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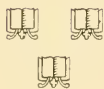






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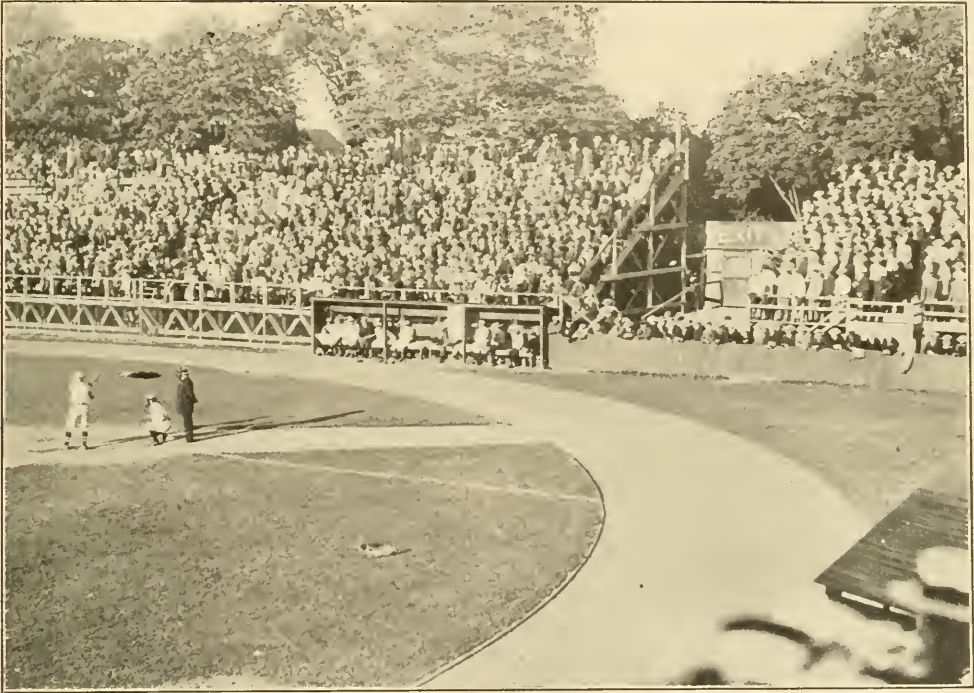
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BROWN-HARVARD GAME AT PROVIDENCE

Second Brunonian victory of the season over the Cambridge players. Reilly of Brown at the bat

## PLANS FOR BROWN'S SESQUICENTENNIAL

Plans are well under way for the appropriate celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Brown University. The college was established in 1764, and October, 1914, has been chosen for the anniversary exercises, which will be two-fold—academic and spectacular.

The academic side of the celebration will involve bringing to Providence distinguished scholars from all over the country and from Europe. Every important institution of learning will be invited to send delegates, and leading scholars will

represent each of the great departments of knowledge. It is expected that lectures will be delivered, which will state the latest results of investigation, and which may be preserved in permanent form. The history of the university, which is being prepared by Professor Bronson, will be published before that time, and the new edition of the historical catalogue will be ready for distribution.

The spectacular side of the celebration is to include a pageant in which the university will seek to represent the varied history of the the state of Rhode Island.

The several patriotic societies will be asked to co-operate in presenting to the world the origin and the development of the state and its institutions. Dr. Lewis N. Parker of London, who has had charge of several of the most important recent English pageants, declares that there is no part of America whose history is better suited for expression in pageantry than Rhode Island. From the landing of Roger Williams down through the Indian Wars, the burning of the Gaspee and the visit of George Washington to Providence and the college at the close of the Revolutionary War, the annals of the state offer a fine opportunity for picturesque presentation.

The committee in charge states that the purpose of the pageant will involve more than a public exhibition. The genuine education of the community in the knowl-

edge of its own history will be attempted, in which a large number of Rhode Island people will be asked to participate. The committee says: "At the great pageant given in the city of York over five thousand people took part, and most of them were busy for a whole year previous, studying English history, bringing out from their hiding places the costumes, furniture and heirlooms of the older families, and instructing thousands of young people in English history. We believe that the whole year previous to October, 1914, may well be given to the study of Rhode Island history and that our institutions, public and private, may well be united in an attempt to present to the world by an outdoor pageant the great events and ideals for which this commonwealth stands."

## HOW BISMARCK GOT A NEW DEGREE

Apropos of the repeated bestowals by American universities of honorary degrees upon Colonel Goethals, builder of the Panama Canal, the New York Evening Post tells the following story: After the successful war with Austria and the successful war with Denmark and the tremendously successful war with France, all the universities in all the cities of Germany began bestowing degrees upon the chancellor. German universities are numerous, as you know, and they showered their favors upon the empire builder until there was hardly one that could not boast Bismarck as an honorary alumnus.

In fact, there was just one—a modest little university of great antiquity, but a bit shy of thrusting itself into the fierce white light that beats about an emperor's chancellery. It was some years before this

modest university waked up to the fact that it had done nothing whatever to mark its recognition of the man whom the whole nation delighted to honor. Its governing body, eager to repair this neglect, directed the rector to write to Prince Bismarck and ask him if there were any degree which he did not already have or which he would like to have. It was done and Bismarck's answer was prompt. He assured the rector that the only degree that he did not have was that of doctor of divinity, and he confessed that he had long had a fancy to have the right to a D. D. after his name. "If you could make me a doctor of divinity," wrote the chancellor, "I should be very proud to accept the honor." Accordingly the modest university made Bismarck a doctor of divinity.

# FRANK TALK ABOUT THE CLASSICS\*

*By Charles H. Forbes, 1890, Professor of Latin in  
Phillips Academy, Andover*

There is a lull in the conflict of the allied forces of modern studies against the classics. For the moment no imminent disturbance threatens the peace of the educational world. We have been beaten on our Hellenic flank and now are marching with our maimed battalions, as proudly as we may, seeking new vantage-ground against the impending assaults of our foes. As a potent, widespread force in our general educational system Greek is doomed. When ultra-conservative English schoolmasters, in convention assembled, recently voted to request the authorities of Oxford and Cambridge to grant the degree of bachelor of arts to students who offer no Greek, the last straw was deliberately laid on the camel's back. That back is sure to break. We may decline to acknowledge the fact, but we cannot fail to see it. For one, I can observe no movement of the pendulum toward Athena's town. Its path has changed under the powerful sway of modern magnets. Our classical question is fast resolving itself into a question of Latin alone, and we begin to hear ominous mutterings of "How Long, O Lord, how long?" The enemy are hovering on our flanks—*ardentis clipeos atque aera micantia cerno*.

We have an inheritance of strength which will not readily yield to attack, but it may be not amiss to consider our ways and to ponder our bases of security. There is evident a move to change the point of emphasis in our work. In the enthusiasm borrowed from Germany and alien to our nature, our scholars for a generation have lent themselves to a single point of view. "Research" has been the watchword, and the criterion of worth. Attainment in the regions of the unknown has been the *sine qua non* of distinction, of promotion, of authority. \* \* \*

Our scientific world has emphasized the importance of facts. "Observe actualities, generalize only on ascertained truth," is its monition. The classical investigator has entered upon this path with zeal and en-

thusiasm. Well and good, if his facts be worth the labor, his results worth the price. The discoveries of classical philology are in general worth no more than the similar details of any other language of culture, as educational forces. They have little value for non-professional purposes. The dry bones of our favorite language will never quicken the spirit of any man's culture.

Research has its proper field and its proper audience; but at its base should lie a purpose broader than itself. The medical investigator, for example, is aiming at the ultimate protection of an invaluable asset—health. But medical research has not yet enlisted the interest of the many as a means of educational advancement. It is, as it should be, the occupation of what we may term a "cult." Its resultant theories, facts and teachings alone are acceptable for general information and culture. \* \* \*

How many of us have wasted hours in German university lecture rooms! I recall, with pride in my endurance and with horror at my sinfulness, attending ten consecutive lectures on the caesura in the verse of Terence. Ten hours of scribbling what I could have learned in two! I once took a course, ostensibly, in the *Agricola* of Tacitus. The whole semester was consumed in the discussion of the name Tacitus in inscription and literature, most of which had nothing to do with Tacitus, and in other matters that had nothing to do with his work. Of the *Agricola*, not one line was considered! *Gründlich? Jawohl, ohne Zweifel sehr gründlich—aber, meine Herren, aber!* Can we expect throngs hungering for such *Wissenschaft* in our colleges?

What then do I mean by "cult?" And what lines of work are dominated by aims ending in cult? Whatever is limited to the peculiar interests of professionals I am classifying as a cult; whatsoever may be shared with and welcomed by intelligent laymen, and will lead to their deeper, wider comprehension of man and man's

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\*From a paper read before the Classical Association of New England.

ideas and art is the parent of what I am terming "culture." \* \* \*

There are many ranges of our secondary-school labors which are controlled by inherited beliefs and tenets of schoolmaster-ship. On all sides we may see emphasis laid on points of view the reason for which would be far to seek, but which inherited habit invests with authority and sanctity. We are practising a cult when in blind truthfulness we teach that which is a means as if it were an end. The rattle of machinery can never supply the demand for a finished product. Think of the vicissitudes of poor old Caesar! Have we not heard his *gemitus lacrimabilis* \* \* \* *imo tumulto*?

*Quid miserum, Aenea, laceras? iam parce sepulto;*  
*parce pias scelerare manus.*

The daggers of my foes drank my blood, but the scalpels of my friends exult in the vivisection of my soul. Drop my syntax and lay hold of my sense. Give me half a chance to tell my tale, for I am something more than court-jester to His Highness, the Latin Grammar.

We have few more vivid illustrations of the results of cult than the fatuous confidence with which we assert the stupendous value of Latin composition. The colleges splendidly display the importance of this noble art by setting two examinations in it, an elementary and (save the word!) an advanced examination. We are assured in the *praecepta* of catalogues that the writing of Latin is of vital importance to the comprehension of the printed page. What then becomes of this beneficent adjunct to understanding in our colleges? How many insist on prose composition along with the literature? Is the question impertinent or only irrelevant? Is, then, the passing of an "advanced" examination for entrance the certificate of perfection in this form of training? This is not jeering, but dead earnest. Must students forever be forced through the underbrush, knowing that they will never be led into the open fields? Treat the subject seriously, or make it elementary; and the serious value claimed for it can only be attained in college. At present, aside from giving the student facility with forms and syntax, the subject is an idle waste of good time and better dispositions. We spend 20 per cent. of our time in making a semblance of a bauble.

But enough of illustrations of this sort.

Talk to men outside of our ranks about the classics. In what are they interested? Textual criticism? verbal statistics? the nature of the subjunctive? hidden quantities? *clausulae* in Cicero? swear words in Plautus? the Arval Brethren? a potsherd from Anzio? None of these. They seek life, custom, law, story, poem, art—all that can strengthen, enlighten, sweeten or entertain a mind busied in an active world. Are we to say to such persons, *procul O procul este profani*?

What can we contribute in the several years at our disposal to the formation of the cultured gentleman? Unless we pay heed to this great opportunity and bend our energies to furnish a priceless asset to the man and woman outside of our fold, we shall soon hear the wolves yelping about the palisades behind which we huddle in fancied security. It is purblind arrogance for us to assume any consummate superiority of our studies over others, while we see the numbers that quit our class rooms for some involving even greater mental effort.  
\* \* \*

"But shall we feed our students on mere enthusiasm?" we hear in sarcastic tones. A caustic tongue might reply that the supply of that nutriment isn't glutting the market as yet. No; but it should be possible so to interpret our authors that youths may learn to comprehend and admire them for what they wrote, not for what we have unearthed in their medium of ideas which the authors never dreamed of, and at which they would stand aghast. Literature cannot be taught by studying something else, and philology is something else. Literary taste is the outcome of literary study, and this taste is a cultural accomplishment of priceless worth to every gentleman. We may not say to the student, "Let there be light!" and trust that there will be a spontaneous illumination of culture within him. He must live in the light if he would share it.

