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The Fund now amounts to \$4800. The Alumnae Loan Fund for Freshmen has also been increased by a gift of \$200.

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WANTED: REFORM IN PUBLIC SPEAKING

There is a little story now going the rounds of the humorous columns about a public speaker who shouted from the platform: "We need tax reform, we need land reform, we need dress reform, we need church reform." And a man in the audience impolitely shouted in return: "You need chloroform."

The moral of the story is that reform is unpopular. Yet I am sure we need a good many kinds of reform, and in particular speaking reform.

Everybody has suffered from poor public speaking. It ought to be possible to make our public speakers highly efficient, to develop a science of effective public address, but year after year, at political rallies, at the dinners of commercial clubs and fraternal orders, at college commencements, at anniversary celebrations—and Sunday after Sunday at church, there is poured out an appalling flood of dubious speech, a tremendous mass of tedious talk. What is the matter?

There are so many things the matter that it is hard to pick and choose. To begin with, most speakers rate themselves too high. They recognize mediocrity and tediousness in others, but not in themselves. They are quick to see the folly of anyone else who tries the patience of his hearers, but they think they have some God-given right to patter on as long as they please. If we are brash enough to say to a friend: "Your talk last night would have been a good deal better if you had cut it short ten minutes," he is slow to believe us; and if he unwillingly admits the justice of our criticism, he is likely to add: "Yes, I know, but I wanted very much to

bring out that last point." As if he had any business to bore his audience on any pretext whatever! When will men see that as soon as they lose the sympathy and interest of their hearers they might as well be talking to the wind?

I knew a wise old clergyman years ago who said that he made a practice of cutting a minute off his sermons every year. On the other hand, I knew a younger minister who said that, so long as the branch of the Protestant Church to which he belonged adhered to its accustomed form of service, in which the sermon was the principal feature, he thought it incumbent on him to preach forty minutes. I wonder what his congregation thinks if he still preaches as long as that.

We have all heard ministers who preached "acceptably" for forty minutes or even more. But they do not grow on every bush. The question is not whether congregations ought to be willing to listen so long. Congregations are not willing, and unless a man can speak with the tongues of angels he cannot make them willing.

It is the same with after-dinner speaking. Most of it is dreary beyond words. If there are six speakers on the evening's program, we are lucky if we strike two that are worth leaving our comfortable firesides to hear. Now let us be perfectly frank about it. What is the matter? In most cases the speaker has not regarded his speaking from the point of view of artistic unity. The painter of a picture simply has to do so. If he does not study the picture as a whole, consider it as a sort of cosmos, insist upon its balance and coherence, and finally infuse

it somehow with the quality of imagination, it turns out a mere commonplace. The same is true of every other kind of art. But when we come to public speaking, not one man in ten who essays to practice it shows himself a respectable craftsman, to say nothing of being a real artist.

What is the matter? There is too little preparation, for one thing. I do not mean the kind of preparation that loads a man up with facts till he staggers like a pack peddler. I mean the kind of preparation that consists in paring down the facts, boiling down the arguments, cutting out the superfluities, sacrificing the merely rhetorical flourishes, and that sizes up one's audience not necessarily as hostile, but at best as mildly interested, and to be captured by nothing short of honest and intelligent effort.

The speaker too often smacks of the conviction that his audience ought to jump at the chance of hearing him say anything; whereas he is less likely to offend if he rises to his feet with the feeling that he rather than it deserves congratulations on their temporary relationship. Priscilla Mullins told John Alden that if she was not worth the wooing she was not worth the winning. And that is the way with audiences.

Of course we all have varying talents, on our feet as otherwise. We may possess the ultimate gift of charm, or we may lack it. We may be designed by nature to persuade or entertain or instruct our fellow men, or all these faculties may have been left out of us. But I venture to say that with rare exceptions public speakers by and large, as we see them and hear them in every community, are susceptible of substantial improvement. It is better to catch them when they are young, but young or old much can be done for them by judicious treatment.

The trouble is that it is nobody's business to provide the treatment, unless, perhaps, he is a newspaper critic—and

then his suggestions are likely to be set down to jaundice or prejudice or pure malevolence. After the clergyman leaves the seminary who is there to tell him his faults? He is forever abandoned, as most other public speakers are, to his oratorical frailties and idiosyncrasies, and if he manages to survive and overcome them instead of falling forever more slavishly under their sway, he is fortunate—and so are his hearers.

But, short of some ideal schooling for public speakers, the speaker can accomplish a good deal by self-instruction. He can watch other speakers and exact from himself a solemn pledge to avoid, so far as lies in his power, their plain pitfalls—the plainest of which is the pitfall of length. He can ask himself: "Do I wiggle my feet or hitch my shoulders, or sandwich my words with the unpardonable syllable 'er'? Do I offend against the accepted canons of taste? Do I mumble my words? Do I talk with my head too far down or my eyes too far up? Do I stroke my chin or reiterate a single gesture as if I had invented it and patented it and reserved all rights to it?"

"And first, last and always, do I interest my audience? Are these people in front of me wishing I would stop before I get to the end of what I have to say?"

There is no appeal from the verdict suggested in this last question. If a man does not interest his audience, he fails. He might score a success with the same talk on another occasion and with other hearers. But he fails here and now.

As a listener at formal dinners, at college commencements, at religious services, at educational functions of a great variety—in short as an average American citizen—I recognize how much natural talent has to do with success in public address; and yet I am convinced that we are not getting more than a sixty per cent. efficiency out of our speakers, good, bad and indifferent. We are a suffering generation in consequence, and so for that matter are they.

Henry Robinson Palmer

THE UNIVERSITY TREASURER'S REPORT

We summarize below the annual report of the Treasurer of Brown University, Cornelius S. Sweetland, '66, recently printed and distributed. It shows a balance of funds in his possession of \$4,581,911.08 against \$4,556,134.79 a year ago. There are 152 funds, gifts and bequests in the long list of benefactions making up the total.

The increase of \$15,776.29 arises from changes in several funds as shown in detail in a table included in the report.

The loans from the Brown Alumni Loan Fund now amount to \$3634.49.

The collections for the Fund of One Million Dollars for the year amounted to but \$190, thus making the total collection \$993,098.47.

The Committee appointed by the Corporation to consider the matter of increase of salaries for professors recommended "that the salaries of full professors should be increased" in an aggregate amount of \$10,450, the increase to "take effect as of the current academic year." It would have been impossible to act on this recommendation had not by "special provision made by friends of the University a sum amounting to \$10,000 annually for a period of years" "been assured to the University." The increase was made, the specific amount pledged being included in the \$15,000 received this year by the Treasurer of the Loyalty Fund.

The cost of publishing the Commemorative Volume of the 150th Anniversary of the College—\$2,175.38, less the proceeds of sales of the books, \$142.05—was met by contributions of \$2,033.33.

The contributions to the Nathaniel French Davis Fund for the year amount to \$1,921, thus making a total of the Fund of \$2,958.

The General Fund for the maintenance of the University is made up of

Common Fund,	\$1,098,632 13
J. L. Lincoln Memorial Fund,	100,633 73
J. Wilson Smith Bequest,	108,698 33

Lucian Sharpe Gift,	10,000 00
Harold Brown Fund,	25,000 00
John Nicholas Brown Fund,	25,000 00
George L. Littlefield General Fund,	520,760 19
Edward C. Thayer Fund,	47,800 00
Frederick Danne Bequest,	18,800 00
Endowment Fund of 1912,	519,956 98
	<u>\$2,475,281 36</u>

of which the income for the year was from investments, \$ 123,647 57

add to this

Collection of term bills from students,	162,831 31
10 per cent. on tuition and incidentals of the Women's College,	2,534 78
Brown Alumni Loyalty Fund,	15,000 00
Sundry collections from John Carter Brown Library, Brown Library, Brown Union, etc.,	7,551 47
and there will result as total receipts for the general purposes of the College,	311,385 13
The general expenditures were thus showing a deficit of	324,483 92
	<u>13,098 79</u>

The Endowment or special Professorship Funds are

Hazard Professorship Fund,	\$41,000 00
Romeo Elton Professorship Fund,	50,066 32
Newport Rogers Professorship Fund,	50,000 00
Natural History Professorship Fund,	25,000 00
Gymnasium Fund,	37,050 25
David Benedict Professorship Fund,	11,934 48
George L. Littlefield Professorship Fund,	100,000 00
	<u>\$315,051 65</u>

from the investment of which the income for the year was \$14,516 67

The expenditures for account of these Funds were 15,342 11

The difference being made up in part from past accumulations of income from some of the Funds and in part from drafts on the Common Fund.

The Library Funds are:

Library Fund,	\$43,527 50
Gammell Fund,	10,288 00
J. Lewis Diman Memorial Fund,	10,200 00
Increase of Plants, etc., Fund,	1,000 00
Albert F. Jones Library Fund,	1,027 17
Joseph Banigan Library Fund,	10,000 00
W. W. Keen Library Fund,	5,055 00
James Tucker, Jr., Fund,	2,500 00
T. Whiting Bancroft Fund,	2,000 00
Frank Levi Trimble Fund,	1,000 00
Samuel C. Eastman Fund,	6,000 00
Whitman Library Fund,	100 00
Augustus Woodbury Library Fund,	1,000 00
Daniel L. D. Granger Library Fund,	1,000 00

The Corthell Library Fund,	5,000 00
Class of 1886 Fund,	1,000 00
Class of 1894 Fund,	1,000 00
Nathaniel French Davis Fund,	2,958 00
	\$113,655 67

of which the income for the year was \$5,849 88
other incomes, gifts, fines, etc., 382 92

The expenditures were 10,195 34

The appropriation of \$3,000 from the Common Fund was more than sufficient to make up the difference between the income of the Library funds and the expenditures.

The Scholarship Funds amount to	\$218,039 80
The Aid Funds amount to	83,564 83

Of the combined income of these two classes of Funds, including a gift of \$100 from the Board of Education of the Township of Bernards, Bernardsville, N. J., (\$14,166.57,) there was paid in scholarships, including the above \$100 and \$85 to a member of the Women's College, the amount of \$14,973.26. In addition the scholarships paid from the money received from the State of Rhode Island amounted to \$3,246.25.

