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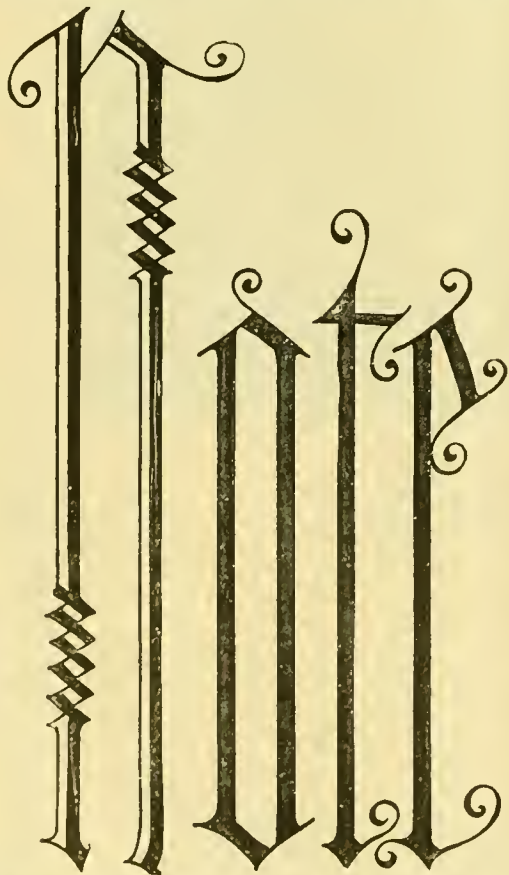
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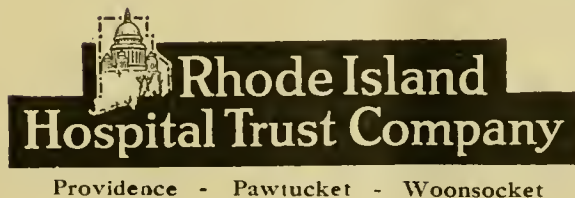


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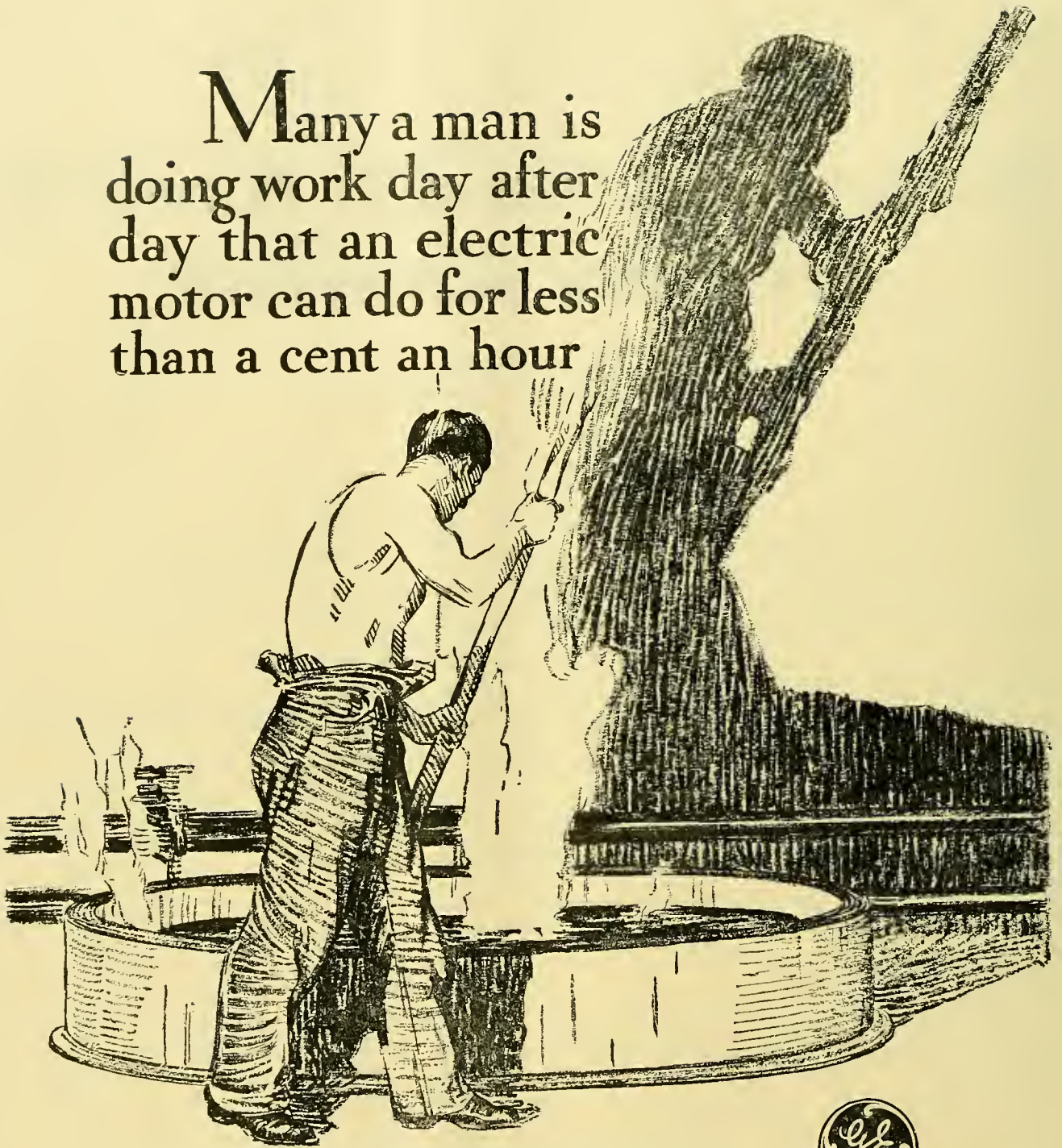
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On The Hill

Comment on Contemporary Topics of Interest to Graduates of Brown

Colleges and Universities

FROM Southern California comes news of an educational experiment of which we wish we had more information. Pomona College at Claremont proposes, we understand, to re-establish itself as a group of colleges after the fashion of Oxford and Cambridge. The only wonder is that the experiment has not been widely tried in America before.

Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn's plan, just now going into effect at the University of Wisconsin, is essentially along similar lines. It proposes the segregation of a few score students in a separate college within the general university system at Madison.

These fortunate students will have the advantage of concentrated tutorial or professorial attention, and may be expected to show good results at the end of the academic year.

We have often wished that some benefactor of Brown would endow a like experiment in Providence. Suppose a hundred or two hundred undergraduates were to be enrolled in a distinctive college within the University. We see no insuperable difficulties connected with the idea. It need be not a snobbish arrangement, a socially exclusive plan, or anything else objectionable, but simply an attempt to offset the admitted disadvantages of mass instruction. We

have an impression that if one such college proved useful, more would come into natural and helpful being, and almost before we knew it the English system would be in full blow on an American campus.

Dean West's idea of a separate Graduate College at Princeton is along the same lines. The Graduate College is an integral part of the university but physically apart from it, with a marked identity. It has its own quadrangle, its massive Cleveland Tower, its fine new carillon, its beautiful commons dining hall.

Sometimes we think that the Greek-letter fraternity system at



PRESIDENT FAUNCE

Who Sends a Greeting to Brown Alumni in this issue of the Monthly

From the Brown Daily Herald

Brown and other American colleges is testimony to the essential soundness of the college group theory. The fraternity houses, however, imperfectly, supply the demand for physical compactness and social cohesion that the modern university with its teeming thousands cannot satisfy.

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Nineteen Fraternity Houses

FURTHER emphasis is laid on the fraternity system at Brown by Kappa Sigma's acquisition of a fraternity house. This makes the nineteenth chapter house at Brown, so that all of the Greek-letter societies are now provided with homes of their own. Kappa Sigma has hitherto occupied quarters in Hope College.

The new Kappa Sigma house has been purchased for approximately \$30,000. The property is bounded by Angell street, Defoe place and Fones alley, and is thus located a short distance west of Prospect street.

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Suggestions to the Liber

WE respectfully suggest to the 1928 editors of the *Liber Brunensis* that they make a resolute effort to procure a satisfactory series of photographs for their volume. The 1927 *Liber* was not as strong in this respect as could have been wished. Many of the group pictures seemed to us to do anything but justice to the undergraduates they portrayed.

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Next Year's Reunions

IT seems to us desirable that the Alumni Monthly should get into closer touch next spring with the reunion classes and arrange, well in advance, for adequate accounts of their reunions, to appear in the July, 1928, number. Possibly these classes would be glad to cooperate with us in defraying the expense of extra pages and group photographs. The outlay would be comparatively slight. A good class cut ought not to cost more than ten dollars at the outside and probably a total appropriation of fifteen dollars a class would cover

the bill, including extra pages, pictures and all. If this scheme should be carried out, it ought to include a specially-written report of each reunion by the class secretary or some other member of the class.

We propose to address the reunion committees well in advance of next Commencement and get their opinions on the matter.

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Homesick Freshmen

BEFORE this number of the Monthly reaches its readers the Freshman class of 1931 will be well initiated into its academic tasks. But in the meantime it will have gone through a difficult process of adjustment to its new surroundings.

The problem of the homesick newcomer to the Brown campus is a real one. He cuts loose from family ties (unless his home is in or near Providence) several days before the other three classes are required to put in an appearance, and not enough college duties are imposed upon him to keep him from nostalgia. For the sake of lessening the congestion incident to the opening of the new academic year he is compelled to report nearly a week in advance, and then he finds that, aside from the quickly-attended-to duties of registration and a single orientation lecture a day, little or nothing is required of him and he must make the best of the trying situation of what is likely to prove a hot week in the city with time hanging very heavily on a stranger's hands.

We believe that if Freshmen are to be forced in the future, as they have during the last few years, to reach the campus earlier than Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors are, the University owes them much more non-academic attention than they have yet received. Impressions received by them during the first week of their undergraduate career are not easily effaced, and these impressions under present conditions are apt to be decidedly unflattering.

We believe also that it ought to be possible for any undergraduate who desires to do so to secure a good meal on Sunday evening on or near the campus. This is the most lone-

some time of the entire week and students should not have to go down town to an un-homelike restaurant to get their Sunday-night supper.

We have a good deal to do yet in the direction of making our students physically, intellectually and spiritually comfortable. Many uncoordinated efforts are commendably put forth, but the problem as a whole deserves businesslike and earnest attention.

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Now for the Remedy

HAVING put this matter before Vice President Mead, the Alumni Monthly is glad to say that since the above paragraphs on "Homesick Freshmen" were written a very great change has been made. A committee was appointed by Dr. Mead to study the situation. The committee, headed by Counsellor O. T. Gilmore, went promptly and earnestly to work and, with the aid of a generous appropriation by the Corporation, provided an excellent program of entertainment for the Class of 1931, together with various helpful innovations, such as information booths at railroad and bus stations, cots in the Brown Union for men who had not yet secured their rooms, and upper-class guides and advisers. The entertainment comprised special programs at the Union on Thursday and Friday evenings, September 22 and 23, and an excursion, covering part of Saturday and Sunday, to the Kiwanis Club's camp near Chepachet, where meals and sleeping accommodations were provided free for all who desired them. Sports were arranged at the camp. There was also on Friday evening a complimentary supper at the college. Finally, the Brown Union cafeteria was, for the first time, open during Freshman Week. We are grateful for Dr. Mead's quick action in the matter and for the committee's skillful rising to the occasion. A real need has been intelligently met.

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The College in the '70s

ELSEWHERE in this number of the Alumni Monthly Dr. Walter L. Munro of the class of 1873

begins a series of interesting articles on the college as he knew it half a century ago. The Back Campus of his undergraduate days is the Middle Campus of 1927. The Back Campus of a later era was then an outland of swamp and briar, a No Man's Land of which in subsequent installments he will have weird tales to tell. It is now, of course, Lincoln Field or Lincoln Quadrangle, a rather handsome section of our university possessions, especially since the central portion was seeded, rolled and subdued to the close-clipping lawn-mower.

It is difficult for an undergraduate of the present era to realize the different character of the campus and the college in the seventies of the last century. But Dr. Munro knows whereof he speaks; *magna pare fuit* of the lively if less complex student activities of that far-off Halcyon.

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Commencement Changes

WE are heartily in favor of the proposed changes in Commencement Week. It may be remembered that these changes were explained in detail in the May number of the Alumni Monthly. They are the result of long and painstaking consideration of the subject by a competent committee and we feel sure that the great majority of Brown graduates will approve them.

In brief they are as follows:

Thursday. Senior Dance, Women's College.

Friday. Meeting of the Board of Fellows. Class Day, Men's College. Ivy Day, Women's College.

Saturday. Annual Meeting of Phi Beta Kappa. Alumnae Day, Women's College. Awarding of Advanced Degrees. Annual Meeting of the Associated Alumni.

Sunday. Baccalaureate Sermon.

Monday. Annual College Commencement. Commencement Luncheon. Baseball Game. Fraternity Alumni Reunions. President's Reception.

Tuesday. Annual Meeting of the Corporation.

The revised Commencement program embodied in these proposals will result in concentrating the most important alumni activities at or near the week end. This means that many graduates will find it much easier than it is at present to attend a major portion of the exercises of the week. The new program is designed for introduction next June and we look forward to one of the best Commencements on record in consequence

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To Non-Subscribers

SHORTLY before this issue of the Monthly went to press it seemed probable that a copy would

be sent to every graduate and former student of Brown. This extra-wide distribution of the magazine seemed peculiarly desirable, since we are printing this month a special message to the alumni from President Faunce and also some interesting information regarding the opening of the college year and the new plans attendant thereon.

To all those non-subscribers to the Monthly whose glance may fall upon these lines we offer a suggestion. The magazine costs but one dollar a year, while other college monthlies no more pretentious in size or content are priced at twice that sum or even more. We have determinedly—at times even desperately—kept the Brown Alumni Monthly down to one dollar a year because we believe that any increase in price would be accompanied by a corresponding decrease in the number of subscribers and we wish to make as many contacts as possible between the University and its sons and daughters. We urge all non-subscribers, accordingly, to help us in our task by joining the ranks of our subscribers. A dollar bill enclosed in an envelope with your name and address and sent to the Brown Alumni Monthly, Brown University, Providence, R. I., will be, we feel confident, "the beginning of a beautiful friendship," in the phrase of one of the popular cartoonists of the day.

