the New Jersey Law School, Newark, N. J.

Wes Wright, who spent the summer months in South County, Rhode Island, on furlough, is now back in the Orient with the Union Carbide & Carbon Company.

Arthur Hassell, mustered with the National Guard during the textile strike in Rhode Island, was kept busy in intelligence work during those exciting days.

1927

Dr. Anton P. Randozzo recently opened an office in Garfield, N. J., where he meets patients at certain hours daily and by appointment. His main office continues to be at 82 Prospect Street, Passaic, where he is on the surgical staff of St. Mary's Hospital and on the courtesy staffs of the Passaic General Hospital, Hackensack Hospital, and Beth Israel Hospital.

George Douglass's new address is reported to be 95 North Adams Street, Manchester, N. H. Maybe George will write to tell us (if he sees or hears of this item) what he is doing in the heart of the Dartmouth country.

Isador Korn is president of the Jewish Centre Men's Association, Providence, and is planning to put on a busy program for the season at hand.

Arthur Barry, Jr.'s, new mail address is Box 401, Middleburgh, N. Y.

Dr. Walter P. Gage is a practicing physician with his office at 611 West 110th Street, New York City.

Harry Remington is going right up in the insurance world. With his old partner, M. Milton Sobel, he has just become associate manager of the Berkshire Life Insurance Agency at 1200 Lincoln-Liberty Building, Broad and Chestnut Streets, Philadelphia. "Remington and Sobel will have charge of recruiting and agency building," said *The Spectator*, a life insurance journal in its issue of October 4. "In their first year in the business (1928) both men paid for \$250,000 each in personal production. Their work caused their election as vice presidents of the Mellor agency. When Sigourney Mellor resigned his Home Life general agency several years ago, Sobel and Remington remained with the company and were active in the agency management work."

Walter V. Brown and Mrs. Brown have changed their residence from Madison to 1523 Chapel Street, New Haven, Conn.

Fred McGrath, whose marriage is reported in another column, is a commercial artist at 33 Franklin Place, Morris Plains, N. J.

Arthur L. Lawrence, who was a yachting writer for the *Providence Journal* during the summer, is teaching this term at Newton, Mass.



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1928

Bartlett Page is a member of the teaching staff of Riverdale Country School, Riverdale-on-Hudson, N. Y.

George Merchant is now with the New York office of Scudder, Stevens & Clark, investments, One Wall Street, after having been with the same firm in Boston for some time.

Dr. M. L. Palmieri has opened an office for the practice of medicine at 1985 Smith Street, Centredale, R. I.

Wilbur J. Rook is teaching social studies in the Junior High School, Mattapoisett, Mass.

Harrison Bullard recently became assistant advertising manager of the National Broadcasting Company, with which he has been connected as a member of the research staff. His boss is W. C. Roux '23, also a member of Sigma Nu.

John Hamilton's new house address is 605 South Norton Avenue, Los Angeles, Calif. John is still doing marketing research work and trying to keep an eye on his side partner, Cowboy Mann. In a recent letter he spoke of the ALUMNI MONTHLY as "one of the most interesting and useful instruments of the University. . . . Here it is always avidly read."

Earle Leach and Mrs. Leach of Baldwin, N. Y., have the full sympathy of the Class in the loss of their infant daughter, Carolyn S. Leach, who was born Sept. 30, and died Oct. 12, 1934.

Win Schuster was again in the race as candidate for Governor's councilor on the Republican ticket in Massachusetts as this issue of the ALUMNI MONTHLY was on its way to the printer. Win was named to the Governor's Council to fill the unexpired term of his late father, Walter E. Schuster. Then he won a term on his merit. He's running the Schuster mills in East Douglas and scouting for good Brown material in his sector.

Loring Litchfield has changed his house address to 31 Ogden Street, Providence.

Dr. John R. Hopkins is a junior assistant physician on the staff of the State Infirmary, Tewksbury, Mass.

Fred Knight came to the Brown Stadium as a sports writer for the Associated Press this fall, having had headquarters in Boston since leaving the *Evening Bulletin* in Providence.

1929

Chet Greene is instructor in the classics at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y., where

he has his office in Goldwin Smith Hall. He came home from Rome late in the summer after having spent two years at the American Academy in that city on a Jesse Benedict Carter Fellowship from Princeton. He has his A.M., and his Ph.D., so he is all set to teach.

Van Graves is studying law in Bennington, Vt., with his father, Judge Collins M. Graves '95 of the Municipal Court, Bennington.

Kon Woloschak recently went to work in the valuation engineering department of the Western Union Telegraph Company, and he reports that his situation "has improved materially." He lives at 45 River Drive, Passaic, N. J.

Coleridge Hutson is field engineer with the National Broadcasting Company. The October number of the national magazine of Sigma Nu had a write-up and picture of him, saying that as he works behind the scenes, "he is unknown to the radio audience. But he has been at the controls of many of the unique broadcasts presented by NBC—from high in the air to far under the water; from sporting events to the routine 'picking-up' of dance orchestras."

J. H. Pearson is working in the Chemical Research Division at Nitrate Plant, No. 2, Tennessee Valley Authority, Wilson Dam, Ala. He went there from St. Petersburg, Fla.

Dave Colbert, member of the Faculty of St. Bonaventure College, St. Bonaventure, N. Y., is giving a course in advanced mathematics in the extension school at St. Bonaventure.

Bruce Wetzel is the latest member of the Class to desert the bachelor ranks. There's a paragraph about Bruce's marriage to Miss Elizabeth McMahon in another column. Bruce is with the National City Bank of New York, with loans as his special field.

Steve Crilly is practising law in the offices of Concannon & Dillon, 69 West Washington Street, Chicago.

Harold Cole is associated in the practice of law with Dawes, Abbott & Littlefield, One Wall Street, New York City. He lives at 66 Melrose Place, Montclair, N. J.

