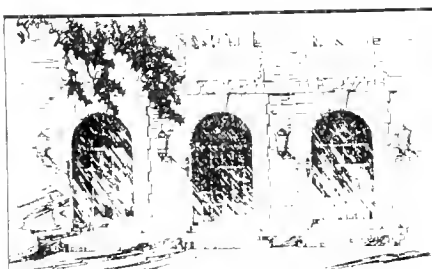


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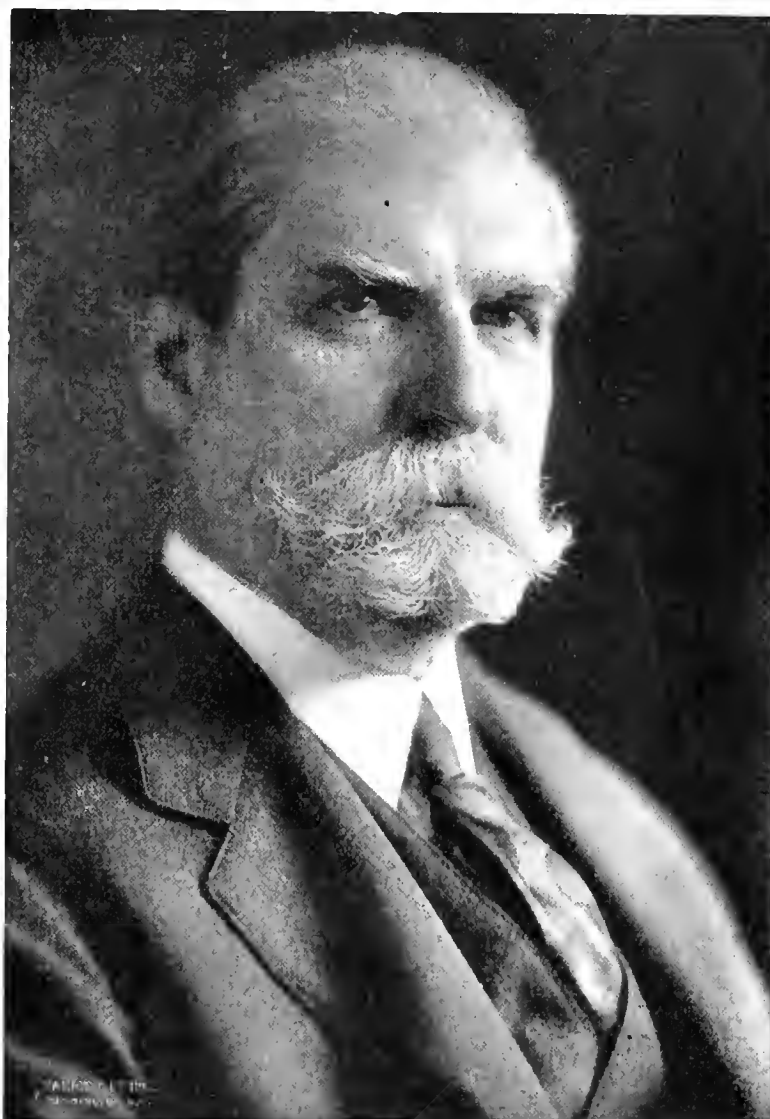
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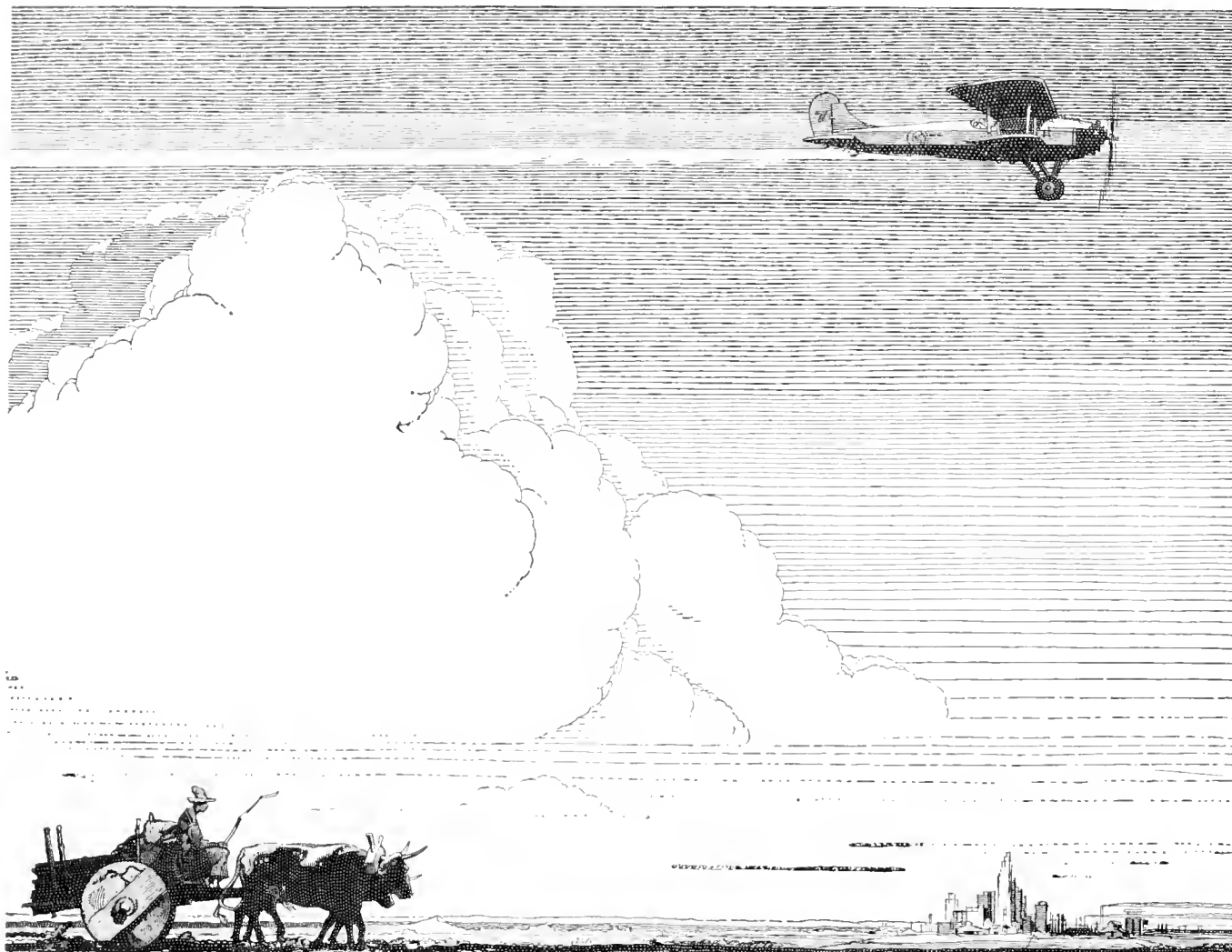
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On The Hill

Professor Appleton Passes

*(A Personal Appreciation by
the Editor)*

ALTHOUGH I took Professor John Howard Appleton's course in chemistry as an undergraduate, I date my real acquaintance with him from the day, perhaps twenty years ago, when I found him sitting by the open fire in the library of the University Club in Providence and asked him what he thought of General Grant.

It must have been during my first reading of Grant's Memoirs, or soon afterward. I had no reason to suppose that Professor Appleton's interest in Grant was in any way extraordinary. But I immediately found that the great commander was one of his special heroes, for whose military genius he had an enduring admiration.

At this far distance it is impossible to say when or how our round table at the University Club began — it was not really a round table, but an oval one. But very soon in my revived acquaintance with Professor Appleton he became its central point of interest. I have never heard of a group of congenial people with a more distinctive leader. Nobody thought of disputing his primacy. Rather we all rejoiced in it and were grateful for it. As for myself I quickly acquired the habit of bringing to him the most various topics, problems and speculations. I found that he had a marvellous capacity for getting "the other man's" point of view. In his later years, when he was unable to read as voluminously as formerly, he would take a round-table question home with him in his remarkable mind, think long and

steadily about it, and return to the club the next day with a mature opinion, clearly and logically derived.

If it had not been for the fact that I saw him almost exclusively at lunch time and that the hours immediately succeeding that period were for me the busiest part of the day, I would often have put down, Boswell-fashion, it seems to me, some of the wise observations he let fall. There were literally thousands of thoughts of his that I wish I had in a convenient book at this moment. Occasionally I would furtively inscribe one of his sayings on the back of a menu card, but neither I nor anyone else ever made a business of transcribing his wit and wisdom.

Of his wit there are extant any number of examples. He was fond of embroidering a slight anecdote into an elaborate tale. A simple colloquy from a comic strip furnished with him all the necessary material for a spacious adventure in whimsical invention. On Monday noons I sometimes said to him: "Professor, how was the preacher yesterday?", well knowing that he had long since given up anything like regular attendance at Sunday church services. If he happened to be in the mood, and he usually was, he would thereupon cite an imaginary text and from it frame on the spur of the moment a logical discourse of his own, crediting it to the supposed clergyman and devising impromptu his firstly, secondly and thirdly in a way to delight the orderly mind of Professor Bancroft, that arch-anatomist of literature.

It is a remarkable fact that Professor Appleton rarely talked of his professional specialty, chemistry, unless



JOHN HOWARD APPLETON

someone else introduced it into the conversation. It was then evident that he had kept abreast of the progress made by the science since his retirement from the college faculty. But most of his thought was given to other branches of human activity. He took a deep interest in biography, so that it seemed as if he must have read every notable volume of this character that had appeared in recent years. Toward the end of his life he reread Gibbon's Rome, and once again he reviewed the whole series of Shakespeare's plays, as he was wont to do every few years. He reflected much on the science of heredity, and particularly admired the researches of Sir Francis Galton in this field. A book that he frequently quoted was William Graham Sumner's "Folkways," which seemed to him one of the great works of his day and generation, embracing as it does the entire range of social tradition and custom.

He was fond of referring to the fact that he was born at Portland, Me., and attributed his love of the sea in some measure to this origin. He was justly proud of the long record of the Appleton family in New England and of the Williams family, ancestors on his maternal side from whom sprang a long line of Congregational ministers. He often spoke of his father with deep respect and of his mother with great tenderness as a woman of superior attainments to whom he owed an immeasurable obligation.

He had a marked dignity of mind which instinctively rejected the unfitting point of view. His sense of propriety was keen and he had no patience with offenders against it.

From the Journal

The Providence Journal of Feb. 19, 1930, the day following Professor Appleton's death, said editorially:

Professor Appleton was born in Portland, Me., from which city he came to Providence in boyhood. He often referred to the fact that he first saw the light within sight and sound of the sea, and expressed the conviction that something of its spell had got into his blood, making him keenly sensitive to its allurements. He might have said with Longfellow, another native of Portland, who sang of the town in unforgettable lines:

"I remember the black wharves and
the slips,

And the sea-tides tossing free;

* * *

And the beauty and mystery of the
ships,

And the magic of the sea."

Professor Appleton's specialty as a teacher was chemistry. He entered the faculty at Brown as an instructor in that science immediately after his graduation in 1863 and he remained in the same department of the university for many years with the full rank of professor, until he retired by reason of the academic limitation at the age of seventy. Never was this arbitrary limitation more regretably imposed; Professor Appleton was in his intellectual prime when he

withdrew from the teaching force on the hill, and indeed, in the succeeding decade and a half that remained to him, he gave no indication of failing intellectual powers.

Those who knew him best will speak with the surest conviction of the remarkable character of these powers. His mind was receptive, analytic and expository to an unusual degree. He quickly mastered the essentials of a proposition, reframed it if necessary in lucid sentences and argued for or against it with exceptional force. His sympathies were quick and he had a talent for comprehending another's point of view. Yet he could not be easily diverted from a controversial position, modestly and courteously confident as he was of his own mental rectitude.

His habit of thought was experimental and reflective; he liked to examine both historic events and current occurrences philosophically. He was a lifelong student of Shakespeare and had many of the poet's finer passages at his instant command. He made a practice of rereading every few years the whole series of plays, and it was his frequently expressed conclusion that upon poets and military leaders the chief guerdon of fame was likeliest to fall. Among his soldierly heroes Grant ranked very high; he was an inveterate student of the Civil War and the victor of Vicksburg and Appomattox loomed, by his verdict, among the great captains of all time.

His tastes were broad and varied and few subjects of general discussion failed to enlist his active mind. In recent years he devoted a large part of his leisure to the reading of biography, having, as he said, a particular interest in individual human beings. . . .

He was a reverent man, though little concerned with the niceties of theological disputation. Loyalty to his friends was an outstanding trait, and loyalty to Brown University also, from which not only he himself but all of his six children—three sons and three daughters—were graduated, a unique record. His connection with

it as student, active member of the faculty and professor emeritus extended over more than seventy years. He entered it in 1859 and in 1930 his name was still upon its roll of honor.

A scientist of exact learning, a scholar in many lines outside of his chosen profession, a brilliant conversationalist, a ready and helpful counsellor, and a citizen upon whom the community set the enduring seal of its esteem, John Howard Appleton has passed at a ripe age from the scene of his long activities. For those who were admitted to his generous friendship there is left a vacancy that will never be filled.

Mr. Foster's Tribute

IN a private letter to the editor of the Brown Alumni Monthly from which we are permitted to quote, William E. Foster, '73, a brother-in-law of Professor Appleton, said under date of Feb. 19, 1930:

"I can never forget not only the strong intellectual pleasure which I derived from a conversation with him by myself, but on various occasions in the past when, having a guest at my house whose conversation I particularly enjoyed, I would call on Professor Appleton to come over and spend the evening with the certainty that the resulting conversation would be a rich intellectual treat. Among these instances, I recall several in particular.

"When the late Judge Chamberlain was the librarian of the Boston Public Library, he used to make it a point to come down to Providence once a year, for the week-end, to be my guest. On these occasions, I would always ask Professor Appleton to come over to spend the evening. Both were men of wide reading, of careful reflection, and of alert mental habit. The result was like bringing flint in contact with tinder.

"And this is typical of many 'more than Attic nights.'

"There was something almost French in the delicacy of Professor Appleton's mental processes, and although he possessed a keen interest in

all literary studies, the wholesome effect of his scientific training, and his disciplined mind, was always seen in the sanity and sureness of his judgments.

"As to his sense of humor, I do not need to remind you of that. It would often appear in the unexpected turn

of thought, throwing a flood of light on some hitherto overlooked phase of the subject, and fairly convulsing those with whom he was conversing.

"I have never known a man whose conversation was so completely the embodiment of intellect."

Professor Appleton's Career

John Howard Appleton was born at Portland, Maine, on February 3, 1844, a son of Elisha Williams and Martha Wylly (Hyde) Appleton. He was a descendant of the Samuel Appleton who came to this country from Suffolk, England, in early colonial days. A brother of Professor Appleton, William Hyde Appleton, was President of Swarthmore College for several years. Professor Appleton's family removed to this city while he was a lad and he attended the public schools and graduated at the Providence High School, then located on Benefit Street, and now occupied by the Supreme Court of Rhode Island. He entered Brown University in the class of 1863 and graduated with the degree of Bachelor of Philosophy. He won his A. M. at Brown in 1869. The honorary degree of Sc. D., was conferred upon him by Brown in 1900, at which time he was cited by Dr. W. H. P. Faunce as a "chemist of repute, teacher of a generation of students, Christian gentleman."

Upon graduation he became Assistant Instructor in Analytical Chemistry and for a half a century he was the active head of the Department of Chemistry. Upon his retirement from active service in 1913 he became Professor Emeritus in Chemistry.

In behalf of friends and former students, a fund to be known by his name was given to the University some years ago for the purpose of providing a course of lectures each year.