Brown Begins With a Football Victory

Brown 27, R. I. State 0

Playing their sixteenth game in a series that began in 1909, Brown and Rhode Island State College met at Brown Field on Saturday, Sept. 24, in a match that resulted, like all the previous meetings, in a Brown victory. The score was 27-0, Brown crossing the line in each of the four 15-minute periods. A year ago, in the opening game of the season, Brown beat Rhode Island only 14 to 0. The total score for the sixteen years of dual competition is now Brown 272, Rhode Island 0.

This year's game was a typical early-season contest with much loose playing, as was to be expected. Brown showed flashes of great offensive power, against which the Kings-

ton team could offer no real resistance.

The game started with the following line-up: Towle l e, H. Cornsweet l t, Farber l g, Consodine c, Kevorkian r g, Hodge r t, Pett r e, Campbell l h, Lawrence r h, A. Cornsweet f b. But before the final whistle blew, Coach McLaughry had sent a total of 26 men into the fray.

Brown made 16 first downs to five for Rhode Island. Captain Randall was the only "Iron Man" remaining in college who could not be sent in.

The touchdowns were made by Lawrence, Campbell, "Bud" Edwards and Ricci. The most spectacular play for Brown was that of Edes at quarterback, Edwards, Farber, Al Cornsweet and Lawrence. The score by periods was as follows: 6, 7, 7, 7.

Total 27. Points for touchdown—Campbell (3).

Substitutions for Brown: Merrill for Consodine, Munson for Kevorkian, Stewart for Pett, Channing for Farber, C. H. Edwards for Lawrence, J. Monroe for Towle, Heller for Stewart, Kevorkian for H. Cornsweet, Farber for Hodge, Lawrence for A. Cornsweet, McLean for Lawrence, Polski for Channing, Cary for Merrill, Consodine for Cary, Ricci for Edes, Burke for Farber, Dujardin for Murray.

Referee—W. H. Halloran. Umpire—K. S. Norton. Linesman—G. A. Owens. Field judge—C. E. Boston.

Attendance 8000.

The Brown Band, 50 strong, showed up well at the game.

A Greeting from President Faunce

Dear Fellow Alumni:

While from my office window I see the Freshmen climbing College Hill—coming from Pawtucket and from Tokyo and many points between—my thoughts go out to the graduates who are climbing steeper slopes in the wider world, and I send you an autumn greeting.

Never during my twenty-eight years at Brown have I felt greater joy in facing the inspiring tasks of September. The American college never grows old! We teachers and executives may walk with more deliberate gait than once, we may now prefer golf to tennis and a quiet book to a jazz orchestra. But the college-students are just as youthful and exuberant, just as foolish and absurd, just as inspired and inspiring as fifty years ago. Happy are we who are allowed and compelled to associate daily with those too young to despair, too vigorous to mope, those who feel each morning, in the phrase of John Hay, "the youth that thrills them to the fingertips."

The old campus behind the Van Wickles appears the same as last year. But the fine fields for outdoor sports one mile to the north are

developing in amazing fashion, and the walls of the magnificent new gymnasium are rapidly rising. The Alumnae Hall of our Women's College is ready for occupation—one of the handsomest structures in New England. We are trying hard to keep our Freshman classes—both at the men's college and the women's—down to the same size as last year, even though we must turn away many applicants. But we have increased the number of our Faculty within the last two years from 135 to 186, and some of the new teachers are known throughout the land for their research or their teaching power.

The Graduate Department has now become a full-fledged Graduate School under the direction of Dean Richardson. While we have lost by retirement Professors Barus and Bronson and Allinson, they will still live close beside us. Bronson's mantle falls on Damon, Allinson's toga will be worn by Smith, and Barus's researches in Physics were carried on last year by Palmer (absent this year on Sabbatic leave) and by Keyes (loaned to us by M. I. T.) Dr. Barus's former pupil, A. A. Bennett, Brown '10, son of A. A. Bennett '72,

comes back to us as full professor in our strong Department of Mathematics. About fifty other new men join our staff as teachers or assistants.

But this is not an official report—merely a greeting—and must not be prolonged. I am expecting to attend the annual alumni dinners in the East this winter and put old friendships in repair. For dinners involving many nights on the sleeper I may send my colleagues. I hope Dr. Mead (V. P.) may go as far as the Pacific coast. He can tell you all about our interior life. As a biologist he can dissect and expose to you the heart—and even the intestines—of our University. But the thing he will never expose I reveal here—the fact that he has carried on his broad and unselfish shoulders for the last two years many of my heaviest responsibilities and earned the lasting gratitude of myself and all Brownians far and near. I have known many rare friendships, but none quite so deep and strong as those of College Hill.

Cordially yours,

W. H. P. Faunce

Providence, September 13, 1927.

Commencement 100 Years Ago

COMMENCEMENT at Brown University in 1827, just one hundred years ago, occurred in September. The *Manufacturers and Farmers Journal* of September 8, 1827, said:

"It affords us pleasure and delight to turn for a moment from the busy and bustling scenes of the world of trade and of politics, to behold the progress of literature and the rapid advancements of science in our young republic. The literary University in this town celebrated its anniversary in the first Baptist Meeting house, yesterday.

"On the day previous to commencement two of the societies connected with the University commemorated their anniversaries. At eleven

o'clock on Tuesday the Hon. Tristram Burges delivered an Oration before the Philermenian Society on the subject of eloquence. Mr. Burges is the Professor of Eloquence in the University, and had eloquence or the art of persuasion required an advocate, none more able than the professor could have been found. The circumstances which at this time called for a display of so much talent on that subject are unknown to us. We thought that at the present day, particularly in this country, every one of reflection was convinced of the great utility of chaste and commanding eloquence. If there is any one thing for which our University has hitherto been eminent, it is the eloquence of the students. This branch

of literature has been cultivated with unusual success, and in composition and elocution the students of Brown University have not been surpassed by any.

"The subject was in the hands of a master and treated in a masterly manner. Although we were pleased with the oration as a literary production, there was in it one broad statement to which we could not readily assent. The idea was however not new with Mr. Burges; it has often been advanced and as often denied. It was stated to this full extent, that none but a religious man could be eloquent. Without intending to disparage in the slightest degree the wholesome effects of our holy religion, we must beg leave entirely to

dissent from Mr. Burges's position. What is eloquence?—The power of pleasing, instructing and persuading. Cannot infidels do all these? The untutored savage who never had the benefits of revelation, who only sees God in clouds and hears him in the wind is in his wigwam eloquent in the highest sense of the term. Were not Paine, and Hume, and Gibson, and Voltaire eloquent to the converting of many to a belief in their doctrines of infidelity?—Unfortunately for the world they were eloquent and did please, and instruct, and persuade.

"Mr Burges commanded the profound attention of a very respectable audience for the space of one hour and a half.

"In the afternoon Ira Barton, Esq., delivered an oration before the United Brothers Society, on the subject of giving a proper direction to the human mind. To us it was an

unusually interesting performance. For elegance of diction; force and energy of expression, and purity of style, we have seldom known it surpassed.

"Commencement day being remarkably pleasant the meeting house was at an early hour thronged with an immense crowd of spectators; we scarce ever saw more beauty and fashion collected on a similar occasion. The Commencement was honored by the attendance of many strangers of distinction, among whom we noticed Gov. Williams of South Carolina, Gov. Lincoln of Massachusetts, Capt. Charles Morris of the U. S. Navy, John Pickering, Esq., and Col. Stone of the New York Commercial Advertiser.

"The procession left the Colleges at ten, and the services commenced about eleven o'clock. The President of the University made the introductory prayer, which was, in conse-

quence of the low tone of his voice and the buz in the house, not heard by any one front of the stage. The salutatory addresses as usual in Latin were well attended to by the Corporation, and we presume as well understood by them as by the rest of the audience.

Justice compels us to say that the performances of the day were by no means of the highest order of Collegiate exercises; and that of the sentiments which pervaded our minds, disappointment was the predominant one.

"The Corporation, distinguished guests and graduates dined at the University hall, where, according to a puritanical notion, and contrary to former practice, wine was excluded. It was an unusual sight to see gentlemen exchanging gratulations and pledging each other in a glass of cider."

Associated Alumni and Brown Clubs

PLANS for the academic year 1927-28 were discussed at the first meeting of the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni, held at the Alumni Office, John Hay Library, on Sept. 20, with President Wiley H. Marble '12 occupying the chair for the first time. The committee is composed of President Marble, Charles R. Adams '80, James M. Pendeton '85, Clifford S. Anderson '00, alumni trustees, V. A. Schwartz '07, Maurice A. Wolf '14, James S. Allen '98, and E. K. Aldrich, Jr. '02.

President Marble succeeds Henry G. Clark '07, under whose leadership the Associated Alumni made direct and substantial progress as an organization having for its purpose the development of alumni and former students into a strong, active body and the advancement of the interests of the University as set forth by the Corporation under the able direction and management of President Faunce and Vice President Mead.

Mr. Clark's successor has long been prominent in alumni work. He has enthusiasm, courage, and ability

as an organizer. During the last eight years he has given much time to alumni affairs, in addition to his duties as President of the Society of the Third Division, with which he served in France during the World War, and as a member of the school committee and City Planning Board of Worcester, Mass., his home. President Marble will undoubtedly visit some of the New England Brown Clubs in the next few months so that alumni may hear first hand what the Associated Alumni is doing.

The Brown University Club of Cleveland has elected the following officers for 1927-28: President, Lloyd Brown '99; Vice President, Charles W. Hunt '04; Secretary-Treasurer, Everett T. Marten '25. The club is planning to give a trophy to be competed for by University School of Cleveland, Shadyside School, Pittsburgh, and Nichols School, Buffalo. The University is now getting some excellent boys from the Cleveland district, and it is the intention of the club to do what it can to continue to interest the right

kind of student material in Brown.

By the time this issue of the Monthly reaches its readers, the football game between Brown and Penn in Philadelphia will be only a few days away. The Brown Club of Philadelphia has everything ready for a get-together the night before the battle, and the Brown Band will appear in Philadelphia (according to the program as now arranged) in a joint concert with the Penn Band. Dr. Daniel H. Fuller '86, 521 Strathmore road, Brookline, Upper Darby, Pa., is President of the Club in Philadelphia, and Howard C. Cummings '22, 406 Chestnut street, is secretary. Cummings is the one for Brown men, intending to go to the game, to get in touch with for any information concerning the night-before gathering.

The Brown Club of Boston was sponsor for a golf outing at the Al-bemarle Golf Club on Wednesday, Sept. 21. Mian Gulian '23 and George S. Burgess '12 were in charge of the teams, and there were prizes "even for the duffers." We hope to

be able to chronicle the winners in the next issue. Incidentally, all Brown men who have recently moved

to Boston and its neighborhood will do well to send in their names and addresses to Preston P. MacDonald

'26, secretary, at 176 Federal street, Boston.

As the Year Opens

THE academic year has opened with more than 400 Freshmen admitted to the Men's College.

President Faunce has returned from a summer at Mohonk, refreshed and vigorous.

Vice President Mead is bearing the major burden of administrative routine, and bearing it well.

Of the new faculty appointments those of English, Psychology, Mathematics and Italian (Romance Languages) are the most significant.

The retirement last June of Professor Bronson, a veteran and beloved leader of the largest and certainly one of the most important departments meant not only the loss of a valuable unit of the staff but the forming of a new ministry. It was the natural occasion of taking account of stock; readjustment and rejuvenation of courses, additions to the department staff and provision for better material facilities.

Some very good rooms have been provided in University Hall as offices and conference rooms which, with the provision of clerical assistance, will substantially benefit the department.

In English there have been ten appointments and eight retirements. Balancing the losses and gains, there are to be fewer assistants and more men of higher rank.

Aside from other advantages, these changes obviate the necessity of placing some elementary work in the hands of young and inexperienced assistants and will, therefore, of course improve the undergraduate teaching; but the rearrangement and readjustment of courses have been made with reference also to giving time and opportunity for productive work by the faculty members in accordance with the general policy of the University.

Graduate work, which has long been carried on in the department, has received extraordinary encouragement. Since last May the following

graduate scholarships and fellowships have been given to the department: Two scholarships for 1927-28, and one fellowship for three years beginning 1927-28, by an anonymous donor; the Sharpe Fellowship of \$1000 for 1927-28; two annual University "Junior" Fellowships of \$750 and \$550 respectively, recently made available by the University. These changes have involved a great deal of planning and work by the members of the department and on the part of the Corporation a considerable expense and a profound faith in the general program of development both in teaching and productive scholarship.

Notable development has taken place in Psychology. Associated with Professor Delabarre, who has carried the work alone for many years, will be Professor Leonard Carmichael of Princeton, who comes as Associate Professor and brings with him an intimate acquaintance with one of the newest and best equipped Psychological laboratories in the country. Harold R. Meyers '27 has been appointed Instructor in Psychology and Neurology. The department will leave Rhode Island Hall and take up its new quarters at 89 Waterman street, thus severing at least its physical bond with the department of Philosophy.

Psychology has been included in the department of Philosophy and it still is, but on account of these new developments the courses in both Philosophy and Psychology have been remodelled and readjusted.

The facts in regard to the Sharpe Fellowships are interesting. Recently the Advisory and Executive Committee voted to provide in each of the five departments of Biology, English, History, Mathematics and Romance Languages two annual "Junior" fellowships, because it seemed desirable that the unqualified "fellowship" should in the future yield a stipend income commensurate

with the dignity and importance of the appointment. In former years \$500 was considered a proper sum, equivalent, roughly, to \$1000 at present.

Some of the appointments in the Mathematics Department are particularly interesting. Last May, Professor M. H. Ingraham and Professor R. E. Langer, both of whom were Assistant Professors, were offered and accepted full professorships at the University of Wisconsin. In their places were appointed Joseph D. Tamarkin as Assistant Professor and Albert Arnold Bennett as full Professor.

Professor Tamarkin is a musician—as is Professor Archibald—and had (in Russia) a notable musical as well as mathematical library. He is a very productive scholar and an enthusiastic teacher.

Professor Bennett is the son of A. A. Bennett, Brown 1872, and a brother of Charles Barrows Bennett 1906. Professor Bennett earned distinction as an undergraduate by taking the Baccalaureate and Master's degree in three years, besides sharing in many so-called "student activities." He is an authority on internal ballistics, and the Army is ordering one of its captains to take courses under him at Brown.

The appointment of Professor Altrocchi in Romance Languages will bring into that department another notable teacher and scholar. Professor Altrocchi is equally at home in the languages and cultures of America and Italy.

