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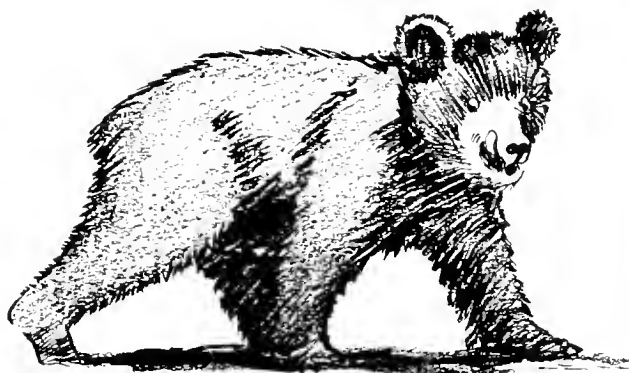
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## ▶▶ Expectations for Alumni Day

▶▶ AFTER two years of success, Alumni Day is no longer a tentative experiment. And early this month when invitations and programs for the 1937 event came in the mail, hundreds of Brown men laid plans to be on the Hill for Friday and Saturday, October 15 and 16. Ample foundation was there for expectations that the third annual Alumni Day would be the most interesting and best attended yet.

Headlined on the program were two items, the alumni banquet and the Brown-Dartmouth football game, but they were only two of a number of attractive features. And beyond any paper program was the awareness that academic history is being made on today's campus, sufficient with ties of loyalty and friendships to bring many a Brunonian home.

▶ ALL were awaiting the message from President Henry M. Wriston, chief speaker at the banquet Friday night in the Brown Gymnasium. This event was to be preceded by an informal reception at 6:30 in which Corporation, Administration, and Faculty were to welcome the alumni. Sitting with their classmates, the diners were to hear briefly from Sidney Clifford '15, President of the Associated Alumni; Col. G. Edward Buxton '02, toastmaster; Robert E. Quinn '15, Governor of Rhode Island; James S. Eastham '19 of Boston; D. Gerald Donovan '12 of New York; and J. Russell McKay '11 of Youngstown, Ohio. Brown Band and Glee Club were to offer the more proficient part of the evening's music.

President Wriston's address at the alumni dinner will be his second before a major gathering of the alumni-at-large, and his first for the new academic year. He will explain the new liberal arts curriculum which Brown is introducing this year, discuss the ideals which the new educational program seeks, and its relationship to the changing trends in educational philosophy.

The alumni dinner will mark the first anniversary of the official announcement of President Wriston's selection as the 11th president of Brown. His election was made public by Vice-President James P. Adams at the dinner last year.

▶ FIRST scheduled event of the weekend was to be the dinghy regatta on the Seekonk river, where last year an alumni fleet was hard pressed to outsail the undergraduate yacht club despite the presence of a

number of outstanding skippers among the graduates. Alumni, recruited by H. Stanton Smith '21, were going to try to defend their salty laurels in the "D" class frost-biters. Exciting and picturesque, the regatta of last year attracted hundreds, an evidence of the interest in the new boating program at Brown. The new facilities for it had not then been provided, however, and the sponsors expected many an alumnus would be anxious this year to inspect the newly acquired clubhouse. Starting time for the races was announced as 1 o'clock, with the club keeping open house.

At 3 the varsity soccer team, off to a start reminiscent of its championship year, 1936, was to meet Dartmouth in a New England Intercollegiate Soccer League game. This sport, the most fun of any from the player's point of view, has not drawn the crowds it merits, but many alumni were resolved to look in on this high-ranking Brown team on Aldrich Field.

Tickets for the banquet were being sold in Providence by class representatives and the entire executive committee of the Brown Club and Preston F. Arnold, Box 1586, Providence. Elsewhere special agents had been appointed. Meanwhile preparations were being made in Providence for many an alumnus to entertain his friends from out of town, and the Faculty Club and University Club announced open house Friday and Saturday.

▶ "SHAKE HANDS with your old professors," urged the program in speaking of Saturday morning plans, which included lectures, demonstrations, and exhibits in various departments arranged especially for the occasion. The returned grad would thus see more than today's undergraduate going about normal academic engagements for the morning.

If he were more interested in football, the alumnus would have an appetizer for the afternoon's varsity game in seeing the Freshmen open their season against Kent's Hill School. Many alumni like to look at future varsity possibilities, and this year's fledglings are reported big and capable. Starting time at Aldrich Field, said the program, will be 10 a. m.

That game and the academic features would be over by noon to permit fraternities to welcome their alumni at luncheon-time. More chapters planned such meals for their alumni than last year, the

### Starred Events on the Program for the Third Alumni Day

#### Friday, October 15

- 1 p. m. Dinghy regatta, alumni vs. undergraduates, Seekonk river; open house at the new Brown Boathouse.
- 3 p. m. New England Intercollegiate League soccer game, Brown vs. Dartmouth, Aldrich Field.
- 6:30 p. m. Reception and welcome to alumni by Corporation, Administration, and Faculty, Brown Gymnasium.
- 8 p. m. Third Annual Alumni Banquet, Brown Gymnasium. Dress informal.

#### Saturday, October 16

- 10 a. m. to noon. Special demonstrations of new scientific equipment, lectures, discussions for alumni. The campus.
- 10 a. m. Freshman football, Brown vs. Kent's Hill School, Aldrich Field.
- 12 to 1 p. m. Luncheon at fraternity houses.
- 2 p. m. Varsity football, Brown vs. Dartmouth, Brown Field.

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committee was told, while some houses were counting on alumni to attend tea-dances scheduled for the late afternoon after the varsity football game.

That game, at 2 o'clock, is the chief attraction of the home schedule, and, with Brown fortunes on the mend, belief was that Dartmouth would have a sterner foe than in 1935. ◀ ◀

◀ **HARD** working committees built Alumni Day plans throughout the summer and early fall, guided by Chairman Fred A. Otis '03, who had made a previous reputation by arranging the successful dinner given last February by the Brown Club of Providence to Dr. Wriston. Serving with him on the Alumni Day Committee were: Preston F. Arnold '13, treasurer; T. R. Jeffers '23, secretary; V. A. Schwartz '07, chairman of the 1936 committee; Vice President James P. Adams, Dennis F. O'Brien '98 of New York, Professor Frederick W. Marvel, William B. McCormick '23, Louis B. Palmer '28, A. T. Hindmarsh '19, Royal W. Leith '12 of Boston, Charles J. Hill '16, Sidney Clifford '15, Thomas W. Taylor '25, Elmer S. Horton '10, Professor Leighton T. Bohl '13, and A. H. Gurney '07.

Important subcommittees had the following personnel: *Tickets*—Mr. Hindmarsh, W. E. Louttit '25, and the executive committee of the Providence Brown Club; *Dinner Arrangements*—Professor Bohl and Professors S. J. Berard, P. N. Kistler, and W. R. Benford and S. Lerner; *Speakers*—Dr. Bruce M. Bigelow, Dr. Adams, Messrs. Clifford, Leith, and Gurney; *Hospitality*—Mr. Clifford, William B. Farnsworth '17, and Dean Edgar J. Lanpher; *Publicity*—Mr. Horton, Stanton P. Nickerson '31, Myles Standish '20, Joseph A. O'Neil '31 of New York, Edward R. Place '24 of Boston, W. C. Worthington '23 and Lawrence Lanpher '23; *Non-Athletic Arrangements*—Mr. Jeffers and Nelson B. Jones '28. ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Starting Brown's 173rd Year*

▶ ▶ A **RENOVATED** CAMPUS and curriculum awaited the students who climbed College Hill as Brown University opened its 173rd academic year on Wednesday, September 22. Already familiar with the scene were 400 Freshmen in the class of 1941, who had participated in a week's program of educational and social activities designed to speed their orientation at Brown. Unpacking their trunks and getting settled, asking questions, and starting friendships with classmates from every part of the country and from abroad, they had the campus to themselves. The Freshmen had been selected from the largest group of applicants in the University's history.

The beginning of classes saw the launching of Brown's revised curriculum, its educational innovations including a flexible plan to meet individual student interests and needs, and providing for an exceptionally wide range of elective courses. A board of counselors under Dean Samuel T. Arnold has been set up to help students map out their programs of study.

In the preliminary week the Freshmen met their faculty counselors for the first time to make general plans for their courses of study. At the end of the year, the new curriculum will require each first year man to select his field of concentration from one of five groups of study—the physical sciences, biological sciences, social sciences, literature and other arts, and from mathematics or philosophy. ◀ ◀



**K. BROOKE ANDERSON**  
*He was chief engineer for  
1937 Freshman Week at  
Brown*

▶ **BROWN** has strengthened its faculty for 1937-38 with the appointment of more than 50 to the teaching staff, including six men of professorial rank and a new chairman of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, Prof. Harcourt Brown of Washington University, St. Louis. Most of the new appointments cover vacancies left by retirements and resignations.

Twenty-one new courses of instruction are being offered in nine different departments, in accordance with the University's policy of keeping step with changing academic interests and needs. Many of the new courses and revisions of others which have been offered in past years are broadly related to the new liberal arts curriculum. The greatest number of changes have been made in the courses offered by the Department of English.

With additions and improvements to the University's physical plant already under way or projected for the year, Brown is looking forward towards meeting needs long felt. A new \$500,000 chemical research laboratory, the gift of former United States Senator Jesse H. Metcalf, is being redesigned, and plans will be drafted for a new infirmary when additional funds are available.

Work on the renovation of the Narragansett Boat Club on the Seekonk River, acquired by the University last June with a gift of \$10,000 from the class of 1907, was to begin about Oct. 1. A small boathouse and cabin has been built at Brown's Outing Reservation with funds from the class of 1914.

The John Hay Library's reading room has been redecorated and new lighting fixtures installed. The library's catalogue room has been enlarged by removing a stair-well. Executive offices in the Administration Building across College Street from the library have also been redecorated. Graduate and undergraduate residence halls on Prospect Street have been repainted. ◀ ◀

► An unprecedented demand for dormitory accommodations this year prompted the University to purchase a residence at 34 George Street, to be known as George House. With rooms for 30 undergraduates, the house opened after being completely redecorated.

Brown's three oldest buildings—University Hall, Hope College and Manning Hall—have been painted. Cornices of Manning Hall have been done in white to match the trim of its two venerable neighbors. Scaffolding remained on Rhode Island Hall for repairs to cornices.

In Faunce House, undergraduate social center, the main lounge was panelled in waxed oak and a new counter installed. Improvements have also been made in dining room facilities.

The economics building has been repainted and repairs and painting done to the Metcalf Chemical Laboratory, Littlefield Hall, Hegeman Hall, and Caswell Hall. Most dormitory rooms have been repainted and improved for the new year. In the building used by the Department of Music, a new piano practice room has been arranged. Brown's faculty parking lot has been enlarged by the removal of a botanical greenhouse to a new site near Waterman Street. The Department of Psychology has a new mechanical shop for building scientific apparatus.

Offices of the Brown Alumni Fund and the Brown University Council are now set up in Faunce House, and the former fund offices in the Administration Building have been converted into conference rooms where students may meet their Faculty Counselors in planning programs of study under Brown's new curriculum. ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Orientation for the Newcomers*

► ► BROWN's program for Freshman Week again paved the way for educational, extra-curricular, and social phases of college life. Aptitude tests, orientation lecture, conferences with faculty, and medical examinations were included on the schedule, while optional events that proved popular were informal "Dutch treat" suppers, rallies and mixers, a weekend camping trip, and a reception given by Dr. Wriston and the Faculty.

The aptitude and proficiency tests came first, a part of the revised curriculum plan, while meetings with members of the Board of Faculty Counselors under Samuel T. Arnold, Dean of the College, helped arrange programs of study. Medical exams were under the supervision of Dr. Alex M. Burgess of the Division of University Health.

Speaking to the Freshmen at a special assembly in Sayles Hall, President Wriston saw and took part in his first opening exercises at Brown. Among orientation lecturers were Vice President James P. Adams, who spoke on Brown history and traditions; Dean Arnold, and Dean Edgar J. Lanpher.

One evening's entertainment was an undergraduate variety show in Faunce House, with cheers, songs, and motion pictures added. A mixer was preceded by a parade, led by the Brown Band, the Cammarian Club, and the Brown Key Society. In Faunce House the newcomers heard talks by "Tuss" McLaughry and "Denny" Myers, football coaches; Frederick A. Forbes, President of the Cammarian Club; Frederick B. Wilcox, Jr., President of the Interfraternity Governing Board; Antone G. Singen, Editor of the *Brown Daily Herald*; and Gavin A. Pitt, President of the B. C. A. Sock and Buskin contributed a one-act play to the program.

After viewing their first varsity football practice, the Freshmen left by bus for a weekend of camping and sports at Camp Yawgoog, summer encampment of the Narragan-

sett Council, Boy Scouts of America. The lone ceremonial was the presentation of a drinking fountain, the gift of the University to the camp, where Freshman outings have been held annually for a decade. The fountain, enclosed in an old-style well-house, was presented by Dr. Wriston. Thousands of scouts will come to know it as the Brown University fountain.

The last event of Freshman Week, prior to the opening of college, was an evening spent in a panel discussion on fraternities, in which Dean Lanpher, Pitt, and Wilcox took the lead. During the early days an information booth in Faunce House assisted the arrivals in finding available rooms, part-time jobs, and answers to questions. K. Brooke Anderson was chairman of the graduate committee in charge of the Week. ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Exile and Constitution*

► ► FORMER Chancellor Heinrich Brüning, exile from Nazi Germany, received the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws from Brown University on the occasion of the convocation in the First Baptist Meeting House which opened the University's 173rd academic year. With his fellow Brunonians, he heard President Wriston denounce all forms of totalitarian states and declare the American Constitution held within its structure "the map to show the path to the freedom of the world, not only from tyranny but from disruption and war." Dr. Wriston turned aside from purely academic matters to speak of the Constitution, 150 years old the previous week.

America's answer to those who insist a choice between Communism and Fascism is inevitable, Dr. Wriston said, must be: "We will choose neither, for neither is adapted to the genius of this people, neither has behind it the momentum of 500 years of constitutional experience, neither has been tested and tried for the century and a half which has matured and enriched our Constitution, neither sets at the centre the individual, his rights, his powers, his growth, his enfranchisement."

Popular at first neither at home nor abroad, there came a day "in about 100 years when the Constitution became the hope of the world." Gladstone in 1878 called it "the most wonderful work ever struck off at a given time by the brain and purpose of man." ◀ ◀

► "FOR A TIME," said Dr. Wriston, "it seemed as if the entire world would be divided between the American system of constitutional government and the British system of parliamentary government. The Constitution became popular at home and admired abroad. It was the fulfillment of the Great American Dream."

But the Constitution almost always, Dr. Wriston pointed out, has resulted in monumental divisions of opinion, "inflamed, indeed, by economic irritations and made passionate, it is true, by the heat of social friction."

"But when we worry about five-to-four decisions," he went on, "remember that the Civil War settled a Constitutional question only at a cost that we today ought to regard as prohibitive. It is better to swallow a bitter pill in one decision than to plunge the nation into strife."

The Constitution has survived, Dr. Wriston contended, "precisely because it was not too specific," because it contained "statesmanlike silences" that "left room for adjustment." Interpretation has "often modified the probable purposes of the framers." ◀ ◀

► AND now again today the Constitution is out of fashion, "it is no longer following the pattern of the modern world."

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Most nations that copied it, "have abandoned its principles if not its form." Because:

"They did not have patience enough, they wanted speed.

"They did not have enough self-control in the desire for personal power.

"They lacked the sportsmanship that takes defeat as the inevitable counterpart of victory.

"Self-restraint is the law of the Constitution—the unrestrained exercise of power is dictatorship."

"The modern State," Dr. Wriston went on, "is streamlined for efficiency, it has shed those checks and balances which offer wind resistance and are designed to protect the individual. The individual has no friends. Liberty is out of style. Totalitarian ideals are inconsistent with federal power. The States would become mere administrative subdivisions and lose their sovereign quality.

"If you choose the totalitarian principle you have destroyed that rock upon which Constitutional government must rest, the independence of the judiciary—you have taken out of our machinery that governor which holds us steady, which helps to avoid the spurts and lags.

"Such a grand national forum as we have had in the last seven and a half months to discuss a great Constitutional question would be forbidden." ◀ ◀

▶ THIS, said Dr. Wriston, is how the Constitution, built on a theory directly antithetical to totalitarianism, projected a government of limited powers:

"Wide areas of life were left free from control or even influence.

"Its goal was the protection of life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness.

"It blessed education but left it alone.

"It assumed a Church but a Church free from the State.

"It envisaged an economic life with only the minimum of political control.

"It assumed decentralization of responsibility and control wherever possible.

"It was based upon the premise that politics is only one aspect of the organization of society.

"It was not expected to be the instrument for the solution of all economic and social problems but to furnish the framework of a limited government." ◀ ◀

▶ DR. BRUNING was extolled in his citation as "a product of the German universities in their proudest days, scholar and patriot." He was led to the platform by Professor Robert H. George and presented to Dr. Wriston by Professor Ben W. Brown, who placed the purple hood over the Teuton's shoulders. It was Dr. Brüning's third visit to Brown. He was in Providence two years ago, and last year delivered an address at the University.

An academic procession preceded the convocation exercises, marshaled by Professor Brown, chief marshal, and Professor George and Professor Charles A. Robinson, Jr., with Professor Leighton T. Bohl as mace bearer. On the platform with President Wriston were Chancellor Henry D. Sharpe, Vice President Adams, Dean Arnold, Rev. Arthur L. Washburn, resident counsellor, and Rev. Arthur W. Cleaves, pastor of the church. ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Dean of the College*

▶ ▶ DR. SAMUEL T. ARNOLD, formerly designated Dean of Undergraduates at Brown University, has been Dean of the College since July 1. The change gives Dean Arnold more responsibility for academic matters in the undergraduate college for men.

"The appointment represents not only a change in title but also a realignment of administrative responsibility in connection with the College as distinct from Pembroke College and the Graduate School," President Wriston said in announcing the step.

"Dean Arnold will have larger responsibility for the administration of academic matters in so far as they relate to undergraduate men. As Dean of the College, he will also be head of the Board of Counselors, a group of members of the faculty and administrative officers who will be responsible for giving educational advice and direction to undergraduate men as a part of the plan of the revised curriculum."

For more than 15 years Dean Arnold has been supervisor of non-athletic student organizations. During the past few years the administration of extra-curricular undergraduate interests and activities has been centralized and co-ordinated in his office. He is chairman of the Brown University Athletic Council, chairman of the Committee on Student Organizations, a member of the Board of Management of the Brown University Outing Reservation, and a member of the Governing Committee of the Brown Christian Association.

Now the administration of most of these extra-curricular interests and activities of undergraduates will be more immediately under the direction of Assistant Dean Edgar J. Lanpher and others associated with Dean Arnold's office. ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Bids Refused on Chemical Building*

▶ ▶ ALL BIDS on the new chemical research laboratory at Brown University, which is to be built and endowed with funds given to Brown last Spring by former United States Senator Jesse H. Metcalf, "have been rejected and the redesign of the building has begun," President Henry M. Wriston announced October 1st.

"It is hoped that it will be ready for new bidding by the first of November," President Wriston said. He indicated that conferences with architects and members of the chemistry laboratory building committee will continue until the plans have been satisfactorily drawn up.

The laboratory, to contain the most modern facilities for research in photochemistry and electrochemistry, will be built and endowed by a \$500,000 gift from Mr. Metcalf. Both fields of chemical research are said to be of increasing importance in industry and pure chemistry.

Members of the building committee, working in co-operation with the Corporation Committee on the Comprehensive Planning and Development of University Property, include: President Wriston, chairman; Paul C. DeWolf of the Board of Trustees, and Dr. Charles A. Kraus, research professor in chemistry. Paul P. Cret of Philadelphia is the architect. ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Youngest General Agent*

▶ J. D. E. JONES, JR., 23, newly appointed general agent of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States for Rhode Island and Bristol County, Massachusetts, is the youngest general agent in the service of the Equitable, being now in his 36th year. "He is a representative of a family long associated with life underwriting, his grandfather having entered the insurance field in 1866," the newspapers said. "His father, J. D. E. Jones, Sr. (1893) became associated with the Equitable in 1893 and has continuously been one of their general agents, now operating in Boston and Providence, with headquarters at Boston." ◀ ◀ ◀

## The Infirmary: "Hopelessly Bad"



*"Remarkable staff, wonderful program, but . . ."*

►► "BROWN's first and most vital educational need," a new infirmary, remains out of the University's reach and must so remain unless further help arrives. This frank statement is by President Wriston, who feels the need the more keenly because aid within the next fortnight would prevent the loss of a year's time in meeting it.