When Christianity was winning the intellect of the world, the same opposition that has confronted us was raised against the dominance of a literature that had its source in a passing faith. Tatian and Tertullian raised their potent voices in denunciation of the pagan literature, as unsuited to the perusal of those whose aim was the nurture of Christian faith. But

Clement of Alexandria compared such shrinking from classical writers to the behavior of the comrades of Odysseus, who stopped their ears that they might not hear the Siren song, which they knew they had not the power to withstand. There lies

the strength of the classics to-day. That persuasive song is still ringing in the ears of those who once have hearkened to it and keeps them hovering in view of the enchanted isles of ancient culture.

## COLLEGE HILL CARS

*From the Providence Evening Bulletin*

Some East Side residents are beginning to realize that all their requirements are not met by a tunnel for electric cars. The retention of the counterweight on College street is being advocated by people who live "on the top of the hill," and if they have their way it will not be discontinued after the completion of the tunnel from North Main to Thayer street. Heretofore the opinion was that the College street tracks would be removed when cars were run to the East Side on a moderate grade which called for no safety appliances to supplement the brakes operated by the motormen, and one of the stock arguments for a tunnel was in the elimination for the operating company of the heavy charges of the counterweight system. If relieved of the payment of the wages of the grip car men and the maintenance of the counterweight machinery, the company, it was represented, could afford to make a large investment in a tunnel no more costly in operation than any other piece of road except in interest charges. Now it appears that there will be objection to the abandonment of College street. Whether or not it will be strong enough to prevent the transfer of all the hill cars to the tunnel remains to be demonstrated.

The petition for cars on the hill is interesting in that it bears out the statements of capable engineers that the East Side needs a highway of moderate grade which can accommodate all classes of traffic

and which also will serve the people on the slopes and the highest points now reached only by approaches of steep grades. But the plans for highways on the surface received scant consideration; in fact, they were denounced without reservation and the engineers who said that the tunnel offered only partial relief were derided as ignorant imposters. A tunnel was demanded, and the City Council ordered a tunnel notwithstanding the offer of the street railway company to pay seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars toward the construction of a highway. In view of the enthusiastic support given the tunnel plan it might be supposed that the East Side would be content with the facilities provided by the new contract with the Rhode Island Company. The petition for the counterweight, however, indicates that there are dissatisfied ones and that before the tunnel is in service there will be some ready to acknowledge that after all the engineers knew what the East Side needed. And this does not mean that the tunnel is an engineering mistake; it merely is an expression of the old opinion that a hole through the hill should be supplemented by an easy grade to the top of the hill. The probability is that in view of the cost of the extension of Waterman street to Exchange place the City Council will not be in haste to vote money for a new highway, and this doubtless explains the interest in the counterweight.

# A SUCCESSFUL BASEBALL SEASON



Left to right: Harvard Team, Umpire, Capt. Potter of Harvard, Harvard Manager, Capt. Nash of Brown, Umpire, Brown Manager  
At the Brown-Harvard Game, June 8

## BROWN 5, HARVARD 4

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| Crowther, r. f..... | 4  | 0  | 5  | 0 | 0 |
| Dukette, 2b.....    | 4  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 4  | 2  | 4  | 1 | 0 |
| Snell, c. ....      | 4  | 0  | 12 | 2 | 1 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 5  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 4  | 0  | 6  | 0 | 1 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 4  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 3  | 1  | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Conzelman, p. ....  | 4  | 0  | 0  | 4 | 0 |

Totals .....30 4 33 7 2

Innings ..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11  
Brown ..... 3 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1—5  
Harvard ..... 0 0 0 1 0 2 1 0 0 0 0—4

Runs—Dukette, K. Nash, Snell, R. Nash, Reilly—5; Potter 2, Babson, Wingate—4. Stolen bases—Dukette 2, K. Nash, Reilly, Potter 2, Wingate. Two-base hit—Babson. Hits by Harvard—7. Sacrifice hits—Crowther, R. Nash, Double play—Wingate to Potter to Clark. Struck out—By Conzelman 12; by Felton 1; by Hardy 7. First base on balls—Off Conzelman 10; off Felton 5; off Hardy 5. Wild pitches—Conzelman 4. Passed balls—Snell 2. Time—2h.

## BROWN 2, HOLY CROSS 3

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| Crowther, r. f..... | 3  | 2  | 1  | 1 | 0 |
| Dukette, 2b.....    | 2  | 1  | 2  | 1 | 0 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 4  | 1  | 2  | 1 | 1 |
| Snell, c. ....      | 4  | 0  | 8  | 2 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 4  | 1  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 2  | 0  | 8  | 0 | 0 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 4  | 2  | 1  | 2 | 1 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 4  | 0  | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Warner, p. ....     | 3  | 0  | 0  | 3 | 0 |
| *Henry .....        | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 |

Totals .....31 7 27 10 2

Innings ..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Holy Cross..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3—3  
Brown ..... 1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—2

Runs — Ostegren, Twomey, Kennedy—3; Crowther, Loud—2. Stolen bases—Murray, Crowther, Reilly, Durgin. Sacrifice hits—Cawley, Dukette 2. Hits by Holy Cross—6. Double play—Twomey to Ostegren. Struck out—By Dube 6; by Warner 6. First base on balls—Off Dube 1; off Warner 1. Passed ball—Gans. Hit by pitched ball—By Dube—Durgin. First base on errors—Holy Cross 2; Brown 1. Left

on bases—Holy Cross 6; Brown 6. Umpire—McLaughlin. Time—1h. 55m.

\*Batted for Warner in ninth inning.

### BROWN 0, AMHERST 3

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| Dukette, 2b.....    | 4  | 0  | 2  | 2 | 0 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 4  | 2  | 2  | 2 | 2 |
| Snell, c.....       | 4  | 1  | 7  | 1 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 3  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 3  | 2  | 9  | 0 | 1 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 3  | 1  | 0  | 1 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 3  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Conzelman, p.....   | 1  | 0  | 1  | 2 | 0 |
| Warner, p.....      | 1  | 0  | 0  | 2 | 0 |
| *Tewhill.....       | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 |

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|--------------|----|---|----|----|---|
| Totals.....  | 31 | 6 | 24 | 10 | 3 |
| Innings..... | 1  | 2 | 3  | 4  | 5 |
| Amherst..... | 0  | 0 | 3  | 0  | 0 |

Runs—Fitts, Kimball, Decastro—3. Stolen bases—Reilly. Hits—Off Conzelman 4 in 4 innings; off Warner 2 in 4 innings. Two-base hits—K. Nash, Fitts. Hits by Amherst—6. Left on bases—Amherst 6, Brown 4. Struck out—R. Nash 2, Williamson 2, Loud, Tewhill, Burt, Crowther, Snell, Reilly, Whitman, Warner. Umpire—Barnett. Time—1h. 40m.

\*Batted for Conzelman in fifth.

### BROWN 4, TUFTS 5

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|                     | ab | 1b | po | a | e |
|---------------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Crowther, r. f..... | 3  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 1 |
| Dukette, 2b.....    | 4  | 1  | 0  | 5 | 1 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 2  | 1  | 3  | 4 | 1 |
| Henry, c.....       | 3  | 0  | 6  | 1 | 1 |
| Snell, c.....       | 1  | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 4  | 0  | 14 | 0 | 0 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 3  | 0  | 1  | 1 | 1 |
| Dike, l. f.....     | 3  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Cram, p.....        | 3  | 1  | 0  | 3 | 0 |
| *Loud.....          | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| †Tewhill.....       | 1  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| ‡Conzelman.....     | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 |

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|--------------|----|---|----|----|---|
| Totals.....  | 29 | 6 | 27 | 15 | 5 |
| Innings..... | 1  | 2 | 3  | 4  | 5 |
| Tufts.....   | 2  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| Brown.....   | 2  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 1 |

Runs—Lee 2, Qualters 2, Merzynski, Lawry—5; Crowther 2, K. Nash, Durgin—4. Stolen bases—Lawry, Hooper 2, Crowther 4, K. Nash. Two-base hit—R. Nash. Three-base hit—K. Nash. Sacrifice hits—Lawry, Qualters. Hits by Tufts—5. Struck out—By Cram 6; by Adams 7. First base on balls—Off Cram 3; off Adams 5. Hit by pitched ball—By Cram—Lawry. First base on errors—Brown 2; Tufts 1. Left on bases—Brown 6; Tufts 4. Um-

pire—Byrne. Time—1h. 50m. Attendance—500.

\*Loud batted for Reilly in ninth inning.

†Tewhill batted for Dike in ninth inning.

‡Conzelman batted for Cram in ninth inning.

### BROWN 2, HARVARD 1

#### BROWN

|                     | ab | 1b | po | a | e |
|---------------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Crowther, r. f..... | 3  | 1  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Dukette, 2b.....    | 2  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 3  | 0  | 1  | 3 | 1 |
| Snell, c.....       | 4  | 0  | 5  | 1 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 3  | 1  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 4  | 2  | 12 | 1 | 0 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 4  | 2  | 1  | 2 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 2  | 1  | 5  | 1 | 0 |
| Warner, p.....      | 2  | 0  | 0  | 3 | 1 |

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|--------------|----|---|-----|----|---|
| Totals.....  | 27 | 7 | *26 | 11 | 2 |
| Innings..... | 1  | 2 | 3   | 4  | 5 |
| Brown.....   | 0  | 1 | 0   | 0  | 0 |
| Harvard..... | 0  | 0 | 0   | 0  | 1 |

Runs—Loud, Reilly—2; Wingate—1. Stolen bases—K. Nash, Durgin, Loud, Bolton. Two-base hit—Babson. Three-base hit—Durgin. Sacrifice hits—Dukette, Warner. Sacrifice fly—Dukette. Hits by Harvard—3. Struck out—By Warner 5; by Hardy 1; by Bartholf 4. First base on balls—Off Warner 4; off Hardy 3; off Bartholf 1. Wild pitch—Bartholf. Hit by pitched ball—By Warner—Wingate. Left on bases—Brown 8; Harvard 7. Umpires—Bedford and O'Rourke. Time—1h. 50m. Attendance—5000.

\*Babson out on third strike foul bunt.

### BROWN 7, AMHERST 0

#### BROWN

|                     | ab | 1b | po | a | e |
|---------------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Crowther, r. f..... | 3  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Dukette, 2b.....    | 4  | 2  | 3  | 1 | 1 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 3  | 0  | 2  | 4 | 1 |
| Snell, c.....       | 3  | 0  | 9  | 1 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 3  | 1  | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 3  | 2  | 8  | 1 | 1 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 4  | 3  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 3  | 1  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Warner, p.....      | 3  | 1  | 0  | 4 | 0 |
| Cram, p.....        | 1  | 0  | 0  | 0 | 0 |

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|--------------|----|----|----|----|---|
| Totals.....  | 30 | 10 | 27 | 11 | 3 |
| Innings..... | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5 |
| Brown.....   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 4 |
| Amherst..... | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1 |

Runs—Loud 2, Durgin 2, Dukette, Reilly, Warner—7. Home run—Durgin. Sacrifice hits—Crowther, Snell, R. Nash 3. Hits by Amherst—0. Double plays—Fitts to Vernon to Strahan; Williamson to Fitts. Struck out—By Warner 7; by Cram 1; by Whiteman 1. First base on balls—Off Warner 1; off Whiteman 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Whiteman—K. Nash. First base on errors—Brown 2; Amherst 1. Left on bases—Brown 5; Amherst 1. Umpires

—Lincoln and Byrne. Time—1h. 28m. Attendance—1500.

