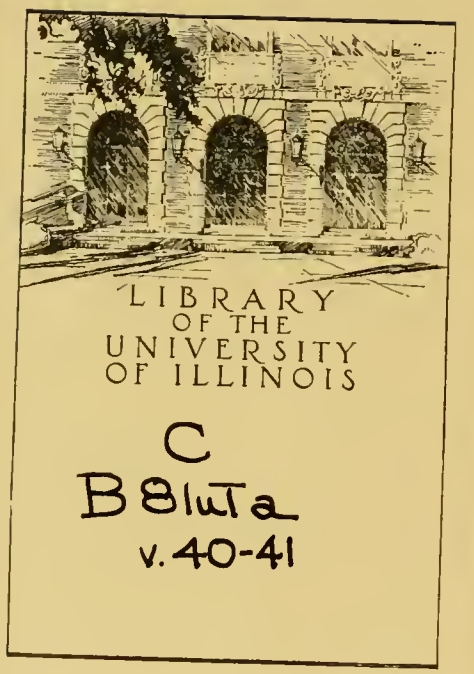
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# McLaughry's Successor

▸ ▸ The new head coach of football at Brown University is J. Neil Stahley, Associate of Harvard's Dick Harlow for ten of the eleven years since his graduation from Penn State. He has been highly esteemed for his work at Cambridge, where he served as Freshman coach and field coach.

The Brown Athletic Council's announcement of his appointment came after this issue of the ALUMNI MONTHLY was off the press.

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# ▸ ▸ The Advisory Council Is Summoned

▸ ▸ "THINK of Brown as alert to the crisis," President Henry M. Wriston wrote to each alumnus of the University on Feb. 1. With that phrase in mind as a theme, the Advisory Council of the Associated Alumni will assemble on the campus Feb. 21 and 22, eager for information on which to deliberate and act with regard to current problems. An outstanding group of speakers will present topics vital to Brown.

While the Advisory Council is the "business meeting" of the Alumni organization, it will this year devote itself more particularly to learning about the deep effect of the national emergency on the educational plans of American youth. Opportunities for service by Alumni will be suggested and considered, according to President Walter Hoving '20, who has issued the call for this meeting. The Board of Directors of the Associated Alumni will be convened the same weekend.

One of the largest and most representative gatherings is expected for this yearly Congress of Alumni, in view of the importance of the subjects due for discussion. In addition to the regular delegates, the "inner circle" of the Alumni organization will be augmented by other prominent Brunonians as specially invited guests.

▸ THE program stands ready with much promise of the entertaining and the serious. One unusual feature of the weekend will be the presentation by the Associated Alumni to the new Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps unit at Brown of the national colors and a Corps flag. With the unit mustered for the ceremony in what will be its first public appearance, colors will be conferred by members of the color guard of the Brown Naval Training Unit of 1918, which includes two of the highest Alumni officers. This touch will add extra human interest to the spectacle. Capt. C. H. J. Keppler, in charge of the R.O.T.C. work at Brown, will be a speaker at another point on the program.

Continuing an award made for the first time in 1940, the Class of 1910 will give its prize to the best scholar on the football squad, and this presentation will have its fitting place on the weekend's program.

At sessions starting Friday evening with a 7 o'clock dinner and continuing the following morning and noon, the leading members of the Administration will confide in the gathering as they interpret new aspects of the University program. Alumni leaders will also contribute, together with a few members of the Faculty. Keynoter will be President Henry M. Wriston with some picturesque and trenchant ideas on "What Makes the Difference between a Good University and a Bad One."

But however attractive the company of speakers this year, it is planned to provide greater opportunity than ever before for discussion by members of the Advisory Council. Representing as they do the various Brown centres throughout the country, they will find here the ideal forum in which to air their ideas. And from these meetings the individual alumni will take back to their Clubs and fellow Brown men the inspiration and substance presented to them at the source of their loyalty.

**ON THE COVER: Members of the Naval R.O.T.C. unit at Brown in the first drill after the arrival of their uniforms.**

**HE SENT OUT the call: Walter Hoving, '20, President of the Associated Alumni.**

▸ THE Advisory Council has a definite membership. The President of each Brown Club or a representative duly appointed by him as a member. And, if his club has a membership of more than 50, an additional delegate is chosen to accompany the other. Included also in the personnel of the Council are the officers of the Associated Alumni and members of its Board of Directors; all Alumni Trustees, and invited guests from the Administration and Alumni organization, including former Alumni Presidents.