The University has \$100,000 available toward the infirmary, without strings attached, largely the gift of Dr. Charles H. Hare of the Class of 1895. But in their enthusiasm and delight at the announcement of that gift last June at Commencement, the sons and friends of Brown were not impressed with another portion of the announcement, that other funds were eagerly sought. Perhaps they misunderstood.

It was stated that the University had received from Dr. Hare the sum of \$331,570—"with the understanding that a portion of this amount may be used immediately for the construction of a new infirmary." Presumably, many of those in Sayles Hall thought that the portion referred to was all that was needed for an infirmary and that construction would start immediately. They did not give the same heed to Vice President Adams's further statement that it was Dr. Hare's hope and the University's "that others may choose to share in this enterprise by providing funds for the equipment and furnishing of portions of this building." The infirmary needs help in addition to Dr. Hare's benefaction and needs it quickly or the whole project must wait. ◀◀

► For a long time Elisha Benjamin Andrews has been without a memorial at Brown, except in the hearts of his devoted admirers. Here, at last, is a chance for Brown men to do something for a great figure in Brown history, for Dr. Hare has suggested that he would be pleased to have this building named Andrews House "as a memorial to one who so profoundly influenced the life of this University and the lives of all the men who knew him."

Said the Vice President at Commencement time: "Dr. Hare's action has been a source of great satisfaction to the Corporation of the University. It will be received with

enthusiastic appreciation by members of the Faculty and students. And I am sure that it will reverberate in the hearts and minds of Alumni as a generous manifestation of an abiding interest and devotion on the part of one who has been for 56 years a loyal son of Brown. And this gift for this purpose seems to us, as it will seem to you, a beautiful expression of the spirit of one whose office in life was the practice of medicine and who performed it with 'usefulness and reputation'."

But the University had hoped for help from others.

The present infirmary is hopelessly bad, Dr. Wriston says, not mentioning that there was no infirmary at all 15 years ago. Today a remarkable staff and a wonderful program are caught in the meshes of an inadequate infirmary, hampered from realizing anything like their full possibilities.

If the building is to be ready for next year, the design must be begun at once. A month's delay means the loss of a year's usefulness to the student body. ◀◀

► As the result of a summer's intensive study of the problem, on top of previous realizations, the medical staff of the University knows what it wants in an infirmary and why. Members have visited the outstanding college infirmaries in the East and similar institutions, approaching the problem in a realistic way. They have thrown out ideas and features, just as they have conceived and adopted others. It is to be an infirmary, not a hospital, they emphasize. Providence is not without good hospitals.

The other night at dinner Dr. Wriston told the story of the infirmary so forcefully that one of his table-mates promised him \$1000 toward the project. But the check in the next day's mail was not for one thousand, and a letter explained what had happened. Thinking over what had been said, the friend had decided that the case was so pressing that the check was written for two thousand instead of one. And the spirit of that letter was so encouraging that the President felt that others might be made to understand the imperative situation.

The need is for \$75,000, Dr. Wriston says.—Brown's first and most vital educational need. Who, he asks, can do something to keep the project moving—and at once? ◀◀◀

### *For Service to Dentistry*

►► FREDERICK T. GUILD '90, registrar and secretary of the faculty at Brown University since 1891 and today its senior member, was awarded an honorary fellowship in July by the American College of Dentists at their annual convention in Atlantic City, N. J., for his services to the dental organization during the past three years.

An honorary hood and certificate were presented to Mr. Guild before an assembly of hundreds of dentists from all parts of the United States. The ceremonies were in charge of Dr. Albert L. Midgley '01, president of the dental college. Mr. Guild made an informal address after the honor had been conferred. His citation follows:

"Frederick Taft Guild, for 46 years Registrar of Brown University, who, for no other reward than the satisfaction of rendering an inestimable service, applied his wide and

varied experience, keen discrimination, and just sense of values, in appraising the scholastic credentials of candidates for admission to the dental schools of the United States, thereby laying a sure and permanent foundation for universal improvement in dental education." ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Togu for Professor Hastings*

▶ ▶ PROFESSOR WILLIAM T. HASTINGS '03 was the only common or garden variety of college professor included among the 12 persons elected Senators of the United Chapters of Phi Beta Kappa for a six-year term at the Nineteenth Triennial Council, meeting at Atlanta, Ga., September 9-11. The others included three college presidents—Aydelotte of Swarthmore, McCain of Agnes Scott, and Tigert of Florida—and six deans. A fourth college president, Walters of Cincinnati, was elected for a three-year term.

Professor Hastings has been Secretary of the Brown Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa since 1920 and of the New England District since 1925. He was a member of the Committee on the Revision of the Constitution of the United Chapters, the discussion of whose report occupied most of the time of the gathering at Atlanta.

President Mary E. Woolley, Brown '94, was elected Senator for Life, a distinguished honor of which she will be the last recipient, since the new constitution brings that practice to an end. Tribute was paid to Dr. Francis W. Shepardson, Brown '83, for many years a Senator, who died just before the Council convened. W. Randolph Burgess, Brown '12, retired as Treasurer of the United Chapters at the close of this triennium.

Other Brown graduates at the Council included Gardner C. Hudson '27, and John H. Wildman '33, delegates from the Brown Chapter; W. G. Cady '95, representing Wesleyan; C. C. Greene, Jr., '29, representing Cornell; J. Q. Dealey, Jr., '20, representing Hamilton; and Mrs. Helen B. Correll '28, representing Wellesley. ◀ ◀ ◀

### *Encomiums for a Jurist*

▶ ▶ WALTER PERLEY HALL '89, Chief Justice of the Superior Court of Massachusetts since 1922, resigned last month; and under the title, "Well Deserved Rest," the *Boston Herald* carried this editorial in its issue of Sept. 23:

"The resignation of Walter Perley Hall, justice of the superior court of Massachusetts since 1911 and chief justice since 1922, is a matter of general regret. He brought to the bench ability, sound ideals, integrity, a pleasing personality and a valuable experience gained as a town solicitor, city solicitor, an assistant district attorney, an assistant attorney-general and a chairman of the Massachusetts railroad commission. He had the deep respect of the bar for the fairness of his attitude. He spent the public money as scrupulously as if it were his own.

"He made the court a more effective instrument for the administration of justice than it was when he became chief, and he was especially successful in obtaining the hearty co-operation of his many associates. His relations with them could not have been better. He set an example for his successor and his successor's successors to follow. He takes with him into his retirement the good wishes of the people and warm appreciation from the thousands who knew him personally or professionally." ◀ ◀ ◀

## Football, 1937

### *A Hopeful Beginning*

▶ ▶ BROWN'S 1937 football hopes, riding high after an impressive revenge on Connecticut State College in the opening game, were tempered by a less certain victory over Rhode Island State as the Bear prepared to meet three major foes without a respite. An eleven, early rated by its head coach as a touchdown and a half better than its predecessor, was relying in several notable instances on Sophomores. Prophets, for the most part, were guarded in their observations, although one definitely noted the team was "on its way," and most were content to await with interest what the later season would reveal.

One thing seemed to be indicated from the start, that Coach McLaughry was counting strongly on several players to play 60-minute football. Three of them, the two tackles, Battles and Cioci, and John McLaughry, the mentor's Sophomore son, showing great promise at fullback, were on the field for every play of the first two games, while against Rhode Island only seven substitutes, three of them ends, saw service. The obvious deduction would be that the other material was not physically fit or did not enjoy the coaches' confidence. If the move was to condition some prospective Iron Men, it seemed to do no harm, for time was rarely called for hurts during the games and the players seemed reasonably fresh at the end. ◀ ◀

▶ INJURIES, however, had not been so few in practice sessions, keeping a number of prospects from progressing with the rest of the squad. Their return may provide a few alternates.

In all, only 21 players were in the Brown line-up in the first two games. Of the 20 who faced Connecticut, six were ends and four guards. Five ends and four guards were among the 18 who faced Rhode Island. Three of the back-field quartet played the entire Rhode Island game—McLaughry at full, Foster at quarter, and Hall at half, the last two veterans from last season. When Sophomore O'Leary was hurt, Bernstein relieved him in the first period and remained until the end. O'Leary was replacing the veteran Reigler, starter against Connecticut but hurt in practice. Atwell had a few minutes of play against the Nutmeggers, too.

The end squad, apparently richest in talent, includes three Sophomores, of whom two, Nash and Finklestein, have held starting berths. The other varsity debutant, Prodders, caught a forward pass and sat down across the goal-line in his first varsity game. Larkowich, Petrone, and Certuse are the veterans whom the youngsters are battling for their posts. ◀ ◀

▶ ONLY two tackles played for Brown in those first two games, the lettermen Battles and Cioci. Battles, the most improved player on the squad, seems tireless, while Cioci balances his play on the other side of the line. Two of last year's guards, Wisbach and Hawley, were ousted by Sophomores Manrodt and Mawhinney, although Wisbach is on virtually even terms with them and Hawley not far behind. Turcone, a Senior, is the staunchest centre, although Lathrop, a Sophomore, was slowed by an injury and lacks game experience. McNeil, also a Soph, had a go at the position in the opening game, while Lathrop went in as a substitute against Rhode Island.

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# 8000 Miles; 202 Seconds

## *A Notable Success at the Eclipse*

▶ ▶ OFFERING the possibility that his photographs of the solar eclipse in Peru last June may be the first to have caught the zodiacal light in the neighborhood of the sun, Prof. Charles H. Smiley of Brown University described the results of his expedition high into the Andes Mountains before meetings of the American Astronomical Society in Williamstown last month.

The zodiacal light is a faintly luminous band seen best at the equator, extending vertically there from the horizon at early evening. The light is said to come from small particles of matter moving in the same plane with the earth. It has never been photographed close to the sun before.

"Beyond the corona," Prof. Smiley said, "the exposure on a double-coated orthochromatic emulsion showed a wedge-shaped region, extending along the ecliptic, slightly lighter than the remaining region around the sun. This wedge of light extended from one edge of the film to the visible horizon, a distance of about 12 degrees.

"If authorities had not pronounced it impossible to photograph the zodiacal light in the neighborhood of the sun at the time of the eclipse, one might suspect the wedge of light of being the zodiacal light."

He added that he was sure the wedge was not the result of a stray thumb-print, since the negative was so dense that only 1/3000th of the incident light passes through it. He pointed out that a drawing made by the astronomer Langley at a solar eclipse in 1878 showed a similar wedge-shaped region of light.

Prof. Smiley's photographs were taken with a Schmidt astronomical camera, reported to be the fastest of its kind ever used on an eclipse expedition. It has a lens speed of f/11, a focal length of four inches, and a lens-mirror system which had to be ground and polished to within a millionth of an inch of perfection. The lens, four inches in diameter, is concave at the edges and convex in the center.

Prof. Smiley also reported that his three negatives, each made from exceptionally sensitive film, showed coronal streamers extending for about 4,000,000 miles into space, or about four times the sun's diameter. This is as far as they could be seen with the naked eye from the observing site at Callao, Peru, 14,000 feet above sea level.

The sun in eclipse appears as a mere pin-head on his negatives, with the rest of the circular film, the size of a half dollar, recording the coronal streamers and surrounding sky, including the wedge-shaped band which may be the zodiacal light.

Prof. Smiley was to speak of his trip, "8000 Miles for 202 Seconds," at 10 a. m. Oct. 16, one of the Alumni Day lectures.

Prof. Smiley hopes to photograph the total solar eclipse of Oct. 1, 1940, from South America, in order to verify the results of his expedition to Peru this year. ◀ ◀ ◀

## *Pennum's Loss*

▶ KENNETH PARKER's father, George S. Parker, inventor of the original fountain pen called the "lucky curve" and a leader in varying the colors of pens and making the red fountain pen popular, died in Chicago, July 19, 1937. Ken Parker '18 succeeded his father as president of Parker Pen Company in 1933. ◀ ◀ ◀

## *Professor Everett's Passing*

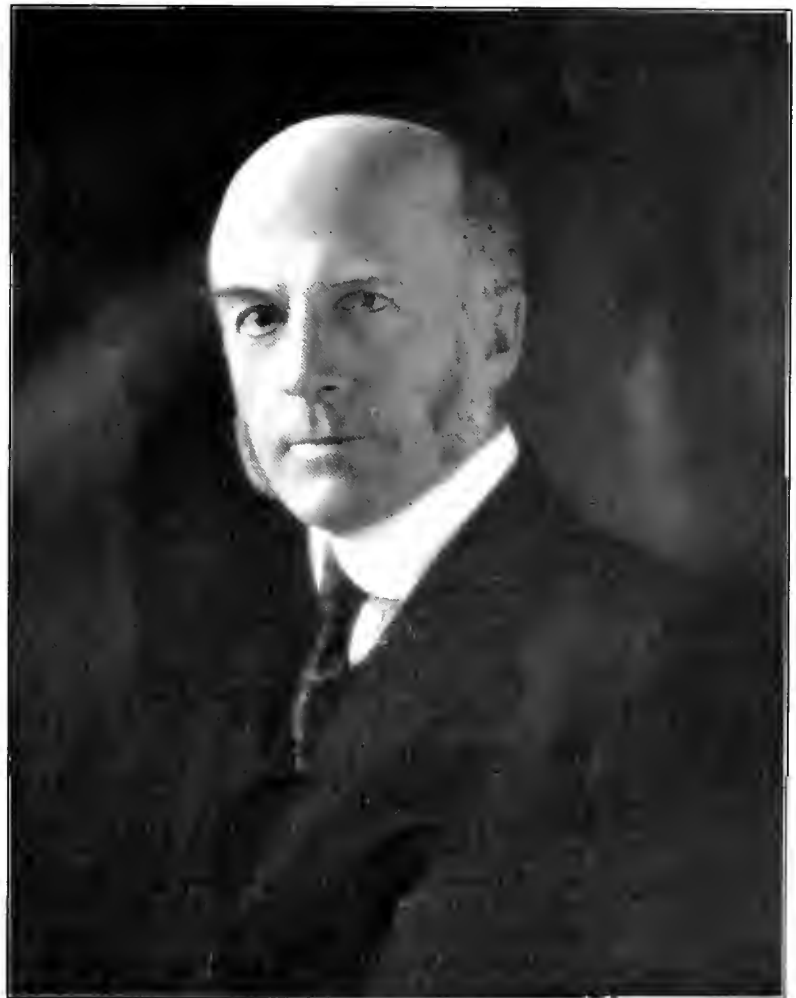
▶ ▶ LITTLE MORE than a month after his portrait had been presented to Brown University to hang with the Sayles Hall collection of Brunonian immortals, Dr. Walter Goodnow Everett, emeritus professor of philosophy, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Alexander Meiklejohn, in Berkeley, California, on July 29. He was nearly 77 years old.

Expressing the grief of many a Brunonian, Vice President James P. Adams spoke of the loss the University had sustained and the shock that his passing was to "the hundreds of Brown men in all parts of the country who knew him as teacher and counselor and friend."

"As an undergraduate, as an alumnus, as a member of the active faculty, and as a professor emeritus, he has been associated with Brown University for more than 50 years.

"His scholarship was known and admired wherever philosophical studies are pursued. As a teacher he left an indelible imprint upon the minds and hearts of a multitude of students who enjoyed the privilege of association with him in the classroom. His many friends long will remember his cheerful greeting, his genial smile and his gracious courtesy. In his death the University has sustained a very great loss but his influence upon its life and work will be enduring." ◀ ◀

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**HARVEY N. DAVIS '01**  
*Mechanical Engineers sense  
his presidency is imminent*

#### *Tantamount to Election*

► **PRESIDENT HARVEY N. DAVIS '01** of Stevens Institute of Technology has been nominated for President of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. The nomination virtually means election. Davis was one of the organizers of the first conference in the steam engineering field out of which the present A.S.M.E. research program has grown.

#### *Leaving the Brooklyn Institute*

► **THE September 11 Bulletin** of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences carries a cover cut of Charles D. Atkins '99, retiring Director of its Department of Education, and ends an appreciative review of his nearly quarter of century service with this tribute: "His contribution to the Institute has been a great and enduring one." Atkins, who retired July 1, was voted full salary by the Board of Trustees to Oct. 1 and a pension of half-salary thereafter.

Commenting editorially, the *Brooklyn Daily Eagle* said: "Mr. Atkins has greatly expanded the work of the Department which he headed until it is today one of the finest institutions for adult education in the world." In another tribute in the *Eagle* to Atkins' work, Professor William Lyon Phelps writes: "I think his services to the Institute and to the cause of true culture and civilization have been very remarkable, and it is my belief their results are permanent. He is an able man, combining idealism with common sense; a fine citizen."

Dr. Edward Howard Griggs, President of the Council of the Institute's Department of Education, adds: "In the richness and scope of its cultural program, the Brooklyn Institute is today the greatest civic organization in the world dedicated to adult education. Only those closely associated with the Institute's activities can know how much of this great achievement has been due to the devoted, untiring and self-effacing service of Mr. Atkins."

#### *Freshman Scholarship Awards*

► **EIGHT MEMBERS** of the Class of 1941 at Brown this fall are winners of scholarships awarded on the basis of their "outstanding ability, personality, and promise" as schoolboys. Three of them are designees of Brown Clubs, while the others hold John Hay Scholarships, awarded each year to outstanding Freshmen from outside Rhode Island.

The Brown Club Prize Scholarships are for \$500 each and go to boys who had exceptional academic records, were leaders in extra-curricular school activities, and took part in athletics. The Providence award was received by Bronislaw J. Stepczyk, a graduate of Wilbraham Academy; the New York Brown Club award went to Robert R. Person, former Peddie School student; and the Brown Club of Chicago scholarship to Emile A. LeGros, a graduate of Oak Park and River Forest Township High School, Oak Park, Ill.

Stepczyk, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Stepczyk of 340 Hampden Street, Chicopee, Mass., attended Chicopee High School and Williston Academy. His academic record in high school and at Williston placed him in the upper brackets of his class. He won an algebra prize in his Sophomore year and was elected to Cum Laude, honorary scholastic society, last year. Stepczyk was treasurer of his class, a member of the outing club, and a student member of the school's athletic advisory board. He was captain of tennis and played hockey, football and baseball, winning the Denman Trophy for all-around ability.

► **PERSON** is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph D. Person of 978 Jacques Avenue, Rahway, N. J. He attended Rahway High School before going to The Peddie School. At both schools he ranked near the top of his class and was elected to the National Honor Society last Spring. His school interests have included dramatics and public speaking. He was a member of Peddie's Glee Club and served on his house committee. Last year he won a Hi-Y character prize. Person has played football, basketball and tennis, and has competed in track and archery. He was a member of Peddie's undefeated basketball team last winter and was chosen for the second state schoolboy basketball team. He has been active in scouting and Y. M. C. A. work.

LeGros, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil LeGros of 826 William Street, River Forest, Ill., was on the honor roll of his high school for four years by maintaining an average of over 90 per cent. At graduation last June he was awarded the William Allard Burkite cup for all-around ability. In school activities, LeGros was president of the debating club, critic of the mathematics club, a staff member of the literary magazine, a member of his class day committee, and a member of the Latin, camera, drama and masquerade clubs. LeGros is a junior assistant scoutmaster and an eagle scout.

► **JOHN HAY SCHOLARSHIPS** have been awarded annually at Brown since 1931-32, and are named in honor of John Hay of the class of 1858, private secretary to Abraham Lincoln and later secretary of state and ambassador to Great Britain. The scholarship winners will receive full tuition of \$400 for the coming year, and if high scholastic standing is maintained, they will receive the same award during their entire college course.

This year's winners are Jack H. Clayton of Chicago, a graduate of Lane Technical High School there; Charles W. Corcoran of Evanston, Ill., a graduate of Evanston Town-

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ship High School; Robert M. Cramp of Montclair, N. J., a graduate of Montclair High School; Fred M. Drennan, Jr., of Oak Park, Ill., a graduate of Oak Park and River Forest Township High School; and Frederick H. Jackson of Hamden, Conn., a graduate of Hamden High School.

All of the scholarship winners have had outstanding scholastic records and have been leaders in extra curricular life in their secondary schools. In past years, John Hay scholarship winners have had exceptional records at Brown.

Clayton, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert M. Clayton of 1928 Morse Avenue, Chicago, will come to Brown with a scholastic average which placed him 12th in a class of 455 at Lane Technical High School, Chicago's largest. He was on the school honor roll for four years, and is a member of the National Honor Society. Clayton was treasurer of the senior class last year and was a commencement speaker in June. In extra curricular activities, Clayton was president of the dramatics club, vice president of the dance club and a member of the student council. He competed in tennis, swimming and intramural sports. He was a junior assistant scoutmaster.