The Prize, Premium and Fellowship Funds amount to	\$65,800 17
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The income for the period as above was \$3,164 55

of which there was paid out in accordance with the conditions imposed upon the Funds, 3,010 01

The purpose of the income (\$2,397.32) of the Rockefeller Hall Maintenance Fund of \$49,948.53 is indicated by the name.

The income (\$21,655) from the John Carter Brown Library Fund of \$505,413.07 is devoted exclusively to the maintenance of that Library.

The Dr. Oliver Henry Arnold Biological Laboratory Fund, \$84,728.21, though temporary, still remains on the books, as there may be further expenditures from it to fully complete the Laboratory.

The conditions attending the twenty remaining Funds of the College proper, amounting to \$334,423.17, made up of Lectureship, Botanical, Classical Art, Museum, Carrie Tower, Pension, etc., prevent the diversion of the income to the General or Common Fund for maintenance.

The several Funds of the Women's College amount to \$305,905.22, the income of which is available for its own purposes only.

The insurance on buildings and contents amounts to \$1,503,200.

BROWN HERALD'S 25TH ANNIVERSARY

Speaking at the University chapel service October 9, James G. Fernald, '17, editor of the Brown Daily Herald, announced plans for the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the founding of the paper, on Dec. 2d.

The Herald offers two prizes of ten dollars each for the best cover design and one for the best essay on "The Function of the College Daily," to be used in the anniversary edition of the Herald—providing that the cover and essay are accepted by a committee of judgment not connected with the paper. Any undergraduate not connected with the managing board of the Herald may compete for the prizes.

"The Herald alumni," Mr. Fernald said, "are as loyal a group of Brown men as you can find, and a large number of the alumni members of the board will return for the anniversary banquet on December 2d. One of the most gratifying features of the preliminary plans is the number of men returning from a distance. From New York, for instance, there will be such men as Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., '09, now with the law firm of Cadwalader, Wickersham and Taft; W. C. Wyckoff, '95, formerly on the editorial staff of the New York Tribune, and last June elected a Trustee of the University; R. R. Hunter, '98, former business manager of the Herald and now

Director of the Equitable Safe Deposit Company and the Equitable Trust Company; Clarkson A. Collins, Jr., '08, president of the advertising agency which bears his name; Robert H. Andrews, '04, eastern advertising manager of *Today's Magazine*; C. B. Dana, '99, of the firm of Dorman and Dana; Colgate Hoyt, Jr., '95, of Colgate Hoyt & Co.; Hunter Marston, '08, with Edgar L. Marston Co.; E. B. Morse, '96, on the editorial staff of the *New York Tribune*; W. A. Spinney, Jr., '07, of Henry Holt & Co.; W. E. Newcomb, '02, of the American News Company; R. D. Robinson, '13, with Harris, Forbes & Company; H. C. Barber, '99, of the New York Society for the Prevention of Crime; and a number of others, who worked on the *Herald* while at Brown.

"All of the thirteen men who put the *Herald* on its feet a quarter of a century ago, except one now living in Iowa and two in the Far South, are to come back for the reunion, including Colonel H. Anthony Dyer, '94, William C. Huntington, '94, W. H. Kimball, '94, Edward N. Casey, '93, and T. B. Baylies, '95, all of Providence.

"The interesting and varied careers of the 'old boys' on the *Herald*, the story of the inception of the idea of its founding by eight ambitious Brunonians at a time when a college daily was an almost unheard-of institution, and articles by some of the leading journalists in the country, will be included in the anniversary edition of the *Herald*, work on which is now well under way."

ORIENTATION LECTURES

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The orientation lecture is now an established feature of the Freshman course at Brown. Begun a year ago, it has amply demonstrated its usefulness.

Dean Randall gave the class of 1920 the first lecture of the year in Manning Hall on Oct. 3. The Freshmen were urged to attend chapel regularly, to do their tasks honestly, and to take abundant time in making a choice of a fraternity.

The schedule of lectures in the orientation course is as follows, the number being reduced from 27 to 17. Several pairs of kindred subjects which were given separately last year will be combined the present year:

GROUP I

Aims of the College, President W. H. P. Fauce. Oct. 9.

Methods of Study and Use of Books, Professor S. S. Colvin. Oct. 16.

Manners, Professor Thomas Crosby, Jr. Oct. 23.

Student Activities, Dean O. E. Randall. Oct. 30.

The Cause of Disease, Professor F. P. Gorham. Nov. 6.

GROUP II

Modern Languages and Literature, Professor W. C. Bronson.

Ancient Languages and Literature, Professor J. F. Greene.

Mathematics, Professor C. H. Currier.

Physical Sciences, Professor Carl Barus.

Biological Sciences and Psychology, Professor A. D. Mead and Professor S. S. Colvin.

Engineering, Professor W. H. Kennerson.

Historical Science, Professor T. F. Collier.

Social and Economic Sciences, Professor H. B. Gardner.

Art, Director L. E. Rowe, Rhode Island School of Design.

Religion and Philosophy, Professor Walter G. Everett.

History of Brown University, Charles E. Hughes. (Read by Professor Thomas Crosby, Jr.)

ADVISORY AND EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The October meeting of the Advisory and Executive Committee was held in the President's office Wednesday, October 4th, at 2:30 P. M. Present Messrs. Faunce, Chace, Lapham, Sweetland, Collins, Kellen, Sharpe and Greene. A committee to have charge of Commencement in 1917 was appointed as follows: Professors Everett, Greene and Collier, Mr. George F. Andrews, Dr. Frank L. Day, Dr. W. H. Buffum, Dr. T. D. Anderson, Mr. Charles C. Mumford, Mr. Theodore Francis Green and Mr. G. Edward Buxton, Jr.

The report of the Carnegie Foundation regarding professors' pensions was discussed. The committee accepted the resignation of H. D. Cady as instructor in shop work and authorized the appointment of a substitute. Dr. J. R. S.

Leite was appointed assistant in Roman Languages.

The resignation of John Carter Brown Woods as Secretary of the committee was received and accepted and the President was requested to express to Mr. Woods the high appreciation of the committee for his accurate and faithful service through twenty-seven years.

Mr. Zechariah Chafee was appointed Auditor of the Library Committee. The report of the committee on Andrews Field was presented and considered. An appropriation was made for the removal of the apparatus for instruction in electrical engineering from the basement of Wilson Hall to the engineering building. After long discussion of various problems the committee adjourned a little after five o'clock.

HUGHES AND LIPPITT

The Rhode Island Republican Convention on Oct. 11 at Providence adopted a platform containing the following references to Charles E. Hughes, '81, and Henry F. Lippitt, '78:

"We endorse and highly approve the selection of Charles E. Hughes and Charles W. Fairbanks as our standard bearers. Justice Hughes's record in private life and in public office is an assurance of a consistent and capable administration. His training and experience as the Chief Executive of the most populous State in the Union, and in the highest judicial body of the nation, is an unparalleled preparation for the duties of the presidential office. Rhode Island has a proper pride in the part which one of her great institutions took in the educa-

tion that laid the foundation for his successful career, and we ask all our fellow citizens to join with us in electing to the presidency this student of Brown University who has added so much to the lustre of our institutions and our State.

"We heartily commend the legislative record of Senator Henry F. Lippitt. The exceptional ability, the untiring energy, the unflinching courage which has characterized his services in the United States Senate, is an honor to the State and a credit to himself. We present him as the candidate of the Republican party, for re-election by the people, fully realizing that his services in the future will be of exceptional value to the welfare of the State and nation."

PHILADELPHIA ALUMNI FELLOWSHIP

Byron L. West has been appointed holder of the Morgan Edwards fellowship for 1916-17. This fellowship was founded by the Philadelphia alumni and the income for the current year amounts to \$1000. Mr. West is doing advanced work in chemical research.

SECOND TEAM SCHEDULE

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|----------|---|------|
| Oct. 21. | East Greenwich Academy at East Greenwich. | 34-0 |
| Nov. 4. | Worcester Academy at Worcester. | |
| Nov. 10. | Dean Academy at Franklin. | |
| Nov. 17. | Harvard Seconds at Cambridge. | |

THE CLASS OF 1920

The following list shows 256 Freshmen (men), 29 Special Students (men) and 79 Freshmen in the Women's College. The list was made up on Oct. 24, but is not absolutely accurate, as it contains among the Freshmen (men) the names of a number who should be rated as Specials, and of some others who have dropped out of college.

It appears that the revised number of Freshmen (men) is 237 and of Specials (men) 44.

The list as here given shows a total of 335 Freshmen (men and women).

FRESHMEN—MEN

Charles F. Abbott, Shrewsbury, Mass.
Victor F. Adams, Osterville, Mass.
Alexander Addeo, Providence,
Archie A. Albert, Malden, Mass.
Duncan C. Annan, Chicago, Ill.
Tracy W. Ames, New London, Conn.
Elmer G. Armstrong, Rahway, N. J.
Aaron A. Aronstam, Springfield, Mass.
Laurence P. Atkins, Providence.
Donald M. Aumack, Ballston Spa, N. Y.
Sum Nung Au-Young, Hong Kong, China.
Henry Aylsworth, Foster Centre, R. I.
Leopold J. Balaton, Providence.
Henry F. Bain, Knoxville, Tenn.
Edward W. Banigan, Manchester, N. H.
Leland S. Bannister, LeRoy, N. Y.
Robert K. Bard, Brooklyn, Conn.
John M. Barnes, Lynn, Mass.
Edmund F. Beagan, Providence.
Chauncy H. Beasley, South Orange, N. J.
Willard L. Beaulac, Pawtucket, R. I.
Thomas Bennardo, Brooklyn, N. Y.
George W. Berriman, Tampa, Fla.
Russell W. Besser, Gilbertville, Mass.
Kenneth H. Bitting, St. Louis, Mo.
Robert A. Bogle, Fall River, Mass.
Dickran H. Boyajian, Providence.
D. C. Bowersack, Riverside, R. I.
Paul T. Brady, Jr., Palisada, N. J.
Fred A. Bragg, Worcester, Mass.
Earl H. Brennan, Providence.
Frank D. Brigham, Beach Bluff, Mass.
Abraham L. Brisk, Gardiner, Me.
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BROWN CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

The chairmen of the standing committees of the Brown Young Men's Christian Association have been appointed for the year. They are as follows; Membership, W. K. Sprague, '17; Finance, G. C. Edwards, '18; College Nights, T. B. Appleget, '17; Publicity and Statis-

tics, S. W. Smith, '19; Social Service, K. D. Johnson, '19; Deputations, G. J. Heidt, '18; Church Affiliations, H. W. McNair, '17; Bible and Mission Study, W. H. Reese, '17; Charities, H. R. Espey, '20; Boys' Work, L. E. Stockwell, '19.