The importance of this meeting, it is said at the Alumni Office, warrants the selection of men of the highest type and men who can properly reflect the views of the Alumni. It is a real opportunity, as past experience shows, for the Alumni to make known to the Administration their sentiments upon specific matters. It gives the Administration a chance to bring the Alumni up to date on progress on the Hill and proposals for the extraordinary future that lies ahead. A fine spirit of frankness usually prevails, since the meetings are not open to the press or public.

It is notable that stereotyped reports will be missing from the 1941 program, although access to information will be made easy. In addition to President Wriston, scheduled Administration participants are: Vice-President James P. Adams; Dean Samuel T. Arnold; the Secretary of the University, James H. Case, Jr.; Gavin A. Pitt, executive officer in charge of student aid and placement; and Athletic Director Thomas W. Taylor.

▸ IN view of changes in the football coaching ranks at Brown, Mr. Taylor's talk is anticipated with especial eagerness by the Advisory Council members. A year ago the

complete freedom of the discussion of athletics was not only healthy but purposeful, and included public announcement of news previously held in confidence. A similar compliment may be paid the gathering this February.

By arranging an attractive schedule of athletic contests for the Washington's Birthday weekend, Mr. Taylor has further enhanced the program for the Alumni delegates. When their sessions are over on Saturday, they will have a chance to see Brown Varsity teams in competition in three sports: In the afternoon, the swimmers will engage the West Point squad in Colgate Hoyt Pool and the track teams (Varsity and Freshman) will meet Northeastern at the Marvel Gym. The evening feature will be a basketball game with Wesleyan at the Marvel Gym.

Although there are no vacancies to be filled among Alumni Trustees on the University Corporation, the Advisory Council must prepare a full slate of candidates for office in the Associated Alumni, to be voted upon by the graduates next June. A nominating committee was appointed at the January meeting of the Executive Committee to present suggestions to the Advisory Council. Alexander T. Hindmarsh '19 is chairman of this group, with William P. Burnham '07, Alton C. Chick '19, Sidney Clifford '15, James S. Eastham '19, and Wayne M. Faunce '21 as members.

▸ THE general program has been arranged by the following committee: W. Chesley Worthington '23, chairman; Henry C. Aylsworth '20, Harry H. Burton '16, James H. Case, Jr., Alton C. Chick '19, Alfred H. Gurney '07, Alexander T. Hindmarsh '19, Richmond H. Sweet '25, and James W. Gurll '38, secretary. George L. Miner '97 and Fred A. Otis '03 have been named a committee on resolutions.

Members of the Advisory Council will be the guests of the University at dinner Friday night, while the Associated Alumni will be host to them at Saturday's luncheon. The Athletic Council has invited the members to attend the track meet and basketball game as its guests. It is expected that Providence alumni will continue tradition by extending overnight hospitality to out-of-town delegates. To facilitate the latter arrangements, it will be a courtesy if such delegates can notify the Alumni Office in advance of their desire for accommodation of this sort. ◂ ◂

### *He Will Not Graduate*

▸ HAROLD VARNUM RICHARDSON persisted through the years in his ambition to earn a Brown diploma, but he won't have that joy. His father dead, he entered Brown originally with the class of 1935 and studied there for two years. He then transferred to the Boston University Law School, where he remained a year before entering the employ of the tire division of the United States Rubber Company, working for it in New York, Chicago, and Kingston, N. Y. In 1938 he married, to Miss Elvira Larson, and in 1939 re-entered Brown University.

To earn money during the recent Christmas vacation, Richardson had worked for some time as a substitute letter carrier in Providence and then, after the holiday, went to South Attleboro to work for a friend of the family who owns a lumber yard there. On the day after Christmas he was crushed to death under a pile of heavy planks that collapsed while he was climbing to the top.

His mother, Mrs. Ruth E. Richardson, and his widow survive him. He was secretary of the Burlingame Bible Class at the Fourth Baptist Church, Providence, where the funeral was held. ◂

# Tuss to Dartmouth ◂

▸ ▸ FOR the second time in 31 years, athletic authorities at Brown University have been choosing a new Varsity football coach, after the resignation of DeOrmond McLaughry, who is following his younger son to Hanover, N. H. "Tuss" has signed a five-year contract to coach Dartmouth football, succeeding Earl Blaik, who has gone to West Point. According to newspaper stories, the Dartmouth offer was for an annual salary of $12,000. Released from his contract on the Hill, the coach leaves Brown with the most cordial of feeling evident on all sides. Dartmouth beckoned him after one of his best years at Brown and after his spectacular success in coaching an All-Star eleven that defeated the New York Giants.