In 1886 Professor Appleton was appointed Professor of Chemistry Applied to the Arts, and, in 1872, Professor of Chemistry, a post which he held, together with the Newport

Rogers Chair of Chemistry, until his retirement.

During all this time the college had been growing. When he became instructor, there were but 12 members of the faculty and 202 students enrolled, and the only buildings on the campus were University, Manning and Rhode Island Halls, Hope College and the chemistry building.

Professor Appleton took a leading part in the application of chemistry to the affairs of the city and the State. He was State Sealer of Weights and Measures for a number of years and for several years was chemist of the State Board of Agriculture and was called into the service of Providence when the city established its water works, from which has developed the present extensive system. He was often summoned for official advice in additions to this public improvement and was frequently engaged as an expert witness in important legal proceedings. In 1891 he was appointed to the United States Mint Commission by President Harrison.

He was a fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science; former Vice President of the American Chemical Society and was chairman of the Rhode Island section; a member of the American Society of Chemical Industry and of the New York Academy of Sciences. He was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, being president of Rhode Island Alpha in 1881 and 1883, and was a member of Sigma Xi. He was a president of the Providence Art Club many years ago, and was president of the University Club from 1917 to 1919. In 1928 he was elected an honorary member of the American

Institute of Chemists. Only five men, including Dr. Appleton, have had this honor. He was also a Fellow of the American Society for the Advancement of Science.

He published a number of books on chemistry, chiefly for textual use. These were as follows: "The Young Chemist," 1878; "Quantitative Analysis," 1881; "Laboratory Year Book," 1883, which he issued annually until 1892; "Beginners' Hand Book of Chemistry," 1884; "Advanced Quantitative Analysis," 1889; "Medical Chemistry," 1889; "Lessons in Chemical Philosophy," 1890; "Metals of the Chemist," 1891; "Report Books of Chemical Works," 1891; "Carbon Compounds," 1892; "Chemistry of Non-Metals," 1897, and "Easy Experiments of Organic Chemistry," 1898. He also contributed numerous articles for publications of various kinds and delivered many addresses.

Professor Appleton was married Feb. 24, 1875, to Louise Mumford Day. Their six children all received degrees from Brown. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. George A. Goulding, Alice Appleton and Marguerite Appleton; and two sons, Everard Appleton, an attorney and a former coroner for the city of Providence, and Dr. Paul Appleton. All live in Providence.

Another son, William Day Appleton, former instructor in engineering at Brown, died May 6, 1921.

Delta Tau Delta

By Robert Franklin, '29

With twenty-one chapters, representing a range from Maine to West Virginia, sending delegates, the 47th annual conference of the Eastern Division of Delta Tau Delta was held in Providence, March 14 and 15. The visitors were the guests of the Beta Chi chapter at Brown and the Providence alumni of the fraternity.

The sessions included a smoker and informal reception at the chapter house on Prospect Street Friday evening, followed by a dance at the Providence Biltmore, at which two hundred Deltas and their guests were

present. A dinner Saturday evening concluded the get-together.

The conference was directed by Professor F. Darrell Moore of Rennselaer Polytechnic Institute, assisted by Robert Shanklin, '29, who is the field secretary for Delta Tau Delta. Norman MacLeod of Pittsburgh, President of the Fraternity, and Daniel L. Grant of New York, executive secretary, were in attendance and spoke at the dinner. Rev. Albert C. Thomas, '08, of Fall River was toastmaster, and the principal speaker was Oscar Heltzen, '04n, former Attorney General of Rhode Island.

Delta Tau Delta has recently re-

organized its administrative work and is reinterpreting its purpose in terms of changed educational methods and practices. "If the social fraternity has a place in higher education," said President MacLeod, "then we must view it in the same terms with which we view other elements in the higher educational picture and give the fraternity both the financial support and the forward-looking administration required for any reasonable success. So far it has grown like Topsy; and as it has become larger and more cumbersome it has often been driven from pillar to post. We believe that the social fraternity possesses incal-

culable benefits for educating young men through its informal life and procedure if only care is taken to assure the operation of such educative values. And believing in the social fraternity, Delta Tau Delta is undertaking more than it has been accustomed to in order to assure a more continuous policy and a more effective life.

"To this end we have correlated our administrative functions and placed at the head of our organization an executive secretary who is familiar with higher education as well as with fraternities."

The Advisory Board Breaks Records

By Alfred H. Gurney, Alumni Secretary

WITH delegates present from Portland, Me., to Los Angeles, Cal., and with a fine spirit of harmony and co-operation manifest at all times, the annual meeting of the Advisory Board of the Associated Alumni in Providence, Feb. 21 and 22, was an altogether successful affair.

If one were prattling about records one could say that the meeting (1) surpassed all previous marks in point of attendance, (2) brought together the largest number of Alumni Trustees in history, and (3) had, throughout, the benefit of the presence of the President of the University.

Schwartz at the Helm

One might also emphasize the firm, fair way in which President V. A. Schwartz conducted the sessions, and laud the hospitality provided for alumni from out of town by members and friends of the Brown Club of Providence.

Moreover, the Board took two radical and important steps by voting, after lively discussion, that no Alumni Trustee "should be immediately eligible to succeed himself," and that President Schwartz name a committee to work out the details of the so-called Regional Plan, which calls for a reorganization of the Associated Alumni along lines calculated to knit

the alumni body more closely together and thus make it more effective as an active force in Brown's progress.

The roll call tells the story of the attendance. The long-distance delegate was Edward A. Adams, '12—"Shad" to many of us—who lives in Los Angeles and who came with credentials from that club and from the clubs in Denver, San Francisco and Seattle. Here is the full list:

Alumni Trustees — H. H. Rice, Professor George Grafton Wilson, C. Sherman Hoyt, George F. Bean, President Harvey N. Davis, William Allan Dyer, Clinton C. White, Arthur W. Pinkham.

Brown Clubs—Brown Engineering Association, Frank E. Winsor, Earl W. Harrington; Boston, R. G. Sykes; Cleveland, W. Russell Burwell; Connecticut Valley, Ralph A. Armstrong; Detroit, Arthur Kiernan; Fall River, Rev. Albert C. Thomas; Hartford, Frank O. Jones; Lynn, Mass., Frank E. Marble; Manchester, N. H., Dr. H. W. N. Bennett; Merrimack Valley, William H. Cady; New Bedford, Wardwell C. Leonard; New Haven, Victor A. Hedberg, Jr., and Harry R. Westcott; Newport, Frank M. Hammett; New York, Alexander Graham, Watson Wyckoff; Portland, Me., Fred H. Gabbi, Dr. Thomas J. Burrage;

Providence, Earl M. Pearce, Sidney Clifford; Rochester, N. Y., Dr. Earle B. Cross; Syracuse, William Allan Dyer; Woonsocket, F. E. Whitaker; Worcester, George D. Church, Wiley H. Marble and Fred D. Aldrich (morning session); Brown Clubs of the Far West—Edward A. Adams, Association of Class Secretaries—George L. Miner.

Delegates-at-Large, Dennis F. O'Brien, Hugh W. MacNair, Edgar J. Lanpher.

Officers and Executive Committee—President V. A. Schwartz; Vice Presidents Henry G. Marsh, W. R. Burwell, Charles H. Pinkham; Treasurer E. K. Aldrich, Jr., Homer N. Sweet, James M. Pendleton, James S. Allen, Henry S. Chafee, Alfred H. Gurney.

Guests — President Clarence A. Barbour, Dr. A. D. Mead, Dean Kenneth O. Mason, Dean Samuel T. Arnold, Z. Chafee, Harold B. Tanner, Alfred B. Lemon, Professor James P. Adams, Professor C. H. Currier and Henry R. Palmer.

Afternoon Session

For the first time the Board met in the afternoon. And for the first time the scene of the meeting was at the Faculty Club, 13 Brown Street. When President Schwartz rapped for

order at 4 o'clock he had sitting with him on either side of his desk nine representatives of the student body and the major student activities. They were Edward L. Sittler, Jr., President of the Cammarian Club, H. O. Werner, Jr., editor-in-chief of the Brown Daily Herald, H. B. Thorn of Sock and Buskin, John B. Rae of the Debating Union, Albert H. Rogers, manager of the Musical Clubs, and the four presidents of the classes in college—C. H. (Bud) Edwards, '30, Ernest G. Hapgood, Jr., '31, Paul F. Mackesy, '32, and Roland K. Brown, '33.

Noticably Frank

All of the speakers were frank and outspoken. They were particularly critical of alumni support (or, rather, lack of support) of the activities at Brown. Mr. Werner made a strong and intelligent plea for better academic publicity, and Mr. Rogers said some pertinent things about the indifference of many of the Brown clubs toward proposed visits by the Musical Clubs. Messrs. Rae and Thorn spoke to the point with regard to alumni and undergraduate neglect of their respective organizations. Mr. Sittler's outline of the work of the Cammarian Club and the problems before it was clear and constructive.

The class presidents were brief, but friendly, and it was heartening to hear them ask for greater alumni interest in the kind of students who should come to Brown.

Because of lack of time it was not possible to discuss at length the comments and opinions of the undergraduates. With the notice that the Executive Committee would take up some of the matters at its monthly meetings, President Schwartz called for nominations for Alumni Trustees to fill the four vacancies, one Episcopal and three Baptist, of which all clubs had been duly notified. He explained the list of names as read by the secretary by saying that the Executive Committee, as the nominating committee, had given it much thought and that there was nothing cut and dried about it.

The number of candidates to go

upon the official ballot was warmly discussed. The motion finally prevailed that three candidates should be nominated for each vacancy. It was also voted to put up three men for the Athletic Council vacancy.

Evening Session

After a short recess, the delegates assembled in the main room of the Faculty Club for dinner. Sixty-one persons, including the members of the Musical Clubs, who came to sing and remained to eat, gathered at the tables. President Schwartz opened the after-dinner program with a hearty greeting to the delegates, and then gave a brief survey of the topics considered by the Executive Committee since its first meeting in September. These topics included Commencement, the Alumni Monthly, the Regional Plan, the Consultation Committee, which acts as a connecting link between the Associated Alumni and the Corporation, and the Equalization Plan, by which the clubs would share equally the expense of sending delegates to the Advisory Board meeting.

He likewise cited the more friendly relations now existing between the Alumni Office and the Brown Club of Providence, and paid tribute to President Barbour for the interest that Dr. Barbour is showing in alumni work.

President Barbour Speaks

His introduction of President Barbour was as sincere as it was happy. And certainly it must have thrilled the new president to hear the applause as he rose to make his bow before the board. He said at the beginning that his talk was "a family one" and he asked that, in accord with custom, there be no verbatim report of it. He reviewed vividly and intimately the situation at Brown as he was becoming acquainted with it; he discussed the Corporation, Faculty and the student body, praising them for their spirit of co-operation, and made a memorable plea for devotion and loyalty to the university. Surely every man who heard him realizes

that, under his leadership, Brown will go forward steadily and intelligently.

Following the report of the Alumni Secretary, which is given elsewhere in this issue, Professor James P. Adams of the Department of Economics told of the work of the faculty and sketched delightfully some of the outstanding men on it; Henry R. Palmer, editor of the Brown Alumni Monthly, gave a rapid-fire history, touched with real humor, of the ups and downs of the Monthly since its founding in 1900; Alfred B. Lemon outlined succinctly the aims and purposes of the Brown Club of Providence; and William Allan Dyer described the tentative Regional Plan for bringing the alumni closer together and increasing their usefulness to Brown. It was voted to refer the plan to a committee, named by President Schwartz, with power to act.

The meeting, according to plan, adjourned promptly at 10:30, and the delegates went to the homes of alumni opened to them through the aid of the Brown Club of Providence. The hospitality committee, led by Henry S. Chafee, did a thoroughly commendable job.

Morning Session

At the opening of the session Saturday morning, President Schwartz called for a discussion of the Equalization Plan. After arguments for and against the plan, it was voted to refer the subject to the Regional Plan Committee.

Nominations for Alumni Trustees and for the Athletic Council brought forth sharp discussion of the policy of naming non-Brown men for vacancies. President Barbour participated, and there was much talk "about it and about" until the chair recognized H. H. Rice of Detroit, who made the following motion:

Alumni Trustees

That the Advisory Board of the Associated Alumni adopt as a policy that an Alumni Trustee should not be immediately eligible to succeed himself.

Mr. Rice explained his motion fully, saying that he had advocated such a procedure six years ago, but had been in the great minority. He felt that a change of personnel among the Alumni Trustees every six years would work out to the benefit of the University. President Harvey N. Davis of Stevens Institute of Technology seconded the motion, and Professor George Grafton Wilson and Mr. Dyer, also Alumni Trustees, spoke in favor. So did James M. Pendleton, while Dennis F. O'Brien, Sidney Clifford and H. S. Chafee said that the Advisory Board might well go slowly in the matter. The motion before the house prevailed, with four votes opposing.

It was then moved and passed that the President of the Associated Alumni appoint a committee to confer with the Corporation to consider the advisability of shortening the term of Alumni Trustees from six years.

This motion was followed by another, which was also passed, that "it is the sentiment of the alumni that

the Corporation consider asking for the resignation of a member of the Corporation who has not attended a meeting of the Corporation for two years, without justifiable cause."

Meantime nominations for the Alumni Trustee and Athletic Council vacancies continued until they were completed. The names of the candidates will be published in the next issue of the Alumni Monthly.

A resolutions committee composed of Homer N. Sweet, Dr. Earle B. Cross and Hugh W. MacNair presented resolutions, which were unanimously adopted, on the approaching retirement of Dean Otis E. Randall, Dr. Harry Lyman Koopman and Professor Walter G. Everett.

It was voted to send a day letter of appreciation to Walter C. Wyckoff, former Alumni Trustee and for many years active on the Advisory Board. Mr. Rice spoke feelingly of Mr. Wyckoff's love of Brown and his work for the University. It was also voted to thank the Brown Club of Providence and Providence alumni for their hospitality to the visiting

delegates and to refer to the Executive Committee the subject of the transfer of the Alumni Monthly to the Associated Alumni (proposed by Mr. Palmer). A rising vote of thanks was given President Schwartz for his firmness and fairness in conducting the meetings of the Board, and adjournment was taken at noon to the Visiting Day luncheon at Alumnae Hall. In the afternoon at 4 o'clock the delegates attended the memorial service for Dr. Faunce in Sayles Hall.

Before adjourning, President Schwartz announced that the Regional Plan Committee would be made up of William Allan Dyer, chairman, Alfred B. Lemon, vice chairman, J. M. Pendleton, Homer N. Sweet, James S. Allen, Wiley H. Marble, Dennis F. O'Brien, Hugh W. MacNair, Lester L. Falk, Wallace R. Lane, Edward A. Adams, and President Barbour and President Schwartz, ex-officio. The committee met immediately after the luncheon.

Report of Alfred H. Gurney, Alumni Secretary, to the Advisory Board

GENTLEMEN: I have the honor to submit my eighth annual report as Alumni Secretary.

The work of the Alumni Office continues to increase. It also continues to have the saving grace of being varied—so varied, indeed, that oftentimes it becomes exciting. There is a thrill in the quick jump from talking with a Senior in search of opportunities for work after graduation to the task of issuing a statement on the punishment meted out to Freshmen and Sophomores for mixing unsociably with the Providence police. There is a certain exhilaration in writing a story for the home town newspaper about an undergraduate elected to Phi Beta Kappa or the Sima Xi.

And, after a period of routine matters, when the noise of the type-

writer and the jingle of the telephone make one moody and even murderous, there is pleasure in relaxing long enough to point out to a romantic student caller that life before the mast on an ocean freighter may actually be drab.