\*Batted for Whiteman in ninth.

#### BROWN 4, CORNELL 1

##### BROWN

|                     | ab | 1b | po | a | e |
|---------------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Crowther, r. f..... | 3  | 2  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Dukette, 2b.....    | 5  | 2  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 5  | 1  | 2  | 5 | 0 |
| Snell, c.....       | 4  | 1  | 13 | 3 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 3  | 1  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 3  | 2  | 7  | 0 | 0 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 2  | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 3  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Conzelman, p.....   | 4  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 |

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|---------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Totals .....  | 32 | 11 | 27 | 9 | 0 |
| Innings ..... | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4 | 5 |
| Brown .....   | 0  | 0  | 0  | 1 | 0 |
| Cornell ..... | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0 | 0 |

Runs—Snell, Durgin, Reilly, R. Nash—4; Bills—1. Stolen bases—K. Nash, Durgin, Halsted. Three-base hits—Halsted, Butler. Home run—Snell. Sacrifice hits—Crowther, Durgin. Hits by Cornell—5. Double play—Nisbet to Clute. Struck out—By Conzelman 12; by Nisbet 1; by O'Connor 1. First base on balls—Off Conzelman 6; off Nisbet 4; off O'Connor 2. Wild pitch—Nisbet. Left on bases—Brown 11; Cornell 9. Umpire—Bedford. Time—1h. 55m. Attendance—3000.

#### BROWN 2, HOLY CROSS 0

##### BROWN

|                     | ab | 1b | po | a | e |
|---------------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Crowther, r. f..... | 3  | 0  | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Tewhill, 2b.....    | 4  | 0  | 2  | 1 | 0 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 4  | 0  | 3  | 1 | 0 |
| Snell, c.....       | 4  | 3  | 4  | 1 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 4  | 1  | 0  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 4  | 1  | 13 | 1 | 0 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 4  | 1  | 0  | 3 | 1 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 4  | 1  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Warner, p.....      | 4  | 1  | 0  | 3 | 1 |

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|------------------|----|---|----|----|---|
| Totals .....     | 35 | 8 | 27 | 10 | 2 |
| Innings .....    | 1  | 2 | 3  | 4  | 5 |
| Brown .....      | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0 |
| Holy Cross ..... | 0  | 0 | 0  | 0  | 0 |

Runs—Snell, Loud—2. Two-base hits—Snell, Reilly. Stolen base—R. Nash. First base on balls—Off Lynch 1. First base on errors—Brown 1, Holy Cross 2. Left on bases—Brown 6, Holy Cross 2. Hits by Holy Cross—1. Struck out—By Warner 4; by Lynch 3. Passed ball—Gans. Wild pitch—Lynch. Umpire—Conway. Time—2h.

#### BROWN 5, ALUMNI 4

##### BROWN

|                     | ab | 1b | po | a | e |
|---------------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Crowther, r. f..... | 2  | 1  | 1  | 0 | 0 |
| Tewhill, 2b.....    | 3  | 2  | 1  | 1 | 0 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 3  | 1  | 2  | 0 | 0 |
| Snell, c.....       | 2  | 0  | 8  | 2 | 0 |

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|--------------------|---|---|---|---|---|
| Henry, c.....      | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....    | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....    | 3 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Reilly, 3b.....    | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f..... | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Redington, p.....  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Cram, p.....       | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Conzelman, p.....  | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

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|---------------|----|---|----|---|---|
| Totals .....  | 24 | 8 | 18 | 5 | 0 |
| Innings ..... | 1  | 2 | 3  | 4 | 5 |
| Varsity ..... | 1  | 0 | 1  | 0 | 1 |
| Alumni .....  | 2  | 0 | 0  | 0 | 1 |

Runs—Crowther 2, K. Nash, Henry, R. Nash—5; Dennis, Fultz, Paine, Budlong—4. Stolen bases—Crowther, K. Nash 2, Dennie. Two-base hit—Donovan. Three-base hits—Crowther, Paine, Staff. Hits by Alumni—5. Struck out—By Redington 2; by Cram 5; by Bliss 2. First base on balls—Off Redington 2; off Cram 2; off Bliss 1; off Staff 1. Hit by pitched ball—By Cram—Dennie. Hits—Off Redington 2 in 2 innings; off Cram 1 in 3 innings; off Conzelman 2 in 1 inning; off Bliss 5 in 5 innings; off Staff 3 in 1 inning. Umpire—Byrne. Time—1h. 45m. Attendance—6000.

#### BROWN 8, YALE 2

##### BROWN

|                     | ab | 1b | po | a | e |
|---------------------|----|----|----|---|---|
| Crowther, r. f..... | 4  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 1 |
| Tewhill, 2b.....    | 5  | 1  | 3  | 2 | 1 |
| K. Nash, s. s.....  | 5  | 1  | 1  | 2 | 0 |
| Snell, c.....       | 5  | 4  | 6  | 1 | 0 |
| Loud, l. f.....     | 4  | 1  | 3  | 0 | 0 |
| Durgin, 1b.....     | 1  | 0  | 9  | 0 | 0 |
| Reilly, 3b.....     | 4  | 3  | 1  | 2 | 0 |
| R. Nash, c. f.....  | 4  | 0  | 2  | 0 | 1 |
| Warner, p.....      | 3  | 0  | 0  | 4 | 0 |

|               |    |    |    |    |   |
|---------------|----|----|----|----|---|
| Totals .....  | 34 | 10 | 27 | 11 | 3 |
| Innings ..... | 1  | 2  | 3  | 4  | 5 |
| Brown .....   | 3  | 0  | 0  | 1  | 0 |
| Yale .....    | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0  | 0 |

Runs—Crowther, Tewhill 2, K. Nash, Snell 3, Durgin—8; Schofield, Riddell—2. Stolen bases—Crowther, Snell, Durgin, Schofield. Two-base hits—Snell, Loud Reilly. Three-base hit—Tewhill. Hits by Yale—9. Double play—K. Nash to Tewhill to Durgin. Struck out—By Warner 4; by Gile 5. First base on balls—Off Warner 3; off Gile 5. Wild pitch—Gile. Hit by pitched ball—By Gile—Durgin. First base on error—Brown. Left on bases—Brown 9; Yale 6. Umpire—Bedford. Time—1h. 40m. Attendance—5000.

#### SUMMARY OF THE SEASON

Saturday, April 6, Providence International League at Melrose Park, Providence, 2-1.

Wednesday, April 10, Bowdoin at Providence, 5-4.

Saturday, April 13, Wesleyan at Providence, 5-2.

Wednesday, April 17, Massachusetts "Aggies" at Providence, 10-1.

Saturday, April 20, Princeton at Providence, 1-2.

Wednesday, April 24, Bates at Providence, 3-2.

Saturday, April 27, University of Pennsylvania at Providence, 9-3.

Wednesday, May 1, Vermont at Providence, 5-2.

Saturday, May 4, Colgate at Providence, 11-9.

Tuesday, May 7, Cornell at Ithaca, 1-3.

Wednesday, May 8, Princeton at Princeton. Rain; no game.

Friday, May 10, Rhode Island College at Providence, 3-0.

Saturday, May 11, Lafayette at Providence, 11-2.

Wednesday, May 15, Yale at New Haven, 3-1.

Saturday, May 18, Notre Dame at Providence, 13-0.

Wednesday, May 22, Harvard at Cambridge, 5-4.

Saturday, May 25, Holy Cross at Providence, 2-3.

Thursday, May 30, Yale at Providence, rain.

Saturday, June 1, Amherst at Amherst, 0-3.

Wednesday, June 5, Tufts at Providence, 4-5.

Saturday, June 8, Harvard at Providence, 2-1.

Wednesday, June 12, Amherst at Providence, 7-0.

Friday, June 14, Cornell at Providence, 4-1.

Saturday, June 15, Holy Cross at Worcester, 2-0.

Wednesday, June 19, Alumni at Providence, 5-4.

Thursday, June 20, Yale at Providence, 8-2.

Games won by Brown 19, lost 5.

## CECIL RHODES'S DREAM

### LUNCHEON GRILL—XIX

"I leave my entire estate in trust to and for the establishment, promotion and development of a secret society, the true aim and object whereof shall be the extension of British rule throughout the world, the perfecting of a system of emigration from the United Kingdom and of colonization by British subjects of all lands where the means of livelihood are attainable by energy, labor and enterprise, and especially the occupation by British settlers of the entire continent of Africa, the Holy Land, the valley of the Euphrates, the islands of Cyprus and Candia, the whole of South America, the islands of the Pacific not heretofore possessed by Great Britain, the whole of the Malay Archipelago, the seaboard of China and Japan, the ultimate recovery of the United States of America as an integral part of the British Empire, the inauguration of a system of colonial representation in the Imperial Parliament which may tend to weld together the disjointed members of the empire, and finally the foundation of so great a power as to hereafter render wars impossible and promote the best interests of humanity."

Such was the dream of Cecil Rhodes embodied in the most fantastic will that the hand of man ever penned, and the attempt to fulfil which, instead of forcing universal peace upon the world, would have brought hot war upon its trail, and

if it had succeeded would have subverted all peoples' liberties as it did those of the Boer Republics.

Doubtless the jingoism of Disraeli, who two years previously had without warrant bought the khedive's shares in the Suez Canal, resulting in an English protectorate over Egypt, had seized upon Rhodes's imagination and suggested a world crusade, and the glitter of an endless supply of priceless diamonds had bred in his mind visions of power which in the name of the British Empire would have overcome the world.

Riding over the desolate veldts among the lonesome kopjes in contact with inferior races, his wild fantasies had no check. A well-developed vanity also was displayed in the item of his will directing that \$20,000 per annum should be spent on or around his wild burial place among the Mattopos hills, and also in his eight years' efforts to obtain an Oxford degree. University College, Oxford, refused to matriculate him, as he did not propose to read for honors, but referred him to Oriel, where they were more lenient, and there he skimmed through. What a travesty on a university education was Cecil Rhodes with a prayer-book in his pocket out in the turmoil of the diamond camps, learning by heart the Thirty-nine Articles in order to obtain a degree at Oxford!

Were you an Englishman you might

bow down before Cecil Rhodes's wealth and worship his imperialism, tramping down the liberties of nations; but being an American, whose passion for individualism he could not understand, you can only regard his gathered millions as adventitious and his jingoism as the acme of a Briton's selfishness. He was undoubtedly a big man in many ways and sought after and developed big things, but it must be also remembered that big opportunities were placed directly in his path, and but for the discovery of diamonds and gold in his neighborhood he would likely have been as unknown as any of the Zulus along the borders of his great possessions.

It would be an ungracious position to assume the part of a critic towards such a generous and philanthropic character as Mr. Rhodes surely was, but yet it must be acknowledged that his narrowly restricted obsession that the men of the British Isles were God's chosen people like the Israelites of old, to whom the nations of the earth and the isles of the sea should bow down, and who only should possess the earth, brought him countless enemies and caused his political downfall.

When Fortune was pouring into his capacious lap gold and diamonds without stint, why could she have not flooded his brain with a more spiritual sense of man's higher destiny and instilled in him passionate cravings to serve in the van of those who fight for the people's freedom and advancement? With such God-given patriotism he might have been another George Washington and become the president of the South African Republic, receiving the ambassadors of other nations with dignity instead of bowing the knee in humiliation before the high commissioner of a brutal ruling power.

The DeBeers consolidated diamond mines and the consolidated gold fields of South Africa, however, reveal Cecil Rhodes as a skilful, grasping monopolist, who, by combination with others of his like, restricts the product and makes the world pay twice as much as it ever did before for what nature very freely gave to him; and it may be truly said that the amount of his beneficence annually enjoyed by the Rhodes scholars from this country is but a bagatelle beside the amount exacted from this

country each year in the increased price of diamonds. The restraint of trade, predatory wealth and privilege may be encouraged under the British constitution, but in this country the law pursues them.