Walter Fisher's new house address, he reports, is 1806 Greenport Road, Far Rockaway, N. Y.

Dr. N. J. Tremblay has returned to the University of Arizona after a summer with his family at 62 Durfee Street, Providence. He has received a promotion that gives him the rank of associate professor and a further distinction came when the students last year voted him the most popular lecturer on the faculty. He wrote of the college life in this desert setting for the *Providence Journal* under the title of "A University in Shirt-Sleeves."

1930

Bob Carton is practising law at 733 Mat-tison Avenue, Asbury Park, N. J. He still calls Avon-by-the-Sea his home.

Charlie Kean, studying for the Episcopal ministry at the General Theological Seminary, New York City, is settled, he writes, at 6 Edison Hall.

John S. Dziob, with his M.D. from Harvard '34, has become an interne at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence. He expects to be on duty there for the next two years.

Dr. Harold S. Hillman is engaged in the practice of dentistry at 179 Main Street, Room 200, Pawtucket. He and Mrs. Hill-

man are occupying their new home at 228 Broadway, Pawtucket.

1931

Gordon Peterson was recently made manager of the W. T. Grant Company store in Ellwood City, Pa. Gordon has been with the company less than three years; so his elevation to a managership indicates that he is producing the goods.

William S. Wilson is a graduate assistant in chemistry at Yale, where he is working for his Ph.D. For the past three years he has been research assistant in physics at Brown.

Mel Lunstedt is assisting Coach William Joyce with the football squad at Lynn, Mass., Classical High School.

The October *Bulletin* of the Brown University Club in New York carried this pleasing paragraph: "Joseph A. O'Neil, class of 1931, who was an outstanding football manager in 1930, and who has handled the club affairs as Executive Secretary since the Fall of 1931, has been re-engaged by the club as Executive Secretary."

Henry D. Stoddard, member of the New York Stock Exchange, has retired as a member of Hincks Bros. & Co., investments. The firm also quit as Stock Exchange members when Stoddard moved out.

George F. Troy, Jr., is a member of the State staff of the *Providence Journal*, and is living at 49 Pond Street, Wakefield, R. I. George has the Narragansett Pier district, which is not quite so colorful and active in winter as it is in the good old summer time.

Lee Marshall's new house address is 1095 Park Avenue, New York City.

Douglas Stewart is back at Lafayette College for another year of research work in engineering. He was in New York for a few days before returning to Easton, Pa., so Joe O'Neil tells us, and he said that he had spent the summer touring the Pacific Coast. While he was in New York he read a paper at a meeting at the Hotel New York which dealt with his research work on welding.

Carlos Recker, Jr., is a member of the sales staff of the decorating shop of John Wanamaker, New York City.

1932

Dick Holman is back on the Pacific Coast working for the Diamond Match Company after having spent a large part of the summer in the East. Dick says that he likes his work, but that he doesn't care so much for the scenic wonders of the Pacific Coast.

Ira Smith, Jr., is in the law offices of Crandall, Grant & Williams, 441 Lexington Avenue, New York City, and is also a student at the New York Evening Law School.

Dave Scott sums up his activities in recent months thus: "Since last June I have been married, been to Europe, given up my job teaching at Horace Mann School, and now have started with Lockwood Greene Engineers." Dave intends to learn the business from the bottom up, and is going through all the preliminary paces at the present time. He and Mrs. Scott have an apartment at 825 West 187th Street, New York City.

Henri Beziat, now in his third year at Harvard Law School, is occupying an apartment (5) at 65 Langdon Street, Cambridge, Mass. He writes that he spent a very enjoyable summer in Nashville, Tenn., at the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago and at the family summer cottage in Spencer, N. Y.

Paul Gleeson is an unassigned teacher in the Providence public schools.

Bob Johnson, third-year student at Cornell Law School, is living at 301 Eddy Street, Ithaca, N. Y.

George Little is doing research work with the DuPont Company at Wilmington, Del.

George Schwenck, with the Circulation Department of the *New York Times*, said in a recent letter that "the job is going along fine. I have been giving on the average of 20 speeches a week to classes in journalism in high schools. I like this kind of work very much." George also confided that the desire in him to do creative writing is strong, and occasionally he wonders which side of him, the literary or the sales, will eventually win out.

Gerald Bronstein, Sock and Buskin stalt-wart in undergraduate days, returned to the stage the past summer during his vacation from graduate school and had a number of good parts with the Griswold Players at Eastern Point, New London, Conn. He appeared in "Pursuit of Happiness" and with Mary Morris in "Double Door," among other shows. His stage name is Gerald Brown.

1933

Bob Wolfe is with the United States Industrial Alcohol Company, 60 East 42nd Street, New York City. He's a commuter, with his house and mail address, Old Chester Road, Essex Falls, N. J.

Frank Hurd is in the Advertising Department, *Worcester Telegram and Evening Gazette*, Worcester, Mass. Frank is following in the footsteps of his father, who has charge of sales promotion with the *Providence Journal and Evening Bulletin*.

Ed Bodurtha is teaching the classics at Appleton Academy, New Ipswich, Mass.

Pen Hargrove's new mail address is 204 Wagner Avenue, Mamaroneck, N. Y.

John E. Fleming, Jr., is a graduate student at New York University and a candidate for an A.M. next June.

John A. Battle is with the Providence School Department as an unassigned teacher.

Bill Parker is doing sales promotion work for the Phillips-Jones Corporation, collars and shirts and such, and is getting his mail at 116 Riverway, Boston.

Ed Welles, whose engagement we report elsewhere in this issue, is with the Corn Exchange Bank in New York City. The future Mrs. Welles is a Senior in Packer Collegiate Institute.

1934

Gordon Brown is a member of the reportorial staff of the *New York Times*.

Henry G. Carpenter, Jr., is working for the Providence Biltmore Hotel as a member of the office staff. He has been mail and information clerk in recent weeks.