Professor Jacobs has retired from the Department and School of Education and will devote his whole time to the Extension Division which he has already so notably built up. He has this summer been attending conferences both at Lake Placid and at Toronto in connection with educational moving pictures. New quarters have been provided at 36 Prospect street.

Professor Ekstrom is acting head of the Department and School of Education.

A second step has been taken in Art, that is, more definite affiliation with the School of Design. Heretofore by a long standing agreement students could enter courses at the School of Design and receive credit at the University. This arrangement still obtains but in addition a special course for Brown students regularly

entered in the catalogue is to be offered. It is eligible to students who have taken Professor Taylor's elementary course in Art at the University. The course is to be given at the School of Design, conducted by Director Rowe and Mr. Frazier. In the lectures Mr. Rowe will use the wealth of material in the Museum, and Mr. Frazier will conduct the laboratory work. This is the second step in the development of what it is

hoped will be an important Art curriculum at Brown.

In the will of the late Oscar S. Strauss, who received an honorary degree of Litt. D. from the University in 1896, and was always interested in Brown's work, the University received a bequest of the sum of \$10,000. This will be carried as a special fund, but the precise uses of the income have not as yet been determined.

The Old Back Campus

MEMORIES OF THE AREA KNOWN SINCE 1880 AS THE MIDDLE CAMPUS

By Walter Lee Munro '79

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ITS area was not great if expressed in acres or even in square feet, but, for the old boys, it is crowded with memories and peopled by a throng of once familiar faces.

But stop! can these be college boys whom we are watching? They are bright-faced, alert, eager, but many of them wear full beards and many more side-whiskers and moustaches of various types and varying luxuriance. Nevertheless they were college boys of about the same average age as those of to-day. It is simply the fashion which has changed. It was not uncommon in those days to sport a full beard one week, side taps or Burnsidese the next and a smooth face or only a moustache the week after.

It is characteristic of each succeeding group of college students, unless they have had the rare good fortune to grow up in the shadow of the elms, to think that all history begins with them and their fellows; that as they find things so have they always been. So it happens that several generations have had their brief day, and graduated who know nothing of the Old Back Campus of the years before 1880. Yet it was the centre of real student life, outside of the classrooms, to a greater extent than any other can ever be. For the Brown of those days was a true college. Everyone lived on the campus and knew everyone else. There were no fraternity houses, no faraway gym-

nasium and athletic field to break the student body up into unrelated and only slightly acquainted groups. There was true solidarity, true college spirit and it centred on the Old Back Campus.

Every pleasant afternoon found it occupied by a constantly changing crowd of boys kicking football (the old-fashioned rubber kind), "passing ball" or perhaps practicing pitching, with the easterly projecting end of Manning Hall for a back stop behind the hardworked commandeered receiver.

There was no gymnasium. The Presidents of those days entertained the archaic, but historically interesting conception of a college as an institution primarily concerned with educational and cultural pursuits. One annual report stated that "it is clearly not the object of a collegiate education to train men for competition in boat racing, foot racing, or baseball. Indeed, there is much reason to apprehend that the interests or education in several of our leading colleges are already suffering from a disproportionate and excessive devotion to baseball and boating." This, of course was rank heresy even from a college president.

Nevertheless they appreciated the necessity for a certain amount of physical exercise. This the students were expected to get upon the Back Campus, as long as the weather was suitable, while a contract was made

for the use of a private gymnasium down town from November 15th to April 15th at seven dollars, later eight dollars, a head, the cost being divided 50-50 between the Corporation and the student. The records show that about one-half of the student body availed themselves of these facilities, but the fraction actually making use of them was much smaller.

Considering the present conditions, it is interesting to note that one of the strongest arguments advanced, before a college gymnasium was finally secured, was that the downtown establishment was "six minutes' walk away from the campus, thus causing much valuable time to be wasted."

Let us return to the Back Campus. Its level was two feet, more or less, at Waterman street and even more at George street, above the grade of the sidewalk. It was enclosed at the north and south ends by fences of heavy horizontal rails. (The fence about the Front Campus at that time was of round pickets.)

It was bounded on the west by the "Old Front Row," Hope College Manning Hall, University Hall (with the close-board fence of the Register's garden extending southerly from it), an unoccupied space where Slater now stands, and, finally, Rhode Island Hall at the George street end.

On the east it was limited by the graveled walk of Brown street which

extended in a direct line from the narrow gate on George street to that on Waterman street. The Chemical Laboratory, built in 1862 at an expense of \$25,000, then, as now, stood just back of the Brown street path.

The University at that time owned none of the land abutting on Waterman and George streets between Brown and Thayer. With the exception of St. Stephen's Church this was occupied by private residences of the better sort. It did own the large rectangular plat included between the back fences of these estates on the north and south, the Brown street path on the west and Thayer street on the east. This lot, commonly referred to in those days as "down behind the Laboratory," was rough, swampy ground, a veritable terra incognita to most of the students, where one must step warily to avoid the many pitfalls for which Nature was to blame or those other hazards for which the cow (sometimes cows) pastured there were responsible. For Professor Bailey and his class in Botany it was a treasure tour of inexhaustible richness.

In the southeast corner, about where Caswell stands, was a frog pond, well filled in wet seasons. But that is another story. It will come later.

Besides the buildings I have mentioned the University owned, prior to 1875, only the President's House on the corner of College and Prospect streets, where the John Hay Library now stands, and a ramshackle wooden boat house on the Seekonk just above

Red Bridge. It is to be doubted whether the Corporation had any title or equity in this last.

To these there were added, between 1875 and 1877, the "New Library" (now the Old Library) on the corner of Waterman and Prospect.

The President's House, afterward used as a refectory, has for long been only a memory.

Of University Hall and Hope College, President Robinson, in his annual report for 1875, said, "Such dormitory accommodations as we have are not only quite insufficient to our wants in extent; they are most discreditably unfit in kind." This statement was not too strong.

University Hall was then about a century old. Hope College had been built something more than half as long. No material changes or improvements had been made in either. The original open fireplaces had given way to stoves, sometimes simply for heating purposes, sometimes cook stoves on which the students prepared their own meals. Each room was supposed to accommodate two students, who slept in a double bed, shared a bureau between them and had two closets, one of which was devoted to coal and wood, the other to clothing and other belongings.

There was no running water in the dormitories except in the slop-basins in the halls, and these were boarded up and kept locked. All water for bathing purposes had to be brought, in a curious collection of containers of every shape and size,

from the two wells of which I shall speak later. If hot water was needed it had to be heated over the stove, which manifestly was impracticable during several months of the college year.

There were no bathtubs, though some of the students owned old-fashioned tin "hat-baths." Those who had none either borrowed or went without. At best it was a little disconcerting on a cold morning to find the jug empty and have to go down and up several flights of stairs and out on the campus to the well to replenish it.

In short there was a dearth of water and a lamentable failure to appreciate the truth of the old proverb "Cleanliness is next to Godliness."

It was possible on occasion, of a Saturday night, to secure hot water, in a quantity limited by the size of your container, by entering at the gate of the Register's garden and applying at the door of the basement kitchen; but this was a long trip for a man from Hope College. It was no wonder that some students felt justified in so timing their visits that they could bring away with them one or more of the Douglas family's Saturday's baking of pies which were left on a table in the kitchen to cool.

For illumination we had kerosene lamps. German student-lamps were the aristocrats. Some of them even had shades. The boys in Hope College did have gas for a time, prior to 1872, but that is a story in itself and must wait a while.

A Brunonian Doctor In France

HOW THEODORE C. MERRILL BEGAN LIFE ALL OVER AGAIN

By Arthur Deerin Call '96

STRUGGLING to pay my respects at the funeral ceremonies of Anatole France, in front of the French Academy on the left bank of the Seine, Paris, I found myself being shoved out of the picture by a group of very efficient policemen. It was a fine Saturday afternoon, October 18, 1924. The trouble with us who were being treated thuswise

was that we had not taken pains to get *cartes d'identite*. After being pushed for more than a block, I looked up into the face of one of my fellow pushees and, behold, it was a chap I had not seen for years—Theodore Clarkson Merrill of my ancient class of '96 at Brown; and thereby hangs my tale.

Merrill has discovered, so I found,

the fountain of perpetual youth. It cannot be due to the place of his birth. He was born in Taunton, Mass.; indeed, his earlier ancestors came from Skowhegan, Me. For one I don't believe it is because his family moved to Providence in 1887, or even to the further important fact that he graduated from the Providence Grammar School and the Prov-

idence High School. It may be due in a measure to the fact that he graduated with Phi Beta Kappa standing from Brown in 1896. Causes and effects always bother me.

In any event, Merrill was our Class Odist. He was always clever with languages. Before graduating from Brown he specialized in chemistry and biology. After graduating he became Chemical Assistant in Boston University School of Medicine and graduated from that institution, M. D., *cum laude*, in 1899. But there is nothing unusual about all this.

President Eliot may have had Merrill in mind when he said: "Whom the Gods love they first give pneumonia," for the unusual thing about Merrill began with an attack of pneumonia just as he was about to begin the practice of medicine in Providence. The other doctors of the town sent him to a ranch in West Texas for his health; and there he lived a cowboy's life from December 1900, to July, 1901, and outlived his lung trouble. He then began the practice of medicine and the labors of County Health Officer. He dis-

covered the first case of pellagra reported west of the Mississippi. He was State delegate to the Rockefeller Hookworm Conference in Atlanta, Ga. In 1912 he became Assistant Pathologist in the Government Bureau of Plant Industry and Medical Assistant in the Bureau of Chemistry at Washington.

He entered the service of the *foyers du soldat* and acted as *conferencier* on public health during 1918 and 1919 in France, giving conferences with the French troops in the Vosges. He returned to America in the autumn of 1919, became attached to the Public Health Service, and returned to France in 1920 with the American Red Cross. He took up medicine and technical translations for the American Institute of Medicine, Paris, and decided that he wished to practice his profession in that city. Finding that his educational and medical experiences in the States counted for nothing in France—he decided just seven years ago, twenty-four years after graduation from Brown, to begin at the bottom to fool the crowd. He took the *baccalaureat francais*, and later the French *diplome*

d'Etat. For his required thesis he submitted a brochure of one hundred and seven pages on "L'hygiene de l'enfant de dix ans." In the *Figaro* of June 26 last I noticed nearly a column of appreciation of Dr. Merrill's thesis. He hung out his shingle, 10 rue Herran (XVI), near *l'Etoile* last November. Another interesting fact is that he has found time in the midst of all this to write for the American Medical Association Journal, the Nation's Health, Science and La Presse Medicale, and to bring out occasional poems and short stories, including translations from the French, German, Italian and Portuguese.

Almost his last words to me last summer as we parted at the Gare du Nord in Paris were: "While I am a passionate lover of France I have lost none of my affection for my own country. You can count on me to do everything possible to promote understanding and friendship between our two nations." Whether or not Napoleon said it, Merrill has proved that 'impossible n'est pas un mot francais.' That's that.

Brown Workers for Peace

Two Brown graduates, Arthur D. Call '96 and Raymond T. Rich '22 are both secretaries of societies working for international understanding and good will. For many years Call has been secretary of the American Peace Society, with headquarters in Washington. Both Moses and Nicholas Brown were members of the Board of Directors of the American Peace Society, and Francis Wayland was not only a director but was for some time President.

Rich is secretary of the World Peace Foundation, with his offices at 40 Mount Vernon street, Boston. Dr. Faunce is President of the Foundation and President Lowell of Harvard is one of the directors. Call, who is also editor of the Advocate of Peace, said editorially in the June number: "The Advocate of Peace is pleased to congratulate the World Peace Foundation upon this appointment and to wish for Mr. Rich every success in his important new field." Call and Rich were in Geneva during the summer.

The Graduates' Club

The Graduates' Club of Brown University is pleased to be able to report that it has received an unexpectedly large number of replies to its first Bulletin. The reaction already evident among existing alumni organizations encourages the sponsors of the Graduates' Club to believe that many alumni are in sympathy with the ideas and purposes of the Graduates' Club. Many of our correspondents, however, including members of the Corporation and of the Faculty of the University, seem to view with alarmed concern the proposed formation of an additional organization, fearing it will tend further to complicate and decentralize the efforts of the many who honestly wish to serve Brown and in some way assist it in becoming "not a bigger, but a finer" institution. We hope these alumni realize that the Graduates' Club is essentially at present merely a convenient name used to describe a group of alumni

with similar ideas, ideas which many seem to share.

In view of the undoubtedly general feeling that there are now too many clubs, and in view of the very definite assurances we have received from existing organizations that they will to a much greater extent than heretofore endeavor to foster the non-athletic and intellectual interests of our Alma Mater, the promoters of the Graduates' Club have decided, after careful consideration, that for the present they will take no further steps to perfect the necessarily complicated machinery of a new organization. Rather will the sponsors of the Club wait and watch, and cooperate when and if possible with organizations which feel they more properly can and will fill the place among the alumni which the Graduates' Club feels should be filled.

For the Club,

Edgar J. Lanpher
Charles G. Edwards

Fifty Years Out of College



THE CLASS OF 1877 AT ITS FIFTIETH REUNION

Reading from left to right, front row—Charles T. Aldrich, Dr. Franklin P. Capron, Rev. Dryden W. Phelps, Dr. Cary C. Bradford, Hon. Rathbone Gardner, James P. Kelley, Rev. Charles B. Elder.

Middle row—Fred H. Williams, Rev. Frank L. Sullivan, Dr. Henry S. Drake, Dr. Edward E. Pierce, Inman E. Page, Dr. Arthur G. Griffin, Dr. Charles H. Finch, Hon. Clarke H. Johnson, Thomas A. Jenckes.

Back row—Dr. George O. Ward, Colonel Raymond G. Mowry, Asa E. Goddard, Rev. Thomas E. Bartlett, George Worthington, Dr. Samuel J. Bradbury, Hon. Frederick Rueckert, Rev. Charles S. Scott.

THE half-century class assembled 25 members at the home of Fred H. Williams in Millis, Mass., as follows, on the day before Commencement: Charles T. Aldrich, Rev. Thomas E. Bartlett, Dr. Samuel J. Bradbury, Dr. Cary C. Bradford, Dr. Franklin P. Capron, Dr. H. Scudder Drake, Rev. Charles B. Elder, Dr. Charles H. Finch, Hon. Rathbone Gardner, Asa E. Goddard, Dr. Arthur G. Griffin, Thomas A. Jenckes, Hon. Clarke H. Johnson, James P. Kelley, Colonel Raymond G. Mowry, Inman E. Page, Dryden W. Phelps, Dr. Edward E. Pierce, Hon. Frederick Rueckert, Rev. Charles S. Scott, Rev. Frank L. Sullivan, Dr. George O. Ward, Fred H. Williams and George Worthington. Inman E. Page of Oklahoma City was the farthest comer.