Cecil Rhodes made two other wills of the same intent as his first, but with different trustees. His fourth will, however, is the one with which we are most concerned. In this last will and testament his attempt to anglicise the world takes a different and milder turn. In this will he makes a devisent estimated at about ten millions of dollars to support at Oxford University, for three years each, about fifty-seven young men from the colonies, about one hundred from the United States of America and fifteen from Germany. Each Rhodes scholar from Germany is to receive \$1250 per annum and all the others \$1500 per annum. This second dream of Cecil Rhodes contemplated the attraction to Oxford of the leading spirits among the youth of America and the British colonies who should become acquainted with the best traditions of English policy, and impress upon the Oxford undergraduates the great ideas prevailing in their own countries, returning home to become leaders in public life and upon whose friendship England could depend.

The requisites for a Rhodes scholar were four: First, scholarship; second, athletic prowess or participation; third, manliness and truth, and lastly, moral force and leadership with decided altruism, which latter attributes, he says, will be likely in after life to guide him to esteem the performance of public duties as his highest aim.

Like all dreams this one of Mr. Rhodes must be exposed to the broad daylight of common sense to see if it is pregnant with augury of future good. Provided that every provision of Mr. Rhodes were completely exemplified, there would likely return to the United States each year one-third of its contingent, or about thirty-two Rhodes scholars, to leaven the lump of over ninety million people. They will meet and contend with as able if not abler men who have spent the three years in our own superior higher schools and in an American atmosphere, and they will be quickly absorbed and with some exceptions most likely forgotten.

Then the question comes up where and how to get these thirty-two paragons each year. It is not the genius of American college boys to pose as goodies, nor is it their desire to have the professors point them out as altruists or other superior beings. They will compete openly and fairly for all sorts of prizes, but they dislike exceedingly to have their moral virtues dissected and exposed as in a public clinic before their fellow students. An appeal has come from the Phi Beta Kappa Association at Oxford to the chapters in this country to use their efforts to send over better scholars. An Oxford don, who lately travelled in this country, says "his inquiry, 'were we sending our best men over to Oxford?' was met with friendly derisive laughter." If, however, he had asked that question at Brown, he would have been told that all the Rhodes selections were excellent scholars. Of the six sent over four were elected to Phi Beta Kappa in junior year and one in senior year, and the other was worthy of it, but was ineligible, as he had not spent all of his four years at Brown.

But Cecil Rhodes wanted our best all-around men, the forceful leaders at all points, and it must be confessed they do not go. The question is pertinent, why should the pick and leadership of our American college product care to spend three years among the old-time educational methods of Oxford University? Why should the ambitious minds of our best youth, eager to meet and grapple with the world, wish to sacrifice their advancement in order to pass their time for three most precious years amid aesthetic and unnatural surroundings, hobnobbing with the scions

of an effete aristocracy and the heirs of a demoralizing wealth?

The Oxford way of those in residence is to be where they please and do what they please, mostly boating in term time, and to cram with a tutor in vacation, and the vacations taken together make up about half the year. The American student wants to study in term time and save his money to spend on travel during vacations. If he wants to impress himself on the undergraduates of Oxford he must treat and spend. Which shall he forego, popularity or travel?

If Mr. Rhodes had lived in America and known the American temperament better, he would have left his scholarships among the prominent American universities to provide travelling fellowships of one or two years for the leaders among the graduates. Then he would have reached more and better results for American youth and the honor of his name. The influence of a few hundred Rhodes scholars in our country's councils of the future, it appears, may be found to be a negligible one, since there is no inducement to attract the ideals of Mr. Rhodes, and mere scholars and book worms were not what he was after. To a young man contemplating the cloistered life of a professor, Oxford gives an ideal opportunity, but the ardent host of advancing liberal thought and social evolution has long since left high church aristocratic Oxford far behind like a wayside chapel whose ivied turrets and cloistered demesnes fascinate the visitor and recall the treasured traditions of many of England's greatest statesmen, both secular and priestly.

*Robert P. Brown*

## CAPTAIN TABER AT STOCKHOLM

Although Captain Norman S. Taber of the Brown University track and field team did not win the fifteen hundred metre race in the Olympic games at Stockholm, July 10, he came about as near as one could come and lose. The day before he had won his heat against a German and an English competitor. In the finals there were seven runners, representing several nations, and the race was run, in time that broke the Olympic record by more than

six seconds, by A. N. S. Jackson of Oxford University, England, with Abel R. Kiviat of the Irish-American Athletic Club and Captain Taber so nearly tied for second place that the judges could not determine which had finished ahead and were forced to reserve their decision until they could study a photograph of the event. Then they gave second place to Kiviat, though Taber's time was adjudged exactly the same.

## CLASS REUNIONS

### SIX HUNDRED BROWN MEN RENEW COLLEGE FRIENDSHIPS AT COMMENCEMENT TIME

1862

On Tuesday, June 18, six of the members of the class of 1862 were in town and in the evening gathered about a table at the University Club, where they spent several hours in happy reminiscent talk of the days when they were undergraduates. There was no outing during the day.

Those who met and talked over the student days of fifty years ago were Joshua

Henry F. Colby, Dayton, O.; Darius L. Goff, Lyman B. Goff, both of Pawtucket; William D. Martin, this city; Lucian H. Niles, a banker, New York city, and Hon. Isaac W. Brooks of Connecticut.

1872

Twenty-two members of the class of 1872 were guests on Tuesday evening at the home of Robert Ives Gammell at his



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CLASS OF 1877  
Thirty-five-year Graduates at their Reunion

M. Addeman of this city, Professor Thomas L. Angell of Worcester, Colonel T. Fred Brown of Daytona, Fla., Rev. Addison Packer of Richmond, Ind., Colonel Christopher Rhodes, this city, and Dr. David S. H. Smith of St. Louis, former treasurer of the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

So far as is known, only 13 members of the class are now living, including Rev. Dr.

home on Benefit street. A pleasant reunion, as usual, was the result.

1877

The class of 1877 celebrated its 35th anniversary at the Warwick Club, Julius Palmer, the president of the class, acting as host. Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock and dinner at 4.

During the afternoon letters were read

from classmates who were unable to attend and resolutions were adopted extending the sympathy of the class to the widow of Judge Christopher M. Lee, one of the three judges belonging to the class.

Announcement was made of the raising of \$1500 towards the endowment fund. The new donation was in addition to contributions which had already been made individually by members.

The reunion brought together 22 members of the class.

1879

Nineteen members of the class of 1879



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CLASS OF 1887

Brunonians a Quarter-Century Out of College

were entertained by Charles F. Chase at his home at 97 Waterman street. That the custom of holding annual informal reunions meets with favor was amply attested by the fact that about one-half of the total number of members of the class was present.

1882

Twenty-six members of the class of 1882 were present in the evening at the 30th annual reunion, held at the Hope Club. A dinner, followed by informal speech-

making, made up the evening's programme.

During the course of the evening enthusiasm was created by the announcement that individual members of the class had contributed \$2015 to the endowment fund.

George S. Taft, president of the class, acted as toastmaster and Professor Walter Ballou Jacobs was secretary.

1887

Members of the class of 1887, to the number of 26, spent a busy day, their annual reunion beginning in the early fore-

noon of Tuesday and not coming to a close until late in the evening.

By car and automobile the members of the class journeyed in the forenoon to the Longmeadow Club, where they first had a lunch, then, later in the day, a clambake. To Judge Frank S. Dietrich of the United States District Court, who came from Idaho, was awarded the distinction of being the delegate from the most distant point.

Other members of the class who have become prominent in public and profes-

sional lines were also present. All entered with zest into the various athletic contests that took place at Longmeadow during the afternoon.

In the baseball game it was a case of "brotherly love," for the captains of the respective teams were Alfred M. Quick and Howard P. Quick. They showed true brotherly spirit when, at the close of the contest, waged "bitterly" by the members of the teams, they voted unanimously to declare the game a tie. They refused,

showing at the 20th anniversary of their graduation. Colonel Frank W. Matteson, president of the class, was host, and the greater portion of the observance took place at the grounds of the Squantum Association in East Providence. The calling of the roll showed that 41 of the 59 graduates were present, and also three non-graduates.

The class assembled at noon at the University Club and proceeded in automobiles along the East Shore, down the Barrington

## The Class of 1902



however, to give out the number of runs scored, in justice to the pitchers and fielders.

The exercises at Longmeadow over, the members of the class came to this city, where they were entertained during the evening at the Providence Art Club, the guests of members of that organization.

1892

Ninety-two made a great numerical

boulevard, through East Providence, Riverside, Barrington, Nayatt Point, Rumstick Point and Warren. The class reached the Squantum grounds at 1:45 o'clock, and after lunch witnessed a baseball game between teams captained by H. H. Rice and B. S. Webb, which resulted 13 to 7 in favor of the Rice team. Bowling, pool and billiards occupied the remainder of the afternoon. The class also listened to music by Edmund B. Munger, a member of the class, a concert pianist of note, and

songs by Mr. Webb. Music was also given by an orchestra.

Dinner was served at 6:30 with President Matteson as toastmaster. James C. Collins, secretary, after the dinner, gave information concerning absent members of the class and called the roll of those present. During the dinner, songs printed by Mr. Webb were sung. Speeches were made after dinner by Colonel Matteson, Rev. Augustus P. Reccord, Charles Stickney of Elk Point, S. D., who came the

to the baseball game at Andrews Field. The visiting alumni were entertained while in the city by resident members of the class.

1896

The parlors at the Narragansett Hotel were the gathering place for the members of the class of 1896, and 20 members who received their degree that year met, dined and exchanged stories of days on the campus.



## 10-Year Graduates at Rocky Point

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longest distance to the reunion, Richard Olney, 2nd, Frank T. Easton, M. S. Brown, H. H. Rice, W. C. Leland and James A. Pirce. A speech was also made by Shehadi A. Shehadi, a graduate of Beyrut University, Syria, in 1892, and an adopted member of Brown, '92.

On Wednesday the class marched in a body in the commencement procession. Luncheon was served at the Hope Club, following which the class attended the speaking exercises at Sayles Hall and went

The reunion was entirely informal and those present enjoyed themselves to the limit. Brief addresses were made at the conclusion of the dinner, and it was well on in the evening when the gathering broke up.

1897

The Pomham Club Tuesday evening entertained about 50 members of the class of 1897. The reunion of this 15th-year class was one of the most enthusiastic and from

the time of first meeting until late in the evening there was a royal good time.

The class met at the Brown Union about noon, and after decorating themselves with badges, boarded the Pontiac and enjoyed a sail down the East Passage and about Bristol harbor. The boys landed at the Pomham Club about 5 o'clock and some of the baseball veterans got into a game which proved interesting all round.

At 7 o'clock the annual class banquet was served, William H. Thornley, first vice-president, as toastmaster. Everett Colby, the president, was a delegate to the Republican convention in Chicago and could not be present.

#### 1899 and 1904

Returning from their annual three-day pilgrimage to Pausacaco Lodge at Hamilton, the class of 1899 reached this city in time to participate in some of the functions on the hill and Tuesday evening to enjoy their annual dinner at the West Side Club. Incidentally they sat alongside the members of the class of 1904, something that has been done before many times, and, as a consequence, an evening of exceptional goodwill and merriment followed.

#### 1900

Twelve members of the class of 1900 gathered at 7 o'clock in the evening in the upper parlor of the Crown Hotel, where the annual reunion of the class was held. The dinner was informal and at its conclusion brief addresses were made by a number of those present.