Two Notable Events

In the two notable events of the year, Commencement and the inauguration of President Barbour, the Alumni Office had an active part. It worked with the Commencement committee and the class secretaries to bring out the largest possible class delegations for the farewell to Dr. Faunce. It prepared the Commencement publicity. At the suggestion of John W. Haley of the Brown Club of Providence, it was instrumental in changing the printed program of Commencement. Perhaps some of

you noticed that the program of 1929 was larger in size and on better paper than in previous years. There is yet room for improvement.

The Alumni Office handled all of the publicity for President Barbour's inauguration. Early in September a program of news stories was approved by Theodore Francis Green, chairman of the Inauguration Committee. In making up this program I had the valuable aid of Professor James P. Adams, and in preparing the stories I had the skilled help of Garrett D. Byrnes, '26.

The first story went out for release on September 15, one month before inauguration. Other stories, six general ones, all told, were sent at stated intervals. The newspapers receiving them were a selected list. The press associations were included, and

their co-operation was excellent. Pictures of Dr. Barbour were sent to all newspapers and picture bureaus asking for them. Arrangements were made with the news reel companies to send men to the inauguration.

Special stories were written for religious papers, and interviews with Dr. Barbour were provided for. To fifty of the leading newspapers, copies of Dr. Barbour's biography were mailed in advance of the inauguration exercises. Every phase of dignified publicity was covered. The results were gratifying. The Alumni Office has collected hundreds of clippings and pictures from newspapers throughout the country. It intends to put them into a permanent scrap book as evidence of what can be done when publicity is prepared as real news and is well-directed.

Compliment for Committee

I should like to go on record here as paying compliment to Mr. Green and his committee for the way in which they carried out their plans for the inauguration. Everything was done smoothly, according to exact schedule. And every visitor went back home praising Brown for the splendid way in which it had inducted Dr. Barbour into office.

That praise, I believe, is better for Brown than all of the yards and yards of printed matter about the inauguration in the Alumni Office files.

Graduate Records

The Graduate Records were gone over fully during the summer and rearranged to make them more accessible. The rearrangement was possible by removal of all records of the graduates of Pembroke College to Alumnae Hall. Much new biographical material has been added. The recent classes are showing a friendly disposition in filling out record blanks and in keeping the office informed of their changes of address.

The duties of maintaining the records multiply. As many of you know, we have three cards, alphabetical, geographical and class, for

each alumnus and former student. Miss Himes, Keeper of the Graduate Records, tries to have the home and business addresses on every card. She also tries to keep the addresses up to date. This, in itself, is a big task. As the files are today, I believe they will compare favorably with the files in any Alumni Office, even in those offices where money in plenty is available for assistant workers.

Occupation File Needed

There is a real need for a file showing the occupations of Brown men.

The files are in almost daily use. All the undergraduate organizations which do business off the campus have access to them. Club secretaries send in their lists for revision. Class secretaries act similarly, although there are several secretaries, interested enough in having their lists as correct as possible, who come direct to the Alumni Office to do their own work. It is well to reiterate that the files are closed to solicitors of all kinds.

For the All-New England Boston dinner in 1929 the Alumni Office, co-operating with the Brown Club of Boston, sent out all notices at cost. The idea took so well that again this year the Alumni Office was asked to handle the mailing list.

Active Cooperation

The office has worked wholeheartedly with the Administration in sending out Commencement notices, University bulletins, invitations to the inauguration and special reprints from the Alumni Monthly. The time is at hand, I believe, when the University should provide a more modern addressing machine, with special labor-saving attachments, than the one in use.

A year ago I said that "the need of a personal system is great." I repeat the statement. I wish it were possible to set aside definite hours for talks with Seniors and alumni with regard to employment. Some of this year's Senior class have already been in to see about opportunities. The mail regularly brings letters from

graduates asking about positions. Personnel men from well known companies and corporations visit Brown annually, and their first stop is at the Alumni Office. From now until late in May considerable of my time will be occupied with these visitors and with Seniors.

Loyalty Fund

Concerted effort to build up the Loyalty Fund has begun. In a letter, published in the January number of Alumni Monthly, President Barbour made personal appeal to Brown men to subscribe to the Fund and, in this way, build with Brown. The Alumni Secretary feels that he should give a great deal more of his time to the Fund than he is able to give. The Fund will not go of itself. That has been tried and found futile. Several hundred subscribers give yearly without solicitation. But the majority must be sought out and asked.

No one can do this seeking and asking better than the energetic Class Agent. In recent weeks Henry G. Clark, chairman of the Trustees of the Loyalty Fund, has sent out a letter to a large number of the Class Agents. In this letter Mr. Clark puts the goal of the Loyalty Fund at \$40,000, the sum to be raised by Commencement. With approximately 5,700 graduates and nearly two thousand more or less interested former students to draw upon, the goal is a reasonable one. If even two thousand Brown men would get behind the Fund on the first call, the Trustees, and President Barbour, also, would be greatly heartened.

Dr. Faunce, in his annual report in November, 1928, characterized the Fund as "one of the most dependable sources of our income." Is there any need to insist further that the Fund, which is money for Brown without any strings attached, is vital to the progress of the University?

The Brown Clubs

The coming of President Barbour to Brown will mean much to the Brown clubs. Dr. Barbour has already been the guest of the clubs in Providence, New Bedford, Boston

and Hartford, and of the Brown Engineering Association. Soon after this meeting is over he will go to Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York. Later he will visit Albany, Rochester, Syracuse, Buffalo, Cleveland, Detroit, Chicago, and St. Louis. And he has engagements to speak before the Brown men in Worcester, Newport, R. I., and Springfield, Mass.

Even Dr. Barbour, worker that he is, cannot expect to do everything in his first year on College Hill. But I feel that he realizes the necessity of visiting the Brown men in the Far West and that he will do so during the next academic year. His appearance in the Far West will be of material benefit to Brown.

I myself have visited the clubs in Portland, Me., Merrimack Valley, Hartford, Springfield, New Bedford, New York, Boston, Fall River, New Haven, Manchester, N. H., and have been the guest of the Brown Engineers. Absence in the field makes work in the office doubly hard. Yet I know that I should have closer personal contact with the clubs in the Middle West, nearly all of which are showing an alert interest in the work of the University.

Dean Randall, Dean Mason, Dr. Mead, Professor W. H. Kenerson, Professor James P. Adams and other members of the Faculty have graciously responded to requests to speak before alumni groups. The Alumni Office misses Dean Randall this year. It appreciates his loyalty and his visits to the alumni, particularly in the years in which Dr. Faunce was not able to go on long journeys. It testifies, too, to the splendid cooperation Dean Mason is giving in connection with his new work as director of admissions.

In his last annual report, Dean Mason mentions his visits to alumni groups and adds that "without exception, they have been ready to aid us by interviewing applicants and urging desirable men to apply to Brown. No small debt of gratitude is due to the fifty-odd graduates who, at the price of considerable

time and effort, are helping us in the choice of our candidates." This work is essential to Brown's progress, and I want to see every Brown club sharing in it conscientiously.

During the year the Brown Club of Northern New Jersey was organized. It came into being just in time for the Brown-Princeton football game, and it did its part in bringing out Brown men for the game. The Brown Club of New York likewise created spirit and enthusiasm in the same direction. A movement is under way to form a club in Taunton and neighborhood, and the Alumni Office is planning to revive the New London - Norwich - Westerly group. The small band of Brunonians in Akron and Canton, Ohio, has met several times to put the name of Brown on the map out there.

With the succession of Mr. Schwartz to the office of President of the Associated Alumni, has come closer relationship with the Brown Club of Providence, to the benefit of both the association and the club. Under Dr. Emery M. Porter the Brown Club of Providence has been progressive, with well-defined aims. Under its new president, Alfred B. Lemon, it will continue to go forward.

Other Matters

At the close of college in June, I represented Brown at the annual meeting of the American Alumni Council at the University of Toronto, gave the report of District One, which includes New England, Nova Scotia and Quebec, and had a place on the program in the discussion of alumni and admissions. It was a pleasure to tell the members of the Council, who came from nearly every state in the country, as well as from most of the Canadian provinces, of what Dean Mason, with the aid of our alumni, is accomplishing for Brown.

And I had a feeling of genuine pride to hear Carl Rollins of the Yale University Press, national authority on type, make this statement: "I want to suggest that you look at the Brown University Catalogue by

the Merrymount Press, in one of the handsomest types ever made, and find what is just as sober and clean-cut a document as you can ever hope to see. That is the class of distinguished work which at the same time is eminently attractive." You see, we have virtues that we do not dream of!

The Alumni Office has kept a steady flow of copy going to the Alumni Monthly, as Mr. Palmer will admit. It has written many personal letters to Brown men whose names have appeared in the news or about whose achievements it has heard from other Brown men. It has given advice born of newspaper experience to the Brown Daily Herald, has encouraged the undergraduate Press Club and has aided the Herald in sending to preparatory schools cards telling of honors won by men from those schools at Brown.

This report would not be complete without a word about the earnest service given by Miss Himes, my first assistant, and Miss Nickerson, assistant secretary of the Loyalty Fund. Miss Himes and Miss Nickerson are diligent and painstaking; they are giving their best to Brown in an effective way.

Nor should it end without acknowledgment of the fine friendliness which President Barbour is showing toward the Alumni Secretary and, particularly toward alumni work as a whole. Brown, I believe, has found a strong leader to take the place of him whose friendship all of us cherished and whose presence meant so much to us in the years that are gone.

Respectfully submitted,
Alfred H. Gurney,
Alumni Secretary.

Brown Soccer

The Brown soccer schedule for next fall follows: Oct. 11, Amherst at Providence; Oct. 18, Yale at New Haven; Oct. 25, Clark at Worcester; Nov. 1, W. P. I. at Worcester; Nov. 8, Northeastern at Providence; Nov. 15, Harvard at Cambridge; Nov. 22, Springfield at Providence.

The Brown Clubs Report

BY the time this issue of the Alumni Monthly is in the mail, President Barbour will be heading for the Middle West, on his first visit to the alumni in that region since he was inaugurated last October.

His schedule follows: Cleveland, April 7; Detroit, April 8; Chicago, April 9; St. Louis, April 10. At the end of this month he will visit Albany and on May 1 and 2, respectively, will cover what is for him familiar ground in Syracuse, Rochester and Buffalo.

He is looking forward to these visits with hearty interest. He admits that he has had a pleasant time getting acquainted with the alumni in the East, and he feels that his contacts with the men in the Middle West and Western New York will be just as pleasant, and also helpful in his effort during this first year of his administration to show to as many alumni and former students as possible the picture of Brown as she is today and of what she can be and will be with constructive and energetic support.

Hartford

Professor Charles Wilson Brown of the Department of Geology gave the Brown Club of Hartford an illustrated talk on "Japan and the Far East" at the University Club, Hartford, March 4. The Alumni Secretary had the privilege of introducing Professor Brown, who responded ably by an absorbing description of the World Engineering Congress at Tokio, to which he went as a delegate, and of life and conditions in Japan, Manchuria and China. His motion pictures of his trip were highly interesting. After he finished, the questions came thick and fast, and for nearly an hour Professor Brown was busy trying to answer them. Dinner and a topical interlude by a professional pianist and a dancer preceded the talk.

Boston

Vice President A. D. Mead of the

University was the guest of the Brown Club of Boston at the March luncheon, held at the University Club, March 12. This was the first meeting of the club since the new president, Dr. Edwin A. Locke, '96, succeeded George S. Burgess, '12. Dr. Mead, given the privilege of choosing his own subject, "brought before us in a very convincing manner the necessity of establishing a plan of action for Brown and the beneficial results which are already apparent as a result of it. The important part played by the graduate student (in the Brown scheme of development) was news to most of us."

Newport

After a lapse of years the Brown Club of Newport came vigorously to life on the evening of March 13 to welcome President Barbour and the Alumni Secretary at a dinner meeting at the Hotel Belle Vue in Newport. Mayor Sullivan was also a guest and spoke briefly. The revival was due in large measure to the earnest efforts of Clarence A. Carr, '87, State Senator John H. Nolan, '15, and John H. Greene, Jr., '15n, and the Alumni Office is grateful to them for their work. Dr. Barbour, who was a guest at St. George's school—his first visit there—during the day, had to leave early because he was going to New York. But in a twenty-minute talk he gave the alumni and the guests a well-proportioned picture of Brown today and of what Brown will be under the right conditions of planning and progress. The Alumni Secretary supplemented Dr. Barbour's remarks with news of activities and individuals on the Hill. Mayor Sullivan had amusing comments to make upon the character of his invitation to the dinner, and paid compliment to President Barbour and to Brown. The gathering stood one minute in silence in memory of Alfred G. Langley, '76, for years the most active Brunonian in Newport.

The election of officers for 1930

follows: President, Clarence A. Carr, '87; vice president, William P. Sheffield, '15; secretary and treasurer, John H. Greene, Jr.; Executive Committee, Fred M. Hammett, '80, John H. Nolan, '15, John R. Haire, '15.

New York

The 62nd annual dinner of the Brown Club of New York, which took place at the Hotel Astor Thursday evening, Feb. 28, is one that this writer will long remember. It was admirably arranged. The speaking was of an unusually high order. And there was a fine air of friendliness and enthusiasm about it all—an air that we like to see at any Brown gathering, large or small.

President Hugh W. MacNair, '17, introduced the toastmaster, Everett Colby, '97, who introduced the speakers, Dean Christian Gauss of Princeton, President Barbour, and Nathaniel T. Guernsey, a Yale man and an officer of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, as only he can do it, happily and wittily.

Dean Gauss, an asset on any program, said that "we have gone ahead so fast in education that what is true today was not true only a few years ago. . . . And we in the colleges today are much more humble than we used to be." He drew an amusing picture of the professional alumnus—the "now, when I was in college" gentleman—and pointed out that because of complex and changing conditions it is becoming increasingly difficult to give a student a liberal education.

"If the alumnus of today," he continued, "is to be useful to his college, there is only one of two things for him to do—either after graduation to re-enter as a Freshman or to go out and mingle freely with no sense of social exclusiveness and bring back to the college that sense of contemporary needs which must make itself felt in any progressive educational institution."

President Barbour was at his best. He had humor and frankness and color. He dwelt particularly upon the work being started to improve the student body, to strengthen the Faculty and to plan for Brown of the future. He stressed the need of more endowment, to be used to increase the salaries of the Faculty, and the need of more modern equipment in some of the departments. He asked sincerely for loyalty to the college as a whole. We believe that the New York alumni took Dr. Barbour to their hearts after hearing him; we feel that something tangible will come out of his plain statement of the situation at Brown today.

Mr. Guernsey, speaking very briefly, said that the alumni ought to be a part of the general plan of any university development and that it was a wise administration which set out to make them a real factor in the university.

We regret that we do not have handy the names of the committee of the Brown Club which was responsible for the dinner. But we compliment them just the same on the results they achieved.

Philadelphia

More than forty were present at the annual dinner of the Brown Club of Philadelphia, held at the Hotel Warwick Monday evening, Feb. 24. The excellent attendance was a tribute to President Barbour. Dr. Frederick E. Stockwell, '00, president of the club, wrote in part:

"The men were delighted with Dr. Barbour and his splendid presentation of the inner workings of the University as seen through the eyes of the new president. His method of presentation was analytic, sympathetic and touched here and there with a vein of humor that gave his story a grip upon the men. It was especially interesting to note the way in which he held the younger alumni.

"The delegation present stretched all the way from the Class of '74 to the Class of '29, although, naturally, the earlier classes were not so numerously represented. John A. Wilson, '23, Assistant United States District

Attorney in New York, acted as toastmaster, and Professor Hart of Bryn Mawr College, where he is head of the Department of Economics, spoke most interestingly upon 'The College of the Future.'