A SCHOOL OF EDUCATION AT BROWN

At its October meeting the University Corporation established a School of Education and appointed Professor Walter G. Everett, '85, as its Director. The establishment of the School was in accord with the recommendation of the Faculty as follows:

The Faculty of Brown University respectfully recommend that the Corporation of Brown University establish a School of Education in substantial agreement with the following

Plan for a School of Education

I Purpose.

A. To organize and promote graduate study on the part of teachers and of students preparing for teaching or other educational work.

B. To promote coöperation between Brown University and the Rhode Island State Normal School and similar institutions.

C. To offer better opportunities for study to teachers now in service in the State and to others interested in educational work.

II Scope.

A. In the School of Education Brown University shall offer such graduate professional courses as are desirable and expedient. Subject to the approval of the Faculty, these courses shall count toward the existing degrees of A. M. and Ph. D. in the Graduate Department of Brown University.

B. In connection with the School of Education Brown University shall establish a baccalaureate degree in Education called Bachelor of Education. The degree shall be granted upon the completion of two years of work; provided that no student shall be admitted as a candidate for the A. M. or Ph.D. degree until he has received the degree of A. B. or Ph.B.

C. Certificates of qualification shall be issued in the manner provided for below.

cf. IX, B. & C.

III Admission and Enrollment of Students.

A. Students in the Graduate Department of the University may be admitted to the School of Education as graduate students. Graduate students of the School of Education shall also be registered as students in the Graduate Department of the University.

B. The following classes of students may be admitted as candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Education:

(a) Those who have completed the required and elective work of the first two years of the A. B. or Ph. B. course at Brown University or other institutions of equal standing.

(b) Specially recommended graduates of approved normal schools that require two years of professional and academic work beyond the secondary school, provided that such graduates fulfill the entrance requirements of Brown University and present their school records.

(c) Graduates of approved normal schools who present evidence of successful experience in teaching of at least two years duration.

C. Students of the class described in B (c) may be admitted as special undergraduate students in the School of Education.

D. The rules and regulations governing the admission, attendance, and standing of undergraduate students in the School of Education, both candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Education and special students, shall be administered by the Faculty Committee on Undergraduate Registration and Attendance.

(a) Undergraduate students candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Education shall be registered not as Juniors and Seniors, but as students in the first and second year of the School of Education.

IV Attendance of Women at Classes.

Undergraduate women students enrolled for this degree shall be admitted to such classes at the Women's College as they are qualified to enter; provided, however, that if at any time the number of such students becomes sufficiently large to justify it, their instruction shall be otherwise provided for. The Women's College shall not be expected to provide new courses which may be called for in the curriculum of the School of Education. The plan does not require or contemplate coeducation in undergraduate classes.

V Recommending of Candidates for Degrees.

A. Graduate students in the School of Education who are candidates for degrees shall be reported to the Faculty for recommendation to the Board of Fellows by the Dean of the Graduate Department.

B. Candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Education shall be reported to the Faculty for recommendation to the Board of Fellows by the Registrar.

VI Officers.

The officers of the School of Education shall consist of

(1) the "Director of the School of Education," and

(2) the "Council of the School of Education."

VII Appointment and Powers of the Director.

The Director of the School of Education, who shall be its executive head, shall be appointed by the Corporation of the University.

It shall be the province of the Director

A. To preside at the meetings of the Council of the School of Education.

B. To present to the Faculty votes of the Council which require Faculty confirmation.

C. To exercise powers delegated to him by the Council, and to have general responsibility for the administration of the School, under the supervision of the President of the University.

VIII Composition of the Council.

The Council of the School of Education, the Dean of the Women's College, *ex officio*, and the Dean of the Graduate Department, *ex officio*.

B. All officers of instruction giving courses in the Department of Education.

C. All officers of instruction in other departments giving courses primarily designed for the professional preparation of teachers and of other students preparing for educational work.

D. A representative of each department of instruction which is not directly or indirectly represented in A and B and which has an immediate concern in high school instruction.

The membership of the classes C and D of the Council of the School of Education shall be designated by the President in consultation with the members of the Council provided for under A and B.

IX Powers of the Council.

A. To issue certificates of qualification for teaching. In each case the subject or subjects in which the student is recommended shall be expressly stated.

B. To determine, subject to the approval of the Faculty, the conditions under which the certificates shall be issued.

C. To determine, subject to the approval of the Faculty and the Board of Fellows, the courses of study leading to the degree of Bachelor of Education. The selection and amount of prescribed work shall be based upon thorough examination of the range of subjects previously studied and the probable efficiency of the previous instruction. The aim of the two years' course shall be primarily to give a background of culture to such students as already have received a considerable professional training.

D. To make from time to time to the University Faculty such general proposals as the interests of the students and the further development of the School of Education may require.

BROWN VERSE

AUGUST TIME

White alders on the country-side are sweet as buds of May,
But O the time is August-time down all the world away!
• O peaceful world! O restful world! O spacious world and good!
In you the soul of August shows the deeps of quietude.

Sweet, sweet, sweet!

O the songster in the tree!

Sweet, but sweet, is August-time

And timeless time to be.

Through golden light and purple shade and purple mists at sea
Slow hours go by and seem to pause and now no more to be;
And on the dim horizon line the ships creep slowly by,
And slowly, slowly move the mists low down the windless sky.

Slow, slow, slow!

O the songster and the song!

Slow is time in August-time

And timeless time is long.

With flush of pink the day comes in, with flush of red departs,
And hushed are all the slow-timed hours, and hushed all waiting hearts.
O hearts that wait! O hearts that long! O waiting hours and slow!
How August-time is on the world but timeless things to show!

Here, here, here!

O the word to the songster given!

Here in the heart of August-time

Are all the things of Heaven.

William Adams Slade, '98

BEAUTY

"Beauty, what art thou compound of?" I cried,
"Youth, hope, and morning's passioned breath?"
"Yes," came the quiet answer, "and, beside,
Sunset and stormy evening, grief and death."

A. B.

A VAGROM FANTASY

When sick of Earth,
 Its dearth of worth,
 Its greater dearth
 Of generous fire,
 I long to steer
 To some far sphere,
 Where life is near
 The heart's desire;

Where Youth is wise
 With Age's eyes,
 And Age implies
 But longer Youth;
 Where Love ne'er grieves
 That Hope deceives,
 And Faith but cleaves
 To solid Truth;

Where what we want
 Is never scant,
 And no rude 'shan't'
 Bars any 'will';
 And larders there
 Grow never bare
 But, *au contraire*,
 Spontaneous fill.

There wishes neigh
 In trappings gay
 Till up, away,
 The beggars ride,
 And Poets lead
 To vale and mead
 Where will is deed
 And dreams abide.

Far in the void,
 Some Asteroid
 May unalloyed
 Through ether swing,
 Whither content,
 Our souls unbent
 In merriment,
 May blithely wing.

There, ever free
 From dole and dree,
 Which mortals flee,
 But never fly,
 That tiny ball,
 Our ample all,
 Shall us instal
 Lords of the sky.

Harry Lyman Koopman

BROWN GLEE CLUB

The tentative personnel of the Brown Glee Club for the coming season has been decided. The men who are now on the Glee Club will be kept for a few weeks after which a sweeping cut will be made and the membership reduced to about 20 men, who will go on the long trips.

The 43 men who will sing with the Glee Club until further notice are: First tenors, Day, '17; Pickles, '18; McKenzie, '18; Flanders, '18; Silverman, '18; Verity, '18; Rice, '18; Moss, '19; Lindsley, '19; Bennardo, '20; Second tenors, Hagstrom, '17; Pearce, '17; Foley, '18; West, '18; Thomas, '19; Dodge, '19; Lawder, '19; Kinney, '19; Moyle, '19; E. H. Bowen, '19; Black, '19; Denison, '20; First basses, Watjen, '17; Hughes, '17; Sprague, '17;

Cromack, '17; McNair, '17; Leeming, '18; Kowalski, '19; Porter, '19; Watkins, '19; Cole, '20; Standish, '20; Second basses, Gallison, '17; Homer, '17; Haley, '18; Burnham, '19; Eddy, '19; Fulton, '20; Graham, '20; Greene, '20; Moss, '20; Kittredge, '20.

The Brown Musical Clubs this year have a large number of experienced singers and mandolin players, all of whom are actively engaged in the work of the society. The officers of the society are as follows: President-Manager, D. T. Gallison; Secretary-Treasurer, H. W. Watjen, Jr.; Assistant Managers, R. M. Kimball, J. R. Leeming, Jr.; Leader of the Glee Club, W. K. Sprague; Leader of the Mandolin Club, A. B. Homer.

PRESIDENT FAUNCE'S REPORT

At the October meeting of the University Corporation President Faunce presented his annual report, in which many matters of interest to Brown graduates are discussed.

The report speaks of various Faculty changes, the death of three Corporation members, the physical changes in University equipment during the year, the gain in students (there were 1085 in 1914-15 and 1185 in 1915-16) and the steady increase in Ph.B students. The following table is worth noting:

	1914-15	1915-16
Students matriculating for		
degree of A. B.	69	59
degree of Sc. B.	34	47
degree of Ph. B.	100	149

At the Women's College a majority are entered for A. B., but "the men are so obviously avoiding the A. B. course as to raise the question how long it will maintain its prestige under the present requirements. The sons of members of the Faculty now entering college ordinarily take the Ph.B. course, though the whole family tradition is in favor of the time-honored A. B. degree."