Class Secretary Clinton C. White announced that the total contribution of the class to the endowment fund amounted to \$2200. The announcement was greeted with cheers for the university.

#### 1901

The reunion of the class of 1901 was held in the main dining room at the Crown and was of an entirely informal nature. Eleven members of the class were present and, after dinner, they whiled away an hour or two in reminiscences of their days upon the hill.

There was no set programme, but all hands were overflowing with Brown spirit and many were the stories told which

brought back pleasant recollections of by-gone years.

#### 1902

Always known as a loyal class, 1902 surpassed its previous records and returned four-score strong to celebrate its decennial. Under ideal weather conditions the members set sail down Narragansett bay on Tuesday morning with the captain of the Sagamore at the helm and Russell Richmond and "Jim" Bullock as messmates in the stern—and the captain had by far the more leisurely occupation. The ship called at Rocky Point about noon, where it was met by Philip Caswell, Jr., the class baby, who at once vied with Kirke Lincoln as the centre of attraction. A clam dinner followed, interspersed with songs, before adjourning to the ball field. The ball game was all that was expected, the winners playing like world champions and the losers deserving great credit for scoring at all. The teams lined up as follows, and that an idea of the game may be gleaned in the shortest space possible, those who played exceptionally good ball may be recognized by their names appearing in capitals:

#### WINNERS

|                       |                  |
|-----------------------|------------------|
| PHILLIPS, c.....      | SHAW, c          |
| Green, p.....         | SALAMON, p       |
| Paige, 1.....         | Littlefield, 1b  |
| Stiness, 2.....       | Capt. Coppen, 2b |
| PAINE, 3.....         | Ex-Capt. Ray, 3b |
| CAPT. BRIGGS, ss..... | Munroe, ss       |
| BAILEY, lf.....       | Pinkham, 1       |
| Smith, cf.....        | Bullock, cf      |
| Wilson, rf.....       | Haslam, rf       |

Score—Winners 7, Losers 1.

#### LOSERS

About 4 p. m. "Back to the yacht!" became the slogan, and a hasty retreat followed in anticipation of Roman sports upon the deep. These sports took form in aquatic events, of which the star item was a win by Barstow over Lincoln in a handicap swim around the ship, in which Lincoln got a flying start from the roof of the pilot house, but weakened noticeably at the finish. Dinner at the University Club crowned the Tuesday's celebration, and it was "some dinner." After graceful introductions by A. E. Munroe the class listened to "A No. 1" addresses by Elmer L. Corthell, Louis D. Brandeis, Professor Manatt, J. B. Littlefield and C. A. Phillips. Every speaker teemed

with Brown spirit and interesting thought. During the dinner a stone was presented to "Tony" Dexter, who came from California to be present, and "Cap" Paine received a loving cup for the birth of the most sons of Brown since the quinquennial. A. G. Chaffee led in the singing of his Brown songs, and cheers were frequent punctuations in the evening's programme. A costumed march to the ball game on Wednesday with stunts for the

private parlor of the Newman Hotel in the evening and made merry after the manner of Brown men.

It was about 8 o'clock when the last course of the dinner was served, and that was the signal for E. J. McCaffrey, toastmaster. Plenty of enthusiasm was generated by the starting of the plans for the class's decennial reunion next year, when an elaborate programme will be carried out.



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CLASS OF 1907

Five-Year Graduates in Fantastic Costume. "Britt" at the Right

benefit of the grandstand completed one of the best reunions the class has ever held. A souvenir history of the class was presented to every member in attendance.

*H. W. S.*

### 1903

Fifteen members of the class of 1903, which has not missed an annual get-together since its members received their diplomas nine years ago, gathered in a

### 1905 and 1906

The classes of 1905 and 1906 held their reunions together this year. The features of the occasion were a ball game on the Rumford diamond and a supper at the Wannamoisett Country Club. A large delegation from each class was present and cheered on its ball team in a hotly contested game full of unusual incidents and thrilling moments. Marble and DeWolf constituted the battery for '05, while

Tucker and Rackle and later Rackle and Sweeney performed a like service for '06. At the end of five innings as the result of many close decisions by Umpire Parkhurst the score stood 9 to 7 in favor of 1905.

By this time the supper was in order, so the two classes went across the fields to the club house. The steward did his part very acceptably and the men responded heartily.

In due course the chairs were pushed back and Bullock opened the exercises. William A. Spicer was elected toastmaster and called on nearly all present for remarks. During the evening it was voted to send an expression of sympathy to the wife of Rev. Elmer O. Weld, '05, who was killed by a motor bus in London the day before.

### 1907

The quinquennial celebration of the class of 1907 embraced a varied programme, which concluded with a joint dinner at the Hotel Belvedere at Bristol with the triennial class of 1909 and the one-year grads. of 1911.

The '07 men returned for the reunion in large numbers and began the observance with a luncheon at the Crown Hotel grill-room, where there was speechmaking by George Hurley, the toastmaster, H. B. Keen, Z. Chaffee, Jr., R. N. Dennett, Victor A. Schwartz and C. W. Way.

Following the luncheon, the quinquennialists boarded the steamer *Islander* at 2:30 o'clock and started for Hope Island. They were unable to land from the steamer at Hope Island, so continued to Almy's wharf, Tiverton, where the married men engaged the single men at baseball. The benedicts, captained by C. R. Stark, Jr., won 8 to 0 from the bachelors, led by H. B. Keen.

After a swim, the class re-embarked on the *Islander*, bound for the Hotel Belvedere at Bristol, where they joined '09 and '11. The triennial class and last year's graduates were lined up in front of the hotel and an old-time rush ensued. Dinner was served in the roof-garden to the accompaniment of cheers and songs and general merriment.

After 10 o'clock '07, with '09 and '11 as guests, boarded the *Islander* for this city, arriving at 11 o'clock.

### 1909

The triennialists of the class of 1909 began their reunion with a jolly dinner at the Hotel Blackstone in this city, and then journeyed to Crescent Park, where they were joined by 1911. The two classes got together for a ball game, in which the younger class showed the result of more recent experience on the diamond.

From Crescent Park '09 made its way to the Belvedere at Bristol in company with 1911, and was joined there by the quinquennial class of 1907 for a dinner in the roof garden.

### 1911

Fresh from one year's association with the wide world, the class of 1911 had an enjoyable reunion.

They started their celebration with a baseball game against the triennial class of 1909 at Crescent Park and beat the older men 5 to 4 in an interesting contest. The two classes went together to Bristol and joined '07 at a dinner at the Belvedere, returning home with '07 on the *Islander* late in the evening.

## ATTENDANCE AT CLASS REUNIONS

So far as reported, the attendance at the several class reunions on Tuesday, June 18, was as follows:

|                    |    |                    |    |
|--------------------|----|--------------------|----|
| Class of 1862..... | 6  | Class of 1900..... | 12 |
| Class of 1872..... | 22 | Class of 1901..... | 11 |
| Class of 1877..... | 23 | Class of 1902..... | 74 |
| Class of 1879..... | 19 | Class of 1903..... | 15 |
| Class of 1882..... | 26 | Class of 1904..... | 16 |
| Class of 1887..... | 26 | Class of 1905..... | 27 |
| Class of 1892..... | 44 | Class of 1906..... | 30 |
| Class of 1896..... | 20 | Class of 1907..... | 46 |
| Class of 1897..... | 59 | Class of 1909..... | 36 |
| Class of 1899..... | 20 | Class of 1911..... | 61 |

593

To this should be added 52 attendants at the dinner of the Associated Alumni.

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## SUCCESS OF THE FUND

It is highly gratifying to be able to announce the completion of the million-dollar addition to the funds of Brown University. To a great and loyal company some share of the praise belongs, but if it is desired to single out any persons from this numerous throng for special gratitude, mention may properly be made of the endowment committee appointed by the corporation—President Faunce, Mr. Kellen, Mr. Metcalf and Mr. Edwards—and Messrs. Buxton and Keen, the secretaries of the committee. There is glory enough, however, for all. Never before was there such a demonstration of the esteem and affection in which Brown is held. The city, the state and many communities outside the state united in striking proof of their approval of what the university stands for and aims to stand for in the future.

According to the latest report of Mr. Sweetland, treasurer of the university, as of April 15, 1912, the university funds are \$3,896,766.82, against \$3,758,926.35 a

year earlier. The increase, it will be seen, is \$137,840.47. When the new million has been paid in, the aggregate funds of the university will be close to five million dollars, a creditable total, even if it falls far short of the endowment of some other American institutions of the higher learning.

Some of these institutions, as reported in the 1912 issue of the World Almanac, have productive funds as follows:

## LESS THAN BROWN

|                                    |             |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| Dartmouth .....                    | \$3,548,321 |
| Northwestern .....                 | 3,306,842   |
| University of Washington.....      | 3,000,000   |
| Amherst .....                      | 2,600,000   |
| Western Reserve .....              | 2,579,505   |
| Oberlin .....                      | 2,134,225   |
| Bowdoin .....                      | 2,126,832   |
| Texas .....                        | 2,080,000   |
| Colgate .....                      | 2,000,000   |
| Vanderbilt .....                   | 1,800,000   |
| Trinity .....                      | 1,687,000   |
| North Dakota .....                 | 1,679,868   |
| Wesleyan .....                     | 1,637,034   |
| Haverford .....                    | 1,600,000   |
| Virginia .....                     | 1,583,792   |
| Vassar .....                       | 1,414,580   |
| Williams .....                     | 1,374,865   |
| Tufts .....                        | 1,289,703   |
| Catholic University of America.... | 1,250,000   |
| Swarthmore .....                   | 1,233,008   |
| Smith .....                        | 1,216,768   |
| Wellesley .....                    | 1,186,442   |
| Lehigh .....                       | 1,182,986   |
| Vermont .....                      | 700,000     |
| Bates .....                        | 660,078     |

## MORE THAN BROWN

|                             |              |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Columbia .....              | \$31,733,339 |
| Harvard .....               | 24,323,618   |
| Chicago .....               | 15,945,516   |
| Yale .....                  | 13,338,765   |
| Cornell .....               | 8,737,108    |
| Washington University ..... | 7,715,332    |
| Pennsylvania .....          | 6,277,483    |

## EQUAL WITH BROWN

It is fair to put in this category the following institutions whose funds about equal those of Brown, including the million dollars just raised:

|                     |             |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Johns Hopkins ..... | \$4,927,000 |
| Syracuse .....      | 4,857,002   |
| Princeton .....     | 4,168,900   |

We shall never equal the financial resources of some American universities; indeed it is unnecessary to desire any such lavish betterment of our fortunes. But the Alumni Monthly has faith to believe that Brown's endowment will steadily expand and that the influence and usefulness of the university will increase commensurately.

# TOPICS OF THE MONTH

## PHI BETA KAPPA

Rhode Island Alpha of Phi Beta Kappa, at its annual business meeting on Tuesday, June 18, elected the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Professor Albert G. Harkness, Litt. D.; vice-president, Robert P. Brown, A. M.; secretary, Professor James Q. Dealey, Ph. D.; treasurer, Hon. Charles C. Mumford, A. A.; nominating committee, Professor Winslow Upton, Sc. D., Charles T. Dorrance, A. B., Harold C. Field, A. B., William H. Eddy, Ph. D., Zechariah Chafee, Jr., A. B.; committee on arrangements, Professor Walter G. Everett, Ph. D., Dr. George T. Spicer, A. M., Norman M. Isham, A. M.; auditing committee, Walter J. Towne, A. M., William W. Moss, A. M.; committee on new chapters, Professor James Q. Dealey, Ph. D., Professor Walter B. Jacobs, A. M., Charles A. Phillips, A. B.