Nestor Wawro is a first-year student at the Yale Medical School.

Paul Chaney is a student at Columbia Medical School and is living at Bard Hall, 50 Haven Street, New York City.

Ed Thomas is in Indianapolis, Ind., working in an engineering capacity for the Utilities Power & Light Corporation.

Jim Patton is a student engineer with the General Electric Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Bob Pottle is working for the Gulf Refining Company in Providence.

Bob Lowenthal is back in Rochester, N. Y., his home city, where he is with his father in the Lowenthal knitting mills.

Henry Stanton has returned to Providence and is learning something about the intricacies of the machine tool business at the Brown & Sharpe Manufacturing Company.

The Class is well represented at Harvard. In the Harvard Law School are Bob Flynn, Leo Goldsmith, John Gross, John Harri-man, Joe Kaplan, Dick Kops, Bancroft Littlefield, Jake Magill, Sumner Rogers, Lewis Sumberg, Dave Viger. In the Harvard School of Business Administration are George Baker, Maurice Clemence, Jack Corlett, Bert Dane, Arthur Felton, Gorham Henshaw, Francis Wilson. The Harvard Medical School lists August Buerman, Herbert Coons, Dick Davis, Duncan Ferguson, Don Fletcher, Ted Rice. Walter Levy is doing advanced work in the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences.

Dick Hapgood is studying at the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, which is operated jointly by Harvard and Tufts with headquarters and school facilities at Medford, Mass., the site of Tufts College.

Denver E. Evans, whose wedding plans were announced last month, has been a student at the University of Southern California's Architectural School.

Rocky Gray has been working as a cashier at Narragansett race-track, Pawtucket, and had a post under the Rhode Island Racing Commission earlier in the season, before the large track opened.

Walter H. Porter was named by the Saylesville, R. I., Post, American Legion, to conduct its playgrounds for children last summer.

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ENGAGEMENTS

Miss Laura Fondeville, daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Fondeville of East Orange, N. J., to Preston H. Porcheron '02, of Albany, N. Y.

Miss Frances Van Horn Sturtevant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William I. Sturtevant of Pawtucket, to Ormond B. Cook '26, of Providence.

Miss Dorothea Tyson, daughter of Mrs. T. Calvin Tyson of Amherst, N. H., to Herbert C. Bullard '27, of North Attleboro, Mass.

Miss Zelinda Petrone, daughter of Mr. Gerard Petrone of Providence, to Dr. Charles A. Spacagno '27, also of Providence.

Miss Eleanor Frothingham White, daughter of Mrs. Herbert O. White of Providence, to Walter G. Ensign '29, also of Providence.

Miss Marian Maxwell Mackenzie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Mackenzie of Central Falls, to Edwin W. Vreeland '33, of Glen Ridge, N. J.

Miss Elizabeth Tillinghast, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Tillinghast of Providence, to Everett L. Angell '33, also of Providence.

Miss Jeanette Anna Potter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett C. Potter of Cranston, to Earle C. Hochwald '33, of Philadelphia.

Miss Ruth Wilson Waddell, daughter of Mrs. Ralph Henry Waddell of Brooklyn, N. Y., to Edward R. Welles '33, also of Brooklyn.

Miss Elvira T. Hazelton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hazelton of Providence, to Robert L. Pottle '34, of Jefferson Highlands, N. H., and Providence.

WEDDINGS

1919—Thomas F. Black, Jr., and Miss Margaret Duer McCormick, daughter of Mrs. Ernest O. McCormick, were married in San Francisco, Sept. 22, 1934. Watson Smith '19 was best man and H. Coe Lanpher '18 was an usher. Mr. and Mrs. Black are at home at 276 Blackstone Boulevard, Providence.

1919—William E. Boyle and Miss Mary B. Martin were married in Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 22, 1934. They are now at home at 114 Francis Street, Providence.

1920—Harry L. Bloomberg and Miss Erna Wimpfheimer, daughter of Mrs. Pauline Wimpfheimer, were married in New York City, Aug. 27, 1934. They are living at 181 Lyncroft Road, New Rochelle, N. Y.

1922—Charles E. Mangan and Miss Veronica A. McNulty, daughter of Mrs. Edward McNulty, were married in Ashten, R. I., Sept. 30, 1934. They are at home at 62 Prince Street, Pawtucket.

1924—Charles S. Barton and Miss Elizabeth Chandler Bullock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rockwood H. Bullock, were married in Worcester, Mass., Oct. 5, 1934.

1926—George C. Cranston and Miss Marjorie A. Main, daughter of Mrs. Daisy Oldham Main, were married in East Providence, Oct. 5, 1934. The bride was given away by her uncle, J. R. D. Oldham '97. Mr. and Mrs. Cranston are living on West Main Street, Wickford, R. I.

1926—Frank J. Wilson and Miss Margaret Innes Buffington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene L. Buffington, were married in Warwick, R. I., Oct. 5, 1934. Herbert J. Somers '24 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are living in Shaker Heights, Cleveland.

1926—George W. Howe and Miss Merle M. Burke, granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Eal, were married in Columbus, O., Oct. 6, 1934. They are now at home at 574 South 18th Street, Columbus.

1927—Leon O. Wolcott and Miss Margaret McCulloch of Denver, Colo., were married in New York City, Sept. 22, 1934. Mrs. Wolcott is a graduate of University of Denver. The Wolcotts are living at 269 West 72nd Street, New York City.

1927—Kenneth C. Baxter and Miss Marie Lois Church, daughter of Capt. Albert H. Church of London, England, were married in Warwick, R. I., Oct. 15, 1934. They are at home at One Congdon Street, Providence.

1929—E. Bruce Wetzel and Miss Elizabeth Gavin McMahon, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Bernard C. McMahon, were married in Morristown, N. J., Oct. 13, 1934. They will soon be at home at 268 Canterbury Road, Westfield, N. J.