"Our great regret was that Dr. W. W. Keen could not be present, but ninety-four years require reduction in activities. He did, however, send his greetings, and, as long as he could not attend the annual dinner in honor of Brown, he spent his evening reading 'Grandmother Brown,' that new story of early Western life."

The opinion in Philadelphia is that President Barbour "is the right man in the right place." Certainly he has carried away with him the enthusiastic support of every Brown man who heard him at the dinner.

Baltimore

The little group of Brunonians in Baltimore, marshalled by Dr. Justin Andrews, '23, met President Barbour around the table at the New Willard Hotel on Feb. 27, and had a thoroughly enjoyable and enlightening visit with their guest. It was also the privilege and pleasure of the group to have at the dinner Dr. Joseph S. Ames, president of the Johns Hopkins University, Dr. W. W. Ford, Professor of Bacteriology at the School of Hygiene and Public Health, and E. Boyd Morrow, headmaster of the Gilman Country School, where Josiah Bartlett, '88, has long been one of the inspiring teachers.

The alumni who answered to their names were Dr. Andrews, Louis F. Baker, '03, Josiah Bartlett, '88, Harry Cornsweet, '29, Walter G. Chandler, '78, Dr. Samuel R. Damon, '16, Carroll L. Freeman, '23, Professor Raymond P. Hawes, '12, John B. Pastore, '27, Charles H. Peckham, '19, Alfred H. Quick, '87, Chester S. Stackpole, '22, Joseph L. Wheeler, '06.

Worcester

There was a distinct Brown flavor to the luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce Forum at the Bancroft Hotel in Worcester, Monday,

March 3. President Barbour was the speaker; Warren A. Whitney, '05n, was toastmaster; an octet from the Brown Musical Clubs, organized by A. H. Rogers, '30, manager of the clubs, and directed by Professor Gene Ware, '06, sang Brown and other songs; and a large number of Brown men in the Worcester district, headed by President George D. Church, '09, of the Brown Club of Worcester, occupied tables next to the speaker's table. A Brown banner hung on the wall directly behind the chair of Dr. Barbour.

Taking for his topic, "Carry On and Carry Through," Dr. Barbour gave his audience of nearly three hundred persons a vivid and quickening twenty-minute talk. It made your correspondent thrill as he felt the homely force of it, and it made him proud to know that the President of Brown was leaving a real impress as a man of sound common sense and a speaker of charm and quality.

Washington

One of the most notable Brown gatherings in Washington history met at the Lafayette Hotel Monday evening, Feb. 24, to pay homage to President Barbour. United States Senators Jesse H. Metcalf and Felix Hebert also were guests, and both spoke in praise of Dr. Barbour and of the late President Emeritus Faunce. William Allen Wilbur, '88, Provost of George Washington University, offered a resolution on Dr. Faunce, one paragraph of which we quote:

"President Faunce was an accomplished musician. It is not hard to think of him as one in spirit with John Milton writing 'at a solemn musick.' It is not hard to think of him as one in spirit with Beethoven in a city street writing the second movement of the Fifth Symphony. This was his spiritual avocation, and the passion of this music inspired the deep harmony of 30 years of service for Brown."

President Barbour's talk was a personal one. In passing, he mentioned Brown's attitude toward the Carnegie report. He likewise spoke

of the great benefits that had come to Brown through the generosity of Senator Metcalf. In the course of his brief remarks, Senator Hebert said that "President Barbour will contribute to right thinking at the college."

Charles R. Stark, Jr., '67n, read the roll of Brown men in Washington who could not attend the dinner. The names were: Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes, '81, Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., '09, Charles P. Sisson, '11, Assistant Attorney General Claude R. Branch, '07, assistant to the Solicitor General, Frederic M.

Sackett, '90, Ambassador to Germany, and Noble B. Judah, '04, former Ambassador to Cuba. President E. R. Cleaveland, '14, introduced the speakers felicitously.

The following attended the dinner, according to the report of G. Richmond Carpenter, '28, of the Washington staff of the Providence Journal:

A. E. Gottshall, '15; C. P. Smith, '02; D. C. Chace, '00; Elijah Anthony, '18; J. V. B. Bennett, '18; H. M. Barry, '94; G. W. Field, '87; Walter I. Sundlun, Arthur D. Call, '96; Thomas Edwin Brown,

'90; A. C. Eastburn, '12; William Adams Slade, '98; Harris E. Starr, '97; Waldo G. Leland, '00; Arthur J. Sundlun, '11; Dr. Winthrop Adams, '09; Edwin G. Dexter, '91; Albert Viault, '24; J. C. Weeden, Jr., '27; Walter N. Palmquist, '22; H. Gordon Minnigerode, '28; George Viault, '26; Daniel D. Grubbs, '26; William F. Littlejohn, '15; Horace S. Mazet, '26; Richard H. Anthony, '25; C. C. Waters, '05; Francis M. Anderson, '07; John N. Shotton, '28; Edmund C. Burnett, '90; Harry L. Watson, '01; William R. Boger, '26; Morris S. Kantrowitz, '22.

Brown Interests of All Sorts

Baseball Practice

The Brown baseball coach at Brown is John P. Kelleher, a former major league player and Harvard coach.

Included in the pitching candidates at the beginning of the practice season were: Phil Lingham, '30; A. V. Gell, '31; Wallace E. Bateman, '32; Edwin W. Vreeland, '32; V. A. McKivergan, '31; R. A. Bowen, '31; J. H. Mahood, '31; A. Sondheim, '31; Gerald I. Glunts, '32; Donald E. Bowie, '32; Richard Millard, '32; J. R. Westman, '32; and Seeley H. Powley, '31, and the following catchers: George Chaiklin, '31; Jim McDonough, '32; W. A. Pearce, '32; and Stewart Essex, '32.

Other candidates were: R. D. Nillson, '31; G. Edward Crane, '31; Alan P. Cusick, '32; Ted Montague, '30; and L. G. McGinn, '31, infielders; and outfielders: Capt. Bob McGinley, '30; Dave Freedman, '30; R. H. Clarke, '30; E. M. Read, '31; and A. E. Lofquist, '31.

Two additional baseball games have been put on the 1930 schedule. On April 5, the Varsity team will meet the Providence (League) Grays at Kinsley Park; on April 9 there will be a return game with the same opponents at Aldrich Field.

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Glee Club Goes South

As the Monthly goes to press, the University Glee Club is preparing for a southern trip during the spring recess. Including Professor Gene Ware, the coach, and A. H. Rogers, '30, the president-manager, 32 men will participate.

The first concert on the trip will be given at the Hotel Astor under the auspices of the New York Brown Club on April 3 and will be followed by dancing, as will the other concerts. Several specialties will be added to the regular numbers by the club. C. F. Brace, '30, G. W. Watson, '31, and J. D. Wells, '30, will present "Futuristic Rhythm," a number that has been well received in local appearances of the club. L. G. Briggs, '31, will give a special monologue; George Tinker, '30, will be heard in several solos. W. C. Whitman, '30, and J. D. Wells, '30, will play several banjo specialties and Professor Ware will add a series of piano solos.

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In Memory of Dr. Faunce

The following minute regarding President Emeritus W. H. P. Faunce, prepared by a committee composed of President Clarence A. Barbour and Vice President Albert D. Mead, was spread upon the rec-

ords of the Brown Faculty at the meeting of March 4, 1930:

The Faculty of Brown University would place on record its sorrow in the passing of President Emeritus William Herbert Perry Faunce, for thirty years, from 1899 to 1929, the President of Brown. Himself a graduate of this University in the class of 1880, he became one of its most distinguished alumni. For fifteen years he was pastor of the State Street Baptist Church in Springfield, Massachusetts, and of the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church in New York City, before returning to his Alma Mater as its president. His record here is known and read of all men. With rare ability and devotion he led Brown University from strength to strength. During his administration the student body greatly increased, the endowment was multiplied manifold, the curriculum enriched, and the relation of the University to the community made ever closer and more meaningful. He became the first citizen of the commonwealth, universally honored and beloved. At the time of his death he was dean of the college presidents of New England, and his voice in all educational councils made for all which was wise and useful. He was a master of English undefiled, an author of many volumes which have carried his name

and fame about the circle of the globe, a leader of magnanimity and persuasive power, a lover of music and the arts, a wise and tactful administrator.

To us he was yet more, for his kindness and genuine appreciation were constant, and his friendship never failed us. He will live in our grateful memory as a great-hearted and unselfish Christian gentleman who well served his day and generation in the will of God. Serene of spirit, he faced every vicissitude of life with steady courage, undaunted and undismayed. We shall live our lives the better because of what he was and what he wrought.

We spread this tribute upon our records and direct that a copy be sent to Mrs. Faunce, who had so large a part in his noble and achieving life.

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Final Winter Sports

Continuing the winter sports record where it was left off in the March issue of the Monthly, we find the following results registered:

Varsity basketball: Brown vs. Harvard, 24-36; New Hampshire, 39-36; Providence College, 20-30; R. I. State, 43-28; Princeton, 30-39; Holy Cross, 33-34.

Varsity swimming: Brown vs. Yale, 20-42; Bowdoin, 56-17; Pennsylvania, 25-37. At the New England Intercollegiate Swimming Association meet at Brunswick, Me., Brown won the championship title, scoring 29 points. Worcester Poly was second with 21 and Williams third with 11. The other teams finished as follows: Springfield College 10, Massachusetts Institute of Technology 10, Wesleyan 8, Amherst 6 and Bowdoin 5. John Osipowich of Worcester made a new meet record when he swam the 440-yard event in 5:41; Edward L. Sittler of Brown hung up a new mark, 4:19 3/5, in the 300-yard medley race, and Norman P. Arnold, also of Brown, made the new mark of 1:48 for the 150-yard back stroke event.

Varsity wrestling: Brown vs. Tufts, 18-18; M. I. T., 20-18; New

England Intercollegiate meet, Harvard 37, Tufts 23, M. I. T., 13, Brown 12.

Freshman basketball: Brown, '33 vs. Dean, 11-33; Andover, 29-27; Worcester Academy, 22-68; R. I. State '33, 23-40.

Freshman wrestling: Brown, '33 vs. Tufts '33, 16-18; M. I. T., '33, 18-16.

Freshman track: Brown, '33, vs. Worcester Academy, 34-29.

Freshman hockey: Brown, '33, vs. M. I. T., '33, 1-0; Cranston H. S., 1-0; Classical H. S.

Freshman swimming: Brown, '33, vs. Dartmouth, '33, 30-32; M. I. T., '33, 33-29.

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Rabbi Abba Hillel Silver of the Temple in Cleveland, Ohio, addressed a general assembly of male undergraduate students in the Central Congregational Church, Angell Street and Diman Place, on Thursday morning, March 20. He is one of the most distinguished representatives of the Jewish faith. Since 1917 he has been rabbi of the Temple in Cleveland. He is a contributing editor to *World Unity*, and a member of the International Committee of the World Zionist Organization. During the World war, at the request of the governments of the United States and France, he was in service overseas with the American Expeditionary Forces. His address was one of great force and brilliance.

Brown beat Yale at a debate by a unanimous decision, Feb. 22 at Providence, when the two judges and also the audience decided in favor of the home team, which contended that legal censorship should be abolished. The Brown debaters were H. O. Warner, Jr., '30, and J. F. Aiso, '31, while Yale was represented by M. M. Fenerlicht and W. H. Van Benschoten. A few days later the Brown negative team met Amherst at Amherst, debating the same question, and lost.

The committee in charge of the Senior Frolic, late in March, are

Otto Kerner, chairman; N. P. Arnold, secretary; E. L. Sittler, treasurer, and C. S. Badget, J. R. Laadt, C. H. F. Menges, Thomas Shotten, W. M. Southworth.

H. B. Johnson, '32, has been elected business manager of "Bear Facts," the annual publication of the Brown Christian Association.

Gerson Weiss, '31, has been chosen captain of the tennis team. He has played on the team for the last two years. Weiss fills the vacancy caused by the failure of E. W. Williams, '31, to return to college.

The Junior Week Committee consists of F. D. Gurll, chairman; D. M. Stewart, secretary; E. C. Ahern, treasurer; K. T. White, L. G. Briggs, R. A. Bowen and C. E. Crane.

The Prom Committee officers are P. A. M. Snyder, chairman; W. E. S. Moulton, secretary; J. A. O'Neil, treasurer, and A. B. Schweikart, D. M. Edes, J. A. Laadt and W. S. McKenzie.

Professor Morize of Harvard on March 7 gave at Brown a lecture on modern literature and the foreign culture movement in France since the war.

David Morton, poet and Amherst professor, talked at Brown on March 6 on the Irish Renaissance.

Joseph Wood Krutch, associate editor of the *Nation*, gave at Brown on the evening of March 6 a psychological explanation of Edgar Allan Poe's life and romance. The audience practically filled Sayles Hall.

The Senior Frolic passed off successfully on March 21. The place was the Biltmore, instead of Sayles Hall as in previous years.

The lacrosse squad is at work with Dan Polsky as captain, under Coach Snively's direction. Among the candidates for the team are Captain Micucci, Casper and Stafford of last year's Freshman team.

Lehigh has been added to Brown's 1931 football schedule. The game will be played on Oct. 24. This is

the first Brown-Lehigh game since 1926, when Brown won, 26-0. The 1931 Brown schedule as thus far arranged includes Princeton, Holy Cross, Columbia and Lehigh.

Professor Camillo von Klenze, former head of the German Department at Brown, lectured here on Feb. 28, on "Currents of Intellectual Life in Post-War Germany."

E. L. Sittler, Jr., of Uniontown, Penn.; L. M. Walling of Union Village, R. I.; and H. O. Werner,

Jr., of Providence have been chosen as speakers at Commencement.

William I. Gilbane of Providence was elected captain of the Brown Freshman wrestling team shortly after the opening of the season.

No first-team football man was lost to Brown by reason of the mid-year examinations, and Marsan and Flora, former stars, are both back in college. All the numeral men in Freshman football came through the exams successfully

Each day the enthusiasm grows and our chief concern now is to be able to find the space to print all the copy which may come to us.

John H. McGough,
David Davidson,
Committee on Class Book.

And Secretary Robinson Says

We want a superlative programme, we want a superlative book—we have them—but most of all we want MEN! and we want them bad! Five years ago we tried for 100, and almost made it; this year the Quarter Century Reunion—the peak of them all—should find that record attained. But it will mean that practically the entire New England and New York delegations will have to crank up and get rolling, even if they can only drop in for a few moments some time during the three days. With Jud Crane and Harry Anthony coming on from the Pacific Coast, is it too much to ask a man in New York to drive up, say "Hello!" and dodge back to his slavery? And New York's the weak sister. With 23 men thereabouts, we'll be lucky to get five. Boston, on the other hand, is remarkable. With 14 men down there we're in great danger of having 14 men back. New York State could double its quota as could the Middle West, Washington, D. C., and outlying New England. It is well to remember that '05 is no dead issue at Brown. Sons and daughters have been sent there by Pratt, Seamans, Davidson, Greene, Terry, Whitney—and more are on the way. Paul DeWolf is on the Board of Trustees, helped to build the Stadium, etc., etc. Gene Ware is Professor of Music on the Faculty and Arthur Latham teaches civil engineering. Fred Broomhead handles the Commencement luncheons. We have a paid-in scholarship of \$2500 and another of \$25,000 pledged. This is a good start. Let our celebration in June be worthy of it! And, kind reader, if you have failed, so far, to send in pledge or questionnaire, lay not aside this page ere your duty has been done!

C. L. Robinson,
Secretary.

Make Way for the Class of 1905, About to Celebrate Its 25th

This issue of the Monthly is being sent, with the compliments of the Celebration Committee, to all members of 1905 whether subscribers or not, in the hope that interest in our great 25th Reunion may be stimulated not only by the appended reports of our single class, but by the contagion of the activities of every class and of Brown itself.