After considerable discussion it was voted to postpone action on the proposed indorsement of the plan for a Phi Beta Kappa chapter at the University of Oxford. It was also voted to dispense with the biennial literary exercises of the society, but the four general officers were appointed a committee to propose possible substitutes for these exercises.

The meeting was attended by nearly fifty members and much interest was manifested.

## ALUMNI DINNER

Success attended the first annual alumni dinner on Tuesday evening, June 18. The annual meeting of the Associated Alumni has for years been unsatisfactory in point of interest and attendance, and this year the Alumni Monthly joined with the officers of the alumni association to try the experiment of a dinner at the gymnasium, to be open to all Brown men, but designed especially for those not having class reunions. The same idea has proved highly successful at Yale, where the function is fancifully called the dinner of the class of 1492. Here it has been suggested that it might be designated the dinner of the class of 1764—or perhaps 1769 would be

better, as that was the year in which the first Brown class was graduated.

Fifty-two plates were laid at the dinner, and before the evening was over more than a hundred alumni were in attendance. There were good short speeches by President Faunce and others, and the spirit of the occasion was so cheerful and agreeable that it was generally concluded that next year would see the dinner an established and popular part of the proceedings of commencement week.

Incidentally, the dinner this year was a financial success.

## AT THE MEETING HOUSE

The usual exercises were held in the First Baptist Meeting House. First came orations delivered by three members of the class of 1912, specially honored by selection for this part of the programme: Daniel L. Brown of Norwich, Conn.; William H. Robertson of Lonsdale, R. I., and John H. Williams of North Adams, Mass. "China, the Last Step in a World-Wide Democracy," was the theme of the first speaker. He held that the present revolution is a widespread movement throughout China, signifying a turning point in its history, challenging the co-operation of all nations.

William H. Robertson, who was also one of the speakers on class day, delivered an oration on the subject: "Charles Kingsley, Sociological Novelist of the Middle Nineteenth Century." Showing that the novels of Dickens and Thackeray are clearly greater works of art, the speaker nevertheless declared that Kingsley gave us a picture of the social ideals of the England of his day, "the currents and cross-currents of thought and feeling that thrilled England as a nation from coast to coast."

"An Ishmael Among Nations" was the subject on which John H. Williams, the final orator, spoke. It was this theme which won him the Gaston prize medal earlier in the year and gave him doubly a place on the day's programme. The idea which he unfolded was that the Haitians are attempting to work out their own prob-

lems of self-government, but without the sympathetic co-operation of other nations. He made a plea for more efficient aid by all countries in Haiti's extremity.

#### DEGREES IN COURSE

Degrees in course were conferred as follows:

|                             | Men | Women | Total |
|-----------------------------|-----|-------|-------|
| Bachelor of Arts.....       | 50  | 20    | 70    |
| Bachelor of Philosophy....  | 49  | 13    | 62    |
| Bachelor of Sc. in C. E.... | 23  | ..    | 23    |
| Bachelor of Sc. in M. E.... | 8   | ..    | 8     |
| Bachelor of Sc. in E. E.... | 8   | ..    | 8     |
| Master of Arts.....         | 20  | 10    | 30    |
| Master of Science.....      | 2   | ..    | 2     |
| Doctor of Philosophy.....   | 7   | ..    | 7     |
| Grand total .....           |     |       | 210   |

#### HONORARY DEGREES

Honorary degrees were conferred on the following:

##### LL. D.

Professor Ezra Ripley Thayer, dean of Harvard Law School.

Lewis Ezra Hicks, Ph. D., principal of Baptist College, Rangoon, Burma.

Inazo Nitobe, president of Imperial College, Kyoto, Japan.

##### D. D.

Rev. William Sheafe Chase, Brown, '81, canon and rector Christ Episcopal Church, Brooklyn.

Rt. Rev. James DeWolf Perry, Protestant Episcopal bishop of Rhode Island.

Rev. Robert Archibald Ashworth, Milwaukee.

##### L. H. D.

Professor Dana Carlton Munro, Brown, '87, professor of European history, University of Wisconsin.

##### D. Sc.

Professor William Joseph Hussey, University of Nebraska.

##### A. M.

Sydney Richmond Burleigh, artist, Providence.

William Colver Hill, Brown, '94, principal Central High School, Springfield, Mass.

All the recipients were present except Dr. Hicks.

#### EXERCISES AT SAYLES HALL

Subsequent to the exercises in the meeting house, luncheon was served to the alumni at the college, and after-dinner speeches were delivered at the annual exercises in Sayles Hall, at which Hon. William V. Kellen, '72, of Boston presided.

President Faunce roused great enthusiasm when he made the announcement that the million-dollar addition to the endowment funds of Brown had been secured. Other announcements included the gifts of the valuable engineering library of Elmer L. Corthell, '65, numbering about 7,000 volumes, which is to be maintained by an endowment of \$5,000; and the library that belonged to the late Colonel George E. Church of London.

After a paper by Lieutenant Governor Bliss, James Ford Rhodes, Esq., of Boston, the well-known historian, delivered a vigorous address in which the conservatism of Washington, Webster and Lincoln was eloquently presented. Mr. Rhodes came in for exceptionally hearty applause, being compelled to rise and acknowledge the spontaneous and prolonged approval of the audience.

Following Mr. Rhodes, Louis D. Brandeis, Esq., of Boston spoke on "Business—a Profession."

#### AFTER THE SPEECHES

At the conclusion of the speaking in Sayles Hall, on Wednesday afternoon, many of the alumni proceeded to Andrews Field, where the annual ball game between the 'varsity and a picked team of graduates was played. During the game five or six classes, which were celebrating their anniversaries, made merry in many and devious ways, arrayed in fantastic costume.

In the evening the annual reception given by President and Mrs. Faunce to the graduates of Brown was held at Sayles Hall.

#### A LONG COMMENCEMENT LINE

Major Henry V. A. Joslin, chief marshal of the commencement procession, reports between 900 and 1000 in line this year, not including the band. This is believed to beat the record.

# BRUNONIANS FAR AND NEAR

## Faculty

The Carnegie Institution of Washington has published a treatise by Professor Barus, entitled "The production of elliptic interferences in relation to interferometry."

Professor John Francis Greene, accompanied by C. C. Smith of the junior class, sailed from Boston, June 18, for a three months trip through England, Scotland and Ireland.

Professor Crowell sailed for Europe with his family June 18. He will spend the summer chiefly in Germany.

G. P. Putnam's Sons of New York announce for early publication "Glimpses of the Cosmos, a Mental Autobiography," by Professor Lester F. Ward. The work will form a collection of the author's minor writings and will comprise 12 volumes.

Professors Manatt, Damon, Fowler and Von Klenze will take their Sabbatical years during 1912-13.

Modern Language Notes for June contains a six-page article by Assistant Professor William T. Hastings of the English department on "Errors and inconsistencies in Defoe's Robinson Crusoe."

Bernard A. Leonard of De Pere, Wis., has placed in the archives of the university some very interesting silhouettes of President Messer and his family.

Alfred H. Jones, Ph. D., instructor in philosophy at Cornell University, has been appointed assistant professor of philosophy at Brown University, and will take the courses hitherto taught by Dean Alexander Meiklejohn. This appointment comes as a result of the election of Dean Meiklejohn to the presidency of Amherst College. Dr. Jones will begin his work here at the opening of the fall semester. The new assistant professor is a graduate of Cornell and also took his doctorate from the same college. He then taught for one year at Dalhousie College in Nova Scotia, after which he returned to Cornell and became instructor in the philosophy department.

President Faunce and family are spending the summer at Lake Mohonk, N. Y.

Married, in Christ Church, Westerly, June 23, Miss Claire Bliven of Westerly and Mr. George Parker Winship, librarian of the John Carter Brown Library. Mr. and Mrs. Winship left immediately after the ceremony for the Adirondacks. Later they will visit Panama and Jamaica. They will be at home at 31 Benevolent st. after Oct. 1.

## Alumni

1850h

William Butler Duncan, A. M., died in New York city, June 20, 1912. He was born in

Edinburgh, Scotland, March 30, 1830, a son of Alexander and Sarah (Butler) Duncan of Providence. He was president of the Mobile and Ohio Railroad Co., 1874-88, and since then was most of the time chairman of the board of directors. He was also a director in the Atlantic Telegraph Co., the United States Guarantee Co. and other corporations. He was formerly president of the Butler Exchange Co. of Providence and a vice-president of the Butler Hospital. He was a member of the National Academy of Design, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the American Museum of Natural History, the Associated Alumni of Brown University and various other associations. He married, in New Orleans, Nov. 22 1853, Jane P. Sargent. Their children are A. Butler Duncan, Mrs. Wilton Phipps and Mrs. Paul Dana. He was buried in Providence. He had been for some time the oldest living honorary graduate of Brown.

1857

Franklin Ripley Barrett died Jan. 5, 1912. He was born in Portland, Me., Jan. 21, 1835, a son of Charles E. and Elizabeth M. (Baker) Barrett. He was fitted for college at the Portland Academy. He was a member of the banking firm of Swan and Barrett. He was president of the Portland Savings Bank, director of the Canal National Bank, director of the Atlantic and St. Lawrence Railroad, director of the Portland, Saco and Portsmouth Railroad, secretary and treasurer of the Maine General Hospital, treasurer of the Female Orphan Asylum, Portland, vice-president of the Portland Benevolent Society, trustee of the Portland Public Library, member of the Maine Historical Society and the New England Historic Genealogical Society. He married, Aug. 15, 1872, Mary Dwight Boyd of Portland, who died March 8, 1878. He was a brother of George Potter Barrett, ex-'57, who died June 2, 1896. He is survived by his second wife, Lucia W. L. Barrett.

1860

Benjamin F. Pabodie, who is a certified public accountant at Montclair, N. J., was in attendance at commencement and at the annual reunion of the Ballou family.

1861

Henry S. Burrage was the orator at the dedication of the new building of the Fitchburg Historical Society, June 4. He spoke on the subject of historical collections. Fitchburg is Dr. Burrage's birthplace.

1867

Major Henry V. A. Joslin of Providence has been elected vice-president general of the Sons of the American Revolution. From April 29, 1874, to Jan 6, 1879, he was mayor's clerk, and

on the latter date was elected city clerk, resigning June 2, 1890, to accept the position of secretary of the Union Railroad Company. Since 1905 he has been in the tax department of the Rhode Island Company.

1870h

Rev. Augustus H. Strong, D. D., LL. D., on concluding forty years of service as president of Rochester Theological Seminary, has been chosen president emeritus and given the use of the president's house for life. He was also re-elected a trustee of the seminary.

1876

Dr. Henry A. Whitmarsh was toastmaster at the annual banquet of the New York Homeopathic Medical College held on May 30 in the Hotel Astor.

1877

William Grant Van Horne is judge of the International Court of First Instance at Alexandria, Egypt. His address is at Schultz, a suburb of Alexandria.

1878

John Cyrus Thomas died at St. Vincent's Hospital, Erie, Pa., Jan. 24, 1912, after an illness of two months. He was graduated from the Rochester Theological Seminary in 1881 and ordained to the Baptist ministry in the same year. He had charges at Palmyra, N. Y., 1881-5; Elyria, O., 1885-8; Erie, Pa., 1891-2, and New York city, 1893-6. His last pastorate was in the old 'Mariners' Temple, besides which he conducted a Jewish and an Italian mission. He was field secretary of the American Anti-Saloon League, 1897-1900, and superintendent of the Washington Anti-Saloon League at Seattle, Wash., 1901-5. After his arduous labors in Seattle, in which he secured the passage of an anti-gambling bill, he suffered a physical breakdown and retired to a farm in Pennsylvania, twelve miles from Erie, where he developed a self-supporting home for children. He married, June 11, 1904, Marguerite Beatrice Randolph, who survives him. At Elyria he edited the Sower, and he also published "Civic Progress in the Northwest."