A silver loving cup was presented Mr. Williams as a token of his classmates' appreciation of his "staunch loyalty to Brown and to the class of 1877."

1877-1927

By Rev. Charles B. Elder '77, read at the 50th anniversary dinner of the class, Tuesday, June 14, 1927.

It's great to be an oldtime "Grad"
And live for fifty years
In such a splendid age as ours
Amid its hopes and fears.

But back again and back again
My thoughts are turning ever
To olden times and golden days
When we were boys together.

It's great to hear the wise men say
The world is growing better
And point to all the broken chains
Which human spirits fetter.

But back again and back again, etc.

It's great to share in many things
That come from man's invention;
The radio, the flying ship, and all
Which challenges attention.

But back again and back again, etc.

It's great to know that we have
gained
Some little place in life
And grasped a measure of success
From out the toil and strife.

But back again and back again, etc.

It's great if we can reckon up
Some honest deed we've done,
Or feel that any kindly act
Some gratitude has won.

But back again and back again, etc.

Forgive me if this happy hour
I send my thoughts away.
I'm not forgetful of the love
Which crowns this festal day.

But back again and back again, etc.

Perhaps this vagrant backward look
Seems only idle yearning,
And yet from out these early dreams
We find our youth returning.

So back again and back again
My thoughts are turning ever
To olden times and golden days
When we were boys together.

The Football Season of 1927

Football Practice

Football practice at Brown began on Sept. 6. The field was the same as that used last year, at Quonset Point, near Davisville. Only a small squad was present on the opening day, but this increased steadily and before the men returned to Providence on Sept. 20 practically all the expected aspirants were on hand. These included eight of the eleven "Iron Men" of last autumn. The missing three, all members of the Class of 1927, are Captain Broda, Orland Smith and Dave Mishel. Of these Smith and Mishel were active members of the coaching staff previous to the first game, with Rhode Island State College, on Sept. 24. Smith has since left for Harvard, however, where he has entered the medical school.

The coaching staff this year, in addition to Smith and Mishel, has included Head Coach McLaughry, W. Earl Sprackling of the famous team of a decade and a half ago that beat both Yale and Harvard; Edgar J. (Spike) Staff, Bill Ormsby, Dr. Walter Smith and Al Wittmar, Princeton line coach (who helped at Brown a few days).

Captain Roy Randall sustained a broken hand in the practice and accordingly could not play in the initial game with State College. Several other players suffered injuries more or less severe and so the line-up in this first game was not entirely what Coach McLaughry would have wished. The chief trouble this year, as in previous years, may turn out to be a lack of first-grade substitute material. Scholastic difficulties at first excluded Trefethen, one of the most promising of last year's Freshman team, from the Varsity, but he was declared eligible on the day of the Rhode Island State game.

Football Tickets

Transferable Season Tickets which will entitle the purchaser to admission to all home Varsity and Freshman football games (Including reserved seats for the Dartmouth and Colgate games) will be sold for \$12.50.

The purchasers of these tickets will be entitled to apply for tickets for the Harvard, Dartmouth and Colgate games. The management expects to be able to fill such season ticket applications, but obviously cannot guarantee to do so.

Pennsylvania Game at Philadelphia. Applications will not be mailed out for the Pennsylvania game, but the Brown management will have tickets for a special Brown Section and will fill all orders for tickets. Alumni and friends of the University wishing seats in the Brown Section are urged to purchase tickets from the B. U. A. C. office.

Yale Game at New Haven. Seats are not reserved for the Yale game. The Yale management, however, guarantees to hold a section for the Brown alumni and friends. By purchasing your tickets from the B. U. A. C. office you will be given a special tag that will admit to the Brown Section.

Tickets for the Dartmouth, Harvard and Colgate games will be distributed as usual by the application system.

For all other games tickets will be on sale at the Athletic Office. All orders for tickets (including the Pennsylvania and Yale games) must be accompanied by remittance. Add 25c to cover expenses of registration if you wish tickets mailed. Make checks payable to the Brown University Athletic Council.

Address all correspondence concerning football tickets to Brown University Athletic Council, Football Ticket Dept., Providence, R. I.

Football Schedule 1927

Sept. 24, R. I. College, \$1.00, Providence. (Score: Brown 27, R. I. State 0).

Oct. 1, Albright, \$1.00, Providence.

*Oct. 8, Pennsylvania, \$2.00, Philadelphia.

Oct. 15, Yale, \$2.00, New Haven.

Oct. 22, Lebanon Valley, \$1.50, Providence.

Oct. 29, Temple, \$1.50, Providence.

*Nov. 5, Dartmouth, \$3.00, Providence.

*Nov. 12, Harvard, \$3.00, Cambridge.

Nov. 19, University of N. Hamp., \$1.50, Providence.

*Nov. 24, Colgate, \$3.00, Providence.

*All seats reserved for Pennsylvania, Dartmouth, Harvard and Colgate games. No seats will be reserved for any of the other games.

Freshman Schedule

Oct. 15, Dean Academy, Franklin.

Oct. 22, Masee School, 50c, Providence.

Oct. 29, Holy Cross Fresh, 50c, Providence.

Nov. 4, Dartmouth Fresh, 50c, Providence.

Nov. 11, Harvard Seconds, Cambridge.

Nov. 18, Roxbury School, 50c, Providence.

Football Schedule for 1928

Instead of a football schedule of 10 games next year there will be but nine games, the series starting a week later than during the last few years. The schedule as far as arranged is as follows:

Oct. 6—Open.

Oct. 13—Open.

Oct. 20—Yale at New Haven.

Oct. 27—Tufts in Providence.

Nov. 3—Holy Cross in Providence.

Nov. 10—Dartmouth at Hanover.

Nov. 17—New Hampshire in Providence.

Nov. 24—Rhode Island in Providence.

Nov. 29—Colgate in Providence.

An Appreciation

Editor Brown Alumni Monthly:

I very greatly appreciate and enjoy the Brown Alumni Monthly and think it much better and more attractive in the new form than in the old.

Very truly yours,

Frank E. Rockwood '74

Overbrook, Philadelphia, Pa., July 5, 1927.

Various College Matters

Summer Work in Mathematics

Owing to the demand on the part of graduate students, two courses of an advanced grade were given by the Department of Mathematics of Brown University during the six weeks June 20-July 30. Professor Tamarkin, who was formerly at the University of St. Petersburg, Russia, lectured on Integral Equations and Professor Ingraham on Finite Groups and the Galois Theory of Equations. There were eleven students enrolled.

The Department of Mathematics thus followed the precedent set by the Departments of Chemistry and Biology, which for several years past have encouraged students to pursue investigations in the laboratories during the summer recess.

Harvard at Brown

An unusual incident was the visit of the New England Federation of Harvard Clubs to Brown over the week end of July 23-25. More than 100 Harvard alumni gathered in Providence for the annual summer meetings of the Federation, making their headquarters, by special invitation, on the Brown campus. They occupied dormitory rooms at the Women's College and held a business session at the Brown Union. In an address at the last-named place Professor Huntington of Brown—himself a Harvard alumnus—called attention to the fact that one-third of the Brown faculty have Harvard degrees.

There were also brief addresses by Jeremiah Smith, Jr., member of the Harvard Corporation and the financial administrator who assisted so remarkably in bringing Hungary out of her fiscal troubles; ex-Governor Everett J. Lake of Connecticut and William G. Saltonstall, president of the Harvard Student Council. The Federation program included dinner at the Agawam Hunt and outdoor sports at the Warwick, Agawam and Rhode Island Country Clubs. Gordon Harrower was chairman of the Rhode Island committee in charge.

A graceful feature of the meetings was the vote of the Federation to make the Brown University Library a gift of books.

Brown in Southern California

The following graduates of Brown University are members of the faculty of the University of Southern California: John Elof Boodin '95, Professor of Philosophy; Theron Clark, '95, Registrar of the University; John Harrington Cox '97, Professor of English for the Summer Session 1927; Clarence R. Johnson '06, Instructor in Sociology; and Clarence M. Case, A. M., '06, Professor of Sociology. On Thursday evening June 23, Dr. Case, Dr. Cox and their wives and Professor Johnson were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theron Clark, 3816 South Grand avenue, Los Angeles. Dr. Cox entertained the group with

some of the ballads of West Virginia, and the recital of incidents connected with his research in preparation of his book on the folk-lore of West Virginia. Brown songs were sung and a real reunion held.

George Grafton Wilson, Brown '86, Professor of International Law at Harvard, was the speaker at the recent Commencement exercises of Pomona College, at Claremont, California. While he was in Los Angeles, he and Mrs. Wilson, Theron Clark '95 and his wife, Annie Cocks Clark '07, were the luncheon guests of Professor Clarence R. Johnson '06 and his wife.

Notes as We Go to Press

The number of young men taking the Freshman psychological tests on Sept. 23 was 498.

The Brown Band will play at the Brown-Pennsylvania football game in Philadelphia, Oct. 8.

There were nearly 1000 applications for admission to the Freshman class this year, but as the Monthly goes to press the authorities are earnestly endeavoring to keep the number admitted close to the 400 line.

Alumnae Hall will be formally dedicated on Oct. 11. The new organ has been installed and announcement has been made that it is the gift of Mrs. Webster Knight and Mrs. C. Prescott Knight as a memorial to their sister-in-law, the late Miss Edith Knight.

Brunonians Far and Near

Alumni

1862

The Alumni Office recently received word of the death of Dr. John Tower Blake, former member of the class, veteran of the Civil War and the Boer War, in Middelberg, Transvaal, South Africa, on July 22, 1927. An account of Dr. Blake's vivid career will be given in the next issue of the Monthly.

1865

Dr. Hosea Mason Quinby, veteran

of the Civil War, and for 21 years superintendent of the Worcester State Hospital, died at the Memorial Hospital, Worcester, Mass., on Aug. 13, 1927. His illness was incident to his age. He was born in Meredith Village, N. H., April 19, 1840, the son of Rev. Dr. Hosea and Dorothea (Burleigh) Quinby. He prepared at New Hampton Literary Institute and Exeter Academy and entered Brown in the class of 1863. He left college to enlist in the 27th Regiment, Maine Volunteers, and came back to take his degree in 1865. He received his

M. D. at the Harvard Medical School, spent two years studying medicine in Berlin and Vienna and shortly after his return from abroad became assistant superintendent of the Worcester State Hospital. He was promoted to superintendent in 1890 and held the post until his retirement from active work in 1911. He was a pioneer in the special treatment of mental diseases and for many years was recognized as a leading authority in his subject. Dr. Quinby was married Dec. 29, 1875, to Miss Sarah R. J. Carter, and she and one

son, Dr. William C. Quinby, survive. He was a member of the Massachusetts Medical Society, American Psychiatric Association and Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1867

Charles Talbot Dorrance died at his home, 98 Waterman st., in Providence, on July 30, 1927, in his 81st year, following a brief illness. Mr. Dorrance was born in Providence, Dec. 6, 1846, the son of William Tully and Amy Richmond Dorrance. At Brown, which awarded him the degree of Bachelor of Arts in 1867, he joined the Psi Upsilon fraternity and was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. Upon graduating from college, he became associated with the Blackstone Canal National Bank for some years before taking up the independent management of large estates. For more than 50 years he was treasurer of St. John's Episcopal Church, and was a vestryman in that church, now the pro-cathedral, at the time of his death. He was also a member of the Hope Club. Mr. Dorrance married Miss Susan Greene Larned in 1870. She died in March, 1924. Three children, Mrs. M. L. D. Aldrich of this city, William T. Dorrance '94 of New Haven and Herbert L. Dorrance '07 of Providence, and eight grandchildren survive Mr. Dorrance. Mr. Dorrance was a constant and enthusiastic reader, and maintained a remarkable library in his home.

John E. Bowen, for 58 years a member of the engineering forces, city of Providence, received from his fellow employes a gold watch and chain, a gold fountain pen and pencil, a mahogany humidior and smoker's stand and 400 choice cigars on the occasion of his 82nd birthday on Aug. 27, last. The dean of all city employes, Bowen is regarded as one of the most active of his associates. He has long been an authority on sewage matters.

1871

Matthew Morris Howland, one-time editorial writer on the Providence Journal and for many years a resident of Florida, died in Jacksonville, Fla., on Aug. 1, 1927. He was born in New Bedford, Mass., Dec. 14, 1850, the son of Matthew and Rachel (Smith) Howland and came to college from Friends' Academy, New Bedford. Following a long period in the shipping business in his native city, he returned to

Providence in 1897 as a member of the editorial staff of the Journal of which his brother, Richard S. Howland '68, was editor-in-chief. He left the Journal in 1906 and shortly afterward, on account of failing health, moved to Florida. He made his home first in Arlington and then in Jacksonville. His brother survives him. In college he was a member of Chi Psi.

1874

The many Brown friends of Rev. Dr. O. P. Gifford sympathize with him deeply in the loss of his wife, who died in Pasadena, Cal., on July 15, last. Dr. and Mrs. Gifford had celebrated their golden wedding anniversary only a few days before Mrs. Gifford passed away.

1876

After thirty years on the Federal bench, Judge Arthur L. Brown resigned as of June 30, 1927. He will practice and act as consultant on Federal law in Providence. Judge Brown was appointed to the Federal bench by President Cleveland in 1896. His career has been an honorable and stimulating one, and the regret is that politics in 1913 prevented his elevation to the Circuit Court to which President Taft had named him. His successor is Ira Lloyd Letts '13, of whom we write under Letts' own class.