The report continues:

ENGINEERING CHANGES

The committee on the reorganization of our engineering departments was appointed in view of changed conditions in engineering education and the necessity for a settled and unified policy at Brown. A few years ago we were somewhat apprehensive over the disproportionate growth of our work in engineering. Recently the great demand for engineers in America has fallen off, and at the same time strongly equipped schools of engineering have been opened in various places. There is no place in the country better suited for the training of engineers than is Providence. This whole region is so filled with manufacturing plants, machine-shops, and tool-making establishments that it is really a great engi-

neering laboratory where students can personally inspect the processes on which the material progress of the world depends. For Brown, located in such a city, to make no response to such environment, but to insist on confining its vision to the type of education suited to a New England village, would be a gross failure to meet its obligations. From the industries of Providence has come a large part of our sustenance. To give to those industries educated leadership, to furnish men skilled in applied science, men who can attack problems of construction, equipment, management, and production, and can do this with broad vision and human sympathy, is one of our primary duties. It may be that some of our friends would like to have all young men pursue a purely literary course of study; it may be that some would consider the Bermuda Islands—as did Bishop Berkeley—an ideal seat for a true college. Our University is in a wholly different environment and with all the responsibilities which its location creates.

We must, out of many divergent theories of engineering education, develop our own theory and policy. Our American schools of engineering and their teachers are sharply divided. One teacher would clearly distinguish civil, electrical, and mechanical engineering, and train men directly for their future positions; another would entirely ignore the vocational element, omit all technical detail, and emphasize the fundamental sciences. One would have four years of required work, another would introduce elective and cultural courses. One would train men for the professions, another would train them for life. My own sympathy is with the broader view of the engineer's life-work and the training which should lead to it. Probably not over one-half of our engineering students actually become engineers.

ANDREWS FIELD

The committee on the enlargement of Andrews Field—Eugene W. Mason, Professors John E. Hill and Frederick W. Marvel, Edwin A. Burlingame, Byron S. Watson, Ralph T. King and E. Tudor Gross—presented in May a tentative report to the Advisory and Executive Committee, through whom it was presented to the Corporation at the meeting in June. The subject is so important that many minds should be at work upon it. The present field is quite inadequate. We have an excellent piece of ground, a fine field-house, and a good track. But the field is so small that when our 'varsity teams are using it for practice, the rest of the student body is necessarily excluded from any use of the grounds. We own a large adjoining tract of land unimproved as yet. If that could be graded, supplied with stands and a running track and proper equipment, we should then be able to take care of our students for years to come. The estimated cost would be about \$60,000, and the committee must give further consideration to the financial problems involved. The athletic sports of a university should not be tolerated as a necessary evil; they should be encouraged and developed as a necessary good, as having, when under the control of right ideals, a vital relation to every classroom and the character of every student.

THE GYMNASIUM

Meanwhile another possibility has occurred to some alumni and friends of the University—a brilliant and by no means impossible dream. That is, such enlargement of our present gymnasium as to afford room not only for gymnastic drill, as now, but for many of the sports which when held out of doors are practicable only for a brief portion of the year, but might be enjoyed under cover through the entire winter. Plans have been drawn, showing how the present gymnasium could be used chiefly for offices, for bowling, wrestling, fencing,

etc., while a large addition could be built on the north side of the property already owned by the University. There room could be provided for winter practice in major sports. There a hall could be erected ample for all physical training, and of sufficient capacity—seating over three thousand persons—to serve as auditorium for Commencement dinners, and for concerts, lectures and public gatherings of every kind. The scheme is large enough to cover all possible needs of the University for fifty years to come—large enough, I hope, to capture the imagination of some generous donor.

PROFESSORS' SALARIES

The committee on professors' salaries, appointed by the Corporation in June, 1915, was unable to report in October. It was engaged in correspondence with other institutions to ascertain what salaries are paid by them and what we can learn from their experience. After much study the committee recommended that the salary of full professors—twenty-five in all—be increased by \$400, and that the increase should begin with the current year 1915-16. Special subscriptions to the Loyalty Fund, amounting to \$9000, were made by five members of the Corporation in order to meet a large part of the increase in expense. At the present time our minimum salary for a professor is \$3000, plus whatever may be received from the Women's College—usually \$400. The maximum salary, apart from compensation for administrative work, is \$3650, plus \$400 from the Women's College. Extra payments for administrative work vary from \$100 to \$950 per year. Thus the composite nature of many salaries makes any general statement difficult. In general it may be said that as soon as practicable the maximum salary paid for the teaching of men's classes should be advanced from \$3650 to \$4000.

The committee has spent much time in drafting rules regarding tenure of office, and has suggested a schedule of sal-

aries for all the various grades of teachers. A few institutions profess to have such a schedule. Actually, however, no institution, so far as we can discover, is able to live up to such a schedule, but each one has found ways of avoiding it when necessary. It would be unfortunate indeed if an institution were compelled to lose one of its best teachers, or to lose the opportunity of adding to its staff a famous scholar, merely because a rigid schedule forbade the addition of a small sum to a salary. In short, no institution can safely or wisely affix a maximum salary to any position. But it can and should fix a minimum salary for each grade, and should in every case decline to give a promotion in grade without corresponding increase in salary. This is now the practice of all our best colleges.

CARNEGIE FOUNDATION PROBLEMS

Much discussion has been caused in academic circles during the past year by the announcement of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching that it is contemplating a radical change in its pension system. Since our system at Brown is modeled upon the system invented by the Foundation, this announcement has for us a lively interest, and the new system proposed by the Foundation deserves our study. With entire frankness the report of the Foundation points out the defects discovered in its present system. Seventy-three institutions are now associated with the Foundation, and pensions are now being paid to two hundred and eighty-nine retired teachers and to ninety-five widows of teachers. But the system is "costing at the present time something over two-thirds of the income available to the Foundation," and within the next ten years the present resources of the Foundation will be overtaxed. Furthermore, under the present system "the typical teacher is between fifty-five and sixty years of age before he has, under the rules, any protection for himself and

family. Again, "the assumption that free pensions for college teachers would be permanently justified" is now discovered "to rest upon a false social philosophy." The Foundation now affirms that "it seems unlikely that a free pension system can minister to those personal qualities of independence, foresight, and self-control that a contributory system of insurance and annuities would seem to strengthen. In a word, the social philosophy at the basis of the free pension system is at least doubtful."

The action of the Foundation in thus criticizing its own system; and every other pension system now in operation, certainly furnishes food for thought. While the Foundation will, of course, discharge all obligations for which it has already contracted, it proposes for the future a plan whose operation shall not be confined to the seventy-three institutions, but may reach "the entire body of teachers," a plan whereby each teacher shall contribute toward his own pension or insurance, so that "each teacher who enters the system shall receive an insurance policy comparable in value to those obtained from the soundest insurance companies, and [that he] shall obtain an annuity contract equally valid with that of the soundest companies." The Foundation further states that "it has become increasingly difficult for those charged with the actual administration to select seventy-five or one hundred colleges from among the great institutions in the United States and Canada without making discriminations which have little basis in fact." Therefore it proposes to abandon the free pension system and to institute a contributory system. Our system at Brown has given much satisfaction to our Faculty, and hardly less to Corporation and alumni. Under it four retired teachers and two widows of teachers are receiving annual payments which are warmly appreciated and richly deserved. Our funds are adequate for present payments, and no other retirements are an-

ticipated for some years. Some of the difficulties pointed out in the bulletin of the Carnegie Foundation do not apply to pensions paid by the institution to which a teacher has given the service of a lifetime. But our system makes no attempt to furnish insurance in case of death before retiring age. If insurance,

as well as pension, is to be provided, the system must be reconstructed and the contributory element introduced.

Other topics of interest and importance are treated in Dr. Faunce's report. We intend to present some of them next month.

EXTENSION LECTURES

Each Course Consists of Ten Lectures and Begins in the Week of Nov. 6.

Elementary Spanish, Mr. Eugene E. Vam. Mondays at 4:45 p. m.

The Appreciation of Music, Professor J. P. Marshall. Mondays at 8 p. m.

Problems in Electrical Engineering, Professor A. E. Watson. Mondays at 8 p. m.

French Conversation, M. Edouard Massey. Tuesdays at 8 p. m.

The Great War of a Hundred Years Ago, Professor T. F. Collier. Wednesdays at 4.45 p. m.

Dante's Inferno, Professor Courtney Langdon. Wednesdays at 8 p. m.

Heredity, Professor H. E. Walter. Wednesday at 8 p. m.

Educational Tests, Professor S. S. Colvin. Wednesdays at 8 p. m.

Our National Parks, Illustrated, Professor C. W. Brown. Thursdays at 4:45 p. m.

Books That Have Inspired the World,

Professor H. L. Koopman. Thursdays at 4:45 p. m.

Accounts, Mr. A. L. Philbrick. Thursdays at 8 p. m.

Applications of Psychology, Professor E. B. Delabarre. Thursdays at 8 p. m.

Purpose and Meaning of Fiction, Mr. Roy Follett. Fridays at 4:45 p. m.

Problems of Structural Design, Professor Hardy Cross. Fridays at 8 p. m.

Social and Civic Growth, Providence, Professor J. Q. Dealey. Fridays at 8 p. m.

READINGS

The Modern Drama, Professor Crosby. Four Lectures and Four Readings. Tuesdays at 4:45, beginning Nov. 7.

Fee for each course \$3.50. Single admission 75c. For further information and for circular fully describing each course address Professor Walter Ballou Jacobs, or telephone Angell, 773. The courses are open to all who wish to be present as hearers or to pursue the subject as students. For those who register as students certificates of University credit are offered.

BRUNONIANS HONOR MR. HUGHES

Brown men in Colorado had two opportunities to hear Mr. Hughes during his few hours in Denver, Aug. 26. All Brown men were guests of the Mile High Club at its luncheon in honor of Mr. Hughes. Prominent Coloradoans of all political parties were present. Mr. Hughes enjoyed the Brown songs and cheers and had a warm hand clasp for the following Brunonians: Charles P. Bennett, '79, James C. Starkweather,

'80, Rev. James H. Spencer, '82, Elias F. Dunlevy, '83, Crawford Hill, '85, Rev. James McLaughlin, '90, J. Geofrey McMurray, '90, Leslie S. Paull, '97, Luke J. Kavanaugh, '98, C. Henry Smith, '99, George S. Holmes, '04, Winfield W. Greene, '10, Robert F. Seybolt, '10, Norman D. Hull, '13, John K. Starkweather, '13, Richard M. Plummer, '15.

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take to return manuscripts sent to it for publica-
tion, unless they are accompanied by sufficient
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WHAT CAN I DO FOR BROWN?