The Celebration Committee Reports

The Celebration Committee has felt that the reunion crowning a quarter of a century out of college demanded more than ordinary recognition. Therefore, with a vision of the most elaborate of '05's gatherings, it has been planning years in advance for the events of next June. A careful consideration of available sites pointed to Narragansett Pier as furnishing the ideal combination of suitable accommodations, accessibility and scenic beauty. Accordingly a whole hotel was engaged for the exclusive entertainment of the class. Here will centre the activities of '05, from Saturday noon till Monday morning. All the facilities for enjoyment of this famous shore resort will be at the disposition of the class. Members of '05 who belong to the summer colony will aid in opening up the clubs, golf courses, tennis courts, and the like. The surf bathing is unsurpassed and the sea food far famed. Here, living

under one roof and meeting around a common table as of yore on College Hill, will refreshen, as in no other way, the fellowships of other days. The majority will make headquarters at the Pier through the entire period. Others will drop in, as necessity permits, whenever possible. All will drive to Providence on Monday morning and unite with the rest of the Alumni in the festivities of the first Commencement Day of Brown's new president, Clarence A. Barbour, '88.

W. G. Meader.
Chairman.

From the Book Committee

As the committee at work on the '05 Class Reunion Book, to be published in June, we are very happy to state that we have the questionnaires and portraits of nearly one hundred men. This is a remarkable showing, as we had ninety men (a record) at our last big Reunion. The information contained in the questionnaires assures the reader that the Class of '05 has more than held its own as Brown Graduates. There are few callings worth while not represented, and there are conspicuous examples of many successes. No failures are recorded without proof of constructive correction following.

We are assured of men returning to the Reunion from as far away as the Pacific Coast and possibly China.

Brunonians Far and Near

Faculty

Professor John W. Spaeth, Jr., of the Department of Greek and Latin Classics, has resigned to become Associate Professor of Classics and head of the Department of Latin at Wesleyan University. He joined the Brown Faculty in 1925. His work at Brown has been of a high order, and his going is regretted.

Professor Walter Ballou Jacobs, director of University Extension, has returned to his office after an illness of some duration and is giving an extension course under the title of "Psychology for Daily Life."

Robert B. Macdougall of the English Department discussed humanism, now under fire by the modernists, in his lecture, "Literature and Living" before the Fortnightly Club, Summit, N. J., in February. Macdougall is a regular contributor to the pages of the Saturday Review of Literature.

Dr. Charles A. Kraus of the Department of Chemistry turned homeward at the beginning of this month after having gone all the way across the country lecturing in the interests of the American Chemical Society.

Dr. Harry Lyman Koopman spoke on "The Brown University Library, Past, Present and Future," at the Faculty Club, March 7. The occasion was a gathering arranged by the members of the Faculty for the Brown Club of Providence, and the regret is that only a few alumni were present to hear Dr. Koopman's informative and enlightening talk.

Dr. F. W. Marvel and Coach D. O. McLaughry of the football squad were the Brown representatives at the meeting of the Eastern Association for the Selection of Football Officials held at Columbia, March 11.

Professor Walter H. Snell of the Department of Botany gave an illustrated lecture on "Mushrooms" before the Society of Arts and Sciences, Manchester, N. H., last month. Dr. Snell also spoke at the midwinter sports dinner of the Whitinsville, Mass., High School on March 18.

Professor Will S. Taylor was sponsor for the fine exhibition of the Ukiyo-Ye art of Japan in the lower gallery of the John Hay Library during the last three weeks in February. The material was from the private collection of Raymond A. Bidwell of Springfield, Mass. It attracted considerable attention from the undergraduates and the general public. Mr. Bidwell lectured on it at the Art Studio, 125 George Street, Feb. 20.

Alumni

1870

Rev. Elsha Farrington Fales died in Philadelphia March 2, following a long period of illness. He had been an invalid for many years. He was born in Wrentham, Mass., Nov. 22, 1849, the son of Elisha Farrington and Mary (Hammett) Fales. He came to college from Day's Preparatory School in Wrentham and, after graduation, entered Andover Theological Seminary, from which he received a degree in 1874. He was ordained as a Congregational minister in Carthage, Mo., in 1874, and was pastor of the church there until 1882. Then he spent eleven years as a missionary in Palestine, Texas. On his return to the North he served as pastor for a short time in a Philadelphia church, resigning to become secretary of the home department of the Pennsylvania State Sunday School Association. He remained in this work until illness forced his retirement. Fales was married Oct. 21, 1877, to Mary Ellen Wanamaker, a sister of the late John Wanamaker, and of the union five children were born. He was at one time a trustee of Lake Charles College in Louisiana and

also was a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

The Alumni Office has been informed officially that William Henry Fish, veteran of the Civil War, minister and business man, died in Walton, N. Y., Feb. 5, 1928. He was pastor of Baptist churches in Massachusetts and Rhode Island from 1875 to 1886. He left the pulpit to enter business, but returned to it occasionally. For some years previous to his retirement he was in the insurance and real estate business in Boston and Reading, Mass. During the Civil War, he was a Corporal, One Hundred and Forty-fourth New York Volunteers, and First Lieutenant, Twenty-first United States Infantry, and was in active service for nearly four years. He was a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1872

Rev. Charles Laurie Newbold, for more than thirty-five years pastor of Christ Episcopal Church, Manhasset, L. I., died in Belleville, Can., Feb. 13, 1930. He was born in Beverly, N. J., Nov. 10, 1847, the son of Charles and Margaret C. (Mitchell) Newbold. He prepared at the Providence High School, and after receiving his degree with the class, entered the Philadelphia Divinity School, from which he was graduated in 1875. Ordained as an Episcopal minister, he became the missionary of Christ Church, Milton and Watson-town, Pa., and in succession, rector of the Church of the Epiphany, Providence, St. Paul's Church, Hoboken, N. J., and Christ Church, Manhasset. He retired from the last-named church in 1918 because of failing health, but he continued to take active part in the life of the community and he was, indeed, a pastor and citizen well-beloved. He was married Sept. 26, 1877, to Miss Bertha Kern of Philadelphia, and the couple celebrated their golden wedding anniversary in Manhasset in 1927. Mrs. Newbold, seven children and thirteen grandchildren survive him. Newbold was the author of the "Log Book," 1884, and the "Historical Sketch of Christ Church, Manhasset," 1903.

His fraternity was Delta Kappa Epsilon.

1885

William E. Simonds, beloved Dean of Knox College, gave the address in Beecher Chapel, Feb. 16, at the vesper service commemorating the 93d birthday of Knox, which is one of the outstanding small colleges of the Middle West.

1884

The Ohio State University is establishing the Alfred Dodge Cole Memorial Library "to honor one of her most beloved and noted teachers, one who gave the long period of forty-two years to the cause of science in the State and nation," according to an article in the February number of the Ohio State Monthly. A fund of \$50,000 is being raised for the library, and it is hoped to have the total sum in hand by the end of the present calendar year.

1888

Capt. E. H. Brownell, C. E. C., U. S. N., retired, has taken up his residence at 2 Sea View Avenue, Newport, R. I. The avenue is well named, as Capt. Brownell's house is within a comparatively few feet of the Atlantic Ocean, and its occupant gets a wide and ever-changing vista of the sea from most of the windows in it.

1889

A. P. Williams's mother, Mrs. Minerva Victoria (Park) Williams, died in Providence Feb. 27, 1930, in her 92d year.

1892

Rev. Dr. Augustus P. Record has changed his address to 650 Pingree Avenue, Detroit, Mich.

Dr. Henry K. Rowe of the Newton Theological Institution was one of the speakers in the winter series of "Adventures in Understanding" given under the auspices of the First Parish Church of Brockton, Mass. His subject dealt with "Adventures in Catholicism."

1893

Dr. Alexander Meiklejohn spoke at the Park Avenue Presbyterian Church, New York, Sunday, March 2, and the New York Herald-Tribune said that he asked his congregation: "Why is the American student so dull in the class room? Why are we all so failing to hit the mark?"

Why are our educational institutions so ineffectual?" He said he had no answer, and that at times the world seemed mad and teachers were discouraged. Later, when he was asked if he were making any reference to the results achieved at his experimental school at the University of Wisconsin, he replied that he was not. He added: "We are very happy in the school. We have 150 students, you know."

Archibald C. Matteson has been appointed for another four-year term as United States Commissioner in Providence. The appointment was made by United States District Judge Ira Lloyd Letts, '13, who at one time was a law partner of Matteson.

1894

Edwin Knowles, who had been in the wholesale chemical business ever since he was graduated, died at his home in Pawtucket, R. I., March 11, 1930. He was born in Providence, Dec. 26, 1871, the son of Edwin and Dorcas Elizabeth (Clarke) Knowles. He entered Brown from the Providence public schools and shone as a student, winning election to Phi Beta Kappa. Outside of his business interests, the public schools were his special study. He served for three years as a member of the Providence school committee and four years on the Warwick, R. I., school committee, following his removal to that town. He was for ten years a member of the Providence City Council. Knowles was a 32d degree Mason and a member of the Providence Art Club, the Providence Athenaeum, the Rhode Island School of Design, the University Club and the Central Club. He was a vestryman of Trinity Episcopal Church, Pawtucket. He was married Jan. 22, 1913, to Miss Ethel Sheldon of Pawtucket, who survives him, together with a son, Edwin S. Knowles, a daughter, Miss Ethel E. Knowles, and a sister, Mrs. Frederick W. Marvel, wife of our classmate, Dr. Marvel. His fraternity was Delta Phi.

Lucius Herbert Newell, member of the class for three years, died suddenly in Pawtucket, R. I., Feb. 25, 1930. Death followed a period of despondency said to have been due to financial losses. Newell came to Brown from the Pawtucket High School and for many years was in the coal and lumber business in his

native city. He was a member of the First Baptist Church of Pawtucket, the To Kalon Club, the Pomham Club and the Masons. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Annie (Olney) Newell, a brother, three sisters, and a son, Roger Newell. His fraternity was Theta Delta Chi.

1895

At the mother church of Colgate University, the old First of Hamilton, N. Y., of which Rev. Franklin D. Elmer is minister, a memorial service for the late President Emeritus Faunce was held Sunday afternoon, Feb. 2, at about the hour the service for Dr. Faunce was closing at the First Baptist Church, Providence.

"The Significance of Personality," by Richard M. Vaughan, Professor of Christian Theology at Newton Theological Institution, was published last month by the MacMillan Co. In his preface Vaughan says that "we seek to understand personality in its historical relationships and inward meaning and to employ it as a principle of interpretation in the wide range of our intellectual and practical interests." The book is an attractive one in format.

Walter Cornelius Wyckoff, trustee of the University since 1916 and one of Brown's earnest and true-hearted sons, died at his home in New York, Feb. 10, after an illness of more than two years. He returned for Commencement in 1928 to see his son, Watson, graduated, but for the past year had been rather closely confined to his house. He was born in New York, Feb. 1, 1872, the son of Kenneth A. and Mary Emma (Pike) Wyckoff. He prepared at the Pingry School, Elizabeth, N. J., and after graduation from Brown became a member of the city staff of the New York Tribune. In 1896-97, he was on the editorial staff of that paper. Then he turned to real estate, and in that business made a real reputation for himself. His first experience was with Brooke & Georger, from which concern he branched out as a partner of Moore & Wyckoff. At the time of his death he was the senior member of the firm of Brett & Wyckoff. He also served for a time as treasurer of the Clinton Realty Company.

Wyckoff was one of the founders of the Brown Alumni Loyalty Fund and a trustee of the fund since its establishment in 1914. He was chair-

man of the War Fund Committee named by the Corporation to raise money needed to meet increased expenses due to Brown's service to the country, and in this capacity he did a memorable job. In 1916 he was elected an Alumni Trustee; in 1921 he was taken over by the Corporation to fill the vacancy caused by the promotion of Albert L. Scott, '00, to the Board of Fellows. His work for the University and for the alumni cannot be measured in exact terms. It was hearty, invaluable, constructive. In New York he was interested in the work of the Y. M. C. A. and its Daily Vacation Bible School, and was prominent in the Downtown Association and the St. Nicholas Society. In 1927 he acted as chairman of the apartments and tenements committee of the Real Estate Board of New York. He belonged to the University Club of New York, the University Club of Providence, the St. Andrew's Golf Club and the Laurentian and Commodore Clubs of Quebec. He was also a director of the Bond and Mortgage Guarantee Company and a trustee of the Excelsior Savings Bank. He was married Nov. 8, 1905, to Josephine C. Watson, who survives him, together with Watson Wyckoff, the son already mentioned, and a daughter, Miss Virginia Wyckoff. His fraternity was Delta Phi, of which he was at one time national president.

1896

Judge G. Frederick Frost is sitting temporarily as a member of the Superior Court of Rhode Island under the new law that was signed in February by Governor Norman S. Case, '08. Frost has been acting as a substitute for Judge Arthur P. Sumner, '85, who is ill.

Dr. Herbert Bradford Horton died at his home in East Greenwich, R. I., Feb. 23, 1930, following a short illness. He was born in East Providence Centre Jan. 25, 1873, the son of Nathan B. and Mary E. (Martin) Horton. He entered Brown from the East Providence High School and a year after his graduation began the study of medicine at the University of Michigan. On receiving his medical degree in 1901 he commenced practice at Dollar Bay, Mich. He also practiced for about two years at Laurium, Mich. In 1903 he returned to East Providence and, in 1906-07, in ad-

dition to his medical work he served as superintendent of schools of his native town. He practiced in Lonsdale and Providence for brief periods before removing to East Greenwich in 1907. He was a member of the East Greenwich school committee, 1918-24, and likewise served in the town council and as town moderator, health officer and school medical inspector. He was a Republican in politics and one of the leaders of his party in Kent County. He belonged to the Masons, the Knights of Pythias, the Independent Order of Foresters, Alpha Tau Omega and Phi Rho Sigma, a medical fraternity. Horton was married Feb. 13, 1917, to Miss Elizabeth A. Swan, who survives him, together with a sister, Mrs. Alice H. Carr.

1897

Seven members of the class gathered for the annual Brown dinner in New York on Feb. 27. They were John D. Rockefeller, Jr., Everett Colby, who was toastmaster, Rev. Dr. Joseph C. Robbins, Dr. Gregory D. Walcott, Professor E. W. Bagster Collins, L. M. Dashiell and William B. Peck.

Daniel F. Holmes and Mrs. Holmes, together with Holmes's mother, are on a leisurely visit to Honolulu. They went by boat to New Orleans and then motored to California.

William F. Donovan continues active, we hear, as president of the Donovan Provision Co., Birmingham, Ala. Donovan lives at Roebuck Springs, Birmingham.

1899

Capt. Harrison T. Swain's address is 52 South 15th Street, San Jose, Cal.

Dr. Bernard C. Ewer of the Faculty of Pomona College, Claremont, Cal., is on sabbatic leave, as we hinted in a note in the last issue of the Monthly. A fine letter from him in Rome, where he and Mrs. Ewer were in February, reported that they were on a trip around the world. They spent a month in Japan and Korea, two months in China and shorter periods in Egypt and Palestine. They will remain in Europe until it is time to sail for California and home next summer. Ewer lectured at Ginling College, the National Central University, Lingnan

University and elsewhere in China and "came into somewhat close contact with the higher educational effort of the government and the missionary institutions. It is earnest and energetic. The students, especially in some of the colleges, impressed me as keenly intelligent, and their cordial reception of an American teacher left nothing to be desired." He said that he saw several Brown men at Shanghai College and that on the train to Nanking he met a Chinese official who had spent a year at Brown and subsequently graduated from Yale.