Corcoran is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Corcoran of 830 Milburn Street, Evanston. For three years he was president of his class and was graduated in June with a scholastic average of 94. He was cadet commander in the R. O. T. C. in his senior year, winning the Chicago Tribune medal for scholastic achievement and military ability. Last year Corcoran was on the business staff of his senior year book, and has been secretary of the literary, science and Hi Y clubs. He won his letter in swimming for two years and holds two school boxing championships. Corcoran is an eagle scout.

Cramp, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Cramp of 62 Mishvane Road, Montclair, concluded his four years of scholastic distinction at Montclair High School, where he was consistently in the top 10th of his class, by winning the William Randall Spaulding prize of \$250 at graduation. He was a member of the sophomore sub council, took part in public speaking, was prominent in school activities, and competed in soccer, track, volleyball and basketball. He won his letter in soccer. Cramp has been virtually self-supporting for the past two years.

### *For the Constitution's Birthday: an Illumination of U. H.*



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► DRENNAN is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Drennan, of 642 North East Avenue, Oak Park, Ill. For four years Drennan was on the honor roll at Oak Park and River Forest Township High School, standing in the upper brackets of his class. At the same time he was a leader in school activities, as president of the chemistry club, sports editor of his class yearbook, and as member of the junior council, the cast of the senior play, debating team, school band, science and mathematics club, and the boys' conference committee. Drennan was captain of the swimming team and a member of the relay squad which set a new secondary school medley relay record in Wisconsin.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jackson of Hamden, Frederick H. Jackson will come to Brown with an exceptional record from Hamden High School and from New Haven High School, where he studied for two years. He maintained an "A" average in all subjects at both schools for his four years of preparation. Jackson was president of his class at Hamden High School for two years and was editor of his school newspaper last year. He was also a member of the student council, played in the band, and was assistant leader of the freshman-sophomore Hi-Y. He has been president of the New Haven Youth Council, and received a D. A. R. citizenship medal in 1934.

### To Another Presidency

► ADD the name of Roy Tasco Davis '10 to the list of Brown men now serving as college presidents. In July Davis became president of National Park College, successor to National Park Seminary, Forest Glen, Md., after having served for four years as assistant to the president of Stephens College in his old home town of Columbia, Mo.

For eight years, 1913 to 1921, Davis was secretary of Stephens College. Then President Harding named him United States Minister to Guatemala. He served as Minister to Costa Rica and Panama under Presidents Coolidge and

Hoover, resigning in 1933 with the change of Administration at Washington. He made a fine record in Latin America, and at the time of his resignation the State Department said that it was gratifying to know "of the esteem and even affection with which the Panamanians, both officials and people, have constantly regarded Mr. Davis."

Stephens College is for girls. So is National Park College, and President Davis starts his first year with considerable understanding of the problems confronting him.

### R. I. State Librarians

► HERBERT O. BRIGHAM, for thirty-four years Rhode Island State Librarian, resigned in July, and Grace M. Sherwood '06, his chief assistant for many years, succeeded him. In accepting the resignation Secretary of State Louis W. Cappelletti '16 said that he hoped that as State Librarian emeritus, Mr. Brigham would continue to give his "valuable services to our library from time to time."

Since retiring from the office in which he was a pioneer, Mr. Brigham has turned newspaper columnist and is writing "The Information Post" for the *Providence News-Tribune*. His letter of resignation to Secretary Cappelletti speaks for itself:

"On July 3, I completed 34 years of service as State Librarian and during that period, I have seen the library grow from a small collection of 14,000 books to nearly 100,000 volumes.

"During that period, I have made the library a valuable asset to the State and I feel it is now the proper time to apply for retirement under the provisions of Chapter 2334 of the Public Laws, January, 1936.

"I therefore request you to accept my resignation to take effect August 1, 1937."

"I appreciate your continued courtesies during the five years that you have been in office and I leave the position with high personal regard for you."

## Faculty, On Leave

► SEVEN members of the Brown University faculty will be on leaves of absence during the year to continue their researches and writings in specialized fields, President Wriston has announced. Four other members of the faculty have returned from absences last year.

For the entire year, absences have been granted to Prof. Arthur E. Murphy of the Department of Philosophy, Prof. Albert E. Rand of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, to Prof. Howard B. Grose and Prof. Leicester Bradner of the Department of English, and to Prof. George E. Bigge and Prof. Harry E. Miller of the Department of Economics.

Sabbatic leaves for the first semester have been granted to Prof. Charles W. Brown, chairman of the Department of Geology and to Prof. Jacob D. Tamarkin of the Department of Mathematics. Prof. James B. Hedges of the Department of History will be on leave for the second semester.

Those returning for the year are Prof. Arthur M. Banta of the Department of Biology, Prof. Robert B. Lindsay, chairman of the Department of Physics; Prof. W. Albert Noyes, Jr., of the Department of

Chemistry, and Prof. Charles H. Smiley of the Department of Mathematics.

Planning to spend the year abroad, Prof. Murphy is already in Europe at work on a book on contemporary philosophy, and conferring with leading British and French philosophers. As secretary of the American committee Prof. Murphy assisted with arrangements for the recent International Congress of Philosophers in Paris.

Prof. Bradner will be in London for part of the year, where he will continue his research and complete his book on Anglo-Latin poetry. He expects to spend the balance of his leave in New Haven. Prof. Grose is writing a book on the friendship of Emerson and Thoreau, and the literary influences of each writer upon the other.

Most of Prof. Rand's leave of absence will be spent in Providence. A leave of absence granted last year to Prof. Albert P. Martin, also of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, has been extended through this year so that he may continue in charge of the international Quaker centre in Berlin.

Prof. Brown of the Department of Geology will leave soon for the Smoky Moun-

tains in the South to study the geological formations there. He will take photographs and moving pictures and collect specimens for the geological laboratory at Brown.

Working in the extensive library of the University's Department of Mathematics, Prof. Tamarkin will work on a book on Cesaro summability. He is also writing a book on the moment problem, to be published abroad.

Prof. Hedges will spend most of his sabbatic leave in research with the manuscripts in the John Carter Brown Library. He also expects to spend some time in Washington and in England to continue research on the commercial relations of British North American colonies with England during the colonial period.

► Two of the returning faculty members have been in Europe and the third in South America, with the fourth remaining in the United States for specialized research.

Prof. Lindsay travelled and studied extensively in England and on the continent, spending a month at the University of Vienna and three months in London. He is writing two more books, one on physical statistics and the second a physics textbook.

For most of his second semester leave and during the past summer, Prof. Noyes was at the University of Cambridge, England, continuing his spectroscopic researches in collaboration with leading British scientists.

He sailed again later for a three weeks' trip to attend the International Congress of Biologists, Physicists and Chemists in Paris.

Research on the evolution and genetics of cladocera, a tiny form of marine life, was continued by Prof. Banta last year at the Carnegie laboratories at Cold Spring Harbor, Long Island. ◀ ◀

## Football, 1937

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In the backfield seven players have had a chance to show their mettle, two of them subsequently being hurt. Available later will be the promising triple-threat Sophomore, Blount, New York Club prize scholar, and Sigloch, a converted Sophomore linesman, both of whom were injured in scrimmages. Other pre-season casualties were Adolph Sharkey, veteran tackle, Digenaro, Sophomore guard, Barney, Sophomore tackle, and Danny Hicks, back, whose return was eagerly awaited. It was unfortunate some could not have had more game experience as varsity players.

A casual reference to the data above will show the major part being played by Sophomores in the destiny of the 1937 varsity.

De Ormond McLaughry, starting his 12th year as Brown head coach, had two new assistants this fall. "Eck" Allen, former West Virginia star, who had been coaching at Parkersburg, W. Va., high school, is the new backfield coach; and Jerry Dalrymple, Tulane University's All-American, is in charge of the end squad. Denny Myers, University of Iowa graduate and former coach at Yale and West Virginia, is line coach for his second year. Again Wally Snell is chief scout and second team coach. ◀

▶ FORTY-SEVEN candidates were invited to report for preliminary drills in September, a fortnight before college opened. Seventeen of them were Sophomores. While less than half of the varsity squad had donned Saturday helmets early in the season, there was assurance that they would have more than scrimmage for their reward this year. For the first time in recent campaigns, a Jayvee schedule had been arranged, calling for games against the Dartmouth, Harvard, and Rhode Island Junior Varsities, but lack of material forced its cancellation.

With most of the players who had handed Brown a resounding 27-0 defeat last year in its line-up, and plenty of reserves, Connecticut State opened the 1937 schedule, but the Bear had a sweet 20-0 revenge. Although fumbles took the fire out of its first-half attack, Brown showed power and promise in the later periods. Brown had 14 first downs against 6, gained 307 yards by rushing as against 133, and completed two forwards in five attempts for 23 yards and a touchdown, the while maintaining a stout defense against enemy aerials. Drives of 64, 59, 70 and 68 yards showed the consistency of the attack. Hall was the biggest ground gainer among the Brunonians, scoring once on a 15-yard end sweep and running 28 yards for the game's longest dash. John McLaughry, singled out for attention in the stands and on the field, nevertheless showed a smashing line-back more than once and played a hard defensive game. Bernstein scored on a well executed reverse, while Atwell's pass to Progers was the final, spectacular touchdown. ◀

▶ AGAINST a stubborn Rhode Island eleven there were lapses, notably in the quarter-backing and on the defense against an unorthodox spread formation, and the Brunonians' victory was by no tremendous



**SOCCER COACH FLETCHER**  
*His players are "on the spot."*

margin. Half-time score was 6 to 6, and the final was 13 to 6, State having turned back one assault a foot from the goal. In making all the points, Hall brought his total in two games to 20, and his ball-carrying and punting continued of a high order, despite the constant demands made on him through the whole game. Foster ran the State punts back nicely, and McLaughry, though well watched, contributed his yardage. But the blocking was less hearty, and the selection of plays unambitious, seeming not to take advantage of the Rhode Island defensive formations. Four out of nine passes, mostly of the last-chance variety, worked for 53 yards, and less-labeled attempts might have been indicated. This game saw a wider use of the famous McLaughry triple-wing-back offence, absent for a season or two, and showing its former virtues and limitations. One lateral was attempted, the first of the season. Brown had an 11 to 8 advantage in first downs, a 201 to 97 advantage in rushing yardage. Brown fumbled but once, and another noteworthy feature was the 48-yard average for punts.

Moreover, Brown had won two football games in a row, a feat of no recent performance hitherto. And crowds of 6000 and 7500 showed public interest in the Bear's climb back from the depths. ◀ ◀

### Champion's Lot

▶ ▶ BROWN varsity soccer players knew they were on the spot as they opened their 1937 campaign. Undefeated last season, when it won the New England Intercollegiate League championship, the team was aware that it would be marked for special attention from every opponent this fall, with several definitely pointing for the Brown

game as the crucial one. Such is the lot of a champion.

But the Brunonians could do a little preparing themselves, and they took a tip from the football teams of the land by making an early start. Coach Sam Fletcher sent out letters to 26 players, asking them to come back to college for preliminary practice. He did so at the initiative of the players, who, anxious to continue their line record, were willing to return "on their own" for two weeks' drills before college opened.

It was obvious that that work had borne fruit when the team started off impressively against Wesleyan, Harrington doing all the scoring in a 3-1 Brown triumph. Coach Fletcher relied for the most part on veterans, including eight Seniors and four Juniors out of 15 who saw action. Playing were Corn, Dearden, Brennan, Dickinson, Jackson, Kelly, Burkhardt, Gurll, Harrington, Gaffney, Foote, Hooper, Swallow, and Quinn.

In beating W. P. L. 3-1 on the first Saturday in October, the varsity continued its record without defeat. The last opponent to win from Brown had been Springfield in 1935. ◀ ◀

### The New Track Team

▶ MAL WILLIAMS of Providence, outstanding schoolboy coach in Rhode Island, has been appointed Brown Varsity track coach by the Athletic Council, according to Dr. Frederick W. Marvel, Director of athletics. Williams succeeds J. Fred Powers of Worcester, who has been Brown varsity coach for the past 14 years.

Coach Williams comes to Brown after coaching experience at four Rhode Island schools, including Moses Brown School, and Pawtucket, Hope and Cranston high schools. He coached at Moses Brown in 1927, at Hope from 1928 through 1931, at Cranston during the year 1931-32, and at Hope since that time. He coached at Pawtucket for three years before his work at Moses Brown, taking up his duties there after a competitive career at Pawtucket.

During his coaching career, his teams have won seven of eight league titles in Rhode Island, have won seven indoor titles, and have taken three of the State titles in the Rhode Island State College interscholastics.

He has had a hand in coaching six former Brown captains before they entered college, including John S. Collier, W. Irving Reid, George Troy, Bernie Lewis, Tom Gilbane and Ben Horowitz. ◀ ◀

### Invited Again to Brown

▶ FOR the third time since 1932 Brown University will be host to the New England Intercollegiate track and field meet when this famous event is held on Brown Field next May. On both previous occasions, 1932 and 1936, the Brunonians fared better than usually, and this year should have a number of outstanding competitors. Rhode Island State College will be the defending champion.

The assignment of the championship meet to Brown for the second time in three years is considered not only a compliment to the good facilities but also to those who conducted the two-day meet. ◀ ◀

# The Oldest Living Grad

▶▶ OLDEST of Brown graduates is Dr. George Hurlburt Felton of Berca, Ky., who succeeded to that distinction on the death of Orray Taft '69 last summer. The University's letter informing Dr. Felton of his seniority among Brown men, brought an interesting reply from the venerable physician and teacher, which we are privileged to print.

Though Brown Trustee William E. Lincoln '68 was graduated a year before Dr. Felton, the latter is the older man. Which merits the title of "oldest living graduate"?

Over the past year a friendly but lively controversy has been carried on by alumni writing in these columns, arguing the proper definition and application of the phrase, which has seemed to lend itself to various interpretation. Nor has the matter been settled if we are to judge from a letter championing Mr. Lincoln, now a resident of Sarasota, Fla. However, in extending the felicitations of the University, Corporation, Faculty and Alumni, Vice President James P. Adams wrote to Dr. Felton: "I am informed by the Secretary of the Associated Alumni that you are now the oldest living graduate of Brown University."

"It is our hope," Dr. Adams went on, "that you may long hold this distinction among the ten thousand sons of Brown who are scattered throughout the world."

"Sixty-eight classes have followed in your foot-steps down the hill. During the period since your graduation the University has grown and developed in its physical and financial resources in the size of its Faculty and student personnel, and in the size of its Alumni body. But we cherish the belief that Brown is still adhering to the high purpose to which she was dedicated by the founders—a purpose written large in the language of the charter—and is translating her old ideals into significant educational achievement in the world in which we live today."

"We salute you and send our affectionate greetings from College Hill."

Speaking of this recognition as one of the "compensations" of advanced age, Dr. Felton bespoke his grateful appreciation in a letter of acknowledgment.

"I have thought of Brown University as my own Alma Mater since as a boy its name was almost a household word, my father being a graduate in the Class of '39," he continued. "My own class of '69 enjoyed the honor of being the first of the second century of classes, as indicated in your address in Sayles Hall at the last Commencement when you referred to the outgoing class as 'the 169th to leave these gates'."

"I am grateful to my Alma Mater and proud of her record and her achievements—of her Corporation, of her Faculty, past and present, and of her Alumni—of the distinguished names that appear on the roll of her graduates. May her Star never pass its Zenith."

▶ REITERATING a previous contention on the question of seniority, Dr. Walter L. Munro '79 of Providence writes as follows:

To the Editor of the Alumni Monthly:

Unlike poets, graduates are made, not born. Their career, as graduates, begins on and dates from the day on which they receive their diplomas.

Previous to the death of Doctor George B. Peck, the candidate for the honor of "Oldest Living Graduate" had always been the oldest member of the oldest class which had a survivor or survivors. This rule was clearly laid down by the late President Faunce in a discussion with other alumni and members of the Faculty.

In an article in the MONTHLY for December 1936, the present writer stated that fact and flattered himself that he had made the rule clear beyond dispute. As a precedent he recalled the comparatively recent cases of Hon. Augustus O. Bourn of the class of 1855, Rev. Wm. J. Batt, also of 1855, and Hon. Thomas W. Bicknell of the class of 1860. Mr. Bicknell of the class of 1860 was the oldest in years of the three but Messrs. Bourn and Batt of the class of 1855 were his seniors by five years as graduates. They enjoyed the title successively, the Rev. William J. Batt outliving Mr. Bicknell by less than a month so that the latter never attained to it. He never laid claim to the title though he was proud of occasional mentions in the press as the oldest living alumnus of Brown.

By what authority, or lack of authority, is not clear, this rule was violated on the death of Dr. Peck; Orray Taft of the class of 1866 was passed by in favor of Martin Smith of the class of 1867. Orray Taft was fortunate enough to live to come into his own on the death of Martin Smith.

Now, with the passing of Orray Taft, if this time honored rule is to be followed, William E. Lincoln of the class of 1868, eldest of the sons of the late beloved Prof. John L. Lincoln, is, beyond dispute, the oldest living graduate, by one year, of Brown University. Now is the time to determine whether we are to substitute a new rule for the old and, if so, by what authority.

▶ IN a letter to the editor, published in the June MONTHLY, E. C. Frost '90 speaks of the "needless confusion produced by making a distinction between an alumnus and a graduate." The Historical Catalogue of Brown University clearly makes this distinction by listing hundreds of names of alumni with an "n" (non) before the date of the class with which they were enrolled. All who have been received by matriculation into the family of Mother Brown, be their stay at her feet long or short, are listed as alumni, the "n" differentiating the non-graduates from the graduates. Both are alumni, Webster so defines them.

Among these non-graduates are many of the most loyal "Sons of Brown," most generous givers to the Alumni Fund and other funds.

But they are *alumni*, not graduates "ordinary American speech" to the contrary, notwithstanding.

Had the title in question been "oldest living alumnus" Horace F. Carpenter, 1864 non graduate, who died this Spring, would have held it for several years previous to his death and neither Dr. Peck nor Martin Smith would have attained it. Orray Taft would have held it for two or three months before his death.

The old rule is logical, factual and free from pitfalls. The sooner it is authoritatively established, the better.

WALTER L. MUNRO

(Note: the Alumni Office uses the date of a graduate's birth rather than the date of his graduation in determining who is the oldest living graduate. It was on this basis that it recognized Dr. Felton's seniority.)

## Strengthening the Faculty

▶▶ FIVE new professors at Brown University began the academic year as classes started on September 22nd in the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures, the Department of English, the Department of Economics and the Department of Biology.

Prof. Harcourt Brown, formerly head of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures at Washington University, St. Louis, has assumed his position as chairman of the same department at Brown. He is also professor of the French language and literature.

Dr. Randall Stewart, who has been appointed professor of English literature, has come to Brown from Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn.

Two new men are now with the Department of Economics—Dr. Philip Taft, formerly associate economist on the Social Security Board, and Dr. Donald C. Horton, until recently economic analyst with the Departments of Commerce and Agriculture. Both have been appointed assistant professors.

In the Department of Biology, Dr. George W. Kidder from the College of the City of New York has taken up his work as an assistant professor.

Another assistant professor in the Department of English, Dr. Robert Gale Noyes, will come to Brown from Harvard for the beginning of the second semester. Dr. Noyes is a Brown alumnus in the class of 1921.

Dr. Frank P. Jones of the University of Wisconsin has been appointed an instructor in Greek and Latin classics. Vice-President Adams also announced. Prof. Russel M. Geer has resigned to become chairman of the Classics Department at Tulane University.

▶ THE new chairman of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures is prominently identified with a number of learned societies, and is especially known for his researches and publications on the development of learning in the 17th century and of the impact of scientific thought on 17th century France. He has travelled and studied extensively in Europe.

Prof. Brown is a native of Toronto, Canada, receiving his A.B. degree from the University of Toronto in 1925 and his M.A. degree from the same institution in 1926. Columbia University awarded a Ph.D. degree in 1934.

As travelling fellow for the American Council of Learned Societies in 1934-35, Prof. Brown continued his studies in England and the Netherlands. He was appointed to the faculty of Washington University.

Prof. Brown is a member of the Modern Language Association of America, the American Association of Teachers of French, and the History of Science Society. He has published numerous articles in his field.

Dr. Stewart's interests are in the field of American Literature, in which Brown's library resources are internationally known. He attended Vanderbilt University (graduating in 1917 to serve in the World War. In 1921 he received his A.M. degree from Harvard and his Ph.D. degree from Yale in 1930.

Dr. Stewart has taught at the University of Oklahoma and at the University of Idaho. He was assistant professor of English at Yale from 1931 until 1934 when he was visiting professor at the University of North Carolina.