What can I do for Brown? is the question that rises in the thoughts of hundreds of Brown men and women as the present number of the Monthly sets before them the beginnings of the new year. Though no longer in the University, they are unwilling to be no longer of it. They wish to interpret their graduate standing as placing them not out of relation to their Alma Mater but in a new and equally vital relation to her, if no more one of reception, one of coöperation. In the minds of many graduates this desire to serve the University is accompanied with a keen sense of inability to do so. This feeling is a mis-

taken one; there is no college graduate, however limited his means or humble his station, whose devotion cannot be translated into substantial aid. How?

First of all, and so much more important than all else to be above comparison, is the return that the graduate can make in the form of character. John Hay in his private life served his Alma Mater as truly as he did at the court of St. James's or in the chair of the Secretary of State. Charles E. Hughes was serving Brown substantially and continuously before his insurance investigations made him a national figure. The supreme test of a fruit tree is not its foliage nor its surroundings, but its fruit. So with a college. Or, to employ an academic figure, the graduates of a college are its perpetual examination paper, which is read and marked by all men.

But beyond this silent service of worthy representation, a graduate of Brown can serve the University in various direct ways. He can keep watch of its activities and developments. He can outspokenly commend its advances and achievements. He can not less promptly and positively, if not publicly, call in question departures that seem to him questionable. He should not demand that the University remain what it was in his student days, though he may properly insist that it keep as high standards. His demand should be that Brown adapt itself to the needs of the new day insofar as these are different from the needs of former days. To keep himself informed of the workings of the University and to make his praise or protests effective, he should be in communication with its President or other members of the Corporation, and should be a constant spectator of the life and aims of Brown as reflected in the pages of the Alumni Monthly.

Last and least important, though indispensable, he should contribute according to his means to the financial support and enlargement of the University.

THE LOYALTY FUND

The Brown Loyalty Fund has had a remarkable success during the last year. It has already secured 844 annual subscribers, a larger number than any other college has secured in the same length of time. The following statistics, as of August, 1916, are interesting:

Number of annual subscribers	844
Number of classes represented	60
Largest number of subscribers in one class (Class of 1915)	85
Largest annual subscription	\$1,000.00
Smallest annual subscription	1.00
Largest single gift to fund (Class of 1891)	2,500.00
Total income for year (including special gifts)	22,928.99
Total payments to the University for the year, June 25, 1915, to June 25, 1916,	17,500.00

The class agents are entitled to a good deal of credit for this success, and so in particular is Mr. McLaughlin, the Executive Secretary of the University.

Every friend of Brown must be gratified at the substantial results achieved in the name of Brown loyalty.

THE FRESHMAN CLASS

One remarkable fact about the class of 1920 is that Massachusetts contributes practically as many members to it as Rhode Island does, including Providence.

The Brown Alumni Monthly has made a geographical analysis of the Freshman class year after year, but does not remember any such showing heretofore.

We suppose the explanation is to be found in the record-breaking Freshman class at the Rhode Island State College.

Nevertheless the Brown Freshman class is close to the largest in the history of the University, especially if the women are counted in.

The class (we are speaking now of the men) has the following geographical distribution:

R. I.	72	Md.	1
Mass.	70	D. C.	1
N. J.	25	W. Va.	1
Conn.	21	S. C.	1
N. Y.	20	Tenn.	1
Me.	8	Fla.	1
N. H.	8	Mich.	1
Vt.	5	Wis.	1
Ohio	5	Mo.	1
Ill.	3	Col.	1
Iowa	3	Wash.	1
Pa.	2	China	1
Ky.	2		

The Special students are from Rhode Island (22), Massachusetts (6) and Illinois (1).

At the Women's College the geographical distribution is:

R. I.	54	Pa.	4
Mass.	15	N. H.	1
Conn.	4	D. C.	1

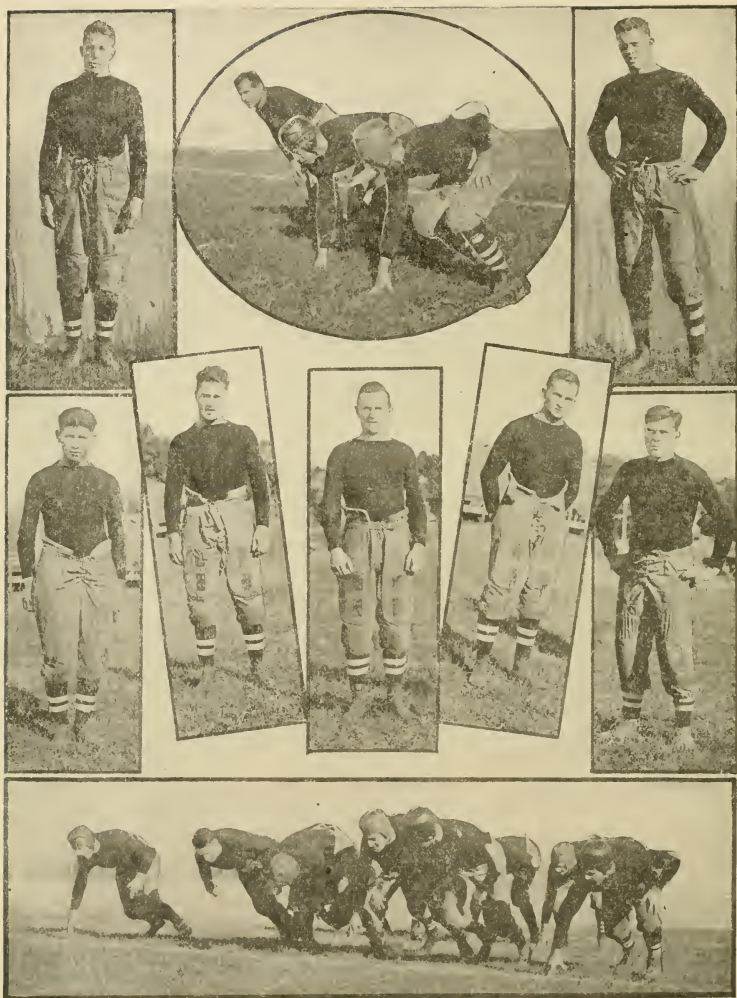
We have occasionally wished that in some future Freshman class practically every State in the Union might be represented, not for merely sentimental reasons, but to carry the Brown influence farther. We have Brown alumni everywhere. A little effort on their part would give us a much wider representation.

B. SC. REQUIREMENTS

The entrance requirements for the degree of Bachelor of Science have been liberalized. By vote of the Faculty, the present requirement of either chemistry or physics for admission is made optional, and students are allowed to present ancient languages as well as modern languages. The change will make it easier for students at high schools which have only a classical college preparatory course to qualify for the scientific course at Brown. Locally, the change will af-

fect only the graduates of the Classical High School.

The present requirement reads that four units, one of which must be in chemistry or physics, must be presented from the following subjects: French, German, Spanish, Chemistry, and Physics. The new rule reads "Four units must be presented from the following subjects: Chemistry, Physics, and Languages other than English." The rule will go into effect September next.



NEW PLAYERS ON THE BROWN FOOTBALL TEAM

DeVitalis
Sprague

Brown backs: Jemail, DeVitalis, Armstrong
Zelcer
Brooks
Brown line
Armstrong

Marshall
Nichols

TRIUMPHS ON THE FOOTBALL FIELD

BROWN 42, TRINITY 0

Following Brown's 18-0 victory over Rhode Island State College came the notable 42-0 beating of Trinity at Andrews Field on Saturday, Oct. 7.

In the last two games they had played together Brown and Trinity had tied, at 6-6 and 0-0. This year Brown was rated, in advance, stronger than last year and Trinity looked weaker, but the extremely one-sided score was a surprise.

The Brown team made 14 first downs but Trinity could get only one, and that in the last few minutes of play, when substitutes were in the Brown line.

Brown played a remarkable game, showing almost midseason form, although the game was hardly close enough to gain a fair idea of its strength. Time and time again the backfield tore up Trinity's line for long gains; when put upon the defensive the Brown line held like a stone wall. Of the touchdowns Purdy made two, DeVitalis two, Pollard one and Brooks one.

The lineup and summary:

BROWN	TRINITY
Marshall, l. e.....	r. e., Shultheiss
Ward, l. t.....	r. t., Wooley (Capt)
Spagna, l. g.....	r. g., H. Jackson
Sprague, e.....	e. e., Breslin
Wade, r. g.....	l. g., M. Jackson
Farnum, r. t. (Capt.).....	l. t., Nordstrom
Weeks, r. e.....	l. e., Aslett
Purdy, q. b.....	q. b., Jarvis
Conroy, l. h. b.....	r. h. b., Hyland
Brooks, r. h. b.....	l. h. b., Purdy
DeVitalis, f. b.....	f. b., Phillips

Substitutions: For Brown, J. P. Murphy for Purdy, Armstrong for Conroy, Zelcer for Marshall, Robertson for Weeks, Conroy for Armstrong, Purdy for J. P. Murphy, Pollard for Brooks, Nichols for Wade, E. M. Murphy for Conroy. Carder for Robertson, McSweeney for Zelcer, Lathrop for Ward. For Trinity, Jones for S. Jackson, Armstrong for Shultheiss, Jessen for Hyland, Lennon for Jessen, Shultheiss for Aslett. Referee, Andrews, Yale. Umpire, Burleigh, Exeter. Head Linesman, Courtney, Lafayette. Time, 12 minute quarters. Score, Brown 42, Trinity 0. Touchdowns, Purdy, 2, DeVitalis 2, Brooks, Pollard. Attendance, 2000.

BROWN 69, AMHERST 0

It was an Amherst rout at Andrews

Field, Saturday, Oct. 14. Brown rolled up 27 points in the first quarter, 7 in the second and 35 in the fourth. There was no scoring in the third.

The great strength of the Brown eleven showed to splendid advantage in this game, although it must be admitted that Amherst is this year represented by an unusually weak eleven. One encouraging feature of the Brown play was the proof that there is an abundance of first-class substitutes.

BROWN 20, WILLIAMS 0

Brown made three touchdowns and held Williams scoreless at Williamstown, Oct. 21, but gave a poorer account of herself than had been expected. Fumbling, as previously, was disastrously in evidence.