1900

Rev. Dr. M. Joseph Twomey has accepted the call to the Baptist Temple, the old church of Dr. Russell H. Conwell, in Philadelphia. Twomey has long been pastor of the Peddie Memorial Church in Newark, where he has served ably and well. The Baptist Temple is one of the outstanding Baptist Churches in the United States, and in Twomey we are sure that it will have a worthy successor to the famous Conwell.

Professor A. E. Norton of the Harvard Engineering School has been giving a special lecture before engineering societies on the subject, "Lubrication and Bearing Design."

1901

Rufus H. Cook, member of the class in our Freshman year, is a partner in the firm of Shaw, Hickey & Cook, attorneys at law, 59 Main Street, Northampton, Mass.

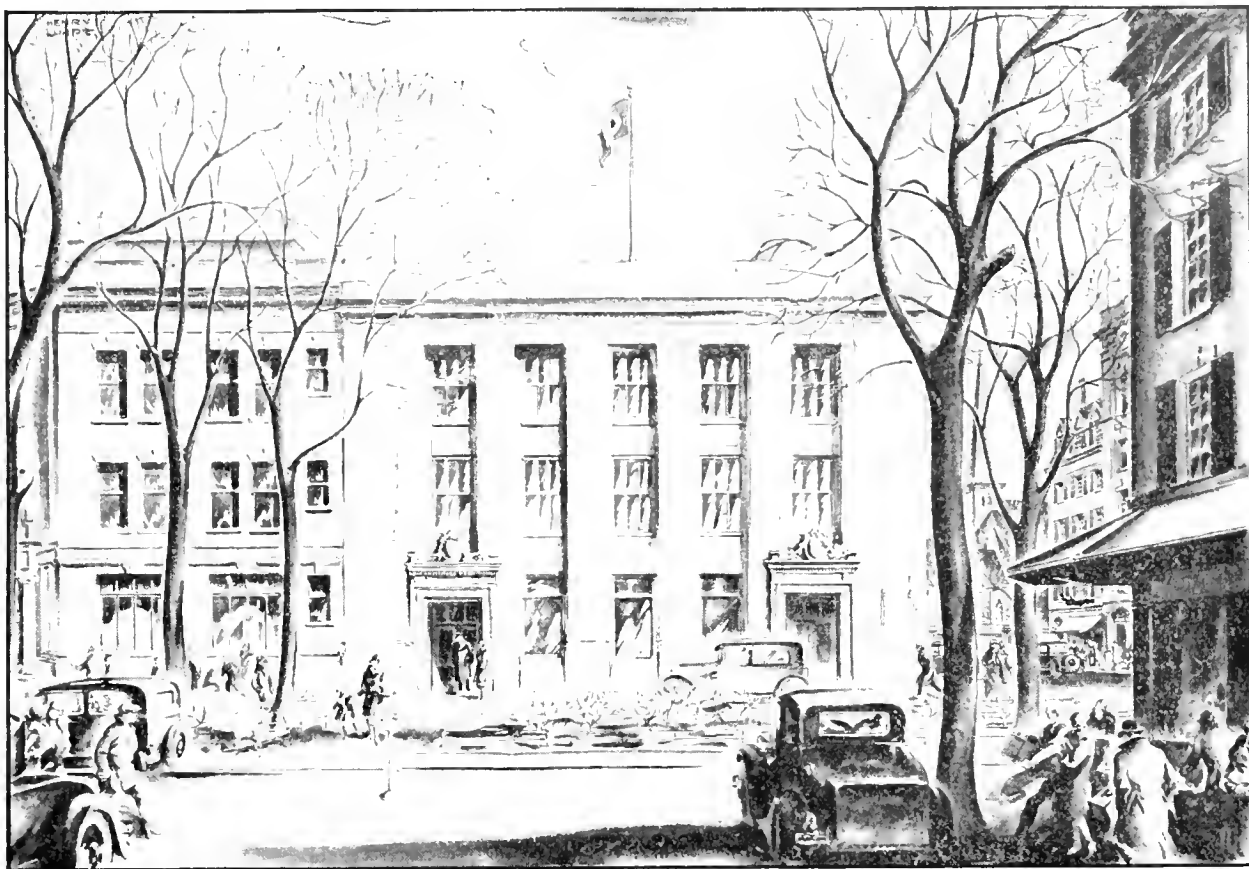
According to newspaper accounts, C. Sherman Hoyt is the only Brown man who will sail on the four boats now being built to compete for the honor of defending the America's Cup against Sir Thomas Lipton's challenger. Hoyt will be one of the after guard of the Enterprise, under construction at the Herreshoff yards, Bristol, R. I.

1902

Abbott Phillips is the new president of the East Side Skating Club of Providence. The club is a member of the national organization which brought skaters from all over the country to Providence last month for the national championships.

1903

Rev. Robert B. Longwell described his work among the Nagas of



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Assam at the midyear meeting of the Westfield, Mass., Baptist Association, held in the First Baptist Church of Westfield, on March 7. Longwell and Mrs. Longwell have been home on furlough since last summer. Longwell has spent the last twenty-three years among the Nagas as missionary and educator. He has made valuable contributions to the translation of the Bible and of hymns.

1904

Rev. John P. Filson is pastor of the First Baptist Church of Holley, N. Y., which is a short distance from Rochester.

The New York Times of Sunday, March 2, told of the exhibition of Oriental art to be held in London next summer and reported that in connection with Persia's contribution "Professor Arthur Upham Pope has been in Cairo for a month en route from Persia to Paris and London, whence he proceeds to New York. The professor is advisory curator in the Near Eastern section of the Chicago Art Institute and adviser on Persian art to the Pennsylvania Museum. He has visited Persia three times and has frequently been received by the Shah." Pope expects to return to the Middle East this month to advise on the selection for the London exhibit by Persia.

James J. McKenna is a member of the law firm of McKenna & Harris, with offices at 166 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago.

A brief note from Guy B. Colburn not long ago confirmed the fact that Colburn is still at Fresno State College, Fresno, Cal., where he is a member of the Faculty in the Department of Foreign Languages.

1905

William H. Camfield and Mrs. Camfield have taken an apartment on Old Beach Road, Newport, R. I., and Bill has opened an office in that city by the sea for the general practice of law.

Rev. J. Harrison Thompson's pastorate in Detroit will be the Northwestern Baptist Church, one of the largest churches of the denomination in the country. Thompson assumed his new duties the first Sunday in March.

1906

R. W. Berthold, until recently operating practice engineer of the

Western Union Telegraph Company, has been appointed assistant to the president of the Teleregister Corporation, 230 Park Avenue, New York. The corporation, which is controlled by the Western Union, supplies automatic stock quotation board service to brokers' offices, the boards in brokers' offices being operated from a central station and not locally.

Professor Edgar S. Brightman of Boston University was the February speaker at the University Club, Boston. His subject was "Philosophers of 1906 and 1930," and he told his auditors that he chose the date 1906 because he was then in his undergraduate days at Brown.

Henry G. Carpenter was co-director of the third annual tour of the Collegiate School of New York which took place during the recent spring recess and which covered many of the historic spots of New England. Carpenter and his boys visited the Brown Stadium, Aldrich Field and the University and had dinner at the Brown Union before leaving for New York on the steamer.

1907

Professor A. E. (Bert) White of the Engineering Faculty at the University of Michigan is a member of the committee chosen by The Popular Science Monthly to award a prize of \$10,000 to the American making the most notable contribution to science during the year. The committee includes men of prominence in the field of pure and applied science.

A characteristically brief note from George Davis not long ago indicated that George is still keeping cheerful down in Washington along with Francis Anderson, Claude Branch, Leon Truesdell and Charlie Stark.

We had a mighty pleasant chat with Lee White while we were in New York for the Brown dinner, where we also saw and talked with Gene Carder and Sal Keen. Lee is an accountant with F. W. Hilditch & Co., accountants and auditors, 385 Madison Ave. The Hilditch firm is associated with Lybrand, Ross Bross, & Montgomery, in which Homer Sweet is a partner. Homer, incidentally, has again been giving special lectures in accounting at the Harvard School of Business Administration and enjoying the work greatly.

1908

Ralph P. Boas is associate principal of the Fieldston School, New York, and visiting Professor of English at Wheaton College, Norton, Mass. His son is a freshman at Harvard.

Hunter S. Marston has been elected president of the Bancamerica-Blair Corporation after having served as vice president of the corporation and its predecessor, Blair & Co., for the past ten years. Thus he steps up to the head of one of the largest and oldest investment banking concerns in the United States. In his new place we wish him every success.

Harry Hadley informs us that he is in the investment business at 1305 State Town Building, Syracuse, N. Y.

Governor Norman S. Case of Rhode Island received a personal bequest of \$40,000 under the will of Mrs. Elizabeth R. Stevens of Swansea, Mass., a relative, according to the terms of the will made public last month. His three children also were generously remembered by Mrs. Stevens.

Professor Sheldon J. Howe of the Department of History at Princeton was an Alumni Office visitor a few weeks ago. He also made an official call upon Dr. Van Hoesen, the new librarian, whom he knew well at Princeton.

1911

E. A. Dow, designing engineer for the New England Power Construction Company, gave an address on "Hydraulic and Mechanical Features of the Bellows Falls Hydro-electric Plant" at the Student Night of the Boston Society of Civil Engineers in Tremont Temple, Boston, February 19.

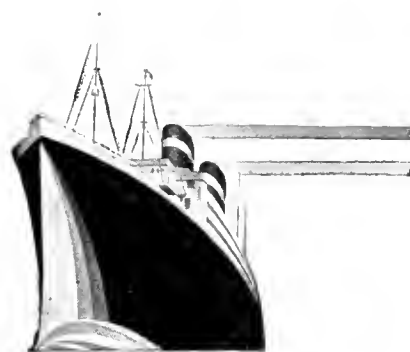
Warren A. Sherman, head adviser at the Commercial High School, Providence, has been elected Superintendent of Schools of Warwick, R. I. Sherman has been a member of the Faculty at the high school since 1921.

Mark Mohler, Professor of History and Political Science at Skidmore College, announces through the Open Forum Speakers Bureau of Boston that he is available for lectures and forum discussions on the general subject: "Should Preachers Engage in Politics?" Mohler has been making special study of the at-

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titude of the churches in this country toward political and social developments and recently received a "grant-in-aid" from the Social Science Research Council to further his researches.

Bill Weidmann, in a letter received last month, said that he was once more at work in Manila after his summer sojourn in the States and that he wanted to be remembered kindly to all inquiring friends. "If they are interested," he added, "you might say I'll be around to see them in another four years."

1913

John K. Starkweather has been appointed general sales manager for Harris, Forbes & Company, with his office at 56 William St., New York.

Horace W. Woodberry, Jr., writes that his new address is 10 Winchester Street, Bradford, Mass. Horace is general manager of Mitchell & Company, department store.

1914

Alexander (Larry) Gardiner's book "Canfield: Host to the Nineties," has been published by Doubleday, Doran Company. It is all about the well known Dick Canfield, who was America's greatest gambler, and Bertrand K. Hart, literary editor of the Providence Journal, says that Larry "has done a painstaking and faithful piece of work in piecing together from widely scattered sources the data of Canfield's life. Because of its capable handling and because of its extraordinary subject it should have a wide reading during the spring."

Victor Gelb's death in Providence on March 9, 1930, followed a long and serious illness of which few of his friends were aware. "Vic," as we all knew him in college and out, was born Victor Carl Gelb in Providence, May 1, 1891, the son of Victor and Louisa C. (Hoch) Gelb. His father was well known in Rhode Island as a caterer and restaurant keeper. "Vic" prepared at Moses Brown School and at Brown was a guard on the varsity football team under Capt. Dave Henry. After he received his degree he went into the catering business for a time. Then he took up the selling of stocks and bonds for various firms in Providence. He also managed the Gelb Farm in Seekonk, Mass. In recent years he had been associated with Edward C. Bixby, '82, and C.

L. Vaughan & Co., investments. He was married last fall to Mrs. Kathleen Campbell Freeman, who survives him, together with his mother and a sister, Mrs. Edward Thayer of Pawtucket, R. I. "Vic" was a member of Psi Upsilon.

1915

Harold M. (Cap) Taylor writes that he has changed his address from Medford Hillside, Mass., to 2280 Cranston Street, Cranston, R. I.

Leonard B. Campbell, who has been auditor since 1920 for the George H. Gilbert Mfg. Co., manufacturers of woolens and worsteds for men's wear in Ware and Gilbertville, Mass., was elected a director of the company at the last annual meeting.

1916

Harry Burton has been elected a director of the First National Bank, Webster, Mass.

1917

Jim Powers has been promoted to general manager of the RKO theatre interests in the New Brunswick, N. J., territory and is already on the job. Here in Providence we miss Jim's smile and his enviable sartorial ensembles.

Elliott Thurston, in charge of the Washington Bureau of The New York World, is writing the column in the World, "Politics from the Sidelines," which, in our opinion, is better than anything of its kind that comes out of Washington. We do not agree with many things that Thurston says, but we do like his style and his choice of subject matter.

Harvey Sheahan is the new commercial agent in the New York office of the Bureau of Foreign and Department Commerce of the United States Department of Commerce. One of Harvey's jobs is to increase the distribution of American motion picture films in foreign markets. He knows considerable about this work, having done it for a private company in Mexico and in the Latin-American republics for five years.

1918

Dudley R. Sibley has been promoted to secretary of the Automobile Insurance Company, a part of the Aetna Life Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn. Sibley has been with the Aetna organization since 1920.

1919

Ralph K. Rogers has changed his address from Troy, N. Y., to 5851 Blackstone Avenue, Apt 3A, Chicago, Ill.

Charles B. Shaughnessy is Professor of French at Mt. St. Mary's College, Emmitsburg, Md., but he tells us that he still calls Uxbridge, Mass., his home.

Lester T. Lewis is manager of the General Motors Acceptance Corporation, with his office at 109 W. Onondaga Street, Syracuse, N. Y.

1920

Eighteen members of the class met at the University Club, Providence, Friday, Feb. 21, to discuss the Tenth Reunion. A committee composed of Bill Dewart, chairman, Cliff Lovenberg, Herb Barlow and Tom Vance, was named to select the place of the Reunion and make all necessary arrangements for the affair. All active members of 1920 will please take notice and make up their minds to be with us next June. After the meeting Bill Dewart chaperoned the crowd at the Brown-Colgate basketball game.

Ed Stringham says that his present occupation is "automobiles and airships," and reports that his business address is 33 Academy Street, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Banty Coulter, in a letter from the Blake School, Minneapolis, not long ago, asked us many questions about the college and the undergraduates that we are even now trying to answer. The letter showed Banty at his best, and we enjoyed it immensely. He put in a good word for the Alumni Monthly and what its arrival each month means to him, and admitted that his hockey team was doing well. We can show Banty that we are for him, man and boy, by subscribing to the Loyalty Fund on his first call.

1921

Dr. Charles J. Fish of the Buffalo Museum of Science will head an expedition to Maine next summer to find out why sardines favor the waters from Passamaquoddy Bay to Casco Bay and if the building of a proposed power dam at the mouth of the first-named bay would injure the sardine industry or might cause the fish to seek out other equally favorable waters along the coast. Mrs. Fish will accompany Charlie, and Dr. Norris W. Rakestraw of the

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Frederick Seth Collins died in New York Feb. 19, 1930. The end came suddenly, although Fred had suffered for years from a weak heart, which kept him out of the army in 1918 and which forced him to go slowly from time to time. He was

born in Great Barrington, Mass., Nov. 28, 1898, the son of A. Chalkley Collins, '78, and Sarah (Sheldon) Collins. His family was a strong Brown one, his father, his brothers and several uncles and cousins having attended the University. He prepared at the Searles High School, Great Barrington, and the Moses Brown School and in college was manager of the Brown basketball team. After receiving his degree, he entered the employ of the Builders' Iron Foundry, Providence. He also worked for the Kellogg Service, Inc., and Conde Nast, publisher, and was with the Bankers Trust Company in the advertising department at the time of his last illness. He was a quiet, wholesome chap, and his Brown friends and his other friends in New York and Providence will miss him. He is survived by his widow, two brothers, Sheldon C. Collins, '12, of Great Barrington, and Theodore A. Collins, '19n, of St. Petersburg, Fla., and several near relatives, both paternal and maternal. His fraternity was Alpha Delta Phi.