▶ In the Department of Economics, Prof. Taft and Prof. Horton will take over courses formerly conducted by Prof. George E. Bigge and Prof. Harry E. Miller, who are on leaves of absence for the year. Prof. Bigge is serving on the Social Security Board in Washington.

Prof. Taft is a native of Norman, Okla., and received his A.B. and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Wisconsin in 1932 and 1935. From 1932 until 1935 he was regional advisor with the Resettlement Administration, and taught in the Bureau of Labor Statistics summer school last year.

Coming to Brown from Ohio State University, Prof. Horton holds B.S. and M.A. degrees from his alma mater. After further study he was awarded a Ph.D. degree at the University of Michigan, where he held his first teaching position from 1927 until 1934.

He then went to Washington as an economic analyst for the Department of Commerce and was chief of the debt section, publishing a study dealing with long term debts. Later he was associated with the Department of Agriculture in a study of farm debts. Prof. Horton has published articles on his analyses.

Dr. Kidder, the new assistant professor of biology, has published a variety of articles in biological journals on his researches

in the field of protozoology, in which he is especially interested.

He is a graduate of the University of Oregon in 1926, with an A.B. degree; received his M.A. degree from the University of California in 1929 and his Ph.D. degree from Columbia in 1930.

He went to the faculty of the College of the City of New York in 1929 as an assistant, and was made an instructor in 1933. For the past three summers he has been

instructor in protozoology at the Marine Biological Laboratory at Woods Hole, Mass.

The new instructor in Greek and Latin Classics, Dr. Jones, holds B.A. and M.A. degrees from Stanford University and a Ph.D. degree from the University of Wisconsin, where he has been a teaching fellow for the past two years. He travelled and studied in Europe before accepting his first teaching position at Reed College, Portland, Ore., in 1927.

## The Associated Alumni

### New York's Sendoff

▶ ▶ WITH seventy guests present and with President Everett Colby '97 in the chair, the annual luncheon for students entering Brown this fall from the metropolitan district was held at the Brown University Club in New York, Thursday, Sept. 9. President Colby was the only speaker. Ernest G. Hapgood, Jr., '31 was in charge of arrangements for the luncheon, which has become an integral part of the Club's social program.

The following members have been appointed committee chairmen by the Board of Governors for the 1937-38 season: Entertainment, Allen B. Sikes '23; Membership, Frederick H. Rohlf's '26; Scholarship, Joseph F. Halloran '16; Sub-Freshman, Donald V. Reed '36; Squash, David H. Scott '32; Sub-Freshman Interviews, Ernest G. Hapgood, Jr., '31; and Golf, John H. Curtis '30.

Plans for the fall social program are not definite at present writing owing to the change of executive secretaries. A dinner will be held at the Club early in October, to be followed later in the month by a dinner at the American Museum of Natural History which will include a visit to the Planetarium and to which ladies will be invited. The annual dinner for fathers of undergraduates will be in December and the 70th annual dinner of the New York alumni will take place in January.

The Club squash tournament, planned for the third week of October, will be a handicap tournament. There will be two Brown teams in the Metropolitan Squash Racquets League this year. Classes A and B.

"Congratulations," said the recent Bulletin of the Brown University Club in New York, "are in order for the following members who have been married during the past six months: W. R. Dorman '92, R. S. Adams '26, J. N. Cooper '32, W. B. Leonard '51, K. A. O'Brien '28, R. L. Rockefeller '25, G. A. Slader '34, Walter Hoving '31, and H. W. Horton '29.

"The following members have become proud fathers since the last Bulletin: W. E. Sprackling '12, W. Waldau '23, Donald O'Neill '31, F. K. Singiser, Jr. '28, C. B. Brown '31, S. V. Van Derzee '32, and L. O. Wolcott '27."

### An Appreciation

▶ ▶ JOSEPH A. O'NEIL '31, for six years the tireless and devoted executive secretary of the Brown University Club in New York, has resigned to accept a position with General Motors Export Company. Succeeding him is Douglas S. Windall '37.

When O'Neil graduated in 1931 he was

hailed by his classmates as the one most likely to succeed in life and the one who had done most for the class. He did many things in college, and did them all without fuss or fret. He has done just as many things, and more, as secretary of the New York Club, and has done them all efficiently and commendably.

He has conducted luncheons, arranged programs and the annual dinner, gathered news, written a monthly letter for the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY about the activities of the Club, handled tickets for football games, sat on the Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni, worked with the committee in charge of selecting applicants for admission under ACAP, put many Brown men in touch with employment possibilities, and organized and kept in splendid fashion the always changing list of Brown men in the metropolitan area.

His energy, his smile, his diplomacy have been invaluable in the upbuilding of the Brown University Club in New York, and he takes with him into his new work the best wishes of hundreds of Brown men.

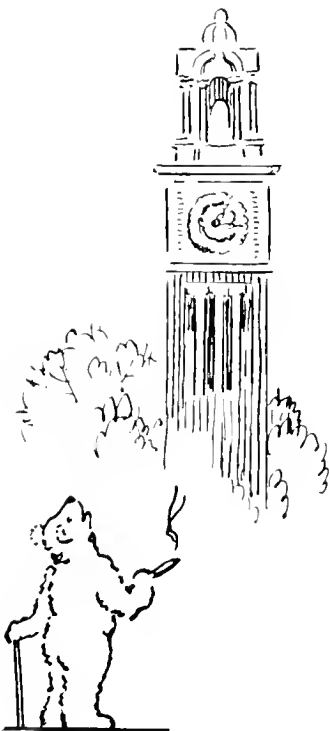
His successor, Douglas Widnall, was a leader in extra curricular activities while at Brown. He was president of the Interfraternity Governing Board, president of his fraternity, Theta Delta Chi, member of Owl and Ring, captain of the indoor track team, and participant in Freshman football and basketball. He brings to his new place many of the qualities that have so markedly characterized Joe O'Neil. While he is getting acquainted with his office, O'Neil will work with him.

### Chicago's Freshmen

▶ ▶ FORTY-SEVEN members of the Brown Club of Chicago attended the annual luncheon given at the University Club Thursday, Sept. 9, for the Freshman from the Chicago region headed for Brown. Surprise guest was Coach Leo Barry of the Brown swimming team who was in Chicago for the fourth annual swimming clinic and who pointed out in his talk that Chicago had sent some excellent swimmers to Brown, chief of them being David L. (Davy) Jones '24, whose sprint marks stood unbeaten for ten years.

Brief speakers were President Earle V. Johnson '24, Elmer T. Stevens '04, Ashley Greene '21, vice president of the Club, Palmer App '37, and Harry L. Judd, Jr., '38, undergraduate representative. Three facts about the 1941 delegation stand out:

First, present were the three Chicago area scholars, Jack Clayton of Chicago, Charles Corcoran of Evanston and Fred Drennan, Jr., of Oak Park, who were awarded three of the five nationally distributed John Hay scholarships. That the



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Brown Club of Chicago is greatly appreciative of this signal honor bestowed upon these young men who come from the prairies of the mid-west goes without saying. We are quite certain that a search through the John Hay scholarship records will fail to disclose any other instance wherein three men were chosen from any one of the five areas in a given year.

Second, in Emile LeGros of River Forest, the Brown Club of Chicago is confident it has selected one of the best holders of its annually awarded scholarships ever sent to Providence.

Third, the entering class of 1941 coming to Brown from the Chicago area is the largest of the past seven years. Included in the seventeen-man Chicago delegation are, in addition to the four scholarship winners, Edward Barr, James Cunningham, John Burton and Clark Loomis, Jr., all of Chicago, R. Douglas Davis, Harry O'Melia and Harold Stege of Oak Park, Albert

Carpenter and Rollo Gullickson, Jr., of Wilmette; Arthur Bonnet of Kenilworth; Robert Mechem of Lake Forest; Charles Norman of Hinsdale, and John Solisburg of Aurora.

Other members of the class of 1941 in Chicago for the luncheon were Douglas Kutenkunst and Robert Kremers of Milwaukee, and Hugh Ross of Sheboygan, Wis.

### Woonsocket's Loss Is . . .

▶ REV. SAMUEL A. LIVINGSTON, who received his A.M. from Brown in 1928 and a former president of the Brown Club of Woonsocket, is now minister of the Washington Park Methodist Church, Providence. He was minister in Woonsocket for eight years during which time he was an active and helpful leader in Brown affairs. His Providence address is 250 Massachusetts Avenue.

## Brunonians Far and Near

### 1874

▶ ▶ REV. BARNARD C. TAYLOR, D.D., famous Hebrew scholar, died in Red Bank, N. J., Sept. 24, 1937, as he made ready to begin another year of teaching at Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, Philadelphia. Just a month before his death he wrote the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY to report celebration of his 60th anniversary of graduation from Crozer Theological Seminary last June, and to say that he would continue to teach Hebrew to a good-sized class at Eastern Seminary this academic year. To his three sons and other members of his family sympathy of Brown men is given.

### 1875

Dr. Samuel L. Caldwell of Colorado, Colo., is now the oldest living member of Epsilon Chapter of Zeta Psi.

### 1883

Dean Emeritus William E. Simonds is the author of "Newton Bateman, LL.D.," a monograph on the life and work of a great president of Knox College. Dean Simonds attended the centenary of Knox in Galesburg, Ill., last June, and met many of his old students and friends.

### 1886

Charles E. Lawton's present address is 506 West 113th Street, New York City.

Professor Emeritus Albert Knight Potter has fully recovered from an emergency operation for appendicitis performed at the June Brown Hospital, Providence, shortly after Commencement.

### 1887

The Secretary records with regret the news of the death of Isaac Hudson Gilbuly in Eatontown, N. J., Sept. 11, 1937, and conveys the sympathy of the Class to Mrs. Gilbuly. An account of our classmate's career will appear in a later issue of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY.

### 1891

Miss Gladys Candler Hinckley, daughter of Frank L. Hinckley and Mrs. Hinckley and a graduate of Smith College, was married to Arnold Porter, son of Dr. Emory M. Porter '06, at Narragansett, Aug. 7, 1937.

### Spare Print

▶ "MASSACHUSETTS SUPREME COURT JUSTICE FRID T. FIELD (Brown, 1900) had an unexpected addition to his photograph album tonight and he knew not from whence it came," said an AP story from Boston on Aug. 5, last.

"The justice reported that as he walked from the court house to the south railroad station what appeared to be a piece of paper fluttered to the street at his feet. Curious, he picked it up, to discover it was a photo of himself.

"Obviously it had blown from an office desk in a nearby building. The justice pocketed it to await a claimant, if any, he said, and if not to place it in his album."

### 1893

J. D. E. Jones, tennis player whose name is synonymous with the game in Rhode Island and who with his sons, J. D. E. Jones, Jr., '23 and Arnold W. Jones, has been a consistent winner in the national father and son doubles championship and other tournaments, has given a three-year cup for the Thayer street open tennis championship in Providence to be known as the J. D. E. Jones Cup. The trophy went into competition for the first time during the summer.

Thomas H. Rothwell, practicing law at 140 West Street, New York City, is living at 60 Lewis Parkway, Yonkers, N. Y.

Dr. Carter Davidson, new President of Knox College, in his inaugural address at the time of the centenary of Knox in Galesburg, Ill., last June said: "The union with Lombard College has made Knox heir to her fine record of teaching, exemplified in the man who was dean of both institutions, Charles M. Poor."

Edward H. Weeks, president of Old Colony Co-operative Bank, Providence, is vice chairman of the New England District League of Federal Savings Institutions, organized last month in Swampscott, Mass.

### 1895

Oscar F. Bellows, retired and living at 6 Oak Street, Danielson, Conn., is devoting a large part of his time to his hobby, philately.

Dr. Henry J. Hoye and Mrs. Hoye are now settled at the Rhode Island State Home and School, of which Dr. Hoye became superintendent last June.

### 1896

Rev. J. Canfield Van Doren is minister of Schoonmaker Memorial Presbyterian Church, Stillwater, N. Y. "Booked for retirement," he said in a note during the summer, "which seemed fitting . . . but I am still active in my chosen vocation for a few more years."

Rev. G. Dewitt Dowling, D.D., reports his present address to be Venice, Fla.

Rev. Henry F. Huse, pastor of North Haven Baptist Church, officiated at the marriage of Constance Cutter Morrow, daughter of the late Dwight W. Morrow '28, honorary, to Aubrey Niel Morgan at the Morrow summer home, Deacon Browns Point, Me., June 22. Huse's poem, "John Davidson Rockefeller," a tribute to the late philanthropist, won attention in a summer issue of *The Watchman-Examiner*.

Former Justice John S. Murdock has been re-elected vice president of The University Club of Providence.

### 1897

John D. Rockefeller's oldest son, John D. Rockefeller, 3rd, has been elected a life Trustee of Princeton University.

Albert G. Utley, representative with E. I. DuPont de Nemours Company, Empire State Building, is living at 601 West 68th Street, New York City.

Charles E. Lewis's new house address is 41 Kipling Road, Wellesley Hills, Mass.

### 1898

Rev. Joseph Taylor, D.D., home from China, where he has been missionary and teacher for 30 years and where his work at West China Union University, Chengtu, has made him famous in the missionary-educational field, reports his present address to be 1100 South Goodman Street, Rochester, N. Y. Taylor spoke at a dinner meeting last month at Central Baptist Church, Providence, and briefly visited the campus before heading for Rochester.

Gardner Cornett, retired, is living in Clearwater, Fla., according to information given the Alumni Office.

William H. Cady, chemist with United States Finishing Company and president of the American Association of Textile Chemists, has collaborated in compiling a bibliography of mercerization which brings into one list all references to the subject since the publication of Mercer's original patent in 1850.

John A. Gammons' daughter, Miss Elizabeth Gammons, is studying at the University of Maine.

James A. Dunne, Justice of the New York State Supreme Court, filled his old undergraduate role as catcher when Dunsbaugh Field, home of the Maplewood baseball club, was opened in Maplewood, N. H., last July.

### 1900

Arthur L. Perry, president of the Washington Trust Company, Westerly, has been elected a director of the Equitable Marine and Fire Insurance Company, Hartford, Conn.

Dr. Ray L. Whitney, formerly on the staff of McLean Hospital, Waverley, Mass., has changed his address to 124 Pine Street, Belmont, Mass.

## 1901

Ernest T. Williamson, practising law at 830 Essex Building, Newark, N. J., lives at 115 Waverly Place, New York City.

Elmer S. Chace is chairman of the speakers bureau of the 1937 Providence Community Fund Campaign.

During the middle part of July, Roy H. Smith, Halley Waller, and C. E. Bryant accompanied the Cleveland Bird Club on a tour of special observation of the habits of birds on and near Middle Bass Island. A notable instance of homing adjustment was seen on Starve Island, where thousands of screaming terns (*Sterna hirundo*) rear their flocks on the glacially grooved limestone of this curious little island.

"After studying the birds and flora of Middle Bass Island, we visited the well known gorge of the Huron River near Milan, for the express purpose of studying and collecting the numerous forms and types of concretions for which this locality is justly famous. We found many enormous clay stone concretions weighing a ton or more, but decided it wise to leave these behind. We did collect, however, a considerable number of the quite unusual concretions of beautifully crystallized iron sulphide or marcasite. In these Huron shales we collected fine specimens of the fossil calamite, *Calamites moratus*, which is found in connection with fossil fish *Dinichthys*.

"A little later this fall, we propose to make a more thorough study of this fascinating Huron River gorge and endeavor to find a fossil fish. Roy is a geologist as well as a bird specialist, and wonders if other boys of the famous but venerable class of '01 wish to join us."

## 1903

Professor Lester B. Shippee's son, Burrell Warner Shippee, has received one of the six fellowships offered by Harvard in the university Department of Government for preparation for the public service.

President Harry W. Rockwell is back at his desk at the New York State College for Teachers, recovered after his illness which forced him to the sidelines some months ago. His family was in a motor car accident in June, but all members of it are happily well and active again.

Rev. Isaac Fleming, former pastor of the Congregational Church, Sheffield, Ill., has returned to California, we are told, where his address is 6565 Homewood Avenue, Hollywood.

Dr. George W. Eddy, teacher of history and economics at South High School, Youngstown, O., has written a textbook which the University of Pennsylvania Press will publish. For the past 22 years he has been at South High, and can show an A M

from Harvard (as well as from Brown) and a Ph.D. from Ohio State. "The five years that I spent at Brown," he said in a letter, "were about the most important in my mental development, and they will never be forgotten. Next June I am planning to attend the 35th Reunion of my class in Providence." Eddy has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his wife, Louise Sanders Eddy, who died July 9 after an operation.

## 1904

Eliot R. Scudder is general manager of Jarvis & Jarvis, Inc., manufacturers of casters and trucks, Palmer, Mass., but he still lives at 41 Mt. Vernon Street, Braintree, Mass.

Ilsey Boone was an active figure at the annual convention of nudists held late in August at Mays Landing, N. J. Many newspapers carried pictures of Boone as one of the leaders in planning and carrying out the convention.

Joseph W. Mackenzie is senior technical advisor with the Social Security Board, Washington, where he is living at 2933 Cathedral Avenue.

## 1905

Fred Schwinn is with L. G. Balfour Company, manufacturing jewelers known for their school, college and fraternity jewelry, Attleboro, Mass.

Paul Weiss's son holds a fellowship in the University of Rochester.

Ralph G. Johnson has changed his business address to 307 N. Michigan Avenue, Chicago.

Ira Z. Allen reports a granddaughter in his family last year and a grandson this year, while W. A. Albrecht, writing from Veedersburg, Ind., also records advent of granddaughter and grandson during the past year. Albrecht added that he never knew what politics could be like until he was let out of a civil service job after 11 years service.

## 1906

Richard D. Tucker is the new superintendent of schools of Stonington, Conn., where he began his duties last month after having been in charge of South Hadley, Mass., Schools for the past six years.

The Lamport Manufacturing Supply Company, of which Samuel C. Lamport is president, is occupying buildings of the former American Printing Company in Fall River, Mass.

Philip V. Van Arsdale, whose address has been missing at the Alumni Office for some years, is reported to be living at 301 East Front Street, Plainfield, N. J. His mother, Mrs. Mary Emma Van Arsdale, well known in New Jersey as artist and teacher of art, died at her home in Plainfield in July.

A note during the summer from John P. Mead confirmed his address at Pampa, Tex., Route 2, and we presume that Mead is still on the job with Empire Gas & Fuel Company.

Dr. Albert W. Claflin was re-elected president of Rhode Island College of Pharmacy and Allied Sciences at the annual meeting of the corporation in July. In his first annual report Claflin urged greater alumni interest in the institution and the beginning of an endowment fund of at least \$100,000.

Dr. Edgar S. Brightman's latest book, "The Future of Christianity," has just come from the Abingdon Press.

## 1907

William E. Bright was one of four speakers who took part in the midsummer forum held by the Scranton, Pa., Rotary Club on "The Future of Scranton." He told his audience that "tax burdens should be lessened the first two or three years after an industry starts," and suggested that "the Chamber of Commerce legislative committee make a survey of the tax laws before they are passed. Taxes often strangle industries before earning power starts." Bright's second son, George C. Bright, has begun his Senior year at Brown after having spent his Junior year studying in France.

Lee H. White is occupying his new accounting office at 347 Madison Avenue, New York City.

Harold W. Paine, Jr., better known as Bill Paine, is a Freshman at Brown. Like his father he is a baseball player and golfer.

Fred S. Auty is back in Washington with Federal Communications Commission after a tour of the Gaspé and Nova Scotia with Mrs. Auty during the summer. On the way home the Autys visited R. F. (Pat) Brooks and Mrs. Brooks in Taunton, and looked up other old friends in and near Providence.

R. B. Jones, V. A. Schwartz, A. H. Gurney and R. F. Brooks paired off in golf at Segregan-ett, home course of Brooks, last month, and the Brooks-Gurney combination again finished slightly ahead.

George Hurley, Jr., is a member of the Class of 1941 on the Hill, with a good record as a student at Hope Street High School to improve upon and thus emulate his father at Brown.

## 1908

E. Biddle Conklin, superintendent with the Semet-Solvay Company, has changed his house address from Redford, Detroit, Mich., to 1754 North Second Street, Ironton, O.

Clarkson A. Collins, Jr., represents the Class of 1904 on the Council of the Alumni Association of Worcester Academy.

Benson R. Frost and Mrs. Frost were back on the campus at opening of college to see their son, Ben, Jr., duly enrolled and settled as a Freshman.

## 1909

Former Lieut. Governor James G. Connolly is serving as the Republican member of the Bureau of Regulation and of Rates and Tariffs in the Rhode Island State Division of Public Utilities.