Myron Clark Pease died in Providence on July 18, 1927. For the ten years preceding his death he had been principal of the Providence Y. M. C. A. evening school. He was born in Oswego, N. Y., Sept. 12, 1854, the son of William and Emily (Fowler) Pease and prepared for college at Oswego High School and the University Grammar School, Providence. He took his A. B. with the class and his A. M. in 1879. He was an instructor in the Providence High School, 1876-79, in schools in New Hampshire and Vermont, 1882-84, in the Highland Military Academy, Worcester, Mass., 1884-97, and in the Waban School, Waban, Mass., 1897-99. Poor health compelled him in 1899 to give up teaching and to engage in outdoor work. In 1917 he became associated with the Y. M. C. A. school and taught there until his death. "He was long interested in young people, their reading and ambitions," said the Providence Journal, "and assisted many toward suc-

cessful careers." He was married in 1892 to Miss Gertrude Davenport of Putnam, Conn., and she and two sons, Reginald M. Pease '21 and Hamilton E. Pease, survive him. Two brothers are also his survivors, Alvin F. Pease '75 of the Winship Teachers' Agency and William S. Pease '89. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

1878

Richard Case, dean of school teachers in New Jersey, died at his home in Point Pleasant, N. J., on June 28, 1927. He was born in Canton, Conn., May 31, 1854, the son of John and Tirzah A. (Hosford) Case. He prepared at what is now Suffield School, Suffield, Conn., and took his A. B. and A. M. at Brown. He taught at Suffield a year after his graduation and then removed to Red Bank, N. J., where he was successively principal of the high school and superintendent of schools. In 1898 he left Red Bank to become supervising principal of the schools in Point Pleasant. He resigned this position six years ago and at the time of his death was teacher of English in the Point Pleasant High School. He was married Dec. 27, 1880, to Miss Mary M. Wood, who survives him, together with two sons, John and Richard Case, Jr.

1879

Rev. Alva E. Carpenter observed during the summer his 25th anniversary as rector of St. Peter's Church, Manton, R. I. At a testimonial held in his honor the Rt. Rev. James DeWolf Perry, Bishop of Rhode Island, said: "Your 25 years of ministry have been progressive and cumulative years, registered in the hearts of your parishioners. Your work has been felt throughout the length and breadth of the State and there is not a priest in the whole diocese whom I can count on more implicitly, nor is there a confederate with more faith and love for his parish and God. I am glad of this opportunity of assuring you of the love and devotion of the church of Rhode Island."

1882

Rev. Benjamin L. Herr has become pastor of the Durhamville, N. Y., Baptist Church after a successful pastorate in South Glens Falls, N. Y.

1883

Howard W. Preston of the firm of Preston & Rounds, booksellers and stationers, Providence, is the director

of the State Information Bureau, which has been established in Rhode Island "to distribute information that will bring people from all parts of the country to Rhode Island to enjoy the State's many summer resorts and other facilities." Mr. Preston, a leading Rhode Island historian, is preparing material for a booklet to be entitled, "Know Rhode Island."

Horatio R. Nightingale, former member of the class and prominent steel merchant of Providence, died of a heart attack at his home in Cowesett, R. I., on July 29, 1927. He was born in Providence, Dec. 26, 1861, the son of Horatio and Anna (Pratt) Nightingale. He studied in the private school of the Rev. Mr. Wheeler and was at Brown for two years. In 1881 he entered the employ of the Smithville Manufacturing Co., Willimantic, Conn., and in 1884, on the death of his father, joined the firm of Warren, Salisbury and Nightingale, which is now Nightingale, Baker and Salisbury, iron and steel products. He was twice married, first on Jan. 11, 1888, to Miss Mary Slater Rhodes (who died in 1893) and then to Harriet Eugenie Thomas, who survives him, together with two daughters, Mrs. Herbert L. Dorrance (wife of Herbert L. Dorrance '07) and Mrs. Willard F. Gordon, Jr., (wife of Willard F. Gordon, Jr., '12), and seven grandchildren. He was a member of several clubs in Providence and of Psi Upsilon.

1884

George M. Wadsworth retired in June as master of the Somerville Mass., Southern junior high school, after having served in the Somerville schools for the past 36 years. City, school and church officials united in paying tribute to Wadsworth on his retirement, and his friends gave him a purse of gold.

Colonel W. M. P. Bowen, the class secretary, moved his law offices to 940 Hospital Trust bldg., Providence, during the summer.

Alfred Dodge Cole, head of the Department of Physics at Ohio State University, delivered the convocation address that ended the summer quarter at Ohio State on Aug. 31. Several hundred students received their diplomas at the convocation.

Dr. H. C. Bumpus is a member of the advisory committee named by the National Parks Association to sponsor the movement to use the country's national parks as universities in

which "qualified teachers will give instruction in the meaning of Nature's wonders."

1886

Norman M. Isham of the Rhode Island School of Design and one of the country's foremost authorities on Colonial architecture, was chosen by the Providence County Courthouse Commission to direct the removal and the re-location of the famous Stephen Hopkins house which occupied part of the site that will be used in building the new court house at the corner of Benefit st. and College Hill. Stephen Hopkins, as some of us may know, was a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

1890

William G. Ely, for the past 28 years in charge of the Contract Service Department of the General Electric Company, has voluntarily retired, according to announcement from Schenectady. "In his many years of service for the company," said the June number of the G. E. Monogram, "Mr. Ely has made an enviable number of friends within and outside the organization, both for himself and for General Electric." At the time of his retirement the members of his department gave him "a splendid fishing outfit, consisting of a rod, reel, flies and other gear," so we know what will occupy him often in his leisure time.

The new home of the Perry Pictures, the business conducted by Eugene Ashton Perry, is now open in Malden, Mass. "The architects have produced a building of fine classic dignity, typical of the institution it houses," said a newspaper article, and a picture of the structure bears this out truthfully.

1892

Duncan B. Campbell, son of Leonard H. Campbell, and the first and only graduate in the first class graduated for college at the Providence Country Day School, is a member of the Freshman class on College Hill.

1894

Harold C. Field has retired as a member of the firm of Bodell & Co., investment securities, which has offices in Providence and other cities.

Dr. Clifford H. Griffin, chief police surgeon of Providence, is again attending to his practice after a clinical tour in Europe during the summer. Physicians from thirty-eight States participated, and on his return

Dr. Griffin told a Providence Journal reporter that medical research authorities in the large European cities aided greatly in making the tour thoroughly instructive.

Henry D. Sharpe represented Rhode Island on the Committee of One Hundred of the National Association of Manufacturers which met in New York last month to "frame planks in the 'Platform of American Industry' to be submitted to both the Republican and Democratic parties at their conventions next year."

1896

Dr. Harry Edwin Lewis, a former member of the class, died in Ossining, N. Y., on Aug. 6, 1927, after a prolonged illness. He was born in Providence on Feb. 22, 1875, the son of Charles Edwin and Alla M. (Clark) Lewis. He prepared at Providence High School, studied two years on the Hill and then entered the Medical School, University of Vermont, from which he received a degree in 1897. He commenced practice in Burlington, Vt., was founder and editor of the Vermont Medical Monthly and also acted as secretary of the Vermont Tuberculosis Commission. In 1906 he removed to New York and became managing editor of the International Journal of Surgery. Some years later he joined the editorial staff of American Medicine, continuing thereon until his death. Dr. Lewis served as president of the American Medical Editors' Association and was a Fellow of the American College of Physicians and the American Medical Association and a member of the New York State and County Medical Societies. He was the author of "The Philosophy of Sex," "Diet for the Sick" and numerous scientific papers. He was married Sept. 12, 1900, to Miss Martha M. Kimball of Enosburg Falls, Vt., and she survives him, together with a brother, Dr. Frank S. Lewis. Dr. Lewis's fraternity was Phi Delta Theta.

Champlin Burrage, who recently returned from nine months in England and the Island of Crete, sailed on the Carmania on Sept. 17 for Le Havre, intending to go at once from there to Crete, where he will continue his archaeological researches.

Does any member of the class know the address of Charles P. Nott? Mail has been returned to the Alumni Office from 827 Thomas ave., Fresno, Cal.

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Judge G. Frederick Frost of the Seventh District Court, East Providence, has been serving on the bench of the Rhode Island Superior Court during the illness of Judge A. A. Capotosto.

Sumner R. Vinton, known on the lecture platform as "the Pagoda Land Man," is touring the country in company with his son, S. B. Vinton, pianist and composer, giving lectures that are characterized as "a unique combination of music and pictures." Vinton, Sr., is an expert with the camera, and his pictures are used to illustrate compositions played by his son.

William H. Steere is beginning his 19th year with the Remington Arms Co., with which he holds the position of designer. His home address is 85 West Clark st., Ilion, N. Y.

1897

Professor John H. Cox has begun another year in the English Department at the University of West Virginia. During the summer Cox gave lectures at the University of Southern California. He also spoke in chapel before the student body, and the Southern Trojan, the university newspaper, said: "To see a man feel his subject—'The Story of Folk Lore'—as much as Dr. Cox did, was an inspiration to any youth trying to attain certain ideals and to bring about something which he feels will make those about him happier. . . . The address will linger in the minds of the student body for months to come."

1898

Colonel Frank E. Hopkins, having finished his period of duty with the General Staff, U. S. A., in Washington, is back at one of his old posts, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, where he is in command of the 7th Field Artillery.

The sudden passing of James H. Higgins, former Governor of Rhode Island, was reported as the printer was calling for last copy for this issue. Death occurred in Pawtucket, R. I., on Sept. 16, and Mrs. Higgins and the two boys have the sympathy of all '98 men and of Brown alumni generally in the loss of their husband and father.

1899

A. Edward Kelsey, who for many years has been in Palestine, ten miles north of Jerusalem, where he superintended the missionary work of the

American Friends, has returned to this country, is living with his family at 230 Main st., Amesbury, Mass., and is now engaged in the insurance business. Two of the largest preparatory schools for Syrian children in Palestine were built up under his administration. But, desiring to educate his own children in the schools of this country, he resigned last summer. He has two sons preparing to enter Brown.

The death of Arthur H. Fitz was reported from Los Angeles, Cal., in June. Fitz was born in Providence in 1876, the son of Joseph D. and Mary A. (Hunt) Fitz. He prepared at East Providence High School and after taking his A. B. at the Hill entered Harvard Law School, from which he received his LL. B. in 1902. He practiced for a time in Massachusetts, then went to California and opened a law office in Los Angeles. He is survived by his mother and a brother, William H. Fitts, of Providence. He was a member of Kappa Sigma.

Word was received at the Alumni Office as this issue of the Monthly was on its way to press of the death of Walter William Clark in Worcester, Mass., on Sept. 6, 1927. An account of Clark's life will be given in a later issue.

George H. Davis has changed his address from 76 Brook st., Pawtucket, to Clark Road, Barrington, R. I.

1900

Professor L. Charles Raiford of the University of Iowa was chairman of the committee on nominations for the organic division of the American Chemical Society which was named at the Richmond, Va., meeting last April and which made its report at the Detroit meeting last month.

E. S. Tuttle, for 17 years superintendent of the New London, Conn. division of the Prudential Life Insurance Company, has become superintendent of the Cambridge, Mass., division—a real step forward in the company ranks. Tuttle was president of the Brown Club of Washington and New London Counties, 1925-27. His son, F. E. Tuttle, is a Junior on College Hill.

1926

John Hunt is director of the recreation center in Ludlow, Mass., having been named for the place last month. John was a student at the

National Recreation School in New York the past year.

1901

Henry C. Hart has succeeded Norman S. Taber '13 as treasurer of The Players, the well-known dramatic society of Providence. Both Henry and Mrs. Hart have long been active in the organization. John H. Cady '03 is the new secretary and Professor Thomas Crosby '94 and W. B. Farnsworth '17 are vice presidents. Henry Saloman '02 and Rufus C. Fuller '19 have been named to the board of managers to serve until 1930.

Floyd L. Carr, so we have heard from several sources, is doing a fine work as Field Secretary of the Department of Missionary Education of the Northern Baptist Convention. His duties take him over all of the Northern States. During the past summer he had charge of the Baptist boys' camp at Ocean Park, Me., with some 150 boys under his wing.

Lieutenant Colonel G. A. Taylor was on duty at Camp Knox, Ky., during the month of August instructing the field artillery of the Artillery Group, 5th Corps Area, and the 83rd Division, Organized Reserves.

1902

Bruce Bennett was director and leading spirit of the Ulster County Pageant, held in Kingston, N. Y., in June. Bennett is Professor of English literature at the State Normal College, New Paltz, N. Y.

Blaine Owen, a former member of the class, gave his life on July 3, 1927, in a heroic attempt to save the lives of two girls who had lost their footing in Lake Cobbosseecontee, near Augusta, Me., and to whose cries of distress he was the first to respond. He got a firm hold on one of the girls, who was nearly unconscious, and swam with her to a neighboring pier. He grasped a pipe attached to the pier and at once fell back into the water. Other rescuers hauled him and the girls out, but Owen was beyond help. It is believed that the pipe was charged with electricity by a short circuit. Owen came to Brown from Cony High School, Augusta, and remained for nearly a year. He went to work for W. H. Gannett, publisher, after leaving college and also worked for the American Express Co., and the U. S. Post Office Department until 1916, when he became purchasing agent for

the Central Maine Power Company. He was a retired National Guard officer, with the rank of lieutenant-colonel, president of the Augusta Y. M. C. A., active in the promotion of the annual Augusta Winter Carnival and a strong and popular citizen. He is survived by a widow, who was

Miss Gertrude Goodwin of Skowhegan, Me., and by a daughter, Miss Mary Owen. The Alumni Office is indebted to Fred H. Gabbi of Portland, Me., for newspaper stories of Owen's brave deed.

Major LeRoy Bartlett, U. S. A., retired, is secretary of the Civil Service Commission, Alameda County, Alameda, Cal., and in a letter to the Class Secretary not long ago he said that he considered it the most interesting job he ever held.

W. P. Bates is in the real estate and building business, with his office at 2910 Mission Boulevard, San Diego, Cal.

A. Dean Dudley is treasurer and assistant secretary of the Syracuse Lighting Co., Inc., Syracuse, N. Y. Dudley was on hand for the 25th Reunion, his first in many years, and had a great time renewing old acquaintances.

1903

The Board of Regents of New York has changed the name of the State Normal School, Buffalo, to State Teachers' College at Buffalo. Harry W. Rockwell is the head of the college.

C. C. Earle is a Deputy Scout Commissioner and member of the Council of Wachusett Council, Boy Scouts of America, which takes in the scouts of Leominster, Mass., and ten surrounding towns, including Groton, where Earle lives.

1904

President John B. Watson of Leland College, Baker, La., in a letter to the Alumni Secretary, wrote that the Mississippi floods "did not come on our college campus but they reached within three miles of us. . .

The State has been hard hit; still I believe it will be a decided help in the future, notwithstanding the great suffering that must be borne within the next few years. Many of the constituents of our college were flooded out—some of them being completely ruined so far as earthly possessions were concerned. Some of our students may never be able to enter college again, and many who hoped to enter next year may not be able to carry out their plans."