H. C. Childs has been made superintendent of the Dane Street Congregational Sunday School and president of the Beverly Teachers' Association, Beverly, Mass.

1882

Rev. J. H. Spencer of Denver, Col., has been called to the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Colorado Springs. Mr. Spencer had a long and successful pastorate at North Adams, Mass., relinquishing it and going West on account of the condition of Mrs. Spencer's health.

1883

Alfred Williams Anthony was elected, May 7, a trustee of Newton Theological Institution for four years.

1884

Professor Alfred D. Cole, head of the department of physics of Ohio State University, has been granted leave of absence for the year 1912-13. It is probable that he will spend four months in research at the National Bureau of Standards, Washington, and a semester similarly at the University of Berlin, Germany. The physics department at Ohio State University now comprises one professor, five associate and assistant professors, two instructors, two assistants and three fellows.

Rev. A. E. Scoville preached the annual discourse to the local Grand Army Post and allied organizations in the First Baptist Church, Melrose, Mass., Sunday, May 26.

On May 14 John Daboll was elected secretary of the General Convention of the New Jerusalem in the United States of America. Mr. Daboll is also secretary of the Massachusetts Association of the New Jerusalem Church and president of the Massachusetts Sabbath School Conference of the same body. His address is Clark lane, Waltham, Mass. For seventeen years he was connected with the Mellin's Food Company of North America as secretary to its president, and in various other capacities, including a directorship. He left the company May 7, 1912, on account of changes in the management, and will now devote his entire time to the interests of the New Church organization.

1885

Dr. Frank E. Peckham is president of the New England Society of Physiotherapy, vice-president of the Providence Medical Association and secretary of the Boston Orthopedic Club.

1886

Thomas G. Rees will spend a year abroad in study and travel.

1887

Rev. Charles L. White, D. D., associate corresponding secretary of the Baptist Home Mission Society, is stated supply of the North Orange, N. J., Baptist Church.

1888

Dr. Charles E. Dennis, principal of the Hope Street High School, Providence, sailed for Europe June 22. He will travel through France, England and Switzerland, and will climb important mountains, returning in time for the opening of school.

1889

William H. Gardner is on the editorial staff of the Newark, N. J., Evening News. He writes editorial articles and also conducts a weekly religious and sociological department of the Saturday issue. His home is at Nutley, N. J., within trolley distance of Newark.

1891

F. D. Stidham's address is Hotel Lenox, Boston, Mass. He is the New England representa-

tive for the Automobile Blue Book Publishing Co.

Rev. George H. Ferris, D. D., of the First Baptist Church, Philadelphia, is to deliver a course of lectures before the summer school of Haverford College, on "The Heart of the Christian Message."

## 1892

Marshall S. Brown, professor of history and political science in New York University, delivered the commencement address at the Richmond Hill high school, New York city, June 26.

Wilfred C. Leland, ex-'92, is general manager of the Cadillac Motor Car Co., and is prominent in the two leading national automobile organizations. He married in 1897 Miss Blanche Mollyneaux Dewey, by whom he has one son, Wilfred C. Leland, Jr., now four years old.

## 1893

A. T. Belknap, professor of English at Franklin College, Indiana, will give two courses in literature at the summer term of Indiana University.

The address of Elliott F. Studley is Stoughton, Mass.

President-elect Meiklejohn of Amherst College will be inaugurated on Oct. 16. On June 26, Williams College bestowed upon him the degree of LL. D.

## 1894

Louis A. Roux, instructor in French and Latin at Newark Academy, Newark, N. J., since 1900, has been re-elected president of the Alliance Francaise of Newark for the year 1912-1913. This branch of the Alliance Francaise was organized in 1903 by Mr. Roux, who was its first secretary, and became its president in 1910. Mr. Roux also conducts two extension courses in French under the auspices of the Newark Institute of Arts and Sciences. All the other instructors in the institute are New York University professors. Mr. Roux has also been associate examiner in French for the College Entrance Examination Board since 1907.

Herbert D. Casey is spending the summer at Oak Bluffs, Mass. In the fall he will begin his duties as superintendent of schools at Springfield, Vt., having closed a three years' superintendency at Williamstown.

## 1895

J. F. Watts is pastor of the First Baptist Church at Northampton, Mass., his address being 296 Main st.

## 1896

Champlin Burrage's two-volume work on the Early English Dissenters is winning recognition as the most important study yet made in its field. The British Weekly, the leading Congregational paper in England, and the Baptist Times and Freeman, the leading paper of the

English Baptists, both review it extensively and highly commend it. The London Athenaeum of April 6 closes a five-column review of the work with these words: "We cannot praise too highly the industry of Mr. Burrage, and we cordially congratulate him on the result of his arduous labors, which must influence all future histories of English religion. Nor can we close our review of his volumes without making mention of the modesty with which he puts forth his facts, and the anxiety he always displays to appreciate the efforts of other workers in the same field. The volumes also contain beautifully executed facsimiles of title-pages and other documents." Appreciative reviews have appeared in America in the Review and Expositor and the Journal and Messenger.

A successful conference and retreat was recently held at Franklin College, Indiana, attended by seventy-five clergymen from all parts of the state. President E. A. Hanley, A. M., 1896, presided over the sessions. Dr. C. L. White, '87, was one of the speakers.

## 1897

Everett Colby was a Roosevelt delegate at large to the Republican National Convention from New Jersey. In the 40th anniversary number of the Newark Sunday Call he writes of a recent trip to India.

## 1898

Borden D. Whiting of East Orange, N. J., was lately selected as a member of the Republican National Committee to succeed Franklin Murphy. Mr. Whiting was state chairman for the Roosevelt campaign, and it is admitted that he managed it well. Even his opponents are generous in their praise of him. He was formerly president of the board of state railroad commissioners, and was active in the campaigns made by former State Senator Everett Colby, who is now his law partner.

Dr. Henry T. Summersgill, ex-'98, has been appointed superintendent of the New York Post-Graduate Medical School and Hospital. He received his preliminary medical education at the University of Virginia, graduating in 1900. Later, he served on the staffs of Bellevue Hospital and the New York Eye and Ear Infirmary. Following his terms of service in these institutions, Dr. Summersgill entered the employ of the Federal Government for service in the Panama Canal Zone, where he assisted in organizing hospitals and dispensaries. From 1904 to 1908 he was district judge as well as district physician of the district of Buena Vista.

## 1899

The address of Capt. Harrison T. Swain, U. S. M. C. (retired), is permanently, 5 Mason st., Nashua, N. H.

Lloyd Brown has recently taken a position as New York agent of the Ohio Ceramic Engineering Co. His residence is Yonkers, N. Y.

Born, August 31, 1911, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter B. Bullen, a son, George Bullen, 2nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Bullen and son have just returned to Japan to continue missionary work at Marioka, sailing from Seattle, June 18.

1900

Mrs. John F. Richardson announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Emily Martin Richardson, Radcliffe, '04, to Charles Huntington Porter of Boston.

1901n

First Lieutenant William E. Parker, U. S. M. C., is at present on duty in the First Brigade of Marines, Philippine Islands.

1902

The class of 1902 has issued its "Decennial Record," a handsome pamphlet of 52 pages.

Married, June 5, at Christ Church, Glen Ridge, N. J., Miss Helen Loesch, daughter of Mrs. Richard C. Loesch and Anthony H. Dexter of Pasadena, Cal. The best man was Courtland C. Earle, '03, of Fitchburg, Mass., and the ushers were David G. Wake-man of Montclair, N. J., Raymond Holme of Yonkers, N. J., Robert D. Chase, '11, of New York, and Evan Owen, '05, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Dexter will make their home at 645 North Hill, Pasadena, Cal.

Frederick H. Gabbi, who has been with the Industrial Trust Company of Providence for the past 10 years, has severed his connection with that institution and become a local representative of Baker, Ayling & Co., bankers and brokers, of Boston. Mr. Gabbi is a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity. Since leaving college he has been with the Industrial Trust Company in several positions and for the past five years or so as head bookkeeper, having charge of all the customers' accounts.

George Frederic Paddock received the degree of Ph. D. at the University of Virginia, June 12. His dissertation was on "Some adaptations and criticisms of spectroscopic orbit formulae, with an application to Eridanus."

1903

Born, April 21, 1912, in Providence, to Mr. and Mrs. Lionel H. Peabody, a son, Herbert Ward Peabody.

Born, June 8, 1912, to Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hastings, a son, Joseph Mercer Hastings.

1904

Elisha C. Mowry, who has for the last two years been associated with the law firm of Gardner, Pirce and Thornley of Providence, has recently severed his connection with that firm and is now connected with the city solicitor's office in Providence. His address is 704 Industrial Trust Co. building, Providence. The engagement of Miss Ida Russell Bartlett, daughter of the late Rear Admiral Bartlett, to Mr. Mowry is announced.

Born, in Raleigh, N. C., June 9, 1912, to Harold and Annie (Hinsdale) Joslin, a son, Harold Joslin, Jr.

C. W. Dealty is in the practice of law at 141 Milk st., Boston, Mass.

Rev. J. Hector Palmer, recently of Lonsdale, N. I., has been called to the pastorate of the Baptist church in Palmer, Mass. In 1910-11 he was the holder of a fellowship in Biblical Greek at the University of Chicago.

1905

Rev. Elmer O. Weld, assistant at Grace Episcopal Church, on the Heights, Brooklyn, N. Y., was run over and killed on June 17 by a motor bus in Cockspur st., London. He had left his hotel a short time before to take a stroll about the city. Mr. Weld was graduated from Brown in the class of 1905, and later completed a course at the General Theological Seminary in New York. He was 28 years of age and a native of Boston. The young clergyman and his wife, to whom he was married last October, sailed on May 31 for a vacation. They were expected to return home about the middle of July. Mr. Weld had been assistant at Grace Church for about two years. Mrs. Weld is the daughter of Rev. Joseph T. Duryea, pastor of Grace Reformed Church, Seventh av. and Fifty-fourth st., Manhattan. The young woman left her husband but a few moments before he met his death to go to her banker's. She did not learn of the tragedy until she returned to her hotel.

William J. Lamkie, who is doing valuable work at the Northampton Y. M. C. A., has recently declined a flattering offer to become extension secretary at the University of Wisconsin, owing to his interest at Northampton in community service.

1906

Dr. Alexander Manlius Burgess has accepted a position in the Montreal General Hospital, which carries with it an appointment as lecturer in the Medical School of McGill University.

Ralph C. Whitnack, who has been lecturing this year in economics at Brown in the absence of Professor Gardner from college exercises, journeyed by horseback to East Alton, N. H., on Lake Winnepesaukee, where he will spend the summer. Next year Mr. Whitnack will return to Harvard.

1906 and 1908

Born, May 28, to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Cook (Marjorie W. Stevens, '08), a daughter, Marjorie Whitney Cook.

1907

Henry W. Corp, who was engaged in civil engineering at Los Bancos, P. I., is now with the Manila R. R. Co., Manila, P. I.

A. Chester Snow was married to Miss Elizabeth Stuart Hughes at Hughesdale, R. I., on June 3. Among the ushers were Robert T. Burbank, '08, and William Pearson, '06. Mr. and Mrs. Snow will live after Oct. 1 at 23 Medway st., Providence.

Ralph N. Dennett was married to Miss Ellen Agnes Cutting at North Adams, Mass., on June 25. Harold L. Brown was one of the ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Dennett will live at 303 Bartlett av., Pittsfield, Mass., after Oct. 1.

Married, June 22, Professor Vernon K. Kriebel and Miss Laura K. Cassel. The ceremony was performed by Rev. L. S. Hoffman, '07. Professor Kriebel has been appointed as a lecturer in the chemical department of McGill University, Canada, where he was engaged as a demonstrator since he graduated from Brown. He has just received a gold medal from the Governor General of Canada for the best scientific research paper submitted during the year.