Irving W. (Bud) Patterson, Jr., of the Annaquatucket Golf Club, Wickford, won the Rhode Island Junior golf championship in July. He also carried off the schoolboy title in May, so he has the honor of completing a double during the year.

George Huxford caught his swordfish for the summer off Block Island. He went swordfishing in his boat Columbia, built by



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his father, and had Ev Moffet's son as his companion on the five-day trip.

Lt. Col. Rex Crockett, U. S. A., formerly military attaché at the American Embassy, Paris, has returned to this country and is on duty at Fortress Monroe, Va.

Donald V. Richardson, auxiliary equipment traffic engineer with the New York Telephone Company in Brooklyn, is living at 210 Franklin St., Bloomfield, N. J.

Clarence W. Bosworth, re-elected Superintendent of Schools of Cranston at the last annual meeting of the Cranston school committee, received a substantial salary increase for the two year term and praise from Mayor Ernest L. Sprague for his work.

Dr. Robert H. Whitmarsh has been elected to the Board of Governors of The University Club of Providence to serve until September, 1940.

Major Joseph Church of the 12th Infantry, U. S. A., is on duty at the University of Iowa, and is living at 927 East College Street, Iowa City.

Charlie Hughes's two sons, Charles and Stuart, are first year students at Harvard Law School.

### 1910

Many of us are wondering how Rev. Stephen D. Pyle of the Peking Union Church and Mrs. Pyle are faring in these days of Sino-Japanese turbulence in Peking. Steve was still at his post, according to last reports.

Warren C. Johnson and Maxwell Barnis have sons in the Freshman Class on the Hill. Young Johnson is a member of the Freshman football squad. He played on the Moses Brown eleven last fall.

### 1911

Robert H. M. Canfield is structural engineer with Fletcher Thompson, Inc., and is living at 2400 North Avenue, Bridgeport, Conn.

Guy H. Gifford, on the sales staff of Good Roads Machinery Corporation, New York City, reports his new mail address to be 70 Eastchester Road, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Miss May Denckla Howe, daughter of Paul D. Howe and Mrs. Howe of Chestnut Hill, Pa., was married to George R. Clark in Chestnut Hill, Sept. 17. The Howes have also announced the engagement of their second daughter, Miss Helen B. Howe, to Walter H. Lippincott, Jr.

### 1912

John T. Winterich, editor of the *American Legion Monthly*, now has his offices at 15 West 48th Street, New York City. Wallgren, cartoonist of *The Stars and Stripes*, the A. E. F. newspaper of which John was an editor, had a fine cartoon of John in the *New York Herald-Tribune* while the American Legion was capturing New York City last month.

Miss Eleanor Dunham Leith, daughter of Royal W. Leith and Mrs. Leith, was married to Minot Grose in Dedham, Mass., Sept. 17. Mrs. Grose is a graduate of Smith College; Mr. Grose has his bachelor's degree from Amherst.

Albert H. Wallace recently opened the Colonial Restaurant in Beverly Hills, Calif., and E. A. (Shad) Adams has written that Al has one of the most attractive eating places in Beverly Hills and is making his appeal to a high class of patrons. "It is of colonial design," Shad added, "and anyone from New England would feel very much at home in the surroundings."

Major Clifford D. Hindle, C. A. C., U. S. A., back from a tour of duty in

Hawaii, is at present located at 1043 P. O. Building, Pittsburgh, Pa.

James C. Elms, Jr., back in Phoenix, Ariz., after a summer spent in Prescott (5300 feet above sea level) wrote in July that illness in the family kept him from attending the 25th Reunion at Narragansett Pier.

### 1913

Professor Thomas C. Shedd of the University of Illinois represented Brown at the centenary of Knox College in Galesburg, Ill., in June.

### 1914

E. R. (Duke) Dukette is practising law at 306 United States National Bank Building, San Diego, Calif.

Miss Elizabeth Parsons, daughter of Edmund S. Parsons and Mrs. Parsons, was married in Warwick Neck, July 22, to Charles Brown Dudley, Jr., of Plaquemine, La. Mr. Dudley is a graduate of University of Tennessee and Harvard Law School.

Charles M. Corcoran, special student with the Class, is with the National Rayon Weavers' Association, Inc., 40 Worth Street, New York City.

### 1915

Cecil M. P. Cross, disbursing officer at the American Embassy, Paris, has been nominated by President Roosevelt to be a secretary of the diplomatic service. Cross went into the foreign service in 1919, and has served in Naples, Cape Town, Barcelona, Paris, and other cities in Europe and Africa.

W. Russell Burwell has left Otis & Co., investment bankers, to become chairman of the board of Brush Development Company, 3311 Perkins Avenue, Cleveland, O.

John B. Abbott, with Ford Motor Company at the Somerville, Mass., branch, is living at 262 Commonwealth Avenue, Boston.

John H. Greene, Jr., clerk of the Rhode Island Superior Court, Newport, was recently named District Deputy Grand Exalted Ruler of Rhode Island for the Elks. He was Exalted Ruler of Newport Lodge in 1932.

### Glamour-Bored

► "ANOTHER Brown boy," said B. K. H. in *The Sideshow* (*Providence Journal*) one day in August, "to crash the searing light of print is Hubbell Robinson, Jr., of the class of 1927, who is hailed in 'Esquire' with these ecstatic words: 'We hail Hubbell Robinson, Jr., as our discovery of the month. He has dared to come right out with "Glamour Girl You Bore Me." He says: "I am thirty one years old, born in Schenectady. Went to Exeter for three and one-half years. The powers that be at Exeter thought I'd be happier if I went somewhere else and knew they'd be, too. Graduated from Brown in 1927. Most memorable feat as an undergraduate was taking Freshman mathematics for four years and getting the lowest mark in the class each year."'

B. K. H. thought "Glamour Girl You Bore Me" a "very smart story, well handled, and all that." Robinson is an account executive in the radio division of Young & Rubicam, Inc., advertising, New York City.

### 1916

G. D. Houtman's job is assistant engineer for Delaware County, Pa., with his headquarters in Media, and out of it, he admits, he makes just enough to roll to his non-paying jobs: Councilman and Highway Committee Chairman for Media Borough, President of Media Business Men's Association, Chairman of Delaware County Committee, American Legion, Secretary, Delaware County Park Association, and Delaware County Children's Camp Association. He adds that from a middling engineer he seems to be slowly descending into a third grade politician.

Francis J. O'Brien is the new Grand Knight of Providence Council, Knights of Columbus.

Philip A. Feiner became Chief Crier of the Town Criers of Rhode Island, well known unit of advertising men, at the annual meeting in Providence last month. Phil has held numerous offices in the Criers, and his election as Chief Crier was unanimous.

F. A. Ballou, Jr., president of the Jewelers Board of Trade, spoke on "The Jewelers Board of Trade and the Retail Jeweler" at the 32nd annual meeting of the American National Retail Jewelers Association in New York City during the summer.

Elmer F. Davenport has begun another year as superintendent of schools of Bloomfield, Conn. During the summer he took a course in education under Dr. C. C. Tillinghast '06 at Columbia University.

### 1917

Dr. Carl O. Lathrop has become executive secretary of the Niagara County Health Association, and also acts as consultant in bacteriology to Niagara Falls Memorial Hospital.

A. Curtis, who has a son in the Freshman Class on the Hill, we hear, celebrated last month his 20th anniversary with the Retail Credit Company, for which he is manager of the New York-Bronx-Westchester Department, with his office at 420 Lexington Avenue, New York City. "He began his career as an inspector in New York," said the company note of congratulation, "later going to Rochester, then back to New York. In 1924 he assumed his first managerial position in charge of the New York Fire and Casualty Office. In 1934 he became manager of the Jamaica office and last year was transferred to his present position."

Edwin A. Wilde, special student with the Class and lecturer in music at Brown and Pembroke College from 1914 to 1920, is organist and choirmaster of Grace Episcopal Church, White Plains, N. Y.

Francis A. King, with the Metal Hose and Tubing Company, has recently changed his house address to 6055 Waterman Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

C. Baird Keach, elected Judge Advocate of the Veterans of the 26th (Yankee) Division at last annual meeting in Portland, Me., was one of the committee which swung the veterans to vote for Providence as scene of the 1938 convention.

### 1918

Dwight T. Colley, New England sales manager for Atlantic Refining Company, is chairman of the annual Red Cross Roll Call being held this month in Providence.

### 1919

S. Mills Harris is engaged in real estate management with William A. White & Sons at 51 East 42nd Street, New York City, and is living at 34 Forest Park Avenue, Larchmont, N. Y.

### A Nazi Jail for Bruonian Spies

▶▶ ARTHUR J. BARRY, JR., '27 and Mrs. Barry, leaders of the Barry Boy Scout Tours left Berlin one day last summer with their party of boys to visit the Dresden China Works. But they went to jail instead of the factory, and Barry gave the full and amusing story of Nazi super-efficiency in the September issue of *Letters*.

Three station wagons (Finkie Gurll '31, former Brown quarterback, drove one of them) carried the boys out of Berlin. They had Belgian license plates, and the boys had cameras. The combination was a serious one—in Germany. The troops they met on the highway didn't like the license plates, and officers ordered the arrest of the boys who were taking pictures and making no bones about it. Ten of the boys were held on suspicion of being Belgian spies, their cameras were taken away, and Barry, coming to the rescue with passports and other proofs of American citizenship, had a difficult time trying to show the Nazis how silly their suspicions were.

Before the American Consul could be called (and it took some manoeuvring to signal one of the party outside to hurry to a telephone away from the jail), the Germans had developed the films, showing tanks, armored cars, artillery, and troop units. The evidence of spying was unquestionable, from their viewpoint. They cross-examined, and Barry argued, and the boys were really wondering how it would all end when the American Consul reached the jail and convinced the officials that American boys at home have a habit of taking pictures of everything they see without regard for censors.

Next year, if they visit Germany, Barry and his boys may make another attempt to visit the Dresden China Works. ◀◀

F. R. Paty is a casualty engineer with Schiff-Terhune & Co., New York City, and lives at 41-26 73rd Street, Jackson Heights, N. Y.

### 1920

F. Donald Brigham, sales agent for the Apinstock Company, 249 Church Street, New York City, is living on Buttonwood Lane, Darien, Conn.

Dr. Chester W. Chinn is specializing in eye, ear, nose and throat, with his office at 209 West 125th Street, New York City.

Willard L. Beaulac has become first secretary of the American Embassy at Havana, Cuba. In his new place, to which he was named after less than a month's service as assistant chief of the new division of American Republics in the Department of State, he is second in rank to Ambassador Jefferson Caffrey.

### 1921

L. R. Foote is industrial gas sales engineer for the Central Illinois Electric and Gas Company, Rockford, where he lives at 23 Westchester Drive.

Said the *Mount Hermon Alumni Quarterly* in its summer issue: "Joel M. Nichols, Jr., writer and advertising man, is recognized as creator of the dinosaur who does so much advertising for Sinclair Oil Company. His travels have taken him to Europe and across the Mediterranean to Algeria but he now lives in New York City and spends part of his time writing the radio program for the Sinclair Minstrel hour."

W. Freeman Crawford, writing in the summer from Detroit, Mich., said that he had been transferred to that city by the American Telephone & Telegraph Company and that he would move his family out from New Jersey at the end of September after they had enjoyed their vacation with Mrs. Crawford's parents in Wilton, N. H. Freeman added that the "housing situation in Detroit is so tough I'm glad of the opportunity to look around." His business address is 2155 Union Guardian Building, Detroit.

### 1922

Howard A. Kenyon has become a member of the firm of F. E. Welch & Company, certified public accountant, with offices at 2109 Industrial Trust Building, Providence.

John H. Whorf is district manager for

Improved Risk Mutuals at 306 Fourth Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

H. Alton Chaffee, salesman with Hooper-Holmes Bureau, Inc., life insurance, New York City, reports his new house address to be 2 Schley Avenue, New Rochelle, N. Y.

Louis L. Destremps is a special agent with the United States Bureau of Internal Revenue. His present post of duty is Louisville, Ky., but he covers considerable territory and seldom stays in the city itself long enough to get acquainted.

### 1923

Dr. T. Barton Akeley, former minister of the Unitarian Church, Amherst, Mass., is Professor of Political Science at Olivet College, Olivet, Michigan, where he lives at 202 Cottage Street. Akeley taught at American University, Cairo, Egypt, University of Rochester, and Harvard before entering the ministry.

Edward H. Hewitson is a chemical engineer in the Film Emulsion Department, Eastman Kodak Company, and is living at 3401 Lake Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

James H. Hagan, Jr., Providence lawyer, is superintendent of the bureau of licenses, Rhode Island State Division of Horse Racing. "There were several candidates," said Lieut. Governor Raymond E. Jordan '17, according to the newspapers, "but I told Mr. Kennelly (State Director of Revenue and Regulation) to name Hagan because I believed Hagan was best qualified for the job."

T. G. (Pete) Simmons, manager of Wells-Ranch, Matheson, Colo., and breeder of fine sheep and alfalfa fed lambs (adv't) said in a letter last month that "we started Barbara in school yesterday in Colorado Springs, and Bill was very disappointed that he could not go too. Bill has a small pair of boxing gloves and can hold his own in the 35 pound class. . . . Ran onto one of Percy Mark's books the other day—'A Tree Grown Straight'—and enjoyed reading it."

Edward J. Gorman is manager of the new Bronx Branch office of Fidelity and Deposit Company of Maryland at 369 East 149th Street, the Bronx, New York City.

Harvey S. Reynolds and C. A. Braitsch are officers of The University Club, Prov-

idence, for the current year. Reynolds is again secretary, and Braitsch is a vice president and chairman of the house Committee.

### 1924

Hilton St. J. Barry, mortgage loan solicitor with Franklin Mortgage & Title Guaranty Company, Newark, is living on Woods End Road, West Orange, N. J.

Robert M. Woods, with Washburn Crosby Company, flour millers, 208 South LaSalle Street, Chicago, is living at 982 Elm Ridge Drive, Glencoe, Ill.

M. Randolph Flather is again serving as treasurer of The University Club, Providence.

Dr. Robert Mazet, Jr., is practising medicine in New York City.

Quentin Reynolds, associate editor of *Collier's* and man-about-town in his leisure hours, has been one of Rudy Vallee's radio program guests, giving forecasts on the season's football teams and games.

Clarence C. Chaffee has begun his work as instructor in physical education and coach of the tennis teams at Williams College, Williamstown, Mass. His chief is Dr. Edwin A. Locke '96.

### 1925

Capt. John A. Isherwood, Medical Corps, U. S. A., home from two years in Hawaii, is on duty at the Station Hospital, West Point, N. Y., and is also doing work with the Department of Military Hygiene.

C. H. (Hal) Neubauer and his family are occupying their new house at 135 Monatiquot Avenue, Braintree, Mass., to which they moved from Hingham, Mass., late in August. Hal commutes from Braintree to Boston, where he is manager of the Hiram Walker Division, Hiram Walker G. & W. Sales Corporation.

Thomas J. Doughty is practising law at 181-183 Main Street, Beacon, N. Y. Tom has a son, Paul, who is seven years old. He himself recently retired as president of Beacons Lion Club, but is now serving the club as secretary.

Raymond B. Anthony, on the staff of Solvay Sales Corporation, calling on all sorts of users of alkalis from paper manufacturers to laundry and dairymen, has changed his house address to 7 Bryn Mawr Road, Wellesley, Mass.

Elliott G. Kelley, in the Stock Transfer Department, Old Colony Trust Company, Boston, reports a change of mail address to 72 Hobart Street, East Braintree, Mass.

Kenneth H. Colvin is treasurer of Bartlett Colvin Press, Inc., industrial and creative printing, at 25 Foster Street, Worcester, Mass. Ken said that he wanted to come down for a football game or two this fall if he could get away long enough from the business he is trying to build up.

T. C. Gonzales, special student with the Class in Freshman year, is engaged in insurance and real estate, with his office in the Ochoa Building, San Juan, Porto Rico. He has two children, a girl 8 years old, and a boy of six.

John A. French, with the United States Chamber of Commerce and officer of the Brown Club of Washington, is settled in his new apartment at 1601 Argonne Place, N. W., Washington, D. C.

### 1926

R. J. (Bub) Payor, reported missing from New York area last spring, has turned up in Worcester, Mass., where he is engaged in reorganizing a department store. Bub is with a management counsel organization which tries to put ailing stores back in shape.

**Betty Lou, Brunonian**

▶▶ If you have heard Betty Lou on Rudy Vallee's Thursday evening hour, you already know that she is Thomas William Riggs," said a story in a recent issue of *News-Week*. "The imaginary tot who has lispd her way into the hearts of radio listeners exists only as a quirk in Riggs' vocal chords." Riggs was a member of the Class of 1932 at Brown, coming from Pittsburgh, Pa.

"Betty Lou started her professional life three years ago after Riggs' poultry business bogged down in the depression," *News-Week* continued. "He got a singing and piano-playing job on Pittsburgh's radio station WCAE. One day J. L. Coffin, the manager couldn't believe his ears—a little girl in the studio was swearing like a Marine sergeant. He finally located the sound coming out of Riggs' mouth.

"'Hey, Tommy,' he yelled, 'Can you clean that gal up?' Riggs laughed. 'Of course. I've been playing around with her since my days in Brown and Ohio State Universities.' Coffin grabbed a microphone. 'Let's audition her for the air.'

Not long afterward the Pittsburgh child-labor-bureau officials heard a Betty Lou broadcast. Full of indignation, they stormed into the studio and demanded that Riggs take that 'child' off the air; she was much too young to work at night. Mr. Tommy demonstrated for them.

"From Pittsburgh, Riggs wandered around Columbus and Cincinnati for awhile before he exposed Betty Lou to the perils of the Big City. The first big chance came on a CBS program. Then Vallee got an earful of the little damsel and adopted her into his family. Because he is also the radio foster father of Charlie McCarthy, gossip flaps around the studio that the crooner has an ambition to play Cupid. . . .

"But Charlie has a lot of rivals. In one ten-day period, Riggs had 32,000 requests for pictures of the imaginary little lady; and she receives numerous gifts, mostly toys and handkerchiefs. Parents also write in praising Betty Lou's behavior and asking her to broadcast lessons on obedience. The latest compliment: twins Betty and Tommy Philip of Chillicothe, Ohio, were named for her and Mr. Tommy.

and he says that the work is interesting—"but it does get you around the country." He also reports that he keeps fit out of working hours by playing badminton and handball.

Ed (Kip) Chace, secretary of Camp Maranacook, Readfield, Me., during the summer, writes that the Brown Cheering Song played a prominent part in the daily camp singing after dinner. Kip is now back teaching English at Kearny, N. J., High School.

H. J. Small is general agent for North American Accident Insurance Company of Chicago and United Life and Accident Insurance Company, with his offices at 390 Main Street, Worcester, Mass. He has ten men on his agency staff.

Arthur E. Jensen is the most recent Brown man to join the Dartmouth Faculty. He is teaching English at Hanover this year after having been at the University of Maine since 1933.

Oliver H. P. Rodman was runner-up in the annual fly casting tournament for bass held at Canton, Me., in June. Ollie landed 101 bass in one and one-half days of fishing. But he put them all back after he had hooked them.

Matthew W. Goring and Harold R. Semple have formed a law partnership under the name of Semple and Goring, with offices at 1002 Union Trust Building, Providence. Joseph L. Ahearn '25 is an associate of the firm.

Charles H. Johnson, who is with the Brooklyn Trust Company, reports a change of house address to 93 Beech Street, Floral Park, N. Y.

Robert F. Day is a member of the Faculty of St. Dunstan's School, Providence, with mathematics and French as his subjects.

**1927**

Dr. Harold E. Conrad has begun his work as head of the History Department, Ottawa University, Ottawa, Kansas. He and Mrs. Conrad (we report his marriage in another column) live at 840 South Oak Street, Ottawa, "right on the edge of the campus."

Owen P. Reid and Mrs. Reid (they were married last June) are living at 21 Hood Avenue, Rumford, R. I.

M. L. Pepper is practicing law at 916 Marine Bank Building, Houston, Texas.

William D. Whalen is attorney with the Standard Oil Company of New York at 230 Park Avenue, New York City.

Leon O. Wolcott has recently returned from the Middle West and is on the advertising staff of the *New York Herald Tribune*.

**1928**

William S. Preston, Jr., received his Ph.D. degree in medical bacteriology from Wisconsin in June and immediately went to work as assistant bacteriologist in the Division of Laboratories and Research, New York State Department of Health, Albany.

Dr. Mario L. Palmieri is superintendent of health in Middletown, Conn. He resigned as medical examiner and town physician of North Providence to go to Middletown.

Ernest B. Dana is the new headmaster of Conant High School, Jaffrey, N. H. Since leaving college Dana has been principal and teacher of mathematics and science at Sterling, Mass., High School.