1922

Bill Ryon has gone to Canton, N. C., to be production engineer with the Champion Fibre Co., and has set up the Ryon family at 3 Bear Creek Road, Asheville, N. C.

Ellsworth Gale is back in London with the W. H. Coe Mfg. Co., man-

ufacturers of gold leaf, after a furlough in this country. He expects to return permanently in a few months to go into business a little nearer home.

Rodney Underwood is station engineer with the New England Power Construction Co., Providence, and is living at 223 Laurens St., Auburn, R. I.

Chet Stackpole is assistant manager in the merchandising department of the Consolidated Gas, Electric Light & Power Co., Baltimore, Md. His office is at 260 Lexington Bldg.

1923

Tom Dustin, about whom we asked in a recent issue of the Alumni Monthly, is living in Pittsfield, N. H., so Stuart Tinkham reports, where he is active in a dry goods company, acting superintendent of the water works and "the idol of the kids." No doubt we'll soon hear of Tom being elected Mayor of Pittsfield. If we do, we dare any opponent to try to "rattle" him out of office.

Stuart Tinkham himself is with the inspection department of the Factory Mutual Fire Insurance Co., 184 High Street, Boston. Next summer, if all goes well, he expects to move to Cleveland, O.

Larry Lanpher and Mrs. Lanpher spent their midwinter vacation at Nassau, Bahama Islands. Both Larry and Art Braitsch are turning out some mighty good advertising copy with Larchar-Horton Co., 44 Franklin Street, Providence.

Chet Worthington certainly likes work. In addition to the weekly literary page that he edits for the Providence Journal, he is writing a "movie and talkie" column for the same newspaper.

1924

Bill Sargeant has taken charge of the New York office of the B. A. Ballou Co., manufacturing jewelers, at 366 Fifth Avenue. Bill says that the jewelry business has a real fascination for him.

1925

C. P. Ives, 2d, of the editorial staff of the New Haven Journal Courier was elected New Haven County vice president of the Connecticut State Editorial Association at the annual meeting in February.

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Roger Cummings, who went out to Burma to teach English, is back in this country, we hear, and is receiving his mail at 2606 Dwight Way, Berkeley, Cal.

Jack Keefer will become backfield coach of the University of Dayton football squad next fall. Jack first caught the eyes of the sports writers as a player on the Steele High School eleven, Dayton, and he has coached the school squads in recent years. If the Dayton backs can emulate Jack's fire and dash, they will be mean runners to stop.

Pat Sayward was on the campus a month ago, but we missed seeing him because we were in New York. Pat called on President Barbour while he was here and also got a line on the plans for the Fifth Reunion next June.

Rufe Corlew's new house address is 390 Wilder Street, Lowell, Mass.

Art Packard is now associated with John D. Rockefeller, Jr., at 20 Broadway, New York, succeeding Thomas B. Appleget, '17, who was appointed a vice president of the Rockefeller Foundation last June.

Shirley Elsbree was one of the crew of the Rhody, representative of the Narragansett Bay fleet in the midwinter series of International Star boat races held off Havana. The cup for the winner was given by Senor Bacardi, manufacturer of a beverage for which Messrs. Volstead and Company have not the slightest use.

1926

Mike Sulzberger and Bub Payor were among the '26 men we shook hands with at the Brown dinner in New York. Mike is practicing law and Bub, as we reported a couple of months ago, is learning the ins and outs of retail merchandising over in Brooklyn.

Don Lord is with the Lanett Mill Division of the West Point Mfg. Co. in Lanett, Ala. "Inasmuch as material news concerning the University is scarce in this neck of the woods, I look forward with pleasure to receiving the Alumni Monthly," Don said in a recent letter.

Arnold Wallack reports that his new house address is 215 W. 75th Street, Apt. 2C, New York.

1927

Don Pratt recently accepted the position of Director of Field Serv-



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ice for the Indiana Tuberculosis Association. Don, who makes his headquarters in Indianapolis, says that he is on the road most of the time, averaging about six hundred miles a week in his roadster.

Ken Horton is traffic service supervisor for Eastern Manhattan, with his office at 2 Park Avenue, New York Telephone Company, New York.

W. P. Shahan is the new executive secretary of the Illinois Tuberculosis and Public Health Association and has the reputation of being the youngest man in a similar position in the country. His business address is the Security Building, Springfield, Ill. The youngest member of the Shahan family—it's a girl—is two months old, thank you.

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1928

Frank Huddy is in Providence once more, assistant to the chief engineer of the Ceco Mfg. Co., makers of radio tubes.

Gordon Clark is with the U. S. Shares Corporation, an investment trust, with his office at 50 Broadway, New York. He is doing statistical work.

Horton Weaver is working for the Warwick Mills, West Warwick, R. I., as overseer of raw materials.

Charlie Mulliken is in the order department of Seasongood & Haas, investment brokers, 63 Wall Street, New York, and commutes daily from and to his dear old New Jersey—Roselle Park, to be exact.

Burt Liese is manager of the Providence office of the National City Company and is living at 270 Morris Avenue, Providence. Burt also conveys the information that he was married Sept. 9, 1929, to Miss Claire Mierson, and we make a congratulatory bow in his direction.

Will Rook is a map clerk and assistant examiner with the Rhode Island Insurance Company, Providence.

Verne Chase is an underwriter in the home office of the Glens Falls Indemnity Co., Glens Falls, N. Y.

Sam Levy has been awarded the Shelton-Hale Scholarship in the Harvard Law School.

Jack Cannon is in the statistical department of Paine, Webber & Co., investments, with his office at 1111 Terminal Tower, Cleveland, O. He admits that he is still a bachelor.

Bob Asbury is a research assistant in the Research Laboratory of Applied Chemistry at M. I. T.

Freddy Collins is sticking right to his first love—newspaper work. He is a member of the city staff of the Providence News-Tribune and is living at 302 Benefit Street.

Alex Buchmann has returned to Los Angeles, where, he tells us, he is more or less settled at 6022 W. 8th Street, Apt. 5.

Burt Lovell is working as an engineer for the R. G. Bent Co., on the

construction of a chapel for Trinity College, Hartford, Conn. Burt writes: "It might be of interest to some of the boys to know that on Feb. 16, 1929, I was married to Helda E. Simmons of Winston-Salem, N. C." The address of the Lovells is 129 Washington Street, Hartford.

1929

Louis Farber is a partner in the Farber Company, sheet metal work and roofing, 90 Pleasant Street, Pawtucket, R. I.

Ben Church is a plant engineer with the Southern New England Telephone Co., of which the headquarters is New Haven, Conn. Ben has H. H. Bucholz, '25, Louis C. Horvath, '25, and Walt Brown, '27, to teach him how to behave as a beginner should.

Joe Nutter, '24, writing in the Providence Evening Bulletin a little while ago, said that John Collier might compete in the 1932 Olympic hurdle events. John is genuinely fond of his work at Robert College, Constantinople, according to all reports. It is possible that he may develop a Turkish hurdler or two before the next Olympics are held in California.

Ed Medoff is a first-year student at the Harvard Medical School.

Charlie Bell, who put Anniston, Ala., on the map at Brown, is at the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Chan Parsons was in New York late in February with the intention of settling in that city, if possible. He's been in Springfield, Mass., in insurance work since he received his degree.

Silvio Carosella has joined the accounting staff of the Goodyear India Rubber Co., a branch of the United States Rubber Co., in Naugatuck, Conn.

Al Cornsweet, blossoming out as a writer, had a very readable article in the Providence Evening Bulletin in February on the difference between the American and English attitudes toward sports. Al's conclusion was that the American idea is all right for Americans and that the English idea is all right for England—and it seemed to us to be as sound and as sensible as one could ask. About the time that the article ap-

peared. Al was leaving Oxford to come to the United States as a member of the Oxford-Cambridge lacrosse team.

Engagements

Miss Mary Paul Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clinton Reed of Richmond, Va., to Lieut. Albert W. Johnson, '19n, now with the Sixth Cavalry, U. S. A., Fort Oglethorpe, Ga.

Miss Esther Gordon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gordon, to Arthur H. Feiner, '22, of Providence.

Miss Evelyn Manton Angell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Angell of Riverside, R. I., to John E. Pemberton, '25, of Pawtucket, R. I.

Miss Jean Lewis Brewster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Brewster of New York and Greenwich, Conn., to Dr. Marshall S. Brown, Jr., '25, of New York.

Miss Dorothy Koerner Draper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Bradford Draper, to Russell W. Mills, '27, of Pawtucket, R. I.

Miss Helen Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anderson of Monson, Mass., to William R. Smith, '27n, of Stafford Springs, Conn.

Miss Margery Howard Hill, daughter of Mrs. Harry J. Hill of East Orange, N. J., to William D. Jamison, Jr., '29n, of East Orange.

Weddings

1891—Col. Edward Otis Bartlett of Florence, Italy, and Miss Norma Preston Scott of San Francisco, Cal., were married in Watchett, Somerset, England, on Feb. 10, 1930.

1919n—Furber I. Marshall and Miss Ivia Marie Perrine, daughter of Capt. and Mrs. Charles Collins Perrine, were married in New York on Feb. 1, 1930. They are at home at 85 East Cedar Street, Chicago, Ill.

1925—Melvin M. King and Miss Doris W. Fisher, Pembroke '26, were married in Brookline, Mass., on Oct. 19, 1929. They are living at 25 East Fourth Street, Corning, N. Y., where King is assistant chief of inspection at the Corning Glass Works.

1926—William H. Sweetland, Jr., and Miss Esther Winifred Ross of Providence, were married in Washington, D. C., on Feb. 17, 1930.

They are at home at 262 Gano St., Providence.

1927—Arnold K. Brown and Miss Alva Russell Jefferds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Jefferds, Jr., were married in Providence on March 1, 1930. Francis P. Brown, Jr., '25, was best man and the ushers included W. C. Worthington, '23, J. Winford Nagle, '26, George N. Fessenden, '27, and Otis S. Chapman, '27, all fraternity brothers of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Brown will live at 6151 Winthrop Avenue, Chicago, Ill.

1928 — Brackett H. Clark and Miss Ruth Moore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Pierson Moore, were married in Rochester, N. Y., on March 3, 1930. They will live at 79 Claybourne Road, Rochester.

1927—James A. Graham and Miss Constance Blais, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry John Blais, were married in Pawtucket, R. I., on March 3, 1930.

1928—Henry Otte, Jr., and Miss Louise Andrews Snow, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Frank W. Snow, were married in Providence on March 1, 1930. F. Winthrop Snow, Jr., '29n, was an usher. Mr. and Mrs. Otte are at home at 28 Devons Road, Worcester, Mass.

1929—Richard T. Harriss, Jr., and Miss Rita Waters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Waters of New York, were married in New York on Feb. 20, 1930. Among the ushers were Arthur J. Barry, Jr., '27, and Francis D. Gurll, '31. Mr. and Mrs. Harriss will live at 320 East 57th Street, New York.

Births

1917—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Reginald Nichols of East Greenwich, R. I., a son, David Ryden, on Feb. 25, 1930.

1919n—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Fort of North Smithfield, R. I., a son, Bradford Latham, on Feb. 11, 1930.

1920 — To Mr. and Mrs. H. Frank Carey of Brooklyn, N. Y., a daughter, Alice Adele, on Feb. 7, 1930.

1922, special—To Mr. and Mrs. Norman C. Cleaveland of Edgewood, R. I., a son, Norman C. Cleaveland, Jr., on Feb. 26, 1930.

1922—To Mr. and Mrs. Rodney J. Underwood of Auburn, R. I., a

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daughter, Anita Frances, on Feb. 15, 1930.

1923—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Dustin of Pittsfield, N. H., a daughter, Marjorie Ellen, on Jan. 26, 1930.

1924n—To Mr. and Mrs. Robinson C. Locke of Tujunga, Cal., a daughter, Elizabeth, on Feb. 18, 1930.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. Edson C. Lockwood (Dorothy F. Patton, Pembroke '23) of Madura, India, a son, Patton, on February 16, 1930.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur W. Packard of New York, N. Y., a son, David Bruce, on March 8, 1930.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. George B. Lomas of Providence, a second son, on Feb. 19, 1930.

1926n—To Mr. and Mrs. William L. De Prosse of Providence, a son, William L. De Prosse, Jr., on March 2, 1930.

1926, advanced — To Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Jonah of Cleveland, O., a son, Frederick William, on Feb. 20, 1930.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Warren Y. Hull of Tacoma, Wash., a daughter, Nancy Barbara, on Feb. 9, 1930.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Wellington P. Shahan of Indianapolis, Ind., a daughter, Jean MacKenzie, on Feb. 7, 1930.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur L. Lawrence of Providence, a daughter, Nancy Lee, on Feb. 16, 1930.

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Pembroke College

On February 19, eighteen new members were elected to Phi Beta Kappa from Pembroke College. There were fifteen from the Class of 1930, and three from the Junior Class. Those elected from the Senior Class included: Dora May Anstey, Jeanette Dora Black, Florence Mildred Conn, Madelyn Bernice Daniels, Doris Miller Deming, Rose Emma Hand, Helena Patricia Hogan, Martha Isabella Jack, Cecile Kantrowitz, Jessie Xenia Nayer, Dorothy Slocum, Dorothy Gladys Taylor, Mary Taylor, Thelma Montrose Tyndall and Alice Amelia Walter. The three members from the class of 1931 are: Hester Hastings, Mary Elizabeth Kraus, and May Sherman. On Saturday, March 8, the Rhode Island Alpha of the Phi Beta Kappa Society held a tea in the Crystal Room for the newly elected members.

Announcement has also been made of the undergraduate elections to associate membership in Sigma Xi. Those elected included the following members of the class of 1930: Frances Miller, Helena Hogan, Grace Horne, Doris Deming, Alice Walter, Mary Taylor, and Thelma Tyndall. From the class of 1931 two members were elected: Mary Elizabeth Kraus, and Enis Eva DeMagistris.

Guy Maier and Lee Pattison presented a particularly fine two-piano recital in Alumnae Hall on February 25. Their program included compositions by Schumann, Franck, Le Patison, Frantz, Saint-Saens, Strauss-Chasins and was enthusiastically received.

On March 4 in Alumnae Hall the Brownie Association held its annual stunt night. The cup for the best stunt was awarded to the Junior Class for their dramatization of the trials of a "Pembroker" in trying to find a reserve book in the John

Hay Library. The class of 1932 was awarded honorable mention. The following committees were in charge of the stunts: Senior Class: Thelma Tyndall, Florence Conn, Mildred Starkweather, Grace Horn, Rose Hand; Junior Class: Alice Donnelly, Margaret Kane, Edith Kenny, Helen Daniel, Elizabeth Considine; Sophomore Class: Beatrice Hunt, Mary Kernan, Rowena Bellows; Freshmen: Ruth Clem, Helen Herz, Mildred Campbell, Margaret Milliken, Stella Hoffheimer.

The Christian Association is sponsoring a series of teas in the Commons Room each Tuesday and Thursday. Fifteen cents is charged to cover the expense of the sandwiches, cookies, and tea that are served. The association is trying to give an opportunity for girls to get together over a cup of tea for a little friendly conversation. It is also conducting a drive for new members. The campaign is under the direction of the vice president, Josephine McIntire, and the cabinet.