Although greatly outweighed, the Williams team put up a stiff fight and held Brown without a score in the first half. Fresh from 42 to 0 and 69 to 0 victories over Trinity and Amherst, the Brunonians were confident of swamping Williams, but time and again the heavy Brown backs were downed without a gain, and when the final whistle blew it was Williams's ball on Brown's two-yard line.

Purdy played the most consistent game for Brown, Pollard's sensational work being marred by several fumbles.

BROWN 21, RUTGERS 3

The Rutgers College team came to Providence for the game of Saturday, Oct. 28, proclaimed as one of the strongest teams in the East under George Foster Sanford's expert coaching. In the first period neither side scored. In the second Rutgers used its famous multiple kick for three points and still Brown could not score. But in the last half Brown came from behind, wore out the Jersey eleven and won by a score of 21 to 3. Five thousand persons saw the game.

Hillhouse showed that he has developed into the best punter since Rush McKay of the 1911 team. Hillhouse got away long spirals for fifty and sixty yards, beating the famous Hazel of Rutgers by an average of ten yards to a kick. He also made the longest and most spectacular run of the game, taking the ball on a fake punt and dashing through the whole Rutgers team fifty-six yards for a score.

Pollard of Brown was as usual another bright star, getting two of the touchdowns, one after a 43-yard dash through a broken field. Pollard's defensive work, too, was good.

Brown found in the Rutgers eleven the roughest opponent that a Brown team has encountered in years. Man after man of the Brown eleven was injured and taken out of the game. When the Brunonians finally found themselves it was largely a team of substitutes that confronted Rutgers. Captain Farnum, quarterback; Purdy, Spagna, Wade and Weeks, all first string regulars, were hurt so badly that they were unable to continue. Weeks was removed to the Rhode Island Hospital with a seriously injured head.

In the first period Rutgers marched from its 40-yard line to Brown's 9-yard line, where Bracher's fumble gave the ball to Brown. Six times during the game Sanford's pupils tried the multiple

kick, but only once were they successful.

In the second period Rutgers, on a couple of forward passes and line bucks, carried the ball to Brown's 1-yard line, but lacked the punch to get it over for the score, and Brown took the ball on downs. It was following Hillhouse's punt that Hazel, from Brown's 32-yard line, booted the ball over the goal posts.

Brown's first score was furnished by one of the breaks of the game. Hillhouse had punted to Scarr on Rutgers' 20-yard line, but Scarr fumbled and the ball rolled back toward the goal line. Three Brown men were after it, Williams falling on the ball on Rutgers' 1-yard line. On the third try Pollard hit the line for the distance. Brown's other scores came in the last period, on Pollard's and Hillhouse's great runs. As the game came to a close Brown started a march for another touchdown and a long forward pass. J. P. Murphy to Ormsby, put the ball exactly on Rutgers' goal line as the whistle ended the game.

THE SCHEDULE

Sept. 30, Rhode Island at Providence,	18-0
Oct. 7, Trinity at Providence,	42-0
Oct. 14, Amherst at Providence,	69-0
Oct. 21, Williams at Williamstown,	20-0
Oct. 28, Rutgers at Providence,	21-3
Nov. 4, Vermont at Providence,	
Nov. 11, Yale at New Haven,	
Nov. 18, Harvard at Cambridge,	
Nov. 30, Colgate at Providence,	

HUGHES COLLEGE MEN'S LEAGUE OF MAINE

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Uniforms, White flannel hat. White flannel trousers, Dark coat, College hat band on hat, College pennants, American Flag.

Registration Committee, the Vice Presidents and Headquarters.

During the afternoon of Sept. 7, as Mr. Hughes crossed the line into Maine, he was met by the League as an auto escort. In the parade Mr. Hughes and all members marching in uniform had seats reserved for them in the City Hall.

WILSON—MARSHALL CLUB

Hon. Rathbone Gardner, '77, of Providence denounced the partisan appeal made by the New York Brown committee of the Hughes National College League to Brown alumni throughout the country at the Wilson-Marshall Club meeting in the Brown Union on the evening of Oct. 5. He condemned the circular because it asked votes for Hughes "because he is a Brown man."

"I've been hot under the collar ever since I received the circular dated Sept. 16," said Mr. Gardner, "and waiting for an opportunity to say what I think about it. Let me read a few of the choice statements: 'We ask you, irrespective of all usual party affiliations, to work for the election of Mr. Hughes, because of his sterling character, his fine record and because of the fact that he is a Brown man.'

"Further, the circular reads: 'It is the duty of Brown men in their various communities to take the lead in this work.' What does this appeal mean? It means that Brown men are asked to lose sight of the real issues involved, to shut their eyes at a time when to decide correctly requires every mental and moral power.

"If that is the teaching of Brown Uni-

versity, the sooner you can get out from behind its walls, the better. But I know that it is not the teaching of the University.

"I hope something better than wishy-washy sentiment will control your action at this election. And I hope you are not going to treat a Brown graduate as you would a Brown pitcher on a league team, and as some of our alumni would have you look upon Mr. Hughes."

Congressman O'Shaunessy called particular attention to the legislation passed under the present Administration. He criticised the selection of a Republican candidate from the Supreme Court bench. He said the incident had been but little touched upon in the campaign, but that great wrongs might come of the practice in that decisions might be written with a view to the future.

Former State Senator Munroe, Democratic candidate for Governor, dwelt upon State politics. He called attention to the election of a United States Senator by popular vote this year for the first time.

P. Leo Cannon, temporary Secretary-Treasurer of the club, presided at the meeting. James S. Powers is temporary President.

BRUNONIANS FAR AND NEAR

Faculty

At the inauguration of President Hopkins of Dartmouth College last month, the delegates from Brown University were President Faunce and Professor R. G. D. Richardson.

At the 150th anniversary of Rutgers College, October 12-15, the Brown delegates were President Faunce and Professor John E. Hill.

Alumni

1849

Michigan designated October thirteenth as

"Angell Day," in memory of the late President Angell of the University of Michigan. The State paid its tribute to the great American through the educational system with which he was so long connected. Exercises befitting the memory of President Angell were held in all the public schools and colleges throughout the state.

1860

A gift of \$500 to Brown University in part payment of expenses incurred "for my education therein in excess of the fees which were charged me" is provided in the will of Benjamin F. Pabodie of Montclair, N. J., who was killed last summer by a trolley car. St. John's Epis-

copal church of Montclair receives \$250. Bequests to relatives include silverware that had been in the Pabodie family for many years, pictures, shawls, the Pabodie genealogy and old deeds.

1861

Dr. Henry S. Burrage, who has been a member of the Corporation since 1889, addressed the students at chapel Oct. 18. After the exercises the undergraduates formed a line on both sides of the walk from Sayles Hall to the Administration Building. President Faunce and Dr. Burrage walked between the lines of students, who, with hats off, clapped and cheered as the speaker passed. When he reached the steps of the Administration Building, Dr. Burrage stopped and briefly thanked the undergraduates for the cordial welcome they had given him. Then, after a "long cheer," the students went to their classes. Dr. Burrage said in part: "I came to Brown in 1857, but no such scene as I see to-day met my eyes. My class at the time of the Civil War had the same spirit which every Brown undergraduate would have now. In all 292 sons of Brown took part in the Civil War, 81 of whom died. The motto of a certain volume about the Civil War was 'For each of them considered that not only to his father and mother was he born, but to his fatherland.' Alas! that is something which we are forgetting at the present time. The record of Brown means that very thing. Let each young student not forget that he owes something to his country."

1862

Rev. and Mrs. Addison Parker of Richmond, Ind., celebrated, Sept. 18, the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. They were hosts Sunday evening at a family dinner. Among the guests were Wilson B. Parker, their son, an Indianapolis architect; Mrs. E. C. Atkins, Mr. Parker's sister; Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Atkins; Nelson A. Gladding, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Dean and Mrs. M. R. Kackley, all of Indianapolis. Mrs. W. A. Johnson of Holtonville, Cal., is a daughter. Mr. Parker left his studies at Brown to serve as an officer in the Civil War, and afterward was a minister of the Baptist church for fifty years but is now retired. Reception were given on the same day at which friends and members of the First Baptist Church, of which he formerly was pastor, were guests. Mr. and Mrs. Parker were married in Norwood, Mass.

Isaac Watts Brooks, the foremost citizen of Torrington, Conn., died at his home Oct. 17, 1916, in his 79th year. He had been in ill health for about two years. On Oct. 8 he underwent an operation from which he was subsequently thought to be recovering, but the day before his death he suffered a sinking spell from which he did not rally. Mr. Brooks was born in Goshen, Conn., Nov. 8, 1833, the son of Watts H. and Mary Wadhams Brooks. He came to Brown from Goshen Academy. After leaving the University he engaged in the general merchandise business in Goshen with his brother, the late John W. Brooks. This business was successfully conducted for eleven years, during ten of which Mr. Brooks was town clerk of