Adin B. Capron is with the Babcock & Wilcox Tube Company in Beaver Falls, Pa., but is still living, he reports, at 1402 Corporation Street, Beaver, Pa.

Eliot V. Parker is safety engineer in the Engineering Department, Travelers Insurance Company, 55 John Street, New York City, to which he commutes daily from Far Hills, N. J.

Forrest F. Kenerson's new address is 13 Linwood Street, Saugus, Mass.

J. Richard (Dick) Campbell is selling drugs and sundries for a New York company, with Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, and part of Massachusetts as his territory. He and Mrs. Campbell and their two future Brown halfbacks live at 21 Balmoral Street, Andover, Mass.

Dr. Lewis T. Bennett is resident surgeon at New York Post Graduate Medical School and Hospital of Columbia University. He

received appointment until July, 1938, after having served two years as interne. Last year a large part of his work was on the service of Dr. Charles Gordon Heyd, then president of the American Medical Association.

Harvey J. Ollsen, whose engagement is reported elsewhere in this issue, is with the Securities Exchange Commission in Washington.

Frederic R. Knipe, investment counsel, is all settled in his new office at 185 Devonshire Street, Boston, to which he moved during the summer from Haverhill, Mass.

**1929**

Dr. Everet H. Wood has recently opened an office at 96 Joralemon Street, Brooklyn, N. Y., with his practice limited to Ophthalmology.

Russell V. Jones, investigator for Travelers Insurance Company, reports his new office to be in 700 Harter Bank Building, Canton, O.

Rev. Winthrop H. Richardson, pastor of Ward Hill Congregational Church, Haverhill, Mass., was co-director of Camp Lone Tree at Deerfield, N. H., during the summer. Win is an old hand at camping and scouting, and at present is scoutmaster of Troop 11, Boy Scouts of America, in Haverhill.

Franklin Gamwell is manager of the Sears Roebuck store at 90 Main Street, Patchogue, N. Y.

Win Bucklin wrote from San Francisco in July: "Have a good job with the Matson Line and expect to sail on S.S. Monterey July 20 for Australia and return, by way of Hawaii, Samoa, Fiji Islands, and New Zealand. A fond day dream about to be realized."

Dr. William E. Greer is carrying on general practice in medicine and surgery at Salem, N. H., and says that he likes it so far. He spent a year in Lawrence, Mass., General Hospital, and two and a half years in Boston City Hospital before settling in Salem.

**1930**

John M. Curtis has left New York City to take charge of the investment research department of Babson's Inc., Wellesley, Mass. Jack's house address is 65 Waverinet Street, West Newton, Mass.

Arthur B. Fowler has given up teaching school to go with Stevenson Gregory & Co., investment brokers, at 56 Pearl Street, Hartford, Conn.

Just for a reminder: Harold P. Carver, 75 Federal Street, Boston, Mass., is president of the Class; Donald S. Flynn, 94 Wyndham Avenue, Providence, is secretary; and H. Adrian Smith, 36 Wannissett Avenue, Riverside, R. I., is editor and publisher of the 1930 *New Gazette*, the first number of which came out in July. There will be three more issues during the academic year 1937-38, and it's up to every member of the Class to contribute.

William R. Pitts is secretary to Ralph E. Church, one of the few Republican members of the House of Representatives, Washington. Bill has been in politics for five years now, and he admits that as a Republican in these New Deal days he finds it "anything but easy to keep from leading with my chin on occasions."

**1931**

E. G. (Hap) Hargood, Jr., selling life insurance and annuities, has got out a Brown football schedule, with calendar and

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bridge score for the year around, which is the best thing of its kind that we have seen in a long time. It fits the pocketbook, is concise, and altogether attractive in its Brown print. Hap's office is at 347 Madison Avenue, New York City, Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company.

Lincoln Fogarty, with the Boston office of Lazar Freres & Co., Inc., members of the New York Stock Exchange, and Joe O'Neil from New York were on deck for the Brown-Connecticut State game at Brown Field.

Eugene B. Gerry, with Atlantic Refining Company, reports a change of address to 35 Linden Street, Providence.

Lloyd W. Dennis, Jr., who has been doing radio announcing in Boston, has recently removed to Buckingham Community Building 5, Apartment 3, North Glebe Road, Arlington, Va.

F. D. (Finkie) Gull is back on duty as master and coach at Choate School, Wallingford, Conn., after having spent most of the summer in Europe as assistant to Arthur J. Barry, Jr., '27, manager and organizer of Barry Boy Tours. Ask Finkie if he saw the Dresden China Works while he was in Germany.

### 1932

Dr. Edward R. Squier, graduated cum laude from Tufts Dental School in June, has begun a year's internship at Rhode Island Hospital, Providence. Ed was president of the Robert R. Andrews Honor Society and a member of Delta Sigma Delta at Tufts.

Jerome (Jerry) Rosenfeld, head of the Jerome Press, is occupying new and larger quarters at 49 Portland Street, Boston.

Stanley P. Lamberton is on the sales staff of Connecticut Light & Power Company, Willimantic, Conn.

Harry Dunkerton, personnel man with DeCoppet & Doremus, investment brokers in New York City, is living at 39-21 Corporal Stone Street, Bayside, N. Y.

John A. Waters has resumed teaching at Nathanael Greene Junior High School, Providence, after a trip to the Panama Canal and the West Indies.

S. Vint Van Derzee has been working in a brokerage office in New York City since June and has been living at the Brown Club. He returns to his home in Albany each week end.

E. B. (Dick) Marsan has a leg on the Brown Club Trophy put into competition a year ago by Gerald Donovan '12 for the golf champion of the Brown University

Club in New York. Dick scored a net of 69 in the annual tournament held on the course of the Baltusrol Golf Club, Springfield, N. J.

### 1933

Rev. Richard E. (Dick) Benson is curate at the Chapel of the Intercession, 550 West 155th Street, New York City.

Al Hill is teaching English at Culver Military Academy, Culver, Ind.

Ev. Angell is in the Transformer Test Department, General Electric Company, Pittsfield, Mass., and lives in a cottage on Church Street, Lenox, Mass.

Dan Costello, Jr., is a security analyst with Kenneth H. Bayliss, investment counsel, 523 Pioneer Building, St. Paul, Minn. "It's a new business for me," he said in a letter during the summer, "but it is interesting, and I am glad I am having the chance at it."

Max Hoberman is assistant buyer in the linens and domestics department of G. Fox & Company, department store, Hartford Conn.

A. B. (Tony) Manera is chemist and bacteriologist in the Milk Department, Charles V. Chapin Hospital, Providence.

Jim Davis is studying at the Sterling Hall of Medicine, Yale University, New Haven.

Rev. Edward L. Saabye, special student with the Class, has become assistant pastor of People's Baptist Church, Auburn, after having been pastor of North Scituate Baptist Church since June, 1933. In his four years at North Scituate he renovated the church building, directed the celebration of the church's centennial, and added 65 members.

S. Turner Blanchard, who has been studying law since he left Brown, is now a member of the New York State bar. He lives at 16 94th Street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Olin E. Neidlinger and Maurice E. Taylor received the LL.B. degree from Boston University in June. Neidlinger won his degree, *cum laude*.

Dick Holman is secretary and assistant treasurer of Pan-American Match Corporation, 149 Broadway, New York City.

### 1934

Don Spencer, whose marriage we report in another column, is in advertising in Worcester, Mass., where he and Mrs. Spencer live at 7 Harvard Street.

Ralph Dixon is an electrical engineer with General Electric Company, Lynn, Mass.

Bob Winsor, accountant with Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., New York City, reports his new mail address to be 38 Morrison Avenue, West New Brighton, N. Y.

Ies Smith is an engineer with the Grinnell Company, Inc., at 1140 Central Industrial Avenue, St. Louis, Mo.

Lack McKenzie, Jr., has passed the New York bar examinations, and maybe he will soon be letting us know with what firm he is starting practice.

Dick Hapgood is teaching at the MacJannett Country School for young Americans, 7 Avenue Eugénie, St. Cloud, France. Dick sailed from Boston on the De Grasse on June 11 (his birthday) and during the summer was in camp at Talloires on Lac D'Annecy in Haute Savoie, where boys of all nations assembled. He was athletic instructor at the camp, teaching the boys to swim, to play baseball and touch football. Giving instructions in several languages was a great deal of fun for Dick even though at times it was a bit confusing.

Paul B. Chaney, who is in line for congratulations on his engagement, reports a change of address from Garden City to Holland House, 73-37 Austin Street, Forest Hills, N. Y.

Ralph Foster, Jr., is representing the Firemen's Mutual and the Union Mutual Fire Insurance Companies of Providence, with his office at 220 East 42nd Street, New York City.

### 1935

Thurston Spicer is travelling for the Factory Insurance Association.

H. C. Hart, Jr., with Bank Litho and Supply Company, printers, 56 Pine Street, Providence, is living at 71 Ogden Street.

Rupert Stern is with the entertainment and events department of the New York World's Fair, Inc., and gets his mail at 117 East 72nd Street, New York City.

Gordon R. Clayton is an insurance salesman with the California Agencies, 208 West 8th Street, Los Angeles, where he lives at 871 South New Hampshire Avenue.

Morton J. Simon has his law office at 737 Commercial Trust Building, Philadelphia, where he lives at 4730 Larchwood Avenue.

Joe Copp, Jr., who left college at the end of Sophomore year to take his B.A. at the University of Southern California, is a designer and landscape architect with his office at 5050 Sunset Boulevard, Los Angeles.

### 1936

Jim Whitcomb is administrative assistant (Jim says that he is gradually learning what the title means) with the New York Retail Dry Goods Association at 130 West 42nd Street, New York City.

Ralph Wagner is in the buying office for sports wear and sporting goods, L. Bamberger & Company, Newark, N. Y.

Ted Bedrick, who received his A.M. in Classics at the University of Illinois in June, is instructor in the Department of Classics at Illinois, with his office at 120 Lincoln Hall.

Jack Hanson, tutor at Moses Brown School, Providence, was co-director at Camp Tohkomepog for Boys, East Madison, N. H., during the summer.

Bob Kenyon is in the advertising department of Chery & Webb, department store, Providence.

Stan Latham is with Chevrolet Motor Division, General Motors Sales Corporation, 510 Industrial Trust Building, Providence.

Leigh Lynch, 3rd, in the Marine Department, Providence Washington Insurance Company, is playing professional football with the Providence Steam Rollers.

Bill Summer reports his new mail address to be 1235 Charleston Avenue, Huntington, W. Va.

Fred Stevens is assistant sales manager with the Welsh Manufacturing Company, maker of optical goods, fountain pens and pencils, at 54 Troy Street, Olneyville.

Douglas Burnside received his A.M. from the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts College, in June. He wants to teach history and government and at the same time is studying to get into the diplomatic service if possible.

### 1937

Jack Ebelke is assistant in German at the University of Kansas, Lawrence.

Hugh Conklin is with Associated Factory Mutuals at 184 High Street, Boston, Mass.

Jack Scribner is working for *The Providence Journal* and is living at 73 Brown Street, Providence.

Bill Hulbert and Jack Crowley were among the 21 students entering Harvard Law School this fall who received scholarships. Bill, who spent the summer bicycling in Europe with Allyn Brown, Jr., and Jack Edgren '38, has the Reuben B. Hutchcraft Scholarship established by Claude R. Branch '07, one of Brown's Trustees, and Jack holds the Sidney Thompson Fairchild Scholarship.

Luther Stanhope is working for Livermore & Knight Company, printers, 42 Pine Street, Providence.

Horace L. (Jinks) Henry is with the industrial research department of the Explosives Division, duPont Company, at Gibbstown, N. J. Jinks modestly says that the plant is the largest in the world making high explosives.

Ben Darling has begun a two-year apprenticeship course with the Reading Steel Casting Division of American Chain & Cable Company, Reading, Pa., where he is living at the Y. M. C. A. So far he wrote last month, he had found Reading full of Penn, Penn State, Princeton and Yale men, and he hoped to meet up with a Brown man or two "and talk over the prospects (?) of this year's football team."

Charlie Hughes, 3rd, and Bill Hulbert, both first year men at Harvard Law School, are living at 49 Kirkland Street, Cambridge, Mass., with Hughes' brother Stuart and another Amherst man.

Ralph E. Anderson is a student engineer with General Electric Company now at work at the Pittsfield, Mass., plant of GE.

Bob Clemence is with Whitehead Brothers Company, foundry supplies, at 17 Exchange Place, Providence.

Austin Peck is studying at the Law School, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor.

Gerald Smithson, student engineer with General Electric Company, is working in the company's Lynn, Mass., plant.

Hugh Wallace is working for the Security First National Bank, Los Angeles. Report is that Hugh would like to come back East to make his real start in the business world.

O. W. (Pat) Hayes is working in the United States Patent Office at Washington and studying patent law at Georgetown.

Bill Raymond, Jr., is learning something about banking with the Rhode Island Hospital Trust Company, Providence.

Jay Jacobs is with Lord & Taylor, New York City, taking the course for hopeful department store executives mapped by the store management.

Ted Friend, after working all summer in the law offices of Tanner, Sillocks and Friend, New York City, has entered Harvard Law School.

Bob MacDonald has started out to learn the business with W. T. Grant Company, department stores, and at present is working in Lawrence, Mass.

Bob Adamson is a first year student at Harvard Dental School.

Latest reports about three of the well known Delta U standbys say that Hart Swaffield is with Ginn & Company, publishers, Boston; Jim Rigby is teaching mathematics at Wheeler School (for girls), Providence; and that Van Williams is doing graduate work in physics at Princeton.

Allyn Brown, Jr., true to the Connecticut tradition, has entered Yale Law School.

#### ENGAGEMENTS

▶ ▶ MR. AND MRS. SAMUEL G. BOYCE of Kinderhook, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Emily

Bogert Boyce, to Dr. James Sutherland Frame, instructor in mathematics at Brown. Miss Boyce is a graduate of Mount Holyoke; Dr. Frame of Harvard.

Miss Gladys Worth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Worth of Clifton, N. J., to Harvey J. Ollsen '28 of Washington, D. C.

Miss Caroline Marie Bullard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sellar Bullard of Santa Barbara, Calif., to Richard H. Howland '31 of Athens, Greece, and Providence.

Miss Roslyn Lande, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lande, to Dr. Manuel Malcolm Pearson '32 of Philadelphia.

Miss Threba Leveque, daughter of Bernard Leveque of Wenham, Mass., to D. Harold Johnson '33 of Providence.

Miss Elsie Travis of Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., to Paul B. Chaney '34 of Forest Hills N. Y.

Miss Elizabeth Marie Hand, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer B. Hand of Ramsey,

N. J., to Daniel G. Ferry '35 of Rutherford, N. J.

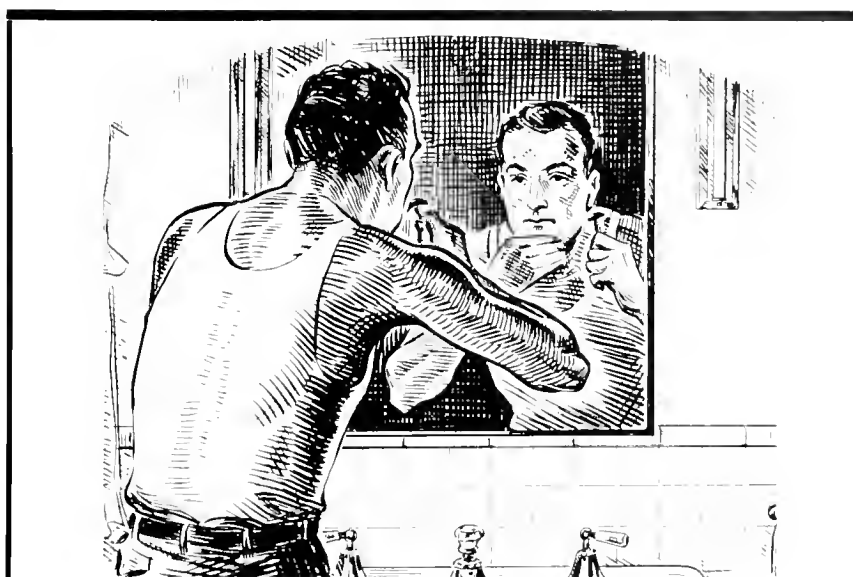
Miss Judith Bach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick F. Bach of Port Chester, N. Y., to Harry Angelo '36 of New York City.

Miss Barbara Macurda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Macurda of Concord, N. H., to Joseph Olney, Jr., '36 of Providence.

Miss Edith Barbara Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Allen of Hingham, Mass., to Collamore H. Richmond '26, also of Hingham.

Miss Olive Gertrude Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford T. Williams of Riverside, to Thomas T. Allen, Jr., '37 of East Providence.

Miss Nancy DuNoyer Jones, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Jones of Great Neck, N. Y., to John F. Dobie '37, also of Great Neck.



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1895—Dr. Peter C. Wright and Miss Irene M. Lamb, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Lamb, were married in the Riverside Church, New York City, Sept. 25, 1937, by Rev. Clarence M. Gallup, D.D., '96. Dr. and Mrs. Wright are living in Forest Hills, N. Y.

1906—Dr. Emery M. Porter and Mrs. Alice Bennett Thomas were married July 3, 1937. They are living at 33 Keene Street, Providence.

1921—Daniel R. Pinkham and Miss Alona Wentworth Friend of Marblehead and Melrose, Mass., were married in Reno, Nev., Aug. 16, 1937.

1923—Francis O. Allen and Mrs. Donald Aldrich Murdock were married in Providence, Sept. 17, 1937. They are at home at 486 Wayland Avenue, Providence.

1926—Adrien W. Hebert and Miss Edith Arline Whipple, daughter of Mrs. George F. Whipple of Providence, were married in West Warwick, June 30, 1937.

1928—Vernon H. Chase and Miss Rose Marguerite Hillis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Hillis, were married in Glens Falls, N. Y., Sept. 18, 1937.

1930—Robert G. DeGoey and Miss Helen Muriel Pond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore H. Pond, were married in Providence, Aug. 6, 1937. They are living in East Providence.

1930—Harold A. Poole and Miss Jean Hathaway Hart, daughter of John C. Hart, were married in Taunton, Mass., Aug. 4, 1937. Robert D. Wholey '30, special, was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Poole are living in Washington, D. C.

1931—Ernest S. Hawkinson and Miss Elvira Josephine Prado, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose de V. Prado, were married in Miami, Fla., Aug. 10, 1937.

1932—Ira Hyatt Smith, Jr., and Miss Mildred Marie Murphy, daughter of Mrs. Marie I. Murphy, were married in New York City, Sept. 4, 1937.

1932—Sidney L. Weinberg and Miss Lilyan Schoenberg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Schoenberg, were married in Portland, Me., July 20, 1937.

1933—Preston D. Mitchell and Miss Frederica K. Tully '32 (Pembroke College), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Tully of East Providence, were married in New York City, Sept. 2, 1937. They are at home at 119 East 89th Street, New York.

1933—Frank A. Gammino, 2nd, and Miss Eva Alba Parolisi, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pasquale Parolisi, were married in Providence, July 1, 1937. Edmund R. Gilmartin '33 and Jack S. Crusoe '33 were ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Gammino are at home on Phenix Road, Cranston.

1933—Arnold Tulp and Miss Ellen Sheffield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Owen A. Sheffield, were married in Beverly, N. J., Aug. 28, 1937.

1933—Robert W. Colwell and Miss Evelyn Doudera, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Doudera, were married in Providence, Sept. 25, 1937. George A. Baker, Jr., '34 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Colwell are at home at 26 Sarah Street, Providence.

1933—Lawson F. Aldrich and Miss Alma Thomas, daughter of Mrs. Alma Stockard Thomas, were married by her uncle, Dean Samuel T. Arnold '13; and Albert H. Rogers '30 was best man. Ushers included Dr. Norman T. Pratt, Jr., '32, Princeton, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Aldrich are at home at 192 Waterman Street, Providence.

1933—William R. Bragaw and Mrs. Marjorie Crane Paddock Krapf, daughter of Mrs. William L. Paddock of Dalton, Mass., were married in Miami, Fla., June 28, 1937. They are living at the Hotel Plaza, New York City.

1934—James F. Mackintosh and Miss Elizabeth Choate Crockett were married in the Bates College Chapel, Lewiston, Me., Sept. 4, 1937. Harold P. Carver '30 was best man, and ushers were Richard A. Holman '33, Ralph L. Foster, Jr., '34, and Parker Williams '36. Mr. and Mrs. Mackintosh are at home at 836 Bloomfield Avenue, Montclair, N. J.