1906

W. A. Kennedy has been elected vice president for three years of the Providence Engineering Society. Bill is supervisor of products for the General Fire Extinguisher Company.

Harry E. Pattee is the domino champion of the University Club, Providence, having won the title in August in the first tournament of its kind ever held at the club.

1907

The July number of the Church Monthly, published by the Park Avenue Baptist Church, New York, contained a full-page picture of Gene Carder and an editorial on Gene under the heading, "Brings Religion Nearer Home." The writer said: "It is not our purpose to embarrass a star member of the Committee on Publications by pronouncing an encomium upon him and yet we cannot refrain from expressing the belief that we speak for the whole congregation when we say that the Park Avenue Baptist Church is extremely fortunate in having its every-day affairs entrusted to the hands of a minister who is, in all respects, a 'regular fellow.' . . . If we may be permitted to pay one compliment to Mr. Carder let it be that one of the most likeable features of his many-sided personality is his ability to bring religion a little nearer home." Gene has been one of the ministers of the Park Avenue Baptist Church for the past nine years.

Harvey Kelley was a campus visitor not long ago. Harvey is engaged in sales promotion for the Pace Institute of Accounting, New York, and also teaches evening classes at the Institute.

Bill Huntley has begun his second year at Harvard Law School. Takes a fine courage, it seems to us, for a man of Bill's age to resume study, and our hat is off to Bill in admiration.

Dr. William M. Dugan's address is 607 Post bldg., Battle Creek, Mich. "Bill" took his medical degree at the University of Michigan in 1912 after five years of teaching mathematics. He has four young Dugans in the family, he reports, and we hope that Brown will get at least three of them.

Myron Curtis read a paper, "The Economics of Machine Tool Replacement," at the first national meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, machine shop practice division, and the New Haven Machine Tool Exhibition, Mason Laboratory, Yale University which was held in New Haven last month. The paper was so good that it has since been reprinted in the American Machinist.

The FACULTY Problem

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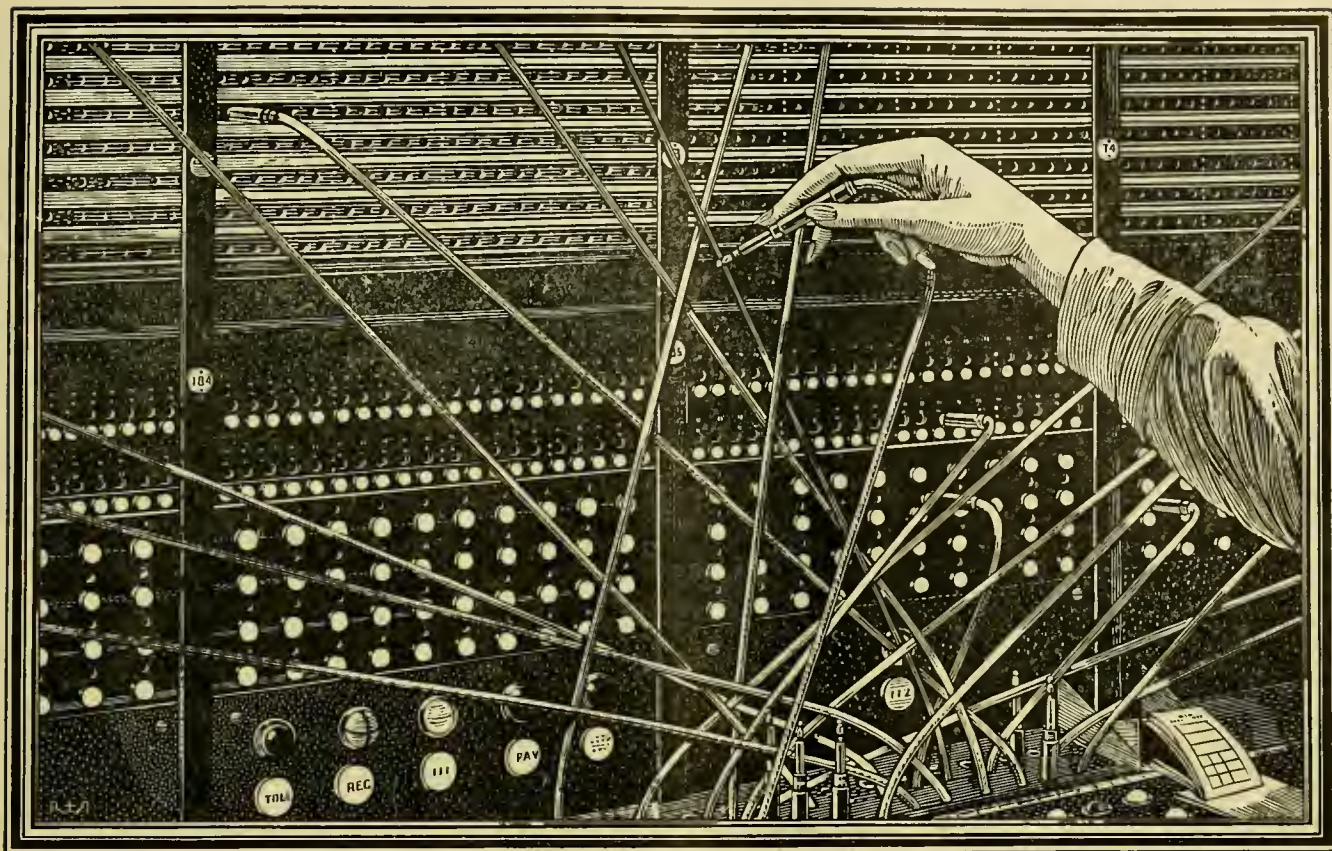
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1909

Albert M. Cristy is a judge in the Circuit Court of the First Circuit for the Territory of Hawaii. He writes that his work covers jury trials, probate, equity, etc., and occasionally substituting in the Supreme Court when a justice is absent.

Johnny Mayhew wrote from Saigon, Indo-China, the last of June that he is playing some tennis and that he tied for the "monthly" spoon in golf. He made the Rugby team and is playing wing three quarter. June is their rainy season and it is cooler than our October and November, hence the game can be played at that time of the year.

Lawrence Richmond and Mrs. Richmond have adopted a boy baby into their home; they have no children of their own. Lawrence has taken a house in East Greenwich for the winter, which town is not so very far from Crompton, R. I., where is the Crompton Company, of which he is an officer.

Albert Poland has been made chairman of the 1927 campaign for the Providence Community Chest Fund.

George F. Weston, Jr., is principal of the new Milton F. Roberts Junior High School, Medford, Mass.

John R. Lapham has begun his duties as Dean of the College of Engineering, George Washington University. He was acting Dean during the academic year 1926-27.

Clarence W. Bosworth is president for 1927-28 of the Rhode Island Baptist Sunday School Convention. Bosworth is principal of the Cranston, R. I., High School, which is now occupying a fine, modern building, one of the best of its kind in New England.

1910

Norman Holt's sudden death in Penn's Grove, N. J., on June 21, 1927, came as a distinct shock to his family and his friends. He had been in poor health, it is true, ever since he was forced to return last spring from London, England, where he had gone as a special representative of the du Pont Company, but there was no real indication that the end was near. Indeed, his wife and daughter were away on a visit when death came. Holt was born in Providence May 3, 1888, the son of George Edward and Josephine H. (Turner) Holt. He

entered Brown from Classical High School and after his graduation was an instructor in chemistry on the Hill for five years. He received his Sc.M. in 1911, his A. M. in the same year and his Ph.D. in 1913. He resigned from the faculty in 1915 to become affiliated with the Nitrogen Products Co., Saltville, Va., as superintendent. During the World War he was a Captain in the Ordnance Department, U. S. A.; and after his discharge he went with the du Pont company as assistant superintendent of the dye works division. He became superintendent of the Azo department in 1921 and continued in this position until January, 1926, when he was named to go to London as a special representative of the du Ponts. Serious illness, developing into diabetes, made his return home necessary. Holt was married Aug. 27, 1914, to Miss Clara Belle Manchester, and she and a daughter, Barbara, survive him. He was a member of the Sigma Xi, American Association for the Advancement of Science, American Chemical Society, American Institute of Chemical Engineers and other scientific societies. His fraternity was Delta Phi.

H. A. Swaffield is principal of the Roger Ludlowe High School, Fairfield, Conn., after having served as principal of the Montpelier, Vt., High School for seven years. "During that time," said the St. Albans, Vt., Messenger, "he brought the school to a high degree of scholastic efficiency and promoted a fine school spirit. The board accepted his resignation with regret, realizing that the change is an advance for him professionally and financially."

A. B. Comstock is the secretary for his year of the Lions Club of Providence. Charles P. Sisson '11, Abbott Phillips '02 and George F. Bliven '15 are on the Board of Directors.

Walter C. Cameron, for some years principal of the Norwood avenue grammar school, Cranston, R. I., resigned late in the summer to accept the position of master of the Framingham, Mass., Junior High School. He had been associated with the Cranston public schools for 14 years. His new address is 290 Union ave., Framingham.

W. B. Drayton Henderson, Assistant Professor of English at Dartmouth, is on leave of absence from Hanover during the present semester.

Ralph B. Farnum, teacher of science in Excelsior Union High School, Norwalk, Cal., writes that he'll have three young Farnums in high school this fall. His girl will be a senior, one boy a junior and one boy a "scrub," whatever that means (probably Californian for Freshman). At this rate Ralph will soon be a grandfather.

Bill Morrill is living at 928 Ideal Way, Charlotte, N. C. He is sales engineer for David Lupton's Sons Co., Philadelphia, and covers the Carolina territory.

Fred Trover reports a new address, 12384 Cedar Road, Cleveland Heights, O. Fred is a lawyer but also holds down the job of director of apprentices of the Cleveland Building Trades Apprentice Schools.

1911

The Stamford, Conn., Advocate of July 18, 1927, carried an excellent drawing of Merritt Skelding and an account of the opening of Skelding's new headquarters for his realty and insurance business. "Mr. Skelding laid the foundation for his present establishment in 1913, when he began to write insurance with the Krumrine agency," said the Advocate, and added that he took over the Krumrine business in 1921.

1912

Dr. Dana G. Munro, first secretary of the American Legation in Panama, has been transferred to the Legation in Nicaragua.

Stanley Marsh was a campus visitor last month; and it was good to see him again and to hear the news that he is planning to do some work on College Hill next year. "Stan" reported that the five young Marshes were all "fine and dandy."

Rev. Wilbur S. Deming and Mrs. Deming have returned to missionary work in Ahmednagar, India, after spending several years in this country, during which Deming was pastor of the Saugatuck Congregational Church, Westport, Conn., and also completed a thesis for his Ph.D.

Arthur F. Newell and his family are now in Constantinople, where Arthur is professor of history at Robert College. He won the appointment last May after a year of special study on College Hill. Mrs. Newell and two children, Arthur, Jr., and Elizabeth, are gradually getting acclimated, and we expect that

The NATION'S BUILDING STONE

it won't be long before Arthur will be writing us a postcard in Turkish.

1913

Carleton Sims is a member of the faculty of Allendale Country Day School, Rochester, N. Y., and is living at 228 North Goodman st., Rochester. "There is a Brown tinge to the athletic relations," Sims says, "between the Nichols School of Buffalo, where DeVitalis '20n is located, the Utica Country Day School, where Ed Murphy of our class holds forth and the Allendale School, where Yours Truly is engaged."

Ira Lloyd Letts, former Assistant Attorney General of the United States, became judge of the Federal Court in Providence on July 1, 1927, succeeding Judge Arthur L. Brown '76. Ira (we haven't yet got the habit of calling him Judge) is one of the youngest men in the country occupying a seat on the Federal bench; and he has our well wishes for an active and prominent career.

1914

H. Elliott Foote is a fellow in chemistry at the Mellon Institute of Industrial Research, Pittsburgh. His home address is 245 Mabrick ave., South Hills Branch, Mount Lebanon, Pa.

George S. Goodspeed is manager of the bond department of Whitney & Elwell, 30 State st., Boston.

Tom Keily's present home address is 2537 Bedford ave., Brooklyn, N. Y. Tom is with Strahan & Co., Inc., hosiery manufacturers, 267 Fifth ave., New York.

Edward T. Brackett asks us "please note that I am associated with Morse & Company (Carleton D. Morse '13), 31 Milk st., Boston."

A. W. Anthony's new address is 227 15th st., Santa Monica, Cal.

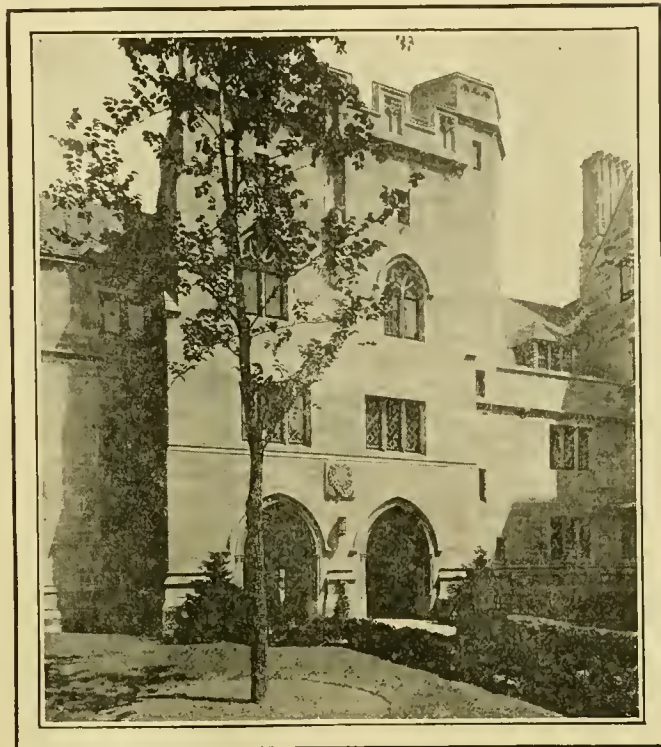
Rube Cram has joined Cap Crowell on the list of retired baseball pitchers, and is with the United Fruit Company at Yela, Honduras, as overseer of one of the company's plantations in that district.

1916

R. A. Brackett has been promoted to manager of the architectural division of the du Pont Company, paint and varnish division, Chicago office, and is living, so he wrote the Alumni Office not long ago, at the Allerton Club Residence, 701 North Michigan ave., Chicago.

Harley Joslin is with the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., 61 Brookline ave., Boston, and is making his home at 35 Chester Road, Belmont, Mass.