Goshen. In 1872 he went to Torrington, then known as Wolcottville, with his brother, and under the firm name of Brooks Brothers they established a banking house which was destined to play an important part in the industrial development of that section of the Naugatuck Valley. For twenty-seven years no other banking institution was necessary in Torrington, despite the rapid growth and expansion of the town. In 1899 the Brooks National Bank, the first national bank in Torrington, was incorporated with Mr. Brooks as president. He held that office during his lifetime and was also treasurer and secretary of the Torrington Savings Bank from 1873 until 1914, when he became president. For many years he was a director of the First National Bank of Litchfield, resigning because of ill health in January, 1916. The benefit of Mr. Brooks's exceptional financial ability was enjoyed by Torrington for many years, as he was town treasurer from 1872 until 1912 and borough treasurer from the time of the incorporation of the borough in 1887 until 1910. During his term of office the books in each department of the local government were remarkable for their clearness and accuracy. He was always keenly interested in all that pertained to the welfare of the community and was instrumental, among other things, in establishing and perfecting the water system. He served as president of the Torrington Water Company from 1878. He was also president and until 1916 was treasurer of the Torrington Library Association, treasurer of the Hillside Cemetery Association, and president of the John Brown Association. From 1885 to 1889 he was judge of probate for the district, which includes the towns of Torrington and Goshen. In 1884 he was elected to the General Assembly and was chairman of the committee on finance at that session. In 1893 he was again sent to represent his town in the house and was the choice of the republican caucus as Speaker, an office to which he was elected by a large majority. In 1906 he was once more called upon to do duty in the Legislature, this time as a member of the Senate from the Thirtieth District. He was re-elected in 1908 and was President pro tem. of the 1909 Senate and while holding that office was, on at least one occasion, Acting Governor of the state in the absence of the Governor, being Lieutenant Governor after the death of Governor George L. Lilley. Mr. Brooks was a member of the state tax commission appointed in 1884, which did excellent work in revising the statutes relating to taxation. In 1886 he was the receiver for the Charter Oak Life Insurance Company of Hartford. For many years he was engaged in the insurance business with Charles L. McNeill, under the firm name of Brooks & McNeill. He was a director of the Turner & Seymour Manufacturing Company of Torrington, of the Torrington Printing Company, of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company of Hartford and of the Colonial Trust Company of Waterbury. He was a member of the Torrington Club and treasurer of the Center Congregational Church and was actively identified with patriotic organizations. He was genealogist and counsellor of the order of Founders and Patriots in Connecticut, and had been Presi

dent of the national society of this order. He was Vice President of the Connecticut Society, S. A. R., and a member of the committee on historical documents of the Connecticut Society of Colonial Wars. He was a member of the Litchfield County University Club, the Litchfield County Historical Society and the Connecticut Historical Society. Mr. Brooks had travelled extensively, both in this country and abroad, and during the latter part of last year he made a trip to Jamaica and Panama in the hope of improving his health. Besides a sister, Mr. Brooks leaves one nephew, Major John N. Brooks, cashier of the Brooks National Bank and a member of Governor Holcomb's staff; and several grand nieces and nephews.

1864

Edwin Dorrance Dewey died at his home in Lakeland, Florida, June 21, 1916. The Yale Alumni Weekly lists him as an ex-member of the Yale class of 1861. He lived until a few years ago at Columbia, Conn., but was recently a farmer at Lakeland.

John D. Edgell celebrated his eightieth birthday Sept. 16. He is treasurer of the town of Gardner, Mass., and president of the Gardner Savings Bank. The Monthly joins his townsmen in congratulations on his successful career and on his continued health and vigor.

1870

Rev. A. H. Strong, D. D., '70, president emeritus of Rochester Theological Seminary, and Mrs. Strong sailed from San Francisco, September 23, on a tour of the Orient. They will make a brief stop in Japan and China and spend the months of December and January in India. On the return trip more time will be devoted to sight-seeing. Especial attention will be devoted to Baptist mission stations.

1878

Isaac O. Winslow, Superintendent of Schools of Providence, has been appointed a member of the committee of 100 for the promotion of school attendance among the 3,000,000 non-English-speaking immigrants of the country.

1881

Canon William Sheafe Chase of Brooklyn spoke twice in Providence, Sept. 29, on "Who Shall Control the Movies and Shows?" and "Our City Morals—Who is responsible?"

1882

The Somerville, Mass., Public Library trustees have decided to erect a memorial to the late Librarian, Sam Walter Foss, the poet. It will cost \$3000. A bronze tablet, bearing a medallion of Mr. Foss, will be set up under the large front window over the main entrance to the central library. Payment for the tablet will be made from a fund of \$15,000 left to the library by the late Martha R. Hunt. R. H. Recchia, a Boston sculptor, has been chosen to execute the work. Mr. Foss died in February, 1911. His best known composition was, perhaps, "The House by the Side of the Road."

Edward C. Bixby of Providence has been elected Secretary of the Arion club.

1886

George A. Jepherson of Providence has been elected President of the Arion club. He is also the Republican candidate for State Senator from Providence.

The Yale Alumni Weekly for Oct. 20 prints an article by Norman M. Isham on the first College House in New Haven and accompanies it with the following interesting note: In the following article by Mr. Norman M. Isham of Providence, the well known authority and writer on New England Colonial architecture, the Alumni Weekly presents what it believes to be an important Yale historical study,—the restoration of the first College House in New Haven of the Collegiate School and Yale College. Until this fall, the famous Greenwood engraving,—drawn about 1745-51,—of this first Yale building, has been the only representation in general circulation of this original Yale structure. That it was erroneous in proportions and many details has long been understood; until now, however, no serious effort has been made to restore the building as it was in 1718, when it was first occupied. Mr. Isham, a Brown University graduate, architect and professional restorer of 17th and 18th Century buildings for the New England States and historical organizations, has done a great service to the University in the work which he has put into the following paper and drawings. He has made use of all of the known contemporary documents describing the original building to be found among the Trustees' papers in the University archives; in addition, through the courtesy of the University Librarian, Mr. Andrew Keogh, he has had access to President Clap's manuscript "College Account Books," wherein are to be found sketches of the room arrangement in the middle of the 18th Century, and to a highly important and interesting drawing, of the rear of the house, dated 1743, which Professor Dexter discovered this fall among the University papers. The result of Mr. Isham's work may be accepted as an authoritative restoration, based on actual known facts, of this first Yale building, razed when the Old Brick Row was in its earliest stages of construction.

1888

Arthur P. Johnson of East Providence is the Democratic candidate for Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island.

1889

Herbert A. Rice is the Republican candidate for re-election as Attorney General of Rhode Island.

1890

The Phillips Bulletin, (Phillips Andover Academy), says: "The most interesting feature of the Shakespeare tercentenary exhibition held in the library of Phillips Academy, Andover, was a model of a typical Elizabethan theatre constructed by Charles H. Forbes, professor of Latin in the school. Professor Forbes has held in general to the specifications laid down in Albright's *Shakesperian Stage* and in Professor Thorndyke's recently published *Shakesperian Theatre*, using for the dimensions the scale of approximately five-eighths of an inch to a foot. The model, which is based largely upon the

plans of the Fortune but follows no one theatre throughout, is octagonal in shape, with three sides open so that the stage, gallery and balconies are visible. Each side of the octagon is fifteen inches long and twenty-five inches high. The pit is, of course, open to the sky, but the balconies and the 'Hut' are roofed with wood-work tinted to represent red tiling. The three balconies are, measured from the interior, respectively ten inches, seven and one-half inches, and five inches high. The stage, which is twenty-three inches deep with proscenium doors on each side at the rear, has the familiar truncated form projecting far into the pit, with a front of fourteen inches. Back of it is the inner stage, separated from the outer stage by a curtain. Above the inner stage is a fair-sized gallery, also with a curtain in front, with a window in the back. Above the outer stage, and covering it in part, are the 'Heavens,' painted blue, and supported by pillars fifteen inches in height; and over this at the top is the 'Hut', from which apparently stage machinery was sometimes let down. In the rear of the inner stage Mr. Edward Brooks, an Andover artist, has painted a conventional tapestry hanging; and he has also painted the interior of the theatre to imitate the wood and plaster construction then so common, adding decorative designs in browns and yellows so that the color scheme is exceedingly attractive. The floor of the pit is covered with earth strewn with rushes. The stage has been set for Act III, Scene 2, of *Hamlet*, in which the play within the play is enacted. Pastebord figures representing the various characters have been painted by another Andover artist, Mr. H. Winthrop Pierce, who is well acquainted with Elizabethan costume. The player king and queen are shown on the inner stage, giving the performance of *The Murder of Gonzago*; while the court spectators, Claudius, Gertrude, Ophelia, Hamlet, Polonius, and the others sit watching the performance, and the usual number of gallants are seated on the stage itself. Professor Forbes's model is probably larger and more in detail than any other in the United States. It is intended for permanent use in the English courses at Phillips Academy."

Rev. Brown Esek Smith, ex-'90, pastor of the Saunderstown Baptist Church, was taken ill after delivering an address to the young people of the Union Baptist Church, this city, at their noon rally on Sunday, Oct. 8, and died of heart failure three hours later at his home, 442 Cranston street. He had been ill for the past year and was forced to give up the pastorate of the Allenton First Baptist Church a year ago, after holding both pastorates for the preceding seven years. Rev. Mr. Smith was born in this city in 1865, educated in the public schools here and at Brown University, and ordained to the ministry at Canaan, N. H., in 1890. He preached his first sermon at Harmony while a Freshman at college. During his ministry he had been pastor of churches at Canaan, N. H.; Long Plain, Becket, Turners Falls, Lowell and New Bedford, Mass.; Cherryfield and Washburne, Me.; Randolph, Vt., and Allenton. He built and remodelled churches at Turners Falls, Montague City at New Bedford Mass.; at Cher-

ryfield and Washburne, Me., and at Allenton. He organized the Emanuel Baptist Church at New Bedford from a mission and served twice as its pastor. On Jan. 11, 1913, the anniversary of his silver wedding was celebrated at the First Baptist Church at Allenton. He was a descendant in direct line of Roger Williams and Rev. Chad Brown. He is survived by his mother and wife, a daughter, Pearl G., and a son, Dr. Graydon B. Smith.

1893

That the time is near at hand, and that it cannot come soon enough, when American colleges will be freed from the implied necessity of expressing the private opinions of wealthy contributors was the burden of an address delivered by Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn, Brown '93, President of Amherst College, before the Boston Baptist Social Union on the evening of Oct. 2. "I hope our colleges are going to stop growing," said Dr. Meiklejohn. "For many years we have been in the period of acquisition, and the matter of getting more equipment seems to have obscured all other issues. This has the tendency of enslaving the college if the President and trustees, to get a large gift, have to make an implicit promise that the peculiar financial, economic or religious opinion or doctrine of the donor shall be taught by the chair which has that matter in charge. At present the professors believe that they are being enslaved by implicit promises on the part of the President and trustees, and they have formed a coalition which they propose to use in making themselves independent."

1894

Clayton S. Cooper, as a part of the record of his travels, contributes to Educational Foundations for September an article on "The University of Cuzco." Mrs. Cooper contributes to the same number an article on "The Real Peruaya." There is an illustration showing the Coopers sitting on the Throne of the Incas.