1934—Robert F. Jones and Miss Marjorie Moody, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Moody, were married in Naugatuck, Conn., June 26, 1937. Frank T. Lange '35 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Jones are living in Manchester, N. H.

1935—Joseph B. Grossman, 2nd, and Miss Jean R. Alexander, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Alexander, were married in Brookline, Mass., June 20, 1937. M. Norman Zalkind '35 was best man.

1935—Edward G. Crosby, 2nd and Miss Elisabeth Otis Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Powell, were married at the summer home of the Powells in Potowomut, R. I., Sept. 2, 1937. Dean Edgar J. Lanpher '19 was best man. Mr. and Mrs. Crosby are at home at 36 John Street, Providence.

1935—Daniel J. Fraad, Jr., and Miss Rita Rich, daughter of Maurice B. Rich '03 and Mrs. Rich, were married in Brooklyn, N. Y., June 27, 1937. They are at home at 280 East 21st Street, Brooklyn.

1935—Frederick R. Avis and Miss Madeline B. Patterson, daughter of Mrs. Charlotte M. Deyo, were married in Middletown, Conn., Aug. 14, 1937. Edward H. McCoy '35 and A. Bennett Darling '37 were ushers. Mr. and Mrs. Avis are living in Worcester, Mass., where Avis is teaching at Worcester Academy.

1936—Norman M. Appleyard, Jr., and Miss Lillian Elizabeth Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Taylor, were married in Newton Centre, Mass., Sept. 18, 1937. Ushers included Joseph Olney, Jr., '36, John J. O'Reilly '36, Charles W. Butler '36, Luther E. Stanhope '37.

1936—Wendell B. Lund and Miss Ruth Louisa Lawton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Lawton, were married in Lime Rock, R. I., July 31, 1937.

# BIRTHS

1920—To Dr. and Mrs. Herman A. Lawson of Providence, a son, Robert Mason, July 4, 1937.

1922—To Dr. and Mrs. Horace B. Pray of Wilmington, Del., a son, Edward Rawson, Aug. 22, 1937.

1924—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Somers of Marblehead, Mass., a son, Herbert James Somers, Jr., July 23, 1937.

1924—To Mr. and Mrs. George W. Sharpe of Providence, a daughter, Barbara Ruth, July 11, 1937.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. Mason B. Merchant of Providence, a son, David Mason, July 1, 1937.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. A. Butler Williams of Edgewood, R. I., a daughter on July 30, 1937.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Scribner of Old Hickory, Tenn., a son, Russell Dow Scribner, Jr., Aug. 30, 1937.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Jasper S. Costa of Jackson Heights, N. Y., a son, Leeds Woodhull, Aug. 22, 1937.

1927—To Dr. and Mrs. Orland F. Smith of Pawtucket, a son, Orland Francis Smith, Jr., July 24, 1937.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Russell W. Mills of Pawtucket, a daughter, Judith, Aug. 24, 1937.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. Alan B. Sinauer of New York City, a son, Andrew Douty, July 31, 1937.

1930—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard R. Smith of Stratford, Conn., a second daughter, Diana Hunt, July 3, 1937.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis C. Demmeler of Wilkensburg, Pa., a daughter, Virginia Dean, July 7, 1937.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Jacobs of Providence, a son, Norman Allan, Aug. 17, 1937.

1932—To Dr. and Mrs. Norman T. Pratt, Jr., of Princeton, N. J., a son, David Wixon, Sept. 14, 1937.

1933—To Mr. and Mrs. George A. Freeman of Bloomfield, N. J., a daughter, Barbara Grace, Sept. 8, 1937.

# Those We Mourn

1863

♦ ♦ GEORGE ALLEN LITCHFIELD, publisher and editor-in-chief of the *Boston Traveler* from 1896 to 1903, and former minister and insurance executive, died in Los Angeles, April 27, 1937.

Born in Scituate, Mass., Aug. 21, 1838, the son of Richard and Zoa (Clapp) Litchfield, he was tutored by his local pastor who saw real promise in him as student. He was an undergraduate at Brown, 1859-62, leaving college to enlist in the Union Army. He was, however, rejected as not being physically strong. He then offered his services to the Christian Commission and served to the end of the war in hospitals and in first-aid stations near the front.

Entering the ministry, he was pastor of churches in Winchendon, Mass., and Keene, N. H., before he decided that business was his field. He went into insurance and became president of a company in Boston, resigning to publish and edit the *Boston Traveler*. He gave up his editorial work in 1903 and removed to California, where he took over an orange grove and raised and sold oranges.

In 1931 the Alumni Office was told that Mr. Litchfield was "a remarkable man for his years, alert to world conditions, interested in church activities, and physically more fit than many men years his juniors."

His first wife was Sarah M. Gurney. His second wife, who was Mabel L. Battison,

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graduate of Wellesley, and whom he married March 15, 1911, survives. By his first wife he had two sons, Everett S. Litchfield and Fred E. Litchfield, and a daughter, Connie Z. Litchfield. ◀

#### 1866

▶ ORRAY TAFT, last surviving member of his class and oldest alumnus, died in Brooklyn, N. Y., Aug. 5, 1937. He would have been 93 years old next February.

His father, Cyrus Taft, lived on Waterman Street opposite the college, and Orrey Taft was born in the shadow of the campus, Feb. 6, 1845. His mother was Rosina Elizabeth Clark. He prepared at University Grammar School and as undergraduate during the Civil War joined a volunteer company which went into camp near Narragansett Pier and made ready to repulse a Confederate privateer said to be cruising off Point Judith. But the enemy never tested the mettle of Taft and his comrades.

On graduation he went into the cotton business in New York and spent some years as cotton buyer in New Orleans. Returning to New York he worked for various companies, the last one being the old New Amsterdam Gas Company. He retired about 25 years ago. He did not come back to the campus for Commencement until 1933. He liked his reception so well that he returned in 1934 and remained for several days, reviewing old scenes and calling upon old friends.

His brother, the late Cyrus Taft '78, was for many years Town Treasurer of Cumberland. Mr. Taft, who never married and who lived with a cousin, Charles E. Valliant, belonged to Theta Delta Chi. ◀

#### 1883

▶ DR. FRANCIS WAYLAND SHEPARDSON, national president of Beta Theta Pi and one of the great fraternity leaders of the past hundred years, died suddenly in Pataskala, O., Aug. 9, 1937, while traveling from his home in Granville to Columbus by bus. His interest in fraternities began in undergraduate days at Denison University; for more than 30 years he had "lent his aid and inspiration to every forward-looking fraternity movement."

He was one of the founders of the National Interfraternity Conference, its first secretary, and later its chairman. He was also chairman of the Association of College Honor Societies, vice president of Phi Beta Kappa and of Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary fraternities, and active in all efforts to improve the scholarship of fraternities and to better living standards in fraternity houses.

He was historian as well as president of Beta Theta Pi, and many of his articles have appeared in the fraternity magazine. He wrote several books about Beta Theta songs of the fraternity; and in 1933 completed the works of editing the Beta Theta Pi Catalogue, listing the fraternity's 37,468 members at that time. He also edited editions of Baird's "Manual of American College Fraternities," and wrote the article on college fraternities in the Encyclopedia Britannica.

As one of the first Faculty members of the University of Chicago, he taught history there from the opening in 1892 to his resignation in 1917. He was also secretary to the president of the University and dean of the senior colleges. He wrote editorials for the Chicago Tribune, and in 1911 had leave of absence to go to the Philippines as lec-

turer and consultant to teachers in the islands. Between 1917 and 1925 he was director to the Department of Registration and Education of Illinois and head of the Julius Rosenwald Fund, organized for the benefit of Negro education. Since 1925 he had given nearly all of his time to fraternity work. He also wrote a weekly column for the *Granville Times*, of which he was editor, 1887-90.

Dr. Shepardson was born in Cheviot (Cincinnati), O., Oct. 15, 1862, the son of Rev. Daniel Shepardson, D.D. of the Brown class of 1837, and Eliza (Smart) Shepardson. He received the A.B. degree from Denison in 1882, from Brown in 1883, and the Ph.D. from Yale in 1892. Denison gave him the honorary degree of LL.D. in 1906. He was a former president of Illinois Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and a member of the Masons, Knights of Pythias, Phi Beta Kappa. He was a Baptist by denomination and in politics a Republican progressive. He was married Sept. 3, 1884, to Cora L. Whitcomb, who died a year ago. Their only son, John W. Shepardson, died in October, 1927. Dr. Frank L. Shepardson '83 is a second cousin. ◀

#### 1887

▶ CHARLES CURRIER PHILLIPS, retired cashier of the Sunday School Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and a charter member of Immanuel Baptist Church, Nashville, where he had lived since a boy, died in Nashville, Aug. 14, 1937, after a week's illness.

Born in Wakefield, Mass., Dec. 9, 1863, the son of Rev. Dr. Daniel W. Phillips, 1837, and Caroline (Battelle) Phillips, he prepared at University Grammar School. On graduation he became instructor in college mathematics and natural sciences at Roger Williams University, Nashville, and continued on the Faculty until 1896. He also served as treasurer of the University. He resigned to enter the United States Internal Revenue Service at Nashville, and in 1909 was promoted to deputy collector and cashier. He left in 1914 to go with the Sunday School Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, which he served faithfully until his retirement in 1934.

He was married Dec. 10, 1895, to Mabel Stark Owen, and his son, Alfred O. Phillips, graduated from Vanderbilt University in 1917. The son's death in 1924 was a heavy blow to his father. Mr. Phillips's second marriage took place Sept. 14, 1902, to Annie P. Owen, who died in 1920. Surviving are several nieces, including Misses Bertha and Zillah Calvert, with whom he lived, and Mrs. Ethelwyn C. P. Stillman '06 and Mrs. Charles P. Roundy '08. Mr. Phillips was on the board of deacons of Immanuel Baptist Church at the time of his death. ◀

#### 1895

▶ ALLAN PRESCOTT STEVENS, auditor of Chisos Mining Company and one of Portland's leading business men, died at the Maine General Hospital, Portland, Me., Sept. 13, 1937, after a short illness.

His business interests were varied. Besides his office in the mining company, he was vice president of the Carl K. Rose investment firm, president and treasurer of the Davidson Yacht Yard, Inc., and former secretary and treasurer of the Boston-Virginia Transportation Company, which operated colliers between Newport News and Portland and Bangor from 1914 to 1918. He was also a trustee of Portland Technical College and a member of the

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Born in North Bridgewater, Mass., Feb. 23, 1874, the son of Rev. Henry A. and Sarah N. (Tenney) Stevens, he entered Brown from Bristol High School. From Brown he went to Harvard Medical School, but gave up the idea of becoming a doctor to go into business. He was secretary of the Metal Workers Fire Insurance Company, Providence, before opening an office in Portland as auditor. In 1935 he was back on College Hill for his 40th Reunion, and he told his friend, George S. Ellis '94, that he had never enjoyed a better reunion.

He was a trustee of Berry Library, Bar Mills, Me., and a member of West Buxton Lodge of Masons, Trinity Church, Portland, where for many years he served on the vestry and as treasurer, Portland Yacht Club, Cumberland Club, and Sigma Chi. A fine musician, he frequently acted as organist at Troy Meeting House, Buxton Lower Corner, where he had his summer home. Surviving are his second wife, Mrs. Florence A. Stevens, prominent in Portland civic work and a member of the City Council; a daughter, Deborah Ann Stevens, by his first wife; two brothers, and a sister.

### 1898

▶ **WARREN EARL GREENE**, lawyer of Duluth, Minn., and Washington, Conn., died at his home in Washington, June 28, 1937, after a long illness.

Born in Providence July 10, 1874, the son of Warren C. and Clara (Skerrett) Greene, he came to Brown from Providence High School. As undergraduate he was a member of the Brown Glee and Mandolin Clubs, co-author of and actor in two of the popular Brown musical comedies of the day, editor of *Liber Brunensis* in Senior year. He also won the first Carpenter Prize in elocution, gave the address to the undergraduates on Class Day, 1898, and belonged to Hammer and Tongs, Phi Delta Theta, and Phi Beta Kappa.

After working for a year with Samuel M. Gray, civil engineer, he entered Georgetown University, received his LL.B. in 1902 and commenced the practice of law in Duluth, where he was assistant and then Prosecuting Attorney for St. Louis County, Minnesota, from 1908 to 1922. During the World War he held the rank of Lieutenant Colonel, Judge Advocate's Department, U. S. A., and was counsel for the War Department Board of Appraisers and for the Air Service Claims Board. He was a former president of St. Louis County Bar Association, on the Board of Governors of the Minnesota Bar Association, and a mem-

ber of the American and Litchfield County (Connecticut) Bar Associations.

Forced by reasons of health to retire in 1929, he came back East and settled in Washington, where he practiced law intermittently. Surviving are his wife, who was Katherine W. Ensign and whom he married Aug. 14, 1907, and three sons, Josiah E. Greene '33, Duty W. Greene '35, and Kenyon W. Greene.

### 1898

▶ **COL. FRANK EDWARD HOPKINS**, U. S. A., former commander at Fort Ethan Allen and leader of the 328th Field Artillery during the World War in France, died at his home in Burlington, Vt., Aug. 3, 1937, after an illness of two weeks. He retired from the Army in December, 1936.

"His military career was characterized by conscientious hard work and commanded the respect of seniors and juniors. . . . He possessed qualities which might have made him a general officer," wrote Col. G. A. Taylor '01, in a tribute to his memoir. Colonel Taylor was a sergeant when Colonel Hopkins was major of the battalion of Brown cadets which drilled under the late Col. Cunliffe H. Murray, U. S. A., in 1897-98.

Colonel Hopkins was born in Montgomery, Vt., Sept. 21, 1873, the son of Edward W. and Leonora E. (Wade) Hopkins. He came to Brown from Burlington High School, and in the spring of 1898 left the Brown campus with his degree in mechanical engineering to go to camp as quartermaster of the First Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry. In August, 1899, he took commission as First Lieutenant, Field Artillery, U. S. A., and his rise was steady over the years. During the World War he led the 328th Field Artillery into action and after the armistice became assistant to the Chief of Artillery, First Army, A. E. F.

Colonel Hopkins was a graduate of Army War College, the General Staff School, and an honorary graduate of the Artillery School. From 1923 to 1927 he was on the General Staff Corps, and in 1935, while stationed in New York, was commander of the Field Artillery Reserve Officers of the 2nd Corps Area. He was past commander of the National Sojourners, composed of officers who have served in the Army or Navy, and a member of Alpha Tau Omega. He was married Dec. 17, 1902, to Miss Gertrude Cane, who survives, with two daughters. Dr. Henry W. Hopkins '99 is a brother.

### 1898

▶ **CHARLES WILBUR CARY**, president and treasurer of Cary Teachers' Agency and a leader for many years in national and State teaching societies, died in Hartford, Conn.,

July 29, 1937. Rev. Franklin D. Elmer '95, friend and fellow student, conducted the funeral service.

"Mr. Cary was a man once seen, not to be forgotten," said the *Hartford Times* in an editorial. "Well over six feet in height and strongly built, he stood out in any company. . . . He was, however, more than merely a man of large stature. His dignity of bearing and appearance marked him as the man of parts and character which he was. . . . He exemplified integrity, kindness and good citizenship, balanced by a philosophy of living which made him a pleasant companion as well as a sturdy friend and loyal worker in activities in which he lent his support."

He was indeed a loyal worker on behalf of the Brown Club of Hartford to which in other years he gave much of his time and organizing ability. He was present at the dinner of the Club last spring to give his always friendly and reassuring welcome to the guests from the University.

Born in Colrain, Mass., Sept. 24, 1872, the son of Clark S. and Mina (Goodell) Cary, he entered Brown from Arms Academy, Shelburne Falls, took special courses for two years, and left to become principal of Kittery, Me., High School. In 1903 he gave up teaching for publishing, and in 1906 started the Educator's Exchange in Portland, Me. He organized the Cary Teachers' Agency in 1910, and had since been its active director. The agency has offices in Portland and Boston as well as in Hartford. Mr. Cary was married March 24, 1897, to Grace Mabel Cleveland '96, who survives.

### 1907

▶ **DR. RICHARD HAGAN MILLER**, Assistant Surgeon, U. S. N., during the World War and a former practicing physician in Providence, died at Saranac Lake, N. Y., Aug. 12, 1937, after a long illness.

Born in Providence, Jan. 7, 1887, the son of the late William B. M. Miller '78 and Lucy T. (Hagan) Miller, he prepared at Hope Street High School and was one of the youngest members of the Class of 1907 at Brown. He was secretary of the class in Freshman year, and a member of the board of *Liber Brunensis*, the Vaudeville Club, Pi Kappa and Psi Upsilon.

He did graduate work at Brown for two years before entering Jefferson Medical College, from which he received his M.D. degree in 1913. During his post graduate courses on the Hill, which won him an A.M. degree in 1909, he was assistant bacteriologist with the State Board of Health.

He served as interne at Rhode Island Hospital and practised for a short time in Providence before entering the United States Naval Medical School, from which he was graduated in 1916. When this country started war in 1917, Dr. Miller was serving with the Marines Expeditionary Force in Haiti, and remained on that post until after the Armistice. Before going to Saranac Lake he was a resident at Wallum Lake.

Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Charles D. Rawstorne of Bethlehem, Pa., and two brothers, William B. Miller and Stephen C. Miller. Mrs. Rawstorne is the wife of Charles D. Rawstorne '04.

### 1931

▶ **EDWARD BARRINGTON SISLEY** died at his home in Woodcliff Lake, N. J., July 20, 1937, after a long illness. Since leaving college he had been an insurance agent in New York City.

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Born in Woodcliff Lake, May 4, 1907, the son of Edward J. and Lucy H. (Smith) Sisley, he prepared at Montclair Academy and entered Brown with the Class of 1930. He returned with the Class of 1931, but left college in 1929 without taking his degree. As undergraduate his interests outside the class-room were football and basketball.

From college he went to work for Travelers Insurance Company. He was a member of the Common Council of Woodcliff Lake, and also belonged to the Drug and Chemical Club, and to Psi Upsilon. He was married Sept. 26, 1931, to Miss E. Virginia White of Westwood, N. J., who survives, with a year-old daughter, Linda, his parents, and a brother.

## Dr. Everett

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▶ THE Sayles Hall portrait materialized through the agency of three alumni, all of whom had studied under Professor Everett with keen appreciation. They were Dr. Edgar S. Brightman '06 of Boston University, Dr. George Boas '13 of Johns Hopkins, and Dr. Gregory D. Walcott '97 of Long Island University, who appointed themselves three years ago to be a committee to formulate plans for a lasting tribute. That their project found widespread approval was evident when Vice President Adams received the portrait at Commencement.

The presentation was made on behalf of his collaborators by Dr. Walcott, whose words became a threnody so soon after their utterance. He said:

"Antisthenes, the Cynic, said that philosophers dwell with the gods: Hume added, 'amidst all your philosophy be still a man.' It is one who is both a philosopher and a man whom we delight to honor this afternoon.

"Walter Goodnow Everett, of the Class of 1885, began his teaching career at Brown as an instructor in Greek and Latin in 1889, but in 1894 he was made associate professor of philosophy. In 1895, he received the Ph.D. degree here, and spent the following year at the universities of Berlin and Strasbourg. In 1896, his field was broadened to philosophy and natural theology, and in 1899 he was advanced to a full professorship. His headship of the Department of Philosophy extended from 1896 to 1930. For thirty-six years, then, he was busy introducing large numbers of students to the significant aspects of his favorite subjects.

▶ "He was acting president of the University in 1912-1913, when President Faunce was making a trip around the world. He was the American delegate to the Allied Congress of Philosophy at Paris in 1921, and president of the American Philosophical Association (Eastern Division) during 1922. From time to time he wrote articles for scholarly journals, and in 1918 published his notable work on *Moral Values*, which was later translated into Japanese at the Imperial University of Tokio. His lecture on *The Life of the Spirit* appeared in 1935. Since his retirement in 1930, he has been, to use his own characterization, a "peripatetic philosopher," lecturing in some 30 leading colleges and universities from coast to coast. Two years ago his Alma Mater bestowed upon him the honorary degree of

Doctor of Laws, a signal honor for any member of the Brown Faculty.

"As to the man himself, I do not need to say much, since we know him so well. We know his kindness and geniality, his readiness for philosophical discussion, his ripe scholarship, and his intellectual courage.

"And now I am happy to inform you that a large number of Professor Everett's friends—most of them former students, some of them classmates, some colleagues, and not a few from outside the University—have made possible this tribute so beautifully executed by Mr. Ernest L. Ipsen. In this way they have manifested their respect, their admiration, and their friendship for Professor Everett—a friendship begun in early life and continued with increasing appreciation through the years. Mr. Vice-President, the portrait of the Emeritus Professor of Philosophy in Brown University."