1930 Advanced—Dr. Frank E. Toonder and Miss Tarquie Rustigian, daughter of Mrs. Maritza G. Rustigian, were married in Providence, Oct. 5, 1934. Dr. Toonder is an assistant to Professor Charles A. Kraus of the Department of Chemistry.

1930—Albert H. Rogers and Miss Louise Christie, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Charles S. Christie, were married in Apponaug, R. I., Oct. 20, 1934.

1931—Leland L. Eaton, Jr., and Miss Muriel Chadwick Crowell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crowell, were married in Westbrook, Me., Sept. 1, 1934. Richard Howland '31 was best man, and William M. Mackenzie '31 was an usher. Mr. and Mrs. Eaton are at home at 86 Knox Street, Lawrence, Mass.

1933—Charles S. Tanner and Miss Charlotte Louise Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Griffin, were married in Pawtuxet, R. I., Oct. 20, 1934. Lester F. Shaal '29 and Walter H. Howard '31 were ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Tanner are living at Silo House, Oak Lawn, R. I.

1934—John H. French, Jr., and Miss Katharine Baker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Dainforth Baker, were married in Grosse Pointe, Mich., Sept. 15, 1934.

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BIRTHS

1903—To Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. MacKinney of Providence, a son on Oct. 6, 1934.

1906—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard W. Congdon of Providence, a son, John Cobb, Sept. 23, 1934.

1912—To Mr. and Mrs. Willard B. Anthony of Providence, a daughter, Marion Florence, Sept. 4, 1934.

1923—To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lanpher of Providence, a daughter, Diane, Sept. 27, 1934.

1924—To Mr. and Mrs. W. Irving Reid of Pawtucket, a daughter, Martha Elizabeth, Sept. 14, 1934.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. Evan Fellman of Memphis, Tenn., a second daughter, Margaret, Aug. 16, 1934.

1926—To Mr. and Mrs. William B. Widnall of Englewood, N. J., a daughter, Barbara, Sept. 21, 1934.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Irving G. Loxley of Edgewood, R. I., a second daughter, Barbara Elizabeth, Oct. 3, 1934.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. Alan B. Sinauer of New York City, a son, Donald Alan, Aug. 7, 1934.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. David J. Colbert of St. Bonaventure, N. Y., a second daughter, Anne Elizabeth, July 26, 1934.

1930—To Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin W. Flanagan of Providence, a son, Richard Murray, Oct. 2, 1934.

edge about communicable diseases." With Dr. Chapin in 1925-26 he accumulated records of more than 6,000 cases of measles then rampant in Providence. In 1932 he announced his plan to retire, and left office in April, 1933. The City Council, in a joint resolution, expressed its "deep appreciation of his long and faithful service, its sincere regret that the city is to lose such an efficient, faithful and conscientious public servant."

Since retirement Dr. King had busied himself with reading, and with writing short stories based on his medical experiences. He was married June 25, 1921, to Miss Jessie Augusta Shurtleff, R.N., who survives. He was a member of the Providence Medical Society, the Rhode Island Medical Society, All Saints Episcopal Church, and Chi Phi, now Sigma Chi.

1878

ALFRED NELSON FAIRBANK died in Grafton, Vt., Aug. 2, 1934, the Alumni Office has been informed. He had been medical student, teacher, business man and farmer, and for the past 15 years or more had lived in Grafton. The burning of his farm house last April was a misfortune which greatly worried him.

Born in Princeton, Mass., April 7, 1852, the son of Horatio N. and Lucy Ann (Woodward) Fairbank, he prepared at Worcester Academy and at Brown took a lively interest in rowing on the Seekonk, a popular sport of the day. A new Brown boat house was built, and new shells were acquired while he was a Freshman.

After receiving his A.B. in 1878 and his A.M. in 1880, Fairbank planned to study medicine. He did so for a while in a Providence office, but gave it up to become a school teacher. He was also a horticulturist and a farmer during his changing career. He had been out of touch with his classmates for many years until 1925-26, when he began writing to some of them.

He was married Oct. 7, 1915, to Mrs. Martha E. Rich and was divorced from her in 1923. His immediate survivors are a brother, George H. Fairbanks, Fitzwilliam, N. H., a nephew and two nieces. His fraternity was Chi Phi, now Sigma Chi.

1895

DR. WALTER THEODORE CROSBY, practicing physician and surgeon in Manchester, N. H., for the past 32 years, died at his home in Manchester, Sept. 21, 1934. He had been ill for nearly five years, the *Manchester Leader* said.

Born in Laconia, N. H., Feb. 24, 1871, the son of Benjamin W. and Mary (Morrison) Crosby, he prepared at the Brockton, Mass., High School. As an undergraduate he played for two years on the Class baseball team. After receiving his Ph.B. degree he enrolled at Harvard Medical School, from which he was graduated with an M.D. degree in 1899. As soon as his internship was over, he settled in Manchester, where he became well known.

He was a member of the visiting staff of Sacred Heart Hospital for 30 years; secretary of the State Board of Medical Examiners, 1914-15; member of the Advisory Board of Medical Examiners, Hillsborough County, during the World War; a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons to which he was elected in 1920; and a member of the American Medical Association, the New Hampshire Medical Society, the

Those We Mourn

1873

GEORGE TILDEN BROWN, retired justice of the Rhode Island Superior Court and known in his undergraduate days as a star member of the Brown crew, died at his home in Providence, Oct. 1, 1934. He resigned from the bench in 1923 and had been in poor health for the past five years.

Born in West Greenwich, June 29, 1848, the son of Peter Tilden and Roxalana (Potter) Brown, he prepared for college at East Greenwich Academy and Newport High School. His fine physique and great strength made him a valuable asset to the Brown crew, and he stood out as an oarsman. After graduation he studied law for a year in the offices of B. N. and S. S. Lapham, won his LL.B. at Albany Law School in 1875, and became a member of the New York bar. Returning to Providence, he continued his studies and was admitted to the Rhode Island bar.