Bancroft H. Brown has been renamed as Assistant Professor of Mathematics at Dartmouth for the academic year, 1927-28.



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1915

Former State Senator John H. Greene, Jr., of Newport was elected President of the Rhode Island unit of the Ancient Order of Hibernians at the annual convention held in Central Falls in August.

Harvey Dunham's correct address is 1987 California st., San Francisco. Harvey has joined the Standard Oil Company of California after having served 11 years in China with the Standard Oil Company of New York.

1917

Dr. Henry T. Bergstrom writes that his address after October 1 will be 78 Prospect Park, West, Brooklyn, N. Y.

H. A. Batchelor reports that he is a real estate broker, with his office at 331 Madison ave., New York, and that he is living at the D. K. E. Club, 5 East 51st st.

1918

Laurence Flick is with the United States Rubber Co., and is living at 1606 Chapel st., New Haven, Conn. There's one boy in the family, Larry says, but he isn't old enough to think about college as yet. Mrs. Flick was Frances Sisson, Women's College '22n.

J. F. Armstrong has been admitted to the Rhode Island bar and is practicing in Providence.

Rev. K. A. Handanian, who took his divinity degree at Andover Theological Seminary in 1921, has become

the pastor of the East Congregational Church, Ware, Mass. He had been pastor at East Weymouth, Mass., since leaving Andover.

C. B. Larrabee, who edits the Delta Upsilon Quarterly as a sideline, attended the annual convention of the fraternity held in Minneapolis, Minn., last month.

1919

F. W. Thomas, formerly with Wellington, Sears & Co., investments, is treasurer of the Pemaquid Mill, New Bedford, Mass., having taken over the position last June.

Tom Conroy and Mrs. Conroy, married last April, are comfortably settled at 3666 Kroger ave., Cincinnati. Tom is a vice president of the Globe-Wernicke Co., and also of the Globe-Wernicke Realty Co.

James S. Eastham—our own Jim—has assumed his duties as an Assistant Attorney General of Massachusetts, having been appointed to the place last July. Jim took his law degree at Harvard Law School and in recent years has been a member of the firm of Rowell, Clay and Eastham, Lawrence, Mass., and active in the affairs of the Merrimac Valley Brown Club.

Harry Dutton, following a period of several months as manager of the Grand Hotel Bolivar, Lima, Peru, has become associated with his father in the operation of the Lake Spofford Club, Lake Spofford, N. H. On his departure from Lima, Harry

was presented with two pictures and also had some mighty friendly things said about him by his employees.

1920

Walter Lister, co-author of the play, "Spread Eagle," which was the talk of Broadway last spring, has become city editor of the New York Telegram. Lister is living at 72 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Eric P. Jackson is a member of the faculty of Hillsdale College, Hillsdale, Mich., in the Department of Geography and Geology.

Harry Lonergan's new address is 4860 West 12th st., Los Angeles, Cal. Harry moved in from Hollywood, where the motion picture stars flicker and fade.

Philips D. Carleton, who has been abroad studying at the University of Oslo, Norway, on the American-Scandinavian Foundation, has become an instructor in English at the University of Vermont.

Dutée J. Hall has been transferred from the Baltimore office to the Philadelphia office of the United States Chamber of Commerce and has his headquarters in the Chamber of Commerce Bldg., 12th and Walnut sts., Philadelphia.

W. L. Beaulac, who took a degree in foreign service at Georgetown University in 1921 and then entered the United States Consular service, has been promoted one class. His home address is 35 Star st., Pawtucket, R. I.

1921

"Tony" Towle started last month on his sixth year as teacher of English and dramatics in the Bristol, Conn., High School. He and Mrs. Towle are living at 148 George st., Bristol.

W. W. Wilcox is a member of the editorial staff of the Indianapolis Star, with his home address 2051 North Delaware st., Indianapolis, Ind. He has a daughter, Floy Myrtle, born Feb. 1, 1927.

John J. Muccio of Providence, one of Rhode Island's younger "career men" in the foreign service, has won his first promotion. He has been advanced from the unclassified list to be a foreign service officer of Class 8, which class includes consuls and third secretaries. The advancement increases his salary from \$300 to \$3500 a year. It is the first step upward toward Class 1, wherein the salaries are \$9,000 a year. Mr. Muccio has been serving as vice consul at



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Hong Kong. He was born in Valle Agricola, Italy, March 19, 1900. He was graduated from Brown University in 1921, with the degree of Ph.B., and the same year he was naturalized in Providence. In the meantime he had served in the army in 1918. Soon after graduation Mr. Muccio entered the foreign service by examination and was appointed consular assistant, later being advanced to vice consul. He was transferred early this year from Hamburg to Hong Kong.

Dr. H. E. Gallup reports that his business address is 200 Longwood ave., Boston, Mass.

1922

H. Alton Chaffee has changed his home address from Bloomfield, N. J., to 2 Schley ave., New Rochelle, N.Y.

A. R. Mack is principal of the Middleboro, Mass., High School, having gone to Middleboro from Warren, Mass., where he had been teaching since he received his degree.

Pleasant echoes of the fifth reunion of the class last June were sounded in a letter from Chape Newhard not long ago. According to Chape, the long-distance travelers were Milt Bates from China, Blair Moody from Detroit, Norm McKay from

Florida and he himself from St. Louis. "I think Commencement should be changed to come at the week end," he added. "More men would come back and more undergraduates would stay."

Tom Corcoran, for the past two years secretary to Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes of the United States Supreme Court, has entered the offices of Cotton and Franklin, attorneys, 43 Exchange place, New York. Tom spent a large part of the summer working with Justice Holmes at Beverly Farms, Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass.

Arthur Merewether completed his second year as coach of the Phillips Andover baseball team last June and, we read in the Lawrence, Mass., Telegram, "he developed a team that won eight of their 14 games from material that was considered the worst an Andover coach ever had to begin the season with."

1923

Forrest Paige, instructor in history at the Keene, N. H., High School for two years, is teaching at the Newton, Mass., High School this academic year.

T. Barton Akeley, instructor in philosophy at the University of Rochester last year, is pursuing graduate studies in philosophy, psychology and history of religion at Harvard this year as a Fellow of the National Council on Religion in Higher Education.

Wallace Lisbon is an interne at the Knickerbocker Hospital, 70 Convent ave., New York. He received his medical degree from Cornell University Medical College last June.

E. R. Alden writes that he is with the Vacuum Oil Co., 61 Broadway, N. Y., as assistant director of safety and welfare. "Ev" further admits that he was married two years ago last month to Miss Henrietta L. Brown and that he and Mrs. Alden are living at 135 Acme st., Elizabeth, N. J. He took his degree in 1924, illness setting him back, but he wants it understood that he still claims "allegiance to the class of 1923."

Clinton Clough, Eddie Lincoln and Lawrence McCarthy have been admitted to the Rhode Island bar and are practicing in Providence. "Link's" golf game continues high class. He is a member of the Rhode Island Country Club.

Mike Wofsey received his LL.B. degree from the Yale Law School in June and we presume that Mike will soon be hanging out a shingle in the old home town of Stamford, Conn.

Dan Troppoli, with his M. D. from Harvard Medical School to go with his A. B. and A. M. from Brown, is medical house officer at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital, Boston.

Art Braitsch, who resigned from the English Department on the Hill last June, has become a member of

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the staff of the Larchar-Horton Company, advertising, with his headquarters at 44 Franklin st., Providence. Larry Lanpher and G. R. Ashbey '21 are also with the same organization.

Steve McClellan is a sales manager with the Pratt & Whitney Aircraft Co., Hartford, Conn., and is living at the University Club, Hartford.

Tony Loiacono, with an M. D. after his name, is serving as interne at the Chester Hospital, Chester, Pa.

Ed Skillings is a recent newcomer to Hartford, Conn., where he is with the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Co. His address is 771 Asylum ave., Hartford.

Millard Gaskill was recently promoted to a managership and transferred to the store of the W. T. Grant Company, with which he has been connected for some time, in Putnam, Conn.

Frank Eteson, head of the illuminating engineering department of the Virginia Electric & Power Co., now has his headquarters in Richmond, Va., to which he was recently transferred from Norfolk.

1924

Morris Burt of the china and glassware department, W. T. Grant Company, has become a buyer in the department, the promotion being made "on his record," according to the last issue of the Grant house organ.

George Hunt, after working all summer on the Hudson River Day Line, is back again at the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia, for his last year.

Bob Soellner, still right on the job with the Connecticut General Life Insurance Co., is living at 65 Imlay st., Hartford, Conn.

Ray Bergstrom is with Harris, Forbes & Co., 56 William st., New York, and is commuting from 734 Park ave., Plainfield, N. J.

George Foley tells us that he is a statistician with H. C. Hopson Co., 61 Broadway, New York. His home address continues to be 20 Adams st., Fall River, Mass.

Norman Gourse is a salesman, with his business address 317 Broadway and his home address, 40 Horatio st., New York.

An undertow swept "Monty" Lamport to his death at Belle Harbor, L. I., on July 17, 1927. "Monty" had gone in swimming

with a friend and both were carried out to sea by the backpull of the waves. The police and life guards saved the friend but were unable to get to Lamport in time to save his life. "Monty" was born Joseph Montague Lamport in New York June 12, 1903, the son of Solomon and Anna Lamport. He prepared at De Witt Clinton High School and on College Hill was a well-liked member of the class. His smile and his enthusiasm for Brown were his strong assets. After taking his degree he went into the cotton goods business as a merchandise man. He is survived by his parents and by a sister and a brother. He was a nephew of S. C. Lamport '06.

1925

Roscoe Lewis received his Sc.M. from Howard University in June after having been a Fellow in chemistry at Howard since he left College Hill.

Martin B. Rice's home address is 1714 Calvert ave., Detroit, Mich. Rice is learning the business of advertising with the Campbell-Ewald Company, General Motors bldg., Detroit.

Tony Bateman was a campus visitor last month, coming from Chicago to see that his brother was safely entered as a member of the Freshman class.

Charlie Ives is a member of the staff of the Bridgeport, Conn., Telegram, but his home address, he writes, still is 607 Elm st., New Haven, Conn.

John Miner and Mrs. Miner (they were married during the summer) are living at 1000 South ave., Wilkensburg, Pa. John is a designer of industrial motors with the Westinghouse Company.

Walter Ploettner has changed his address to 206 49th st., Union City, N. J. Walter is a chemist at the Armour Soap Works, Babbit, N. J.

Malcolm Smith expects to finish his course at the Harvard Business School next February. During the summer he worked in the Boston office of Bond & Goodwin, investment securities.

Jack Keefer is coach of football, basketball and baseball at Steele High School, Dayton, O., from which he was graduated and at which he made his first reputation as one of the football stars of the country. Jack played baseball during the summer with Haverhill in the New

England League and showed up strongly in the field and with the bat.

Jack Foley, with his degree from the School of Business Administration, Harvard, safely tucked away, is working for the Simonds Saw & Steel Co., at the newly-acquired plant of the Abrasive Co., near Philadelphia and is living at 4615 Highie st., Wisconsin, Philadelphia.

1926

Malcolm McKenzie, last year at the University of Wisconsin, is an instructor in biology at North Carolina College for Women, Greensboro, N. C.

Ed Parvis is studying medicine at the Hahnemann Medical School, Philadelphia.

George Morrow has returned for his second year of teaching at Holderness School, Plymouth, N. H., where he is instructor in the classics.

Walter Jones is head of the science department, Vermont Academy, Saxton's River, Vt. The Academy is a good old pro-Brown school and we are sure that Walter will like it there, and that the boys will like Walter.

E. R. Smith, former editor of the Cranston, R. I., News, is teaching English this year at the Commercial High School, Providence.

1927

Don Ball is studying voice culture in New York, having turned down several offers to go into musical comedy and vaudeville. Don was home last month and he told us that Tony Magee and Harvey Stafford were planning to do work at Columbia this fall.

Thornton Trimble, in a letter received during the summer, said that he was working in the Citizens National Bank, Russellville, Ky., preparing himself for a position that he had obtained with the Chemical National Bank, New York.

Charlie Goulding, Dan Lapolla, Arthur Cleaves, Bert Millington, Hi Meyers, Ted Pease, Howard Andrews and Bill Benford are teaching on the Hill this year.

Jap Costa returned from Europe last month with the admission that he didn't like Paris. Otherwise Jap seemed all right. He expects to study law.

Francis Chafee and Orland Smith are first-year students at Harvard Medical School. We'll have more to

report of doctors-to-be in the next issue.

Jerry Bagster-Collins, we hear, is a graduate student at Columbia, with the drama as his special study.

Charlie Kenney's business address is the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co., 17 Exchange st., Providence. Charlie says that he is already looking forward to the first reunion of the class next June.

Bill Smith is selling insurance for the Metropolitan in Attleboro, Mass., his boss being Eddie Mellon's father.

Roger Case is with the New York Telephone Co., 140 West st., New York.

Ken Anderson is a member of the research department of the advertising agency of Erwin, Wasey & Co., Chicago. "I never knew that work could be so interesting and so enjoyable," said Ken in a recent letter to the Alumni Secretary.

Norman Brown is learning some of the details of the banking business in the Danvers National Bank, Danver's, Mass.

Ken Bailey has gone with the W. T. Grant Company, department stores, and is getting his preliminary training in the Buffalo store.

Alumnae

1907

Blanche Crapo is circulation manager of the Reader's Digest, a monthly publication which has some fifty thousand subscribers after six years of life and which is still going ahead fast.

1913

Lucile Spencer Himes (Mrs. Roy Desmond Huxley) was instantly killed as the result of a motor car accident at Niagara Falls, Ont., on Sept. 2, 1927. Mr. Huxley and the only child, Ruth, also lost their lives in the accident, which, according to an eye witness, occurred when the Huxley car was forced off the road by another car going in the same direction. Mrs. Huxley was born in Phenix, R. I., May 21, 1891, the daughter of Samuel Winfield and Lucia M. (Spencer) Himes. She came to college from West Warwick High School and was a member of Delta Sigma sorority. For a short period during the war days she was on the library staff of the Providence Journal. She was married to Mr.

Huxley, a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, on July 31, 1919, and the daughter, Ruth, was born June 20, 1921. At the time of his death Mr. Huxley was associate professor of electrical engineering at Case School of Applied Science, Cleveland, O. Mrs. Huxley is survived by her father, a brother, Lucian W. Himes '08, and a sister, Miss Elizabeth Himes, Keeper of the Graduate Records at the University.