The committee has suggested that if alumni wish photographs of the portrait, these may be obtained at the Shaw Photographic Service, 138 Summer Street, Boston, Mass.

▶ DR. EVERETT was born in Rowe, Mass., Aug. 21, 1860, the son of Samuel P. and Alcesta (Goodnow) Everett. He was a member of the English family of Everetts, notable in its American branch for Edward Everett, the orator. Entering Brown from Hitchcock High School at Brimfield, Mass., he was a conscientious student, though no "grind." He was valedictorian for his class, and he was pitcher on his class nine. His fraternity was Delta Upsilon.

In 1935 when Dr. Everett was awarded the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws, his citation said in part: "Fifty years after his graduation from Brown University, return-

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ing to his Alma Mater to receive her congratulations on his noble use of his heritage, . . . illuminating teacher and author in the fields of ethics and philosophy, his relation with his colleagues and his students marked by such gifts of intellect, such constant consideration, such gentle courtesy, that multitudes hold him in respect and affection."

Among the anecdotes that recall the affection with which his students regarded him was that of his compact with them about being late for classes. It was the custom for students to "cut" classes if the professor was late. Professor was often late, due to the fact that he had to cope with the exigencies of the old Point Street Bridge in coming to the campus. So he made a bargain with the men that he would overlook any tardiness on their part if in turn they would "stick" until he arrived.

Professor Everett was married to Harriet M. Cleveland of Amherst, Mass., in 1885. She died in 1910, and in 1918 he married Elizabeth Comstock of Providence. Surviving Dr. Everett are his widow, her daughters, Mrs. Charles D. Mercer and Mrs. Meiklejohn; a brother, Samuel A. Everett '91 of Providence; and a sister, Mrs. Emory Eaton of Meredith, N. H.



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# Pembroke Chronicle

By GERTRUDE ALLEN McCONNELL '10  
Secretary of the Alumnae Association

## Changes in Staff

►► Miss MARY LOUISE JEWETT has been appointed instructor in Spoken English at Pembroke to succeed Mrs. Emile S. Hall, who resigned last spring. Miss Jewett will also be faculty adviser to Komians. Miss Jewett holds B.S. and M.A. degrees from Columbia and comes to Pembroke from the Mt. Holyoke faculty.

Miss Ellen W. Fernon of Philadelphia has been appointed Social Director and will be in charge of the social life of the college. She is a graduate of Swarthmore and holds an M.A. degree from Bryn Mawr.

Miss Jean Randall of Rumford has been chosen as head of Sharpe House and assistant dietitian to succeed Miss Elizabeth L. Ruggles, who resigned to accept a position at the Westminster School. Miss Randall is a graduate of R. I. State College in the class of 1936, in the home economics division.

Miss Olive L. Smith of Warren, who graduated from Brown in 1934, has been appointed secretary to Mrs. Stanton E. Cull, Pembroke Registrar.

Miss Marion Little of Uxbridge, a graduate of Sargent College, has been appointed an apprentice in the Physical Education Department.

## In the Movies

►► Ruth Carol Hussey '33 has the distinction of being the first Brown alumna, so far as we know, to enter the motion picture field. She is now Ruth March and she will have a prominent part in "Madame X," which is soon to be released by Metro Goldwyn Mayer.

Miss Hussey as an undergraduate was a very successful actress in the Komian productions and was also editor of the college year-book, *Brun Mael*. Upon graduating from college she entered the University of Michigan, where she won her master's degree, working under the direction of Valentine Windt, head of the theatre school. Miss Hussey has appeared in several plays, including "The Old Maid" and "Dead End." It was in the latter production that a Metro

scout saw her work on the night on which the play opened in Los Angeles and she was signed up for a long term contract. ◀◀

## Japan Cabled For Six

►► Margaret Mitchell has broken all records for her best-seller. Margaret Bingham Stillwell '09 has broken all records in our estimation for producing a book which so soon is destined to become a priceless historical document. Japan cabled for six copies at \$100 each and they will soon be worth many times that amount.

The book in question is "Gutenberg and the Catholicon of 1460," and it is the first book to be published in America to celebrate the 500th anniversary of the invention of printing. Miss Stillwell has written a bibliographical essay in which she has impartially reviewed the controversy as to whether Gutenberg printed the Catholicon. Accompanying each book, and constituting a part of it, is a leaf from the original

Catholicon, which was the first book known to specify the place in which it was printed and the first to extol the art of mechanical printing.

On the left side of each page is given the medieval Latin and beside it in a parallel column is Miss Stillwell's scholarly translation.

The colophon of the book is particularly interesting. Written before Columbus discovered America, it was printed "in the goodly city of Mainz, in the glorious German nation (which, by the Grace of God, the Almighty has deigned to prefer and exalt above other nations of the earth by gracious gift and so lofty a light of genius) and it has been brought to completion . . . not by means of reed, stylus, or quill, but with the miraculous and harmonious concurrence of punches and types cast in moulds. Hence to Thee, O Holy Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, let praise and honour be given Thee, Three Persons in One God, Holy Trinity . . . TO GOD BE THE THANKS."

Miss Stillwell's intensive study of the history of this great book and her scholarly achievement have produced for her an enviable reputation in the world of books. ◀◀

# Alumnae of Brown

►► 1895--Nettie Goodale Murdock and Judge Murdock spent the summer in the British Isles.

1899--Sarah E. Bunnell of Pasadena, Calif., visited the Alumnae Office in July. She was touring the country in her car and was having a fine time doing it.

1899--Henrietta Benson Allen of Moorestown, N. J., was a recent visitor at the Alumnae Office.

1904--Florence Bejteman has safely returned from the Far East but did not reach China "because of what the Japanese were pleased to call 'the North China Incident.'" She thoroughly enjoyed, however, her stay in Japan. She writes: "I have so many pleasant recollections of a courteous, kindly people, of such hospitality to the World Federation, of unusual kindnesses from the Americans and Japanese there to whom I had letters. I have almost a thousand feet of colored film on Japan and several hundred of Honolulu to which I completely lost my heart. . . ."

"The review of the entire Hawaiian military department, staged at Schofield for Secretary Morganthau, lasted two hours."

"My summer was not exactly a time of peace, for I have seen thousands of departing soldiers, demonstrations and farewells in Japan, but it was a great experience."

1904--Lottie Devlin Ward has a daughter, Harriet, in the freshman class. Margaret graduated in 1933 and Charlotte in 1937.

1905--Bessie Lahey Crowley's daughter, Ann, is a freshman. Betty is a junior. John, who graduated in June, is studying at Harvard Law School.

1906--Judith Hopkins Childs has a daughter, Ella Elizabeth, in the freshman class.

1906--Grace M. Sherwood has recently been appointed State Librarian for Rhode Island. This is a position for which she is unusually well fitted, having been Legislative Reference Librarian for the State for a number of years.

1907--Lillian Winsor Harris has a daughter, Ruth, in the freshman class.

1909--Charlotte Delaney Kinyon has been seriously ill all summer. She is recuperating in the New England Baptist Hospital in Roxbury.

1909--Elizabeth M. Eaton is now living at 231 Central St., Auburndale, Mass.

1909--Dr. Myra Sampson, head of the Department of Zoology at Smith College, spent the summer in Europe.

1910--Gwendolyn Blodgett Carpenter of Burlington, Vermont, was recently a visitor in Providence in connection with the meetings of the New England Probation, Parole, and Crime Prevention Conference. Her son, Donald, is president of the senior class at the U. of Vermont, where his father is professor of German. John is a freshman at Trinity, his father's alma mater.

1910--Gertrude Allen McConnell has a niece, Priscilla Allen, in the freshman class.

1911--Dr. Eva W. Magoon was a State delegate to the annual meeting of the American Osteopathic Association in Chicago and while there was elected national treasurer of the grand chapter of her sorority, Axis, the oldest osteopathic college sorority.

1912n--Florence Yahraus Vose's daughter, Shirley, is a freshman.

1913--The class has a corner on alumnae club presidencies. Jessica Barr is president in Washington, Mildred Bosworth Brown in Providence, and Minnie Taylor York in Philadelphia.

1914--Katherine E. Curry was hostess to her class at dinner at Top Hill last month.

1914--Helen Wood Hurlin has a daughter, Mary, in the freshman class. Barbara is a junior.

1917--Dr. Grace E. Hawk has returned to Wellesley after spending her sabbatical year in Pasadena. She made the trip to Pasadena via South America and returned in a new Buick purchased in California.

1920--Rachel Easterbrooks Lindsay and her family spent eight months abroad. In London Professor Lindsay did some work at the University and the children went to school for three months. Most of the remaining five months were spent on the continent.

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1920—Dorothy Bennett Vaughn and her mother visited England, France, Holland, Switzerland, and Germany during the summer.

1922—Isabel R. Abbott received her Ph.D. from Bryn Mawr last June. She spent the summer in England on a grant from the Social Science Research Council for further study which will enable her to expand into a book her dissertation on English finance under Henry IV. The American Historical Review for July contained a book review by Dr. Abbott. She is Assistant Professor of History at Rockford College.

1924—Myrtle Hodgkins is a member of the faculty of the University of Minnesota. During the summer she lectured on public health problems at the University of Florida. She visited the Alumnae Office before resuming her work in Minnesota.

1925—Catherine Hinchey did research work at Woods Hole this summer and dropped in at Alumnae Office on her way back to Temple University, where she teaches biology.

1925—Faith Corbett Rogers is now living in Storrs, Conn., where her husband has an administrative position at the State College as Co-ordinator of Agriculture, in charge of extension, research, and teaching.

1925—Elnor Van Dorn Smith received her Ph.D. degree from Brown in June. She is teaching biology at Smith.

1927n—Anona Holloway Barter is living at La Tour Carrée, St. Laurent Du Var, France, and likes it immensely. She is secretary-companion to an American friend.

1928—Eleanor Leonard has been made County Librarian for Arlington County, Virginia, and is thoroughly enjoying her work. She is located at 3150 Wilson Boulevard, Arlington, Va.

1928—Grace A. McAuslan spent the month of August in England.

1929—Louise Burt Howard (of Lake Placid, New York) and her son, Peter, were the recent guests of Melissa Seaman Lewis.

1929—Rachel Harris Kilpatrick received her Ph.D. degree from Brown in June.

1929—Sarah A. Sohn spent the summer in Europe.

1929—Florence L. True is a nurse at St. George's School, Newport, R. I.

1930—Honor McCusker received her Ph.D. degree from Bryn Mawr in June.

1931—Eleanor E. Demarest is teaching in the Junior High School in Tenally, N. J.

She is living at 94 East Palisade Ave., Englewood, N. J.

1932—Rowena S. Bellows is secretary to Prof. George E. Bigge, who has been appointed to the Social Security Board in Washington. She lives at 1601 21st St., N. W.

1932—Marjorie Holt Dennis has moved to Arlington, Virginia, where she is located at Buckingham Community Bldg 5, Apt. 3, N. Glebe Road. She is doing some volunteer library work for Eleanor Leonard '28.

1932—Ruth Sutcliffe Adams has moved to 359 Academy St., South Orange, N. J., where her husband is teaching in the Columbia High School.

1932—Agnes Cosgrove and Mary Lally were together in Paris this summer.

1932—Ruth B. Eddy spent the month of August in England.

1932—Mary Rae spent the summer in Scotland and Germany.

1933—Dorothea Elwell and Helen Mulvey were in Paris and England together. Helen also visited her grandmother in Sweden.

1934—Virginia M. Briggs was admitted to the Massachusetts bar in September.

1934—Ethel C. Nichols attended Harvard Summer School.

1935—Madeleine Cournoyer is teaching French and Latin at Pembroke Academy, Suncook, N. H.

1935—Olive Bilsborough Cowell with her husband and daughter, Barbara, moved early in the summer to Los Angeles, where they are living at 119 N. Wetherly Drive. Mr. Cowell is establishing a laboratory, the first of its kind in California, which he will run in connection with a hospital for small animals.

1935—Harriet Goff is teaching in the junior high school in East Providence.

1935—Edith Janson Legge is teaching in Cranston High School.

1935—Dorothy Markoff is laboratory technician for the State Department of Health in Bristol.

1935—Ruth Sampson is teaching in the high school in Biddeford, Maine.

1936—Dorothy Baron is teaching in the Lockwood High School in Warwick.

1936—Eleanor Casey is secretary to the members of the R. I. Juvenile Court Commission at the State House.

1936—Ruth Hassell is teaching in the Cranston High School.

1936—Barbara Johnson is working for the American Surety Company.

1936—Myrtle Martin is working for the Retail Trade Board of the Chamber of Commerce.

1937

Mary Atkinson, Mary Huntington and Florence Kolker are working in Macy's.

Muriel Baker is doing graduate work in biology at Brown.

Lena Bertozzi is a student teacher in Pawtucket.

Juhette Bigney is studying at the Gibbs School in Boston.

Dorothy Bliss is an assistant in biology and graduate student at Wellesley.

Priscilla Bryant is doing graduate work in romance languages at Brown.

Sigrid Carlson is an assistant in biology at Mt. Holyoke.

Margaret Carter is teaching at Spelman College in Atlanta.

Margaret Caswell is a student-bacteriologist at the Cooley-Dickinson Hospital in Northampton.

Priscilla Chase is working at Gladding's. Mary Louise Cochran is doing student teaching.

Alice Curran is a student teacher at Hope.

Sara Cushing is doing graduate work in the English Department at Columbia.

Rose D'Avanzo is working for the Old Age Security Bureau.

Jane Duffee is enrolled for the two-year course in the Smith College School for Social Work.

Elizabeth Fowler has a teaching fellowship at Colorado College.

Jeannette Friedman is studying nursing at Yale.

Ruth Godfrey is doing stenographic work in the Boston Store.

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Barbara Goodale is doing secretarial work for the Narragansett Electric Company.

Miriam E. Hahn is a sales representative for the New England Telephone Company in New Haven. She and her twin sisters are living at 483 Main St., West Haven.

Marjorie Hanson is a sales representative for the New England Telephone Company in Providence.

Mary Louise Hinckley is doing publicity work for the Providence Community Fund.

Ruth Manley and Margaret Partridge are doing psychiatric work at the Hartford Retreat.

Ruth Person and Dorothy Rawcliffe are working for the Hospital Trust Company.

Ann Prestwich is studying at Columbia. Dorothy Pickett is teaching in East Providence High School.

Betty Rice is working for the New England Telephone Company.

Thelma Saglio is an assistant in chemistry at Wellesley.

June Samson is teaching music, voice, and music appreciation at Stuart Hill, Staunton, Virginia.

Margaret Thurlow is working in the office of "The New Yorker."

### ENGAGEMENTS

1928 Helen Anna Droucourt to John Edward Carr of Edgewood.

1930 Dorothea Alden Hambly to Marcellus Dunton Lemaire of Taunton.

1930 Victoria Williams to Arthur William Sands of St. Paul, Minn.

### WEDDINGS

1928 Ruth Arnold Hill was married to Hellmut Hartenau of New York on July 28, 1937 at St. Stephen's Episcopal Church in Providence. Her sister, Dorothy Allen Hill '30, was maid of honor. Mr. Hartenau was educated in Essen, Germany and attended New York University. Mr. and Mrs. Hartenau are living at 308 West 103rd St., New York City.

1928 Sophia McAfee was married to William Pero of Belchertown, Mass., on August 17, 1937 in Mattapoisett. Olive Richards was her attendant. Mr. and Mrs. Pero are living in Belchertown.

1929 Doris Barbara Seagrave was married on August 18, 1937 to Milton Franklin Warren, a graduate of Massachusetts State College. '29 They are living on the White-man Estate, Metacom Ave., Warren, R. I.

1930 Bertha Isabel Daily was married to J. Irving Mouringhan, Providence College '31, on August 31, 1937. They are living on Providence St., Natick.

1930 Grace Ruth King was married to Francis William Laurent on June 22, 1937 at St. Mark's Episcopal Church in Evanston, Ill. Mr. Laurent graduated from the U. S. Naval Academy in 1923. He holds an M.B.A. degree from Stanford and an LL.B. from the University of Wisconsin. He is a member of the legal staff of the Tennessee Valley Authority with offices in Knoxville.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurent are living at Fort Sanders Manor, Knoxville, Tenn.

1931 Harriet Frances Goady was married to Dr. Dale Gilbert Friend on July 5, 1937. They are living at 114 Riverway, Boston.

1931 Bernice Grimley was married to Clifford J. King on June 30, 1937. Mr. King graduated from Holy Cross and from the Harvard School of Business Administration. He is the manager of the W. T. Grant Store at Melrose, Mass.

1932 Fredericka K. Tully was married to Preston Dunbar Mitchell, Brown '33, on September 2, 1937 in New York City. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell are living at 119 East 89th St., New York City.

1934 Cecelia Arline Baker was married to Ashton De Blois Dixon, Brown '34, at the Georgiaville Baptist Church on August 21, 1937. They are living in Schenectady, New York.

1933 Elizabeth Alma Partridge, daughter of Alma Blackburn Partridge '07, was married to Wesley Charles Green at the Embury Methodist Church in Central Falls on July 10, 1937. They are living at 429 West Ave., Pawtucket.

1934n Helen A. Horvitz was married to David Entin of New Bedford on June 20, 1937. Mr. Entin is a graduate of Boston University School of Law and is an attorney in Fall River. Mr. and Mrs. Entin are living at 242 Rounds St., New Bedford, Mass.

1935 Natalie Basford was married to H. Barnard Fancher, Brown '35, in St. George's Episcopal Church, Newport, R. I. on September 11, 1937. Among her attendants were Sally Dowty and Ruth Bate. Fourteen other members of the class served

ices at the reception which followed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Fancher are living at 39 Washington Ave., Scotia, N. Y.

1935 Barbara Mackay was married to Lieut. Harry Nelson Payne on June 19, 1937 at Grace Episcopal Church in Providence. With her usual efficiency she served as chairman of her class luncheon on the same day!

1935 Margaret Elaine Mason was married to Kenneth Boswell Morison on August 22, 1937. They are living at 329 North Franklin St., Holbrook, Mass.

1935 Alma Thomas, daughter of Alma Stockard Thomas '03, was married to Lawson Morse Aldrich '33 on September 18, 1937 at St. Martin's Episcopal Church in Providence.

1936 Dorothy Abeshaus was married to Howard D. Segool, Brown '35 on August 31. Mrs. Segool was formerly with the Providence District Nursing Association. Mr. Segool is doing work toward his doctorate in the department of chemistry at Yale. Mr. and Mrs. Segool are at home at 86 Mansfield St., New Haven, Conn.

1936 Dorothea Ruth Golding was married to John Osgood Andrews, Rollins College, at Old Field South, Long Island, on July 3, 1937. They are living at 54 Pierrepont St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

1936 Ruth Marie Ullman was married to Robert Louis Hamerslag, Harvard, on August 10, 1937 in Boise, Idaho. They are living in Jackson Heights, L. I.

1936 Virginia Taylor, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Will S. Taylor, was married to John Edward Pearson in Lyme, Conn., on June 19, 1937. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson are living in Watertown, Conn.

### BIRTHS

1926 To Mr. and Mrs. Everett B. Nelson (Norma Mathewson), a son, Peter Angell, on August 20, 1937.

1929 To Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Rich (Louise Gladding), a daughter, Judith Louise, on August 26, 1937.

1931 To Mr. and Mrs. Charles V. Booth (Anne Carr), a son, Robert Midgley, on July 19, 1937.

1932 To Mr. and Mrs. Arthur M. Newman (Selma Smura), a daughter, Patricia Lynne, on September 11, 1937.

1933 To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Krovitz (Bella Skolnick), a son, Edward Jan, on September 15, 1937.

1935 To Rev. and Mrs. Daniel C. Tuttle (Harriet Streeter), a son, Daniel C., Jr., on September 27, 1937.

1936 To Dr. and Mrs. Norman T. Pratt, Jr. (Barbara Fisher), a son, David Wixon, on September 14, 1937.

### Death of Mrs. Harvey

1928 Margery Adams Harvey, wife of Richard A. Harvey and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus S. Adams, died in childbirth in New York City on September 7, 1937. Mrs. Harvey prepared for college at Mountain Lakes and Boonton, N. J. As an undergraduate she was active in all forms of athletics. For four years she was a member of her class basketball, football and tennis teams and for three years was a member of the varsity football team, which she managed in her senior year. Previous to her marriage in 1935 she was associated for a number of years with the International General Electric Company. Mrs. Harvey was an active member of the Brown Alumnae Club of New York and an ardent supporter of the Alumnae Association. We deeply regret her loss and extend our very real sympathy to her husband and family.

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