In 1877 he went to the General Assembly as Representative from West Greenwich. Ten years later, as a resident of Providence, he again served in the General Assembly. He was Senator from Providence in 1889 and 1891, and in 1893 went to the House once more. As Representative and as Senator he was an active member of major committees. In 1888 he was a delegate from Rhode Island to the Democratic national convention. He was candidate for State Attorney General on several occasions, and in 1896 ran unsuccessfully for Congress. In 1905, when the Superior Court was created, Judge Brown was named as one of the six judges. He was the first Democrat to sit on the bench for at least 25 years. He retired in March, 1923. In the previous year he was a candidate for Governor on the Democratic ticket, but was defeated in the State convention.

After leaving the bench he removed to California. But the call of Rhode Island was too strong, and he came back to re-establish his home in Providence. He was a member of Nestell Lodge of Masons, Crescent Lodge

of Odd Fellows, the Elmwood, Wana-moisset and Squantum Clubs, Providence Royal Arch Chapter, the American and Rhode Island Bar Associations, the Rhode Island Historical Society, and Delta Phi. His colleagues and fellow attorneys admired him for his strict attention to his judicial duties, "his uniform courtesy and consideration," and his ability as a jurist.

He was married Aug. 29, 1876, to Miss Ida R. Williams, who survives, with a daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Mason of Pawtucket, wife of Frank F. Mason '08, and five grandchildren.

1876

DR. EUGENE PRIDE KING, for nearly 46 years an able and indefatigable worker for the betterment of public health, died suddenly at Jane Brown Hospital, Providence, Sept. 6, 1934, after an operation. He was the friend and contemporary of Dr. Charles V. Chapin, his classmate, and he and Dr. Chapin worked side by side in the Providence Health Department until advancing age compelled their retirement.

Dr. King was born in Apponaug, R. I., Nov. 5, 1854, the son of Absalom Pride and Celia Ann (Hendricks) King. After two years in Providence High School and two years in the Episcopal Academy, Cheshire, Conn., he entered Brown, from which he received his A.B. in 1876, and his A.M. in 1879. He won his M.D. at Jefferson Medical College in 1880 and commenced practice in Providence. In 1885 he began his career with the Health Department by a house-to-house campaign to urge vaccination against smallpox. He spent his days in this way and his evenings at City Hall, vaccinating citizens who heeded his advice.

In 1893 he became medical inspector as successor to the late Dr. Gardner T. Swarts. In 1914 he was chosen by Dr. Chapin, then Superintendent of Health, to be deputy superintendent and deputy city registrar. Throughout the years he was "an avid assistant to Dr. Chapin in his researches and acquired a vast fund of first hand knowl-

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Manchester Medical Society, the New Hampshire Surgical Club, Manchester Lodge of Elks and Delta Phi. He also belonged to the New Hampshire Consistory, 32nd degree Masons.

A widow is his only immediate survivor.

1895

ARTHUR JOHNSON HULL, member of the Connecticut General Assembly and Judge of the Trumbull Town Court, died at his home in Long Hill, Trumbull, Sept. 27, 1934. He was a direct descendant of George Hull, who came from England in 1630 with Roger Ludlowe and sat in the first Colonial Assembly.

Judge Hull was born in Monroe, Conn., Dec. 18, 1868, the son of Orville H. and Mary J. (Johnson) Hull. He came to Brown from Worcester Academy and as an under-

graduate was Class football manager, secretary of the Republican Club and the Worcester Academy Club, and a leader in the New England Intercollegiate Republican League. Having taught school for several years before he entered college he returned to school teaching after graduation, and was principal in grammar schools in Ware and Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass., 1895-99. Then he registered at Yale Law School, won his LL.B. in 1901, and became a member of the Connecticut bar in the same year.

He commenced practice in Bridgeport, continuing active in that city until his death. He was a member of the board of school visitors of Monroe, 1899-1902; justice of the peace in Monroe for 20 years, and in Trumbull for 14 years; trustee of Washington Lodge, F. & A. M., Monroe, since 1906, and master of the lodge in 1916; president and director of the Long Hill Volunteer Fire Company; and town counsel for Monroe and Trumbull for many years. During the World War he was chairman of the Monroe War Bureau, town fuel administrator, legal adviser on draft questions, and chairman of several funds campaigns.

He served four terms in the Connecticut General Assembly, representing the town of Monroe in 1905 and 1907, and the town of Trumbull in 1927 and 1933. He was elected in 1932 by an unprecedented majority (Republican) for the town of Trumbull. In the Assembly he had important committee appointments.

Judge Hull was married Oct. 20, 1909, to Miss Ellen Bridle, who survives, with a brother, Elbert O. Hull '91, of Bridgeport, and a nephew, E. Perkins Nichols '19.

1897

MARTIN HOLLIS ARNOLD, active in real estate in Providence and a former president of the Providence Real Estate Exchange, died in Providence, Oct. 18, 1934, after an illness of three weeks. He was a resident of Rumstick Point, Barrington.

He was a native of North Kingstown, where he was born Dec. 16, 1872, the son of James A. and Addie M. (Palmer) Arnold. He prepared at the Providence High School, and after graduation with the degree of Ph.B. went into the grocery business with his uncle, B. F. Arnold, in Pawtucket. Then he became associated with Robert L. Walker Company, real estate, mortgages and insurance, in Providence. He was treasurer and secretary of this company until July, 1916, when he resigned to head up his own organization under the name of M. Hollis Arnold & Company.

He continued in real estate until his death. He served several terms as secretary of the Providence Real Estate Exchange and at the 17th annual meeting in December, 1924, became its president. He took an interested part in the work of the National Realtors' Exchange. In recent years he had been loan correspondent in Providence of the Prudential Insurance Company of America.