On June 1, 1912, Walter C. Slade was married in St. John's Episcopal Church, Jamaica Plain, Mass., to Miss Esther Keeling Greene of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, daughter of General and Mrs. George Greene. The bride's sister, Miss Ruth Greene, was the maid of honor, and Richard A. Sanders, '07, acted as best man. The ushers were R. D. Kettner, '05, H. W. Congdon, '06, W. K. Greene of Chicago, and Carlisle McIvor of Japan. Mr. and Mrs. Slade will reside at 328 South st., Pittsfield, Mass. Mr. Slade is with the Pittsfield plant of the General Electric Co., in charge of the metallurgical work.

Walter E. Hatch is with Herbert F. French & Co., certified public accountants, 166 Essex st., Boston, Mass.

William E. Bright is in business with his father in Scranton, Pa., in the manufacture of carriages and wagons, and also in the sale of engines and boilers. He is a director of the Green Ridge Bank of Scranton.

Victor E. Emmel, Ph. D., '07, of the department of anatomy of the Washington University Medical School, has an important article in Science for May 31, on "The origin of Erythrocytes by a process of constriction or budding."

#### 1908

Ensign Harold S. Burdick, ex-'08, U. S. N., is at present stationed on the U. S. S. Eagle, which is on special surveying service.

Earle W. Peckham has been appointed for his fourth year as principal of the high school at St. Albans, Vt.

Married in Providence, June 20, at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Clarence M. Godding, '78, on Benefit st., their elder daughter, Miss Louise Godding, and Robert Taylor Burbank, elder son of Mrs. Robert W. Burbank. The best man was Philip Burbank, '09, brother of the bridegroom, and the ushers were Messrs. W. E. Sprackling, '12, of Cleveland, O., Richard C. Floyd of Brookline, Mass., Paul Matteson, '06, and Elisha C. Mowry, '04, of Providence. Mr. and Mrs. Burbank will be at home at 16 Young Orchard av. after Sept. 1.

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Ellen E. Bergei of Raven Rock, N. J., to

Carl J. Hunkins of Hackensack, N. J., the marriage to take place early in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman L. Sammis of 427 West Brighthurst st., Germantown, Pa., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, June 23.

#### 1909.

Albert Harkness received in June the degree of Sc. B. from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. His graduation thesis was "A design for a small theatre on the estate of a wealthy playwright." He has accepted a position in the office of Jackson, Robinson & Adams, architects, of Providence.

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Marjory Bruce Stuart, daughter of Henry Clarence Stuart, of 450 Riverside drive, New York city, and Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., son of Justice Charles Evans Hughes, '81, of the United States Supreme Court. Miss Stuart's father is deputy collector of the port of customs in New York. Miss Stuart has just completed her sophomore year at Vassar, where her roommate is Miss Helen Hughes. Following his graduation from Brown, Mr. Hughes entered the Harvard Law School, where he has just completed his course. Although his parents now live in Washington, it is Mr. Hughes's intention to practice law in New York.

#### 1910

The engagement is announced of Harold L. Wheeler and Miss Kate Weston Tipton of Washington, D. C.

The address of Walter C. Cameron is 70 Blaisdell st., Auburn, R. I.

#### 1911

The engagement of Herbert B. Francis and Lydia H. Andrews, '11, is announced. Mr. Francis is registered in the class of 1913, Rochester Theological Seminary, Rochester, N. Y.

Charles A. Carman, A. M., '11, expects to enter Rochester Theological Seminary in September.

R. H. M. Canfield is in the bridge department of the Erie Railroad in New York city. His address is 662 Park av., Bridgeport, Conn.

The address of J. M. Montz is 1019 Linden av., Baltimore, Md.

The engagement of James Russell MacKay and Cynthia Bishop, ex-'12, is announced.

Julius Adolph Saacke has returned from Europe and has entered business with his father in Providence.

The engagement of Warren A. Sherman and Isabelle S. Wood, '10, is announced.

George R. Hill, ex-'11, has been acting as the mechanic for Tetzlaff, who with a Fiat broke the world's record for a mile at Los Angeles and won second place at Indianapolis in the motor race on Decoration day.

By act of legislation on Sept. 19, 1911, the name of Joshua Beliaevsky was changed to Joshua Bell, and he became on that day a citizen of the United States, having severed all connections with Russia.

E. F. Bliss is located with the Helburn Leather Co., at 178 William st., New York city, his home address being 321 W. 55th st.

#### 1912

K. J. Tanner is with the Providence Co-operative Buying Bureau, room 448, Butler Exchange, Providence.

C. E. Silcox, A. M., 1912, the retiring secretary of the Brown University Christian Association, will continue his theological studies at the Andover Theological Seminary, Cambridge, Mass., preparing for the Congregational ministry.

Arthur F. Newell has been appointed joint secretary of the Brown Union and the Brown University Christian Association during the year beginning July 1. Mr. Newell, whose home is in Boston, prepared for college at the Boston English High School and Colby Academy. He was vice-president of the Brown Union last year and president of the Brown Christian Association this year. He has been particularly prominent in debating and was captain of the 'Varsity team which defeated Dartmouth a year ago. He won the Hicks prize in debating last year and the Carpenter prize in oratory the year before. He has been a member of the glee club for four years and a member of the 'varsity quartette. He is the president of the Brown Musical Clubs and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa this year. He is a member of the Cammarian Club and chairman of the undergraduate endowment fund committee. He belongs to the Delta Upsilon.

William H. Dinkins has accepted a position on the faculty of Selma University, Selma, Ala.

Married, April 22, 1912, Joseph Banigan, ex-'12, and Miss Olive Loudon of Toronto.

Paul H. Francis and Kenley S. Bell are in the construction department of the N. Y., N. H. and H. R. R., at Providence. Harry M. Sutton is in the maintenance of way department.

Herbert W. Stanley has taken a position with Swift & Co. at Chicago. C. R. Klebes and H. P. Jones take similar positions in July.

Robert Wills and Irving R. Smith are with Post and McCord, New York, on steel frame structural work.

Harry W. Kenney and Clarence Miller have taken positions with the American Bridge Company. They will be located near Philadelphia.

Leon Elwood Smith of Block Island, who last month received the degree of bachelor of science from Brown, was educated at the expense of the Carnegie hero fund, as the direct result of his father's bravery in rescuing survivors of the Larchmont disaster. He is a son of George Elwood Smith, who was one of the men on the schooner Elsie when, through a bitter

cold night, that vessel defied the elements and rescued several persons. The Larchmont went down Feb. 12, 1907, and in May of that year the state of Rhode Island, the Carnegie hero fund and the United States combined to honor the bravery of those who performed the rescues. Medals and certificates were awarded, and money was given. In all, the Carnegie fund contributed \$22,000 "for the education of children or the purchase of homes." George E. Smith received \$2,000 for the education of his son, and it was this fund which took the young man through Brown. Leon E. Smith was graduated from the East Greenwich Academy in 1906. It is said that he has been offered a position in Pittsburgh with a large steel concern.

## Alumnae

#### 1901

Married, April 16, in the Chestnut Street Baptist Church, Philadelphia, Miss Grace June Jones and Charles Henry Brennan of Detroit, Mich. The bride was married by her father, Rev. Franklin J. Jones, and given in marriage by her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Brennan are living at 67 Avery av., Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Brennan is supervisor of purchases for the Hupp Motor Car Co.

Miss Saida N. Hallet and her mother have returned to Providence from Boston, where they spent the winter, and have opened their home on Barnes st.

#### 1906

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel N. Grammont have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Bessie Ballard Grammont, to Mr. James Howland Fenner of Lynn, Mass.

## BROWN CLUB IN NEW YORK

Amid the glare of red fire and lusty "Long Browns for Prexy Stanley" over fifty members of the Brown Club in New York tendered President Edward O. Stanley, '76, an enthusiastic reception at his home in East Orange, N. J., early in June, thereby closing the club's calendar of events for the year.

Long rows of Japanese lanterns and red torches placed about the house lent their artistic effect to the festivities of the evening. Familiar songs, such as "Massa's Ole Grey Mule," "Here's to Good Old Brown," and numerous parodies complimentary to President Stanley, sung until throats were sore, gave the affair a distinctly "get-together" atmosphere.

Although Mr. Stanley participated in every form of "deviltry" going with a spirit as young as when he was "on the Hill," yet at no time during the evening was he more pleasantly surprised than when he was presented with a gigantic loving cup, given him as a tribute of appreciation by the club members.

"Billy" Dorman, in making the presentation,

spoke of Mr. Stanley as the "father of the club" and described the rapid strides in the club's prosperity since its inception.

*R. C. Nason, '08*

(Excerpts from two of the songs follow.—Ed)

We are all good fellows,  
Each one the other's friend;  
We'll be good fellows  
Till all the world shall end.  
And while we're together,  
We'll give a rousing toast,

A health to E. O. Stanley,  
He's our president and host.

Oh, two years ago the Brown Club Boys  
Had a very, very bright idea.  
They elected Stanley president;  
'Twas a very, very bright idea.  
Give a cheer! Give a cheer!  
Give a cheer and shout hooray!  
For we love our loyal Stanley,  
'Cause he's Brown-bred and he's manly,  
Yea! Stanley is the hero of the day.

## IN LIGHTER VEIN

"What makes the judge scratch his head?"  
"Just another attempt at judicial recall."—  
Sphinx.

"Well, old sport, how do you feel? I've just eaten a bowl of oxtail soup and feel bully."  
"I've just eaten a plate of hash and feel like everything."—Yale Record.

Mrs. Eciu—Although I have been to school and college and am supposed to be educated, I always mix up these two countries—Rococo and Morocco.—Meggendorfer Blatter.

The college instructor should take due pains to practice what he preaches.

One member of a class in English composition brought his theme to the professor after recitation hour in order that the professor might read a marginal correction which he had written, and which the pupil had been entirely unable to make out.

"Why," explained the professor, "that says: 'Write more plainly.'"—St. Paul Dispatch.

Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, president of Cornell University, was walking across the campus one day with the dean of the college, when the chimes in the library began to ring.

"Dean," said he, "the music of those chimes is so beautiful that it always sets me dreaming of the past. My boyhood days—"

"What do you say?" interrupted the venerable dean.

"I say those chimes are very, very beautiful. They make me think—"

"What?" yelled the dignified old dean again.

"The chimes—the chimes—how beautiful—"

"Speak louder!" cried the dean once more, now thoroughly irritated "I can't hear you on account of those devilish bells."—Exchange.

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"Wife is just one sham thing after another," thought the husband as his spouse placed her teeth, hair, shape and complexion on the bureau.—Stanford Chaparral.

Policeman (to lady who has fallen)—Did you have vertigo?

Lady (who has fallen, to policeman)—No, only about two blocks.—Yale Record.

Dink—Heard the latest? It used to be Alice blue and Helen pink, but now it's—

Gink—Hetty Green?

Dink—Naw! Mistah Brown.—Minnehaha.

Ma—You've been drinking. I smell it in your breath.

Pa—Not a drop. I've been eating frog's legs. What you smell is the hops.—Harvard Lampoon.

Crawford—What do you think of teaching boys in the public schools cooking and sewing?

Crabshaw—The training will come in handy when they take female parts in college theatricals.—Life.

Skeptic—Are you any better off for getting married?

Victim—Yes, formerly I had good quarters.

S.—Well?

V.—Now I have a better half.—Stanford Chaparral.

First Freshman—It's too fine a day to waste any time indoors. Guess I'll cut my 10 o'clock.

Second Flittermouse—All right. Let's shoot some pool.

First Ditto—Sure!—Harvard Lampoon.

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