1895

Edward Warren Corliss, ex-'95, died of pneumonia, Sept. 20, at his home in New York, after a few days illness. He was born in Providence in 1872, the son of William and Phoebe Corliss. His father was the inventor of the Corliss burglar-proof safe. His uncle was George H. Corliss, inventor of the Corliss engine. He was a special student at Brown 1891-3. He was popular and early displayed marked talent as a composer, being looked to for the music, and very often the lyrics, for the college comic operas and other shows. In later years his compositions attracted wide professional attention. His work has been included in many successful productions, and one of his songs, "It's Always Fair Weather," has a place in every collection of college songs. For the past ten years he made his home in New York, although he frequently paid long visits to Providence. For the past two years he had devoted his attention exclusively to writing and composing.

1896

George L. Parker is in the musical sales business, his rooms occupying an entire floor at 100 Boylston st., Boston. His home is in Newton.

1897

The Congregationalist (Boston) announces the appointment of Rev. Charles Ernest White to its staff as manager of the circulation department. He will also assist in extending the circulation of the Pilgrim Teacher and other Pilgrim Press periodicals and will be closely related to the editorial department of the Congregationalist. Mr. White has had a successful experience as a Congregational minister. He is a native of Saxton's River, Vt., a graduate of Brown University, class of 1897, and Hartford Seminary 1900. His first pastorate was Wilder, Vt. His other pastorates have been at Friendship, N. Y.; Berlin, N. H.; Lawrence, Mass.; Amherst, N. H., and the North Church, Winchendon, Mass. He resigned from the latter to go to the Congregationalist. The following appreciation of Mr. White and his work in Winchendon is from a prominent business man of that church: "Five years do not constitute a long pastorate, but the five years of work well done by Rev. Charles Ernest White for the North Congregational Church, Winchendon, Mass., were of sufficient duration to endear him to his people and to leave behind him in their lives larger visions and strivings toward better things. He is a man of high ideals, a thinker, a leader, a student and writer of verse, an artist with the camera, which he turned into service for his occasional illustrated Sunday evening addresses, and skilled in the printing art, which he used for the church. . . . He developed the services of the church to a high standard, rich, dignified, worshipful. It would be hard to find a church whose communion service was made more beautiful than that of the North Church as conducted by Mr. White. He early convinced the people of the need of a separate gathering for this, and the memory of those Sunday afternoon bi-monthly services will be dear to all who have attended them. Mr. White had a passion for the young people. He made the children feel that they were a part in the services of the church. His sermonettes were gems enjoyed not by the children alone, but also by the older members of the congregation. Sixty-five to seventy per cent. of those in attendance at the Bible school each Sunday have been present at the preaching service preceding, an indication of how the young people responded to his work. A large number of his musical compositions were sung at children's services, in two cases the music for the entire exercises coming from his hand. He revived the Endeavor Societies of the church and has brought them up to live working societies. He labored earnestly in the Bible school, being the leader of the Loyal Men's Bible Class. He left a thoroughly modern school. For several years he has done excellent work as Scoutmaster of the patrols of the Boy Scouts, devoting much time and strength to the work. Some large problems were successfully and harmoniously solved during his pastorate, such as the securing of an excellent parsonage, the first the church had ever owned; the incorporation of the church, peacefully burying the old parish organization; a simplification and modernization of its creedal statement, adopted without a trace of dissent; the introduction of the free pew system, with a

consequent financial push which has put the church on a sound financial basis. Mr. White felt that the North Church had a high mission in the town. Under his leadership the church has never resorted to the all-too-common schemes for raising money, but has appealed to and depended wholly on the liberality of its own people to meet its needs in a wholesome business way. Mr. White was deeply interested in all that pertained to the welfare of the community. He was ready to support any good work and fearless in raising his voice against the evils in the town. During his pastorate he served as a valued trustee of the Beals Memorial Library. As a church, as a town, as individuals we are the richer for his work among us. For years the church will be the stronger for the souls won to Christ through his consecrated leadership."

1901

Capt. George Allen Taylor, Coast Artillery Corps, U. S. A., has been assigned by the War Department to Rhode Island as Instructor-Inspector of the Coast Artillery Corps, Rhode Island National Guard. He has been serving at Del Rio, Texas. He was born April 23, 1879, the son of the late Charles F. Taylor of Providence; his mother is living at 84 Meeting st. As a young man he was a member of the old First Machine Gun Battery. While attending the old Providence high school he won the interscholastic mile championship, in 1896. After leaving Brown he went to the United States Artillery School, Fort Monroe, Va., from which he graduated in 1907. He was made Second Lieutenant of the Artillery Corps on May 8, 1901, and was accepted Aug. 7, 1901. On Jan. 25, 1907, he was made First Lieutenant, and on March 11, 1911, was made a Captain in the Coast Artillery Corps. He has written several articles upon war topics and has done considerable in the line of translation from Italian and French military works.

1902

Lewis S. Milner has become associated with John A. Gammons in general insurance business at 171 Westminster st., Providence.

Charles Perkins Webber, ex-'02, died in Mexico, Jan. 30. He was born in Hudson, Mass., Nov. 18, 1876, the son of Rev. Putnam and Caroline Brown Webber. He was fitted for college at the Wesleyan Academy. In college he was a member of Delta Tau Delta. He went to Mexico in 1903. He was assistant chief engineer of the Mexican Central Railroad, April 1907-Feb. 1908; chief engineer of the Ferrocarril Vera Cruz at Istmo, Feb. 1908-Sept. 1909; principal engineer of construction of the Ferrocarriles Nacionales de Mexico, Sept. 1909-July 1913. He became engineer of construction of the Vera Cruz Local Traction Co., Ltd., in July 1913. He later became chief engineer of the Tampico-Pameco Valley Railroad Co., and held the position at the time of his death.

1902 and 1903

Abbott Phillips and Fred A. Otis, Assistant Attorney Generals, have been in charge of the State's case in the trial of Charles H. Mansfield, the engineer of the Gilt Edge express that ran into a local train at Bradford last April. John J. Fitzgerald, '93, opposed them.

1905

The photographs of the class reunion last June are now available and can be obtained by application to David Davidson, 57 Whitmarsh st., Providence or to the Secretary of the class. The financial committee of the class having in charge the raising of the addition to the class scholarship and also the class's contribution to the Loyalty Fund consists of the following: C. L. Robinson, chairman; W. A. Spicer, H. C. Wells, John S. Palmer, 2nd; C. E. Otis, Colgate Hoyt, G. B. Bullock, R. D. Kettner and Paul C. DeWolf.

Rodney C. Walker has resigned as assistant manager of the Vermont Farm Machine Co. to become Minneapolis branch manager of the New Idea Spreader Co., a \$750,000 concern with offices on Washington av., North. His home address is 2024 Harriet av., Minneapolis, Minn.

1906

Elmer D. Nickerson has left his position as secretary to the Receiver of the Atlantic National Bank of Providence, and is now with the Industrial Trust Company of Providence.

Horace White, LL. D. '06, for many years one of the country's foremost journalists and an authority on financial subjects, died at his home in New York city, Sept. 16, after a long illness. He was born in Colebrook, N. H., Aug. 10, 1834, and was educated at Beloit College. He was editor of the Chicago Tribune 1864-74. In 1883 he joined the staff of the New York Evening Post and was successively editorial writer, editor-in-chief, president and vice president of the company. He retired from active newspaper work in 1903. In 1909 he was appointed by Governor Hughes to the New York State Commission on Speculation in Securities and Commodities. He was the author of several works on economic topics. He was a personal friend of Abraham Lincoln. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. J. M. Howells, daughter-in-law of William Dean Howells, and Miss Martha and Miss Elizabeth White.

1907

The address of Professor Zechariah Chafee, Jr., is 81 Irving st., Cambridge, Mass.

George Hurley of Providence is the Democratic candidate for Secretary of State of Rhode Island.

Laurence Rich Grose and Miss Eleanor Fisher, daughter of Edward Thornton Fisher, were married at Petersham, Mass., Sept. 2, 1916. Mr. and Mrs. Grose are now at home in Petersham.

1909

Clarence R. Johnson has had leave of absence from his instructorship in French at Colby and is in Y. M. C. A. work caring for the wounded in Southern France. His address is the Farmers' Loan and Trust Co., 41 Boulevard Haussmann, Paris.

1911

The Quinquennial Class Manual of 1911 is a handsome pamphlet which is not only interesting to the members and their friends, but has permanent value as a Brown record.

1912

Kenneth L. Nash, popularly known in Brown athletics as "Ken" Nash, shortstop extraordinary, is the Republican candidate for Senator, in the Massachusetts Legislature from the Norfolk-Plymouth district. He has already served two terms as a Representative.

Born, Oct. 6, to Mr. and Mrs. Kenly S. Bell, a daughter, Elizabeth Hope.

Walter C. Robertson, D. M. D., has opened an office at 208 Jackson bldg., 511 Westminster st., Providence.

1913

Rev. C. H. Ricker is assistant rector at Grace Episcopal Church, Providence.

Maynard E. Wright is at Flagstaff, Maine, serving as district superintendent of schools for six towns.

Clarence N. Reynolds, Jr., is an instructor in Mathematics at Wesleyan University, Middletown, Ct.

1917

H. A. Batchelor of Detroit sailed a few days ago from New York to serve one year with the American Ambulance Field Service in France. Mr. Batchelor, who is a member of the D. K. E. Fraternity at Brown, has lived in France and other European countries. He will drive one of the motor ambulances.

Alumnae

1902

Florence Branderlung Whipple died in Providence Oct. 6, after an illness of some weeks.

Mrs. Thomas R. Clayton (Myrtle Wilkinson) has been elected president of the Mother's club of the new Cole Avenue School.

Married at Whitinsville, Mass., Sept. 16, Francis W. Wetmore and Marguerite McL. Reid. In the Providence Journal for Sept. 10 Mr. William E. Foster, librarian of the Public Library, pays a glowing tribute to the importance of Miss Reid's ten years of work in the foreign department of that library.

1909

Margaret J. Morgan has been appointed assistant in charge of the Foreign Department in the Providence Public Library.

1911

Married, August 30th, at Pawtucket, Adolph Burnett Benson and Miss Hannah Senior Nicholson.

1912

Marion J. Emsley has been appointed librarian of the Sprague House branch of the Providence Public Library.

1915

Elinor E. Randall has entered the New York State Library School at Albany. Her address is 68 Dove st., Albany, N. Y.

Marjorie D. Barker is teaching English and History in the High School, Wareham, Mass.

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