He was married Aug. 1, 1906, to Miss Helen Ashley Gammons, who survives, with a daughter, Mrs. C. Gardiner Akin, Jr., of South Dartmouth, Mass., and a brother, Thaddeus Arnold of Worcester. Arnold was a member of the University Club, Providence, and Chi Phi, now Sigma Chi.

1899

DR. CHARLES DANIEL EASTON, medical practitioner in Newport, New York City and Washington, and well known in the Newport summer colony, died in New York City, Oct. 4, 1934. Death came suddenly after he seemed to be recovering from an operation. He underwent a similar operation about a year ago and had resumed his practice last summer.

Dr. Easton was born in Orange, Mass., Feb. 23, 1876, the son of Daniel Chase and Florence C. (Leach) Easton. He was a descendant of Nicholas Easton, one of Rhode Island's colonial Governors, and of Capt. Myles Standish. Entering Brown from Vermont Academy, he won his A.B. in 1899 and his A.M. on examination in 1900. From Brown he went to Harvard Medical School, received his M.D. degree in 1904 and began his medical career as an interne at Massachusetts General Hospital. He was assistant superintendent of the hospital, 1905-07, resigning to commence practice in Newport. During the World War he went to Washington to serve in the Medical Reserve Corps as a Lieutenant; and for the past twelve years he had maintained an office in New York city as well as in Newport. He spent his winters in New York and Washington, and his summers at his house on Price's Neck, Newport, where his hobby was horticulture. His flower gardens were one of the sights of Newport.

In 1924 he had an active part in placing a memorial at the Newport Naval Training Station to mark the first landing in 1639 of Nicholas Easton and other colonists from Portsmouth.

Dr. Easton was a member of the Aesculapian and Boylston Clubs of Boston, the Massachusetts, Rhode Island and Newport Medical Societies, the Harvard Club of Rhode Island, the Chevy Chase Club of Washington, the University Club of New York, the Newport Casino, of which he was a stockholder, and the Academy of Medicine. He was married April 23, 1913, to Miss Margaret Hays of New York City, who survives with two daughters, the Misses Polly and Peggy Easton, and a brother, Dr. Frank B. Easton '00, North Craftsbury, Vt.

1902

MAJOR HENRY WILLIAMS STINESS, battalion commander of the 19th Infantry, Schofield Barracks, was suddenly stricken Aug. 25, 1934, while swimming off Haleiwa Beach on the north shore of Oahu, Hawaii. There was no water in his lungs, and the belief is that his heart failed and he sank before aid could reach him. He had been an officer in the United States Army since 1920.

Major Stiness, son of former Chief Justice John H. Stiness '61 and Maria Eliza (Williams) Stiness, was born in Providence, June 29, 1880. He entered Brown from the University Grammar School, dropped out at the end of the Freshman year, and later came back as a special student. He left Brown in September, 1901, studied for a while at the University of Chicago and then returned to Providence. After a short trial with the *Providence Journal* as reporter he commenced the study of law. In 1905 he became an assistant clerk of the Rhode Island Superior Court, and continued in this position until 1908, resigning to open a law office of his own.

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A member of the Rhode Island bar, he was also admitted to practice in the United States District and Circuit Courts.

In 1916 he went to Mexico with Battery A, Field Artillery, R.I.N.G., as a sergeant. On the entrance of the United States into the World War he received a commission as Captain, Judge Advocate General's Department, and took courses in military law before going overseas. His record in the A.E.F. shows that he was Judge Advocate with the 41st Division; the Depot Division, First Army Corps; First Depot Division; First Replacement Depot; the 91st Division; and the Fourth Division, Army of Occupation. He came home in 1919 with the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, commendations by Generals Mark L. Hersey and Peter E. Traub and a diploma presented by the French Minister of War for his excellent service.

Electing to stay in the Regular Army, he accepted a commission as Major, J.A., completed the Army course in military law and the field officer's course, Infantry School, and was instructor of the Texas National Guard for three and a half years, with headquarters at Fort Worth. He served as director of safety in Fort Worth and as a member of the city's Bureau of Civic Coordination. He was also a member of the convention of the Episcopal diocese of Dallas.

During his later Army career he was instructor in tactics, 36th Division and 45th Division; graduate of the Command and General Staff School, Fort Leavenworth; and of the Chemical Warfare School; and with the 19th Infantry, Schofield Barracks. He was active as a sports director, and in the social life of the post. Tennis was his favorite game; as organizer and president of the tennis association, he made the sport a major one at Schofield. His interest in all sports was great.

Major Stiness was twice married. He and Miss Inez Sprague, granddaughter of former Governor William Sprague, caused a sensation by eloping and marrying June 21, 1907. Their only child, Avice Wheaton Stiness, in 1930 married Baron Rozner of the Hungarian nobility. His second marriage took place at Fort Strong, Boston Harbor, in February, 1923, to Miss Alice Mott, daughter of the Venerable Marshall E. Mott, Archdeacon of the Episcopal diocese of Western Massachusetts. Mrs. Stiness and the Baroness Rozner survive. Major Stiness belonged to Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1921

REGINALD GILCHRIST SYKES, vice president of the Associated Alumni for the New England Region and a member of the Executive Committee, died suddenly in Brookline, Mass., Oct. 9, 1934. "Cheery, energetic Bill Sykes," George C. Carens characterized him in the *Boston Transcript*, and all who knew and were associated with Bill will say that the characterization is an apt one.