1926

Mary A. Murphy is a member of the faculty of Rogers High School, Newport, R. I., following a year as assistant in the grade schools of Newport and a substitute in the high school.

ENGAGEMENTS

Miss Mandana Marsh, Women's College '23, to Frederic K. Armstrong '23 of Boston, Mass.

Miss Ruth Alice Nason of Conimicut, R. I., to Clarence E. Bennett '23 of Lakewood, R. I.

Miss Constance Parry of Mexico City, Mex., to Harvey Sheahan '17 of Wickford, R. I.

Miss Madelyn Craig '27, Women's College, of Jersey City, N. J., to Clarence E. Darling, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute '26, of Troy, N. Y.

Miss Mira E. Allen of Pawtucket, R. I., to Ernest A. Scholze '13n of New Bedford, Mass.

Miss Marion Wallace of Woonsocket, R. I., to Richard H. Place '26n of Ironton, O.

Miss Mildred Jackson Freeman of Pawtucket, R. I., to William B. Robinson '21 of Providence.

Miss Edna Burton of Providence to Walter A. Presbrey, Jr., son of Walter A. Presbrey '90 and Mrs. Presbrey of Providence.

WEDDINGS

Faculty—Robert S. Thomson, instructor in history during the past two years, and Margaret R. Davidson, personnel director at the Women's College, were married in Providence on Aug. 6, 1927. They sailed immediately afterward for Europe and will spend most of their time during this academic year in Brussels, where Mr. Thomson will make a special study of the early colonization of the Belgian Congo.

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ington, daughter of Professor Henry B. Huntington of the English Department, was married to Randolph Harrison of St. Louis, Mo., in Amherst, Mass., on Sept. 7, 1927. The ceremony was performed by the bride's uncle, Rev. James O. S. Huntington, O. H. C., and the wedding reception was held in the old family mansion at Amherst built in 1755 by Moses Porter, great-grandfather of the bride.

1897—Chester W. Allen and Miss Agnes Therese Wilkinson were married in Springfield, Mass., on Aug. 24, 1927. Mrs. Allen has been a teacher in the Bristol, Conn., schools for the past four years.

1902n—Edward J. C. Bullock and Miss Sarah A. H. Babbitt of Providence were married in Providence on July 28, 1927. They are living in Warren, R. I.

1903—Charles L. Osler and Miss Anna E. Bailey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Bailey, were married in New Bedford, Mass., on July 14, 1927. They are at home in Bridge-ton, R. I.

1908—Rev. Albert C. Thomas and Miss Loretta Caroline Barner were married in Buffalo, N. Y., on July 6, 1927. Mrs. Thomas is the daughter of William Barner and a graduate of the New York State Teachers' College at Buffalo. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas are living at 574 New Boston Road, Fall River, Mass.

1915—John B. Dunn and Miss Mary Loyola McDermott were married in Providence on June 16, 1927. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn are at home at 490 Academy ave., Providence.

1918—Attmore E. Griffin and Miss Carolyn Terwilliger were married in Wyckoff, N. J., on Sept. 3, 1927. Walter I. Dolbeare '23 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin are at home at Mead ave., Riverdale, N. J.

1918—Peter Leo Cannon and Miss Mary E. Holland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Holland, were married in Somerset, Mass., on June 23, 1927. Mrs. Cannon is a graduate of the Women's College '23. The Cannons are now at home at 197 University ave., Providence.

1919—Hugh Robertson and Miss Margaret A. Dale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Dale, were married in East Milton, Mass., on July 2, 1927. Mrs. Robertson is a graduate of the Boston School of Physical Education.

1919—Charles Gurney Edwards and Miss Clara Elizabeth Dealey. Women's College '18, daughter of Professor James Quayle Dealey '90, were married in Providence on Sept. 15, 1927. President Faunce performed the ceremony; William H. Edwards, 2nd, was best man; and James Q. Dealey, Jr., '20, was usher. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards will be at home after Nov. 15 at 343 Lloyd ave., Providence.

1919sp—Dr. Henry McCusker and Miss Alice Smith were married in Dark Harbor, Me., on Aug. 27, 1927. Mrs. McCusker is a graduate of New Rochelle College and has a master's degree from Columbia.

1921—Dr. Arcadie Giura and Miss Gladys E. McCaughey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James T. McCaughey, were married in Brockton, Mass., on June 21, 1927. They are living at 6 Lyndon st., Warren, R. I.

1921—William J. Nairn and Miss Alice Katharine Malone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Malone, were married in Providence on Aug. 27, 1927. They will be at home after Nov. 1 at 23 Delmar ave., Providence.

1921, Women's College—Florence Elizabeth Pettibone, daughter of John Pettibone '98, and Otto W. Will, Jr., Carnegie Institute of Technology '25, were married in New Milford, Conn., on Sept. 10, 1927. They will be at home after Nov. 1 at Rahway ave., Woodbridge, N. J.

1922—Russell McInnes and Miss Helen Fulton Harrison, daughter of Mrs. Mary F. Harrison, were married in Tuckahoe, N. Y., on June 25, 1927.

1922n—William B. Greenough, Jr., and Miss Dorothy Garrison Rand, Smith College '26, were married in Cambridge, Mass., on Aug. 29, 1927. They will be at home after Nov. 1 at 1548 Castle Court Blvd., Houston, Tex.

1923—Stuart Tinkham and Miss Marian Choate Eaton, daughter of Mrs. Austin Hardy Eaton, were married in Auburndale, Mass., on June 26, 1927. The wedding was to have taken place on June 24, but was postponed because of the sudden death of the bride's father. The Tinkhams are living at 27 Wachusett ave., Arlington Heights, Mass.

1923—Robert E. Carrigan and Miss Freda Elizabeth Hawkins, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frederick L. Hawkins, were married in Merc-

dith, N. H., on June 30. Earl W. Milligan '23 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Carrigan are living in Saylesville, R. I.

1923—Harvey S. Reynolds, son of Walter S. Reynolds '93 and Mrs. Reynolds, and Miss Helen Page Kimball, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Harry W. Kimball, were married in Needham, Mass., on June 28, 1927. C. A. Braitsch '23 was best man and E. W. Lincoln '23 and H. F. Manchester, Jr., '18, special, were ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds are living at 154 Irving ave., Providence.

1923—Walter I. Dolbeare and Miss Jeanne M. Biggs, daughter of Wesley M. Biggs, were married in Dedham, Mass., on June 25, 1927. Rev. Herbert E. MacCombie '21 was best man and George M. Cravener '24 was one of the ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Dolbeare are living at 108 High st., Pawtucket, R. I.

1923, Women's College—Mildred Russell Bailey was married to Clifton I. Reading in Providence on June 23, 1927. Mr. and Mrs. Reading are now at home at 470 Morris ave., Providence.

1923, Women's College—Marion L. Fairweather was married to Clifford W. Keith in Providence on Sept. 17, 1927. Florence G. Moulton '23 was maid of honor and Alice E. Desmond '23 was one of the bridesmaids. Mr. Keith is a graduate of Massachusetts Agricultural College '24.

1923, Women's College—Miss Dorothy Thayer Mowry, daughter of Wendell A. Mowry '93, and Harold M. Knowles were married in Taunton, Mass., on Sept. 10, 1927. Rev. W. Douglas Swaffield '06 performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Knowles are making their home at 7 Willett st., Wollaston, Mass.

1924—Wilfred C. Shattuck and Miss Julia E. Salas were married at the Little Church Around the Corner, New York, on June 18, 1927.

1924—George E. Ham and Miss Mary Louise Frechette, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frechette, were married in Westerly, R. I., on July 29, 1927. They are living in Washington, D. C., where George is food controller at the Hotel Lafayette.

1924—Ernest F. Schmults and Miss Hazel Margaret Conway, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John J. Conway, were married in Warren, R. I., on June 25, 1927. Norman E. MacKay '22 was one of the ushers.

Mr. and Mrs. Schmults are living in Astoria, L. I.

1924—Louis B. Goff and Miss Florence E. Williams, Women's College '26, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Williams, were married in Kingston, Penn., on June 21, 1927. Robert H. Goff '24, brother of the groom, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Goff are living in Providence.

1924—Rev. George L. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Elsie H. R. Hawk were married in Pawtucket, R. I., on June 25, 1927. Fitzgerald was ordained in the Episcopal ministry in June, following his graduation from Berkeley Divinity School. He and Mrs. Fitzgerald are living at St. Thomas's Rectory, Greenville, R. I.

1924n, Women's College—Miss M. Louise Smith and Robert P. Wood were married in West Warwick, R. I., on Sept. 10, 1927. Alfred Elson, Jr., '25 was an usher at the wedding, and Mrs. Elson was matron of honor.

1925—Philip L. Voelker and Mildred Louisa Hoyle, Women's College '25, were married in Woonsocket, R. I., on June 25, 1927. Dorothy T. Mowry, Women's College '23 was bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Voelker are living at 1243 Donald ave., Lakewood, O. Mrs. Voelker is doing social service work for the Cleveland Associated Charities, having taken courses preparatory to the work at Western Reserve University.

1925—William R. Winsor and Miss Margery Elise Rueckert, daughter of Ernest F. Rueckert, were married in Providence on Sept. 9, 1927. They are at home at 98 Melrose st., Providence.

1925—William H. Wagenknecht and Miss Elizabeth Grace Hetherington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hetherington, were married in Fall River, Mass., on Sept. 17, 1927.

1925, Women's College—Ethel Marion Haven and Stuart D. Reid were married in Providence on June 25, 1927. Edward W. Day '22 was an usher at the wedding.

1925—Gordon A. Smith and Miss Eleanor Singleton Cobb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Burton Cobb, were married in Providence on June 25, 1927. Travis D. S. Wells, Jr., '26 and Beveridge J. Rockefeller '27 were ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are now at home at 1125 Ninth st., Long Island City, N. Y.

1926—John O. Talbot and Miss Gladys Perry, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Perry of Keene, N. H., were married in New York on Sept. 10, 1927. They are at home at Marion, Mass. Mrs. Talbot is a graduate of Simmons College.

1926—F. Lewis Kilbourn, Jr., and Miss Pearl Selma Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Smith, were married in Akron, O., on July 30, 1927. They are at home at 152 King Drive, Akron.

1926—Emery B. Danzell, Jr., former University baseball pitcher and captain of the basketball team, and Miss Celia Amy Blackadar, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Blackadar, were married in Providence on Aug. 9, 1927. They are living at 529 Elmwood ave., Providence.

1926—Chester B. Whitman and Elizabeth Hindley (Women's College) '26) were married in Lonsdale, R. I., on July 23, 1927. Cabot Kendall '26 was best man and Frank Pickles '26 was one of the ushers.

1926n—William F. Kothe and Miss Martha Eleanore Mittelstead were married in Boston, Mass., on July 26, 1927. They are at home at 120 Hemenway st., Boston.

1926n, Women's College—Hope Hills Elmer, daughter of the Rev. F. D. Elmer '95 and Mrs. Elmer, and William F. Meyer, Jr., were married in Hamilton, N. Y., on June 28, 1927. F. D. Elmer, Jr., '27 was best man. Mr. Meyer is a graduate of Colgate, 1924.

1926n—Philibert L. Rodier and Miss Harriet Gregg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William F. Gregg, were married in Cleveland, O., on June 21, 1927. They are living in Cleveland.

1927, Women's College—Anne G. Crawford was married to Fred C. Jonah in Cambridge, Mass., on Aug. 13, 1927. Mr. Jonah received his A. M. at Brown in 1926 and was assistant in the Department of Mathematics. He and Mrs. Jonah are at home at 142 Humboldt ave., Providence.

1927—Albert F. Hunt, Jr., son of Dr. Albert F. Hunt '99 and Mrs. Hunt, and Miss Alison McRae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald McRae, were married in Bridgewater, Mass., on June 22, 1927. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt are living in Providence.

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rence '29, brother of the groom, was best man, and Philip Caswell, Jr., '28 was one of the ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence are living in Providence.

1927n—Robert A. Stoehr, Jr., and Miss Marion Miller Dawson, daughter of Mrs. James E. Dawson, were married in Providence on June 25, 1927. Frederick S. Cross '26 was best man, and Edward S. Coons, Jr., '26 and Maynard S. Alexander '27 were ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Stoehr are living in Cincinnati, O.

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1908—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Edgecomb of Honolulu, Hawaii, a daughter, on June 7, 1927.

1910—To Mr. and Mrs. Richard D. Allen of Providence, a son, Robert Day, on Aug. 28, 1927.

1910—To Professor and Mrs. Harold S. Bucklin of Edgewood, R. I., a daughter, Mary Faith, on Sept. 14, 1927.

1911—To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Cate of Providence, a son, Samuel Moore, on July 25, 1927.

1911—To Mr. and Mrs. Ira W. Knight of Providence, a son, Kenneth Fraser, on Aug. 28, 1927.

1912—To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Brown of Marshfield Hills, Mass., a daughter, Lucia, on Aug. 28, 1927.

1912n, Women's College—To Mr. and Mrs. Bert L. Arnold (Esther M. Lindblom) of San Francisco, Cal., a daughter, Beverly Rae, on July 30, 1927.

1915—To Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence L. Hall of East Orange, N. J., a son, Lawrence De Witt, on Aug. 19, 1927.

1916, Women's College—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Richard (Edith C. Davis) of Binghamton, N. Y., a daughter, Dorothy, on Aug. 6, 1927.

1916n—To Dr. and Mrs. Daniel L. Morrissey of Providence, a son, Daniel, on May 15, 1927.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. Rufus C. Fuller, Jr., of Providence, a daughter, Emily Gilman, on July 6, 1927.

1919—To Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Brown (Dorothy Beals, Women's College '18), of Eden Park, R. I.,

a son, Theodore Beals, on July 11, 1927.

1921—To Mr. and Mrs. Russell P. Jones of Providence, a daughter, Dorothy Franklin, on Aug. 3, 1927.

1921—To Mr. and Mrs. Allan B. Colby of Providence, a daughter, Lois Marie, on July 4, 1927.

1921n—To Mr. and Mrs. Stanley T. Black of Pawtucket, R. I., a son, Rodman Richardson, on Aug. 4, 1927.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Kenyon of Providence, a daughter, Virginia May, on July 16, 1927.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard F. Johnson of Providence, a daughter, Marilyn Hope, on July 12, 1927.

1923—To Mr. and Mrs. George R. Decker of Passaic, N. J., a son, Malcolm Barnard, on July 30, 1927.

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