The Komians, after four years of entreaty, by telegrams, letters and personal interviews, secured from Miss Eva Le Gallienne permission to produce the "Cradle Song." The play was very successfully presented on March 28 and 29.

It was coached by Mrs. Sarah Minchen Barker. The cast included the following: Mildred Starkweather, Edna Sunderland, Myrtle C. Ryder, Rosa Reiser, Elizabeth Dennett, Rose Hand, Mary Coy, Sue Deacon, Helen Moffitt, Rowena Bellows, Louise Kelly, Katherine McSoley, Sylvia Sugarman, Lucy Daniel, Katherine Burt, Vivien Leighton, Thelma Tyndall and Grace King.

On Saturday, March 1, the Pembroke Varsity basketball team was defeated by Sargent 46-10. The Pem-

broke second team succeeded in defeating the Sargent second, however. On March 8 the teams defeated both the first and second teams of Wheaton in games played at Norton. The 1933 team was defeated by the Lincoln School girls 29-26. The varsity swimming team was defeated by New York University on March 7. Captain Agnes Fitzgerald and Albina Osipowich were the stars for Pembroke. Miss Osipowich held her title for the 200-meter free style event at the ninth anniversary meet of the Boston Swimming Association on February 22.

A final selection of debaters for the debates with Bates and New Hampshire was made on February 25. The team comprises Marie Roitman, '32, Helena Hogan, '30, Marjorie Smith, '32.

On March 6th David Morton, the well-known poet, read selections of his poetry in the Crystal Room. The interesting reading was well attended.

The second Vocational Guidance supper of the year was held on March 4 in the Cafeteria. The members of the Economics and Social Science Departments were the guests. The speakers were Professor Bucklin and Professor Phelps of the Social Science Department, and Professor Adams and Professor Hindrichs of the Economics Department.

Brown Alumnae

Biennial Banquet

The twelfth biennial banquet of the Alumnae Association of Brown University was held in the auditorium of Alumnae Hall on Friday evening, February 7th. Millicent Leete Snow, '02, president of the Alumnae Association of Brown University, greeted the alumnae, and Ethel Robinson Heckman, '07, president of the Brown Alumnae Club of Providence, acted as toastmistress. The guest speakers of the evening were President Barbour, President J. Edgar Park of Wheaton College, and Dean Morriss. President Barbour paid a very beautiful tribute to Dr. Faunce, emphasizing his great contribution to the University. He then stressed the

importance of what the alumnae can do and pledged his earnest and sincere loyalty to Pembroke College. Dr. Park in a very genial manner talked on what the women's colleges are doing, and Dean Morriss gave a very interesting summary of the present status of Pembroke College and aroused the imagination as she pictured the growth of the college a few years hence.

Other guests at the banquet included Mrs. Barbour, Mrs. Park, Miss Dorothy Riley, president of the Senior Class, and Miss Verna Follett, president of the Student Government Association.

The Social Activities Committee, which arranged the banquet, deserves great credit. Helen Brintzenhoff Stuart, '22, is chairman of the committee and the other members are Lois Campbell, '24, and Dorothy Gray Wattson, '24. They were very ably assisted by Gwendolen Blodgett Carpenter, '10, and Stella Risley Clemence, '10.

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The Alumnae Council

The Alumnae Council held its annual meeting at Alumnae Hall on February 8, with Millicent Leete Snow presiding. The main topics for discussion were the Alumnae Fund and Alumnae Education. Mrs. James T. Pugh of Radcliffe College was invited to attend the Council meeting in order to explain the Alumnae Fund as it is in operation there. She defined the Fund as "a systematic movement by which every former student of the college takes part in the college's development." At Radcliffe the payment of one check makes the donor at once a member of the Alumnae Association and a subscriber to the College. One hundred colleges and universities have similar funds. The Council recommended the establishment of an Alumnae Fund at Brown and asked that the matter be presented for action at the annual meeting in June.

The subject of Alumnae Education was presented by Mrs. Sharon Brown, '16, who outlined what the various colleges are doing in this field

and suggested several projects which might be of interest to Brown women. No definite action was taken, but during the course of the spring the alumnae will be given an opportunity to indicate whether the subject appeals to them and their preference of possible plans.

At the luncheon given by Dean Morriss for the Alumnae Council, the delegates from the clubs were the guests of honor. Miss Morriss greet-

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ed the alumnae and introduced Miss Eva A. Moor, director of admissions and personnel, who spoke on ways in which the alumnae can assist in the selection of candidates for the Freshman Class and of what they can do for the girls during their freshman year. Miss Vivian Leighton, '30, gave a very interesting account of her junior year in France.

Those who attended the Council meeting were the alumnae representative on the Executive Committee of Pembroke College, Nettie S. Goodale Murdock, '95; past presidents of the Alumnae Association: Linda Richardson Stoughton, '97; Elise Straffin Bronson, '04; Hester Mercer Hastings, '03, M. Edna Budlong, '02; Bertha Nichols Bissell, '95; Marion Cole, '07; Louise Gamwell Cobb, '01; the members of the Executive Board: Millicent Leete Snow, '02, Martha Wilbur Watt, '00, Isabel McMurtry Voigt, '13, Margel Craig Wilder, '19, Helen Thayer Paxton, '22, and Helen H. Briggs, '14; alumnae who are members of the Advisory Council: Emma B. Stanton, '96, and Edith H. Williston, '96, chairmen of standing committees;

Elizabeth L. Brown, '16, Helen Brintzenhoff Stuart, '22, and Hattie M. Holt, '08; five representatives at large: Charlotte Anthony Fuller, '03, Louise Towle Todd, '04, Alice Manchester Chase, '05, Isabelle Scott Bollard, '09, and Ruth Preston Saunders, '23; representatives from Alumnae Clubs: Gwendolen Blodgett Carpenter, '10, Vermont, Mildred Bishop Galloway, '12, Boston, Ethel Robinson Heckman, '07, Providence, Grace Cleveland Cary, '96, Connecticut, Hilda M. Hoffman, '24, New York, Florence B. Beitenman, '04, Pennsylvania, and Stella Risley Clemence, '10, Washington, D. C.; representatives from classes having their reunions in June: Anna C. Buffington, '00, Louise Gamwell Cobb, '01, Myrtis Milliken Clayton, '02, Mabel Bartlett Rackle, '03, Isabel M. Brownson, '05, Evelyn Chase, '19, Ruth Chandler, '20, Elizabeth Kiley, '21, Gertrude Niven Roberts, '22, Catherine Fitzgerald Hagan, '25, Hope Kane, '27, and Dorothy Strachan, '29. Dorothy Riley represented the Senior Class. Elizabeth Lee Jeffers, '24, former executive secretary, was a special guest.

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The Senior Tea

The Alumnae Association will give its annual tea for the members of the Senior Class on April 22d. No formal invitations will be issued, but the Association will be glad to have any alumnae come who are interested.

Alumnae Clubs

The Brown Alumnae Club of Boston had an enthusiastic luncheon meeting on January 18th at the Women's University Club. Dean Morriss was the guest of honor and about forty members were present. The next meeting of the Club will be on Saturday, April 12, at the home of Mrs. John H. Williams, 412 Mt. Auburn Street, Cambridge.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Connecticut Valley would be happy to hear from Connecticut alumnae who have not yet affiliated with the

Club. Kindly communicate with the secretary, Elizabeth de W. Root, 56 Tremont Street, Hartford, Conn.

The Brown Alumnae Club of New York was entertained on January 25 at the home of Mrs. Ralph H. Bollard (Isabelle Scott, '09) in Montclair, N. J. Dean Morriss was the guest of honor and brought news of the College. About forty members were present. On Friday, February 28, the Club held a very successful bridge party in the Chinese room of the American Woman's Association Clubhouse, 353 West 57th Street.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Pennsylvania was entertained on March 1 at a very delightful luncheon at the home of Alice Tillinghast Bartlett, '06, 2318 Spruce Street, Philadelphia. At this time Dean Morriss was the guest of honor. Florence B. Beitenman, '04, president of the Club, reported on the Alumnae Council meeting, which she attended as the delegate from the club.

The total number enrolled in the Club to date is twenty-nine, drawn from a radius of one hundred miles or more, with Philadelphia as the center. In consequence of the scattered membership, the Club considered the advisability of having small groups meet simultaneously, perhaps in Pittsburgh, Lancaster, Reading, and Philadelphia, with two or three general meetings during the year. Miss Beitenman has very kindly offered to undertake the organization of the groups in co-operation with the Alumnae Office. The Pittsburgh area, with a possible group of nineteen alumnae, will be the first to receive her attention.

The next meeting of the Club will be held on May 10, at which time it will be the guest of Mrs. Charles J. Allen at her home, "Robinwood," 321 East Oak Avenue, Moorestown, N. J.

A club directory is being prepared. Will all interested alumnae kindly communicate with Miss Mildred E. Runyon, secretary, 420 South 20th Street, Reading, Penn.

The Brown Alumnae Club of Washington was entertained on Feb-

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ruary 21st at the home of Mrs. Harris E. Starr (Caroline L. Tuthill, '97). At that time Stella B. Clemence, '10, who had attended the Alumnae Council as the delegate from the Club, reported on the meeting and the secretary, Doris Heaton, '27, reports that the members were enthusiastic over the project of an Alumnae Fund. The Class of 1927 had the largest representation at the meeting. They were Helen Crafts, who was in Washington for a day on her way to Florida, Venetia Mott Rountree, Mildred Fisher and Doris Heaton.

On February 24 the Club entertained President Barbour at a tea at the Hay-Adams House. Miss Heaton writes: "The girls all came to the tea and enjoyed the informal visit with President Barbour very much. All of the Washington girls were present and Lois Northup, '27, who was motoring through Washington, was also there."

The Brown Alumnae Club of Southern California had a luncheon at the Pollyanna Tea Room in Los Angeles on January 18th. At this time the Club was very glad to welcome two new members—Marian N. Hudson, '18, and Marian Lennon Coneybear, '24.

The Alumnae Association of Brown University expects soon to be able to report the formation of an alumnae club in Berkeley. Will all who are interested kindly communicate with Mrs. S. R. Warburton, 679 The Alameda, Berkeley, Calif.

Faculty

Dean Morriss attended the Atlantic City conference of the National Association of Deans of Women and afterwards spoke at a number of preparatory and high schools in Pennsylvania. She also spoke before the Reading College Club on the meeting of the International Federation of University Women in Geneva last summer. Her itinerary was painstakingly arranged by the Brown Alumnae Club of Pennsylvania, which entertained her at a luncheon in Philadelphia on March 1.

Miss Eva A. Mooar, Director of Admissions and Personnel, attended the conference of the National Association of Placement and Personnel Officers which was held at Atlantic City. Following the meetings Miss Mooar was the guest of Mrs. Ralph H. Bollard (Isabelle Scott, '09), of Montclair, N. J., who arranged for her to address the students of the Friends' School, Moorestown, and the Montclair and Glen Ridge High Schools.

Weddings

1926—Constance Blais was married to James Adrian Graham on March 3.

1926—Virginia G. Knerr was recently married to George Washington Delany, Jr.

1927—Lois Patten was recently married to Charles B. Palmer. Mr. and Mrs. Palmer are living at 55 Pinckney Street, Boston, Mass.

1929—Marjorie Miller Kent was married to Alfred Henschel, '29, on February 6.

1930—Cecile L. Kantrowitz was married to Fred Israel, Boston University on February 20. Mrs. Israel was elected to Phi Beta Kappa on the preceding day.

Births

1912—To Dr. and Mrs. Raymond P. Hawes (Marion Emsley), a son, Loring Emsley Hawes, on January 14 in Baltimore, Md. Their new address is 2903 Cresmont Ave.

1912—To Professor and Mrs. J. Paul Kaufman (Clarice Ryther), a second son, Louis Sailor, on January 19 in Washington, D. C.

1923—To Prof. and Mrs. Edson C. Lockwood (Dorothy F. Patton), a son, Patton, on February 16 in Madurai, South India.

1924—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond S. Fanning (Lucile Pettibone), a daughter, Lucile Pettibone, on January 13 in New York.

1927—To Professor and Mrs. Fred C. Jonah (Anne Geraldine Crawford), a son, Frederick William, on February 21 in Cleveland, Ohio.

Deaths

1908—Gertrude M. Childs died at her home in Beverly, Mass., on December 19, after a short illness with pneumonia. Miss Childs was born in Needham and had spent most of her life in Beverly, where she had a



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large circle of friends. She had always kept up her interest in college and had been an active member of the Alumnae Association ever since her graduation.

1920—Grace Maurer, who since 1925 had been an instructor in His-

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tory at Pembroke College, died suddenly on January 30. Miss Maurer was born in Reading, Penn., and lived there until she came to Brown. She secured her bachelor's degree in 1920 and her master's in 1921. After two years of teaching in the Middletown (Connecticut) High School, she spent a year at Oxford and the next year in France. The undergraduate weekly, *The Record*, in commenting upon her death, said: "Her unflagging interest in the students and the college and her inexhaustible intellectual energy prevent her personality from becoming a mere memory. Those of us who were so fortunate as to have studied under her can scarcely forget the stimulating originality which she projected into the courses. Miss Maurer was an honorary member of the class of 1928 and was one of the most popular members of Pembroke's faculty."

1922 sp.—Mrs. Alice Chase, wife of Julian D. Chase, died at her home in Providence on January 14 after a brief illness. Mrs. Chase was an author and playwright, was prominent in political and civic clubs in the state, and was a producer of amateur plays. Her best known play is "The Patriot." Other literary works include a survey of the marriage status of women and "Prince Happyheart," a book for children. Mrs. Chase took an active interest in the Alumnae Association.

Notes

1905—Olive Eddy Eaton (Mrs. Samuel E.) has moved from Nyack-on-the-Hudson to Franklin, North Carolina. Her daughter, Dorothy, is a freshman at Duke University.

1907—Dr. Amey Eaton Watson of Haverford, Penn., spoke before the American Homemakers on March 24 at Froebel Hall in Providence. Her subject was "Is Homemaking a Vocation, a Business, or a Profession?"

1909—Elizabeth Mayo will tour the Mediterranean during the summer.

1909—Madge Morgan Bengert (Mrs. Edgar F.) has moved from

Dallas, Texas, to Athens, West Virginia.

1910—Stella Risley Clemence has published in the *Hispanic American Historical Review* for February 1930 a "Deed of emancipation of a negro woman slave, dated Mexico, September 14, 1585." This deed is included in the sixteenth century Mexican and Peruvian manuscripts presented to the Library of Congress by Edward S. Harkness of New York. Miss Clemence accompanied the deed and her translation from the Spanish with a very interesting article in explanation of it.

1918—Ruth Wakefield Burton (Mrs. Nathan B.) has moved to 36 Randall Avenue, East Weymouth, Mass.

1918—Sarah Morse Beardsley has been appointed the membership secretary of the Massachusetts Mental Hygiene Society. Her address is 5 Joy Street, Boston.

1921—Mary W. Cushman is now a teacher of French at the William H. Hall Senior High School at West Hartford, Conn. Her address is 1589 Boulevard, West Hartford.

1924—Malvina Grieves is teaching at the University Hospital at Syracuse, N. Y.

1926—Elizabeth Stillwell has changed her address to 340 East 56th Street, New York City.

1927—Marion Breen is in the personnel office at Radcliffe.

1927—Dorothy Pearson is working in the library at Yale.

1927—Margaret Kenney is teaching at St. Regis Falls, N. Y.

1927—Catherine Bond Wheeler (Mrs. Ellsworth H.) is now living at 14 De Lancey Drive, Geneva, N. Y.

1929—Helen Binkunski is teaching in New Britain, Conn.

1929—Margery Leonard is at 11 East Newton Street, Boston, Mass.

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