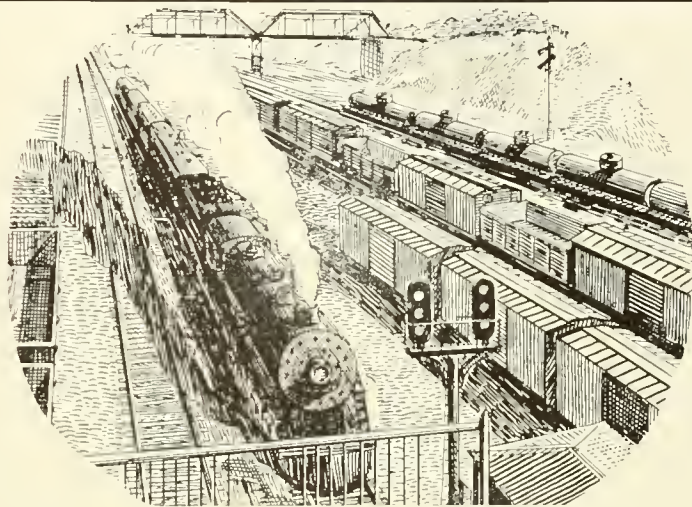
Mr. Carens also praised Sykes's "devotion for the interests of Brown, his indefatigable efforts in making a success of University Club affairs, his sponsorship of the New England indoor college track meets." Sykes was, indeed, one of the most active workers for Brown and for inter-collegiate sports in Boston. He began his work in the Brown Club of Boston in 1922; he was president of the Club in 1930, member of the executive committee, and chair-

man of the annual dinner committee for years. As contact man for Brown in Boston newspaper offices he was unexcelled.

He started the University Club track meet now an annual event—for New England colleges. He was chairman of the Boston Olympic Finance Committee in 1932. He was managing editor of the University Club News for several years. He knew men of every college with which Brown likes to be associated. His vocation was insurance, in which he had engaged since leaving college. At the time of his death he was president of Sykes & Sykes, Inc., general insurance brokers. He was a member of the Brookline Finance Committee of Thirty, a past master of Beth-horon Lodge of Masons, a director of the Kiwanis

Club of Brookline, and a member of the Board of Governors of the University Club, St. Andrews Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, Boston Commandery, Knights Templar, Aleppo Temple of the Mystic Shrine, and Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Bill was born in Passaic, N. J., Oct. 2, 1899, the son of Harold E. and S. D. (Gilchrist) Sykes. He came to Brown from Pennington Seminary in 1917, interrupted his studies to become a student officer at Plattsburg and Camp Lee, Va., and left Brown in February, 1919, to enter business. He was married July 16, 1926, to Miss Evelyn O. Dunbar, who survives, with a son, Wendell G. Sykes, his mother, and a sister, Mrs. Linley C. Happ of Providence.



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ALUMNAE CLUBS

THE Brown Alumnae Club of Boston will hold its November meeting at Gordon College on November 14th at 8 p. m. At that time Miss Kuo Ping Chou, a member of the senior class at Pembroke, will be the speaker. The club will celebrate its 25th anniversary this year and has worked out an interesting program. At the luncheon which is to be held on January 12th,

President Barbour and Dean Morriss will be the speakers.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Providence planned an "international" meeting on November 7th, with supper preceding. Elaborate decorations of the dining room at Alumnae Hall contributed to the foreign atmosphere.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Southeastern Massachusetts, which comprises New Bedford, Fall River, and Taunton, is to be entertained at the home of Miss Mabel L. Potter '97 on Scitonic Road in Fairhaven on November 17th.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Hartford will hold a bridge for the benefit of the Scholarship Fund at the home of Mrs. Walter Berube, 152 North Main Street, West Hartford, on November 20th. The Club has planned an interesting program for the year. Jean Martin '31, the secretary, would like to hear from any interested alumnae not on the mailing list. She can be reached at the Y. W. C. A. on Ann Street.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Norwich (Conn.) has recently been organized and it promises to be a very live, enthusiastic organization. Eight alumnae are teaching at Norwich Academy.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Worcester County had its first fall meeting on October 6th at the home of Mrs. Gardner Boyd (Lucille Blanchard '09) in Barre. Grace A. Horne '30, the secretary, writes: "Those who were able to attend had the thoroughly enjoyable time we always have with Mrs. Boyd as our hostess. We spent the afternoon in an interesting discussion which developed from the reading of an essay from Dr. Faunce's 'Facing Life.' At tea time refreshments were served by the hostess."

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The Brown Alumnae in the Philadelphia district were entertained by Florence Beiteman at her home in Reiffton on August 30th. In addition to the resident alumnae, Dr. Hannah Roach '18, who was visiting Mildred Runyeon '20, attended, as did also three undergraduates—June Kutz '36, Anne Shindel '36, and Mary Lewis '38. Miss Beiteman showed motion pictures which she took on Alumnae Day and some of her foreign reels. It was cool enough for an open fire and the party was a great success.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Washington will be entertained at the home of Faith Rogers Corbett, 535 Cedar Street, Takoma Park, on November 9th. Dean Morriss will be the guest of honor.

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Class Notes

1900—Anna Buffinton has returned to Providence and is living at The Barrington.

1902—Ellen Waterman Page's daughter, Dorothy, is a freshman.

1905—Marion Midgley has moved to 24 Beaufort Road, Jamaica Plain.

1909—Dr. Myra Sampson, chairman of the Smith College Department of Zoology, has been elected a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. The Association states that "Members who have contributed to the advancement of science, usually by publishing scientific research, or in other significant manner, such as teaching or directing research in an institution of repute, may be elected by the Council as Fellows of the Society." Miss Sampson has been at Smith for over twenty-five years.

1910—Dorothy Bourne Meyette and her husband, Harold F. Meyette, are now connected with the MacAuley School, an institution for mentally handicapped boys, in Arlington, Vermont. Gwendolen Blodgett Carpenter '10 and Dorothy Canfield Fisher are among the members of the Advisory Board.

1911—Bessie Bloom Wessel has been made full professor at Connecticut College and is Chairman of the Department of Economics and Sociology.

1912—Mildred Bishop Galloway spent a restful summer vacation in Devon and Cornwall, England.

1912—Irene Hawes Williamson's daughter, Ruth, is a freshman.

1913—Otilie Metzger Taber and family have moved to 108 Connett Place, South Orange, N. J.

1914—Elena Lovell Maymon's daughter, Audrey, is a member of the freshman class.

1925—Faith Rogers Corbett is permanently located at 535 Cedar Street, Takoma Park, D. C. Her husband is Senior Extension Economist and Marketing Specialist with the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

1927—Lucy Burnham Seward has moved from Needham, Mass., to 349 Hayden Street, Sayre, Penn., where her husband is teaching in the Extension Department of Penn State.

1927—Theta Holmes Wolf (Mrs. John B., Jr.) is living at 1312 Ross Street, Columbia, Missouri. Her husband is a member of the faculty of the University of Missouri.

1928—Helen E. Butts received her Ph.D. degree from Duke University last June and is teaching at Wellesley.

1928—Harriet Silver is Dean of Women and head of the French Department at Shenandoah Junior College, Dayton, Virginia.

1928—Margaret Tobey is assistant supervisor with the Federal Transient Bureau in Lawrence, Mass.

1928—Virginia Wright has a position with the Standard Oil Company, 26 Broadway, New York City.

1930—Jeannette Black is working for the World Peace Foundation, 8 West 40th Street, New York City.

1930—Grace King has resumed her work at Stanford University, where she is instructor in hygiene and physical education. She is Faculty Adviser for the Women's Athletic Association at Stanford and Treasurer of the San Francisco Bay Counties Board of Women Officials in major sports. She drove East during the summer, visited in the Vermont hills, attended hockey camp, and returned to California via the Panama Canal.

1930—Honor McCusker received her A.M. from the University of London in June and is now at Bryn Mawr, where she is completing the work for her Ph.D.

1930—Thelma Tyndall has a secretarial position with Macy's.

1931—Evelyn Griffiths is teaching history in the Attleboro High School.

1931—Lydia Mason is studying at Bryn Mawr again this year.

1932—Margaret Bates is technician in the Margaret Pillsbury General Hospital in Concord, N. H.

1932—Agnes Cosgrove is teaching in the Nathan Bishop Junior High School.

1932—Mary Coy is laboratory technician and secretary to Dr. F. Downing in Norwich, Conn. She is living at 110 Washington Street.

1932—Ruth Eddy is a student teacher at Hope High.

1932—Mary Gellette is teaching history in Norwich Academy, Norwich, Conn.

1932—Mary Lally is teaching in the Roger Williams Junior High.

1932—Mary Rae is teaching at Classical.

1932—Marion L. White has an interesting position as laboratory technician in the experimental station of the Pease laboratories in New York, located at Dayton, N. J. She is living at 18 Vandeventer Avenue, Princeton, N. J.

1933—Lillian Kelman is teaching at Central High in Providence.

1933—Muriel Kommel studied at the University of Moscow this summer.

1933—Elizabeth McQuaid is teaching at Classical.

1933—Marjorie Patt is studying at Stanford University.

1933—Elizabeth Tillinghast is accountant and budget clerk for the Providence Community Fund.

1934—Shirley Bowman is teaching in the High School in West Haven, Conn.

1934—Virgima Briggs is studying law at Boston University.

1934—Gracia Burkill is teaching at Harvard, Mass.

1934—Francaise Courtois is assistant to Mrs. Cull, Pembroke Registrar. She is also doing graduate work.

1934—Gertrude Paine Daly will spend the winter in Houston, Texas.

1934—Dorothy Greene is studying at Gibbs.

1934—Elizabeth Hastings is doing graduate work at Brown.

1934—Marguerite Melville is working for the Atlantic Mutual Ins. Co., 49 Wall Street, New York City.

1934—Ruth Moorhouse is teaching in the new high school in Pembroke, Mass.

1934—Helen Parish is studying archaeology at Columbia.

1934—Harriet Randall is teaching in St. Margaret's Home School in Ralston, N. J.

1934—Elizabeth Whitaker is an assistant in the biology department at Brown.

1934—Ruth Whitaker is working in Filene's in Boston.

1934—Audrey Yeaton is taking courses at the Bridgewater Normal School.

Pembroke Chronicle

BY JANE SANFORD '35

COLLEGE opened with the usual round of Freshman activities. This year the Freshman Council, under Mary Fullerton, did a splendid job of orienting the Freshmen. Freshman week has come and gone, with the first year girls having to wear huge blue oilcloth ears and carrying conspicuous toys around with them. Those who failed to obey rules had to carry their books around in a pillow case for a day. It was all in fun. November 1 saw the permanent Seniors being assigned their Freshmen. The Seniors took the children down the line at the Reception and have also given them a party. Dr. Barbour has officially greeted us, too.

Teas have been frequent, beginning with Record Tea at which Constance Saunders, this year's editor, spoke very ably on college newspapers. Komians gave an affair, directed by Winifred Small, with Mrs. Sarah Minchen Barker there to meet the new girls. Brun Mael socially helped out the college by giving the first informal dance which was a nice affair, with autumn leaves and rose lights for decorations. Had a grand group of patrons and patronesses who seemed to enjoy themselves heartily.

For the Honors Day Convocation more professors from the Hill showed up than in any of the three years I have been here. Miss Kathryn McHale spoke on Education for Women. Christian Association is sponsoring a series of talks on Religion in relation to various fields. Komians gave a Chapel play by Essex Dane on October 30th.

Pembroke lost its first field hockey game to Radcliffe 2-1 in a well-contested match. The team looks very good this year; it seems to steadily improve each year. Natalie Smith is the head of Hockey for the season. Brun Mael photographer has been here taking individuals and groups and the college in general will not speak civilly to Dorothy Richardson, Dorothy Schloss, or myself because of our vocal and not always polite—efforts to get groups together and pictures taken. But it's over for another year. And I think this is all for another month.

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