The news about the head coach was followed by similar word about Earl Brown, end coach, and Eck Allen, backfield coach. Brown, who also serves as Freshman basketball mentor, is going to Harvard as successor to Wes Fesler as basketball coach and gridiron aide. Allen is on his way to Maine to take over basketball and football duties.

▸ ALTHOUGH secrecy marked the activities of the Athletic Council's subcommittee, charged with picking the new Brown head coach, it was known that nominations had been pouring in by the dozens. In addition to word from the candidates themselves, alumni in various corners of the country were offering their personal recommendations.

Immediate campus support appeared on behalf of Denny Myers, line coach under McLaughry during recent years who is popular in alumni circles as a commentator on the game. A student petition urging his appointment as head coach was said to have Varsity signatures, and the campus and professional press was cordial toward his hopes. At one time it was thought that he had leanings toward the professional game as an aide to Greasy Neale of Pittsburgh or might continue his association with McLaughry, but his silence on these other projects seemed to indicate that he would like to remain at Brown, where he had produced a succession of sound linesmen.

Recorders of "grapevine" news, operating with no official information as a basis, listed other candidates for the post as: Roy Randall '27, Iron Man quarterback now coaching at Haverford; Skip Stahley, Harvard backfield coach; Ducky Pond, recently at Yale; Adam Walsh of Bowdoin; Cleo O'Donnell, formerly of Holy Cross and St. Anselm; Edwin "Hooks" Mylin, of Lafayette; Ray Eliot, Aide at Illinois; Lloyd Jordan of Amherst; and Al McCoy of Colby. Some of these men were reported to have been in Providence for interviews, perhaps for the principal berth, perhaps for other spots. At any rate, an early news "break" was expected.

▸ MCLAUGHRY came to Brown from Amherst to succeed Coach Edward N. Robinson '96 after the all-home schedule of 1925 that dedicated the new stadium. He was an immediate success on the Hill, producing in his first fall the famous undefeated Iron Man eleven who vanquished Yale, Harvard and Dartmouth only to be tied by Colgate. Another tie the following year was not so bitter, after the team had been beaten by Penn, Yale, Lebanon Valley, Temple, Dartmouth, and Harvard. But the pendulum swung back again in 1928 as his team was upset only by Yale. Three straight victories over Holy Cross and Princeton marked the next few years, and in 1932 another strong team was developed that seemed headed for Rose Bowl selection until Thanksgiving and the Colgate game. All other foes were

**APPRECIATION in New York: Tuss McLaughry, right, receives from Vice-President Halloran of the New York Brown Club a testimonial token at the end of his 15th and last season as Varsity football coach.**

beaten in one of the most spectacular of seasons, each of them having been previously undefeated.

The lean years set in from that point, although the 1933 eleven did conquer Syracuse for a lone major game victory. Only three minor foes were beaten in 1934, and the following year saw a team that scored only three touchdowns all season, two of them against Boston University, her only victim. It was not until 1937 that Columbia provided a major conquest for Brown by a 7-6 margin, a performance that roused the campus to a stirring demonstration of enthusiasm. The upward swing carried through the next three years, showing a high-powered offense that scored at least two touchdowns a game in 1938, put the attack statistically among the nation's best in 1939, and in 1940 accounted for the best record of major triumphs in eight campaigns. His elder son, John, was his captain in 1939.

▸ THROUGHOUT the heights and depths of those 15 years McLaughry retained the respect of the student body and the loyalty of his players. And the alumni were praised as unique in not howling for his scalp when things went dark. He leaves many friends behind him in the ranks of Brown men. His football luncheons in Providence this fall and his forums on the campus were only two instances of his readiness to co-operate with alumni and student groups. This fall, at the end of his 15th season, the anniversary was marked by student presentations and alumni testimonials in Providence, New York, and elsewhere, all before there was any hint of his leaving Brown. He goes at the summit of his popularity among Brunonians and with their heartiest good wishes.

"The decision that I have made has been a most difficult one to make," the coach said the day the Dartmouth offer was announced.

"Several weeks ago, the Brown University Athletic Council tendered me an appointment of five more years and this gesture, coming entirely unsolicited made the decision even harder . . .

"My resignation comes at a period when football prospects never looked better. This, together with the fact that a very satisfactory season has been completed, makes a good time for a break to come.

"I shall be leaving with the kindliest feeling toward Brown, her alumni and especially the hundreds of fine boys who have played under me, and whose friendship I shall always cherish. My hope is that I can still further Brown's interests whenever the opportunity arises."

▸ A resolution passed by the Brown Athletic Council praised Tuss McLaughry for his work at Brown and wished him success in his new field:

"The Brown University Athletic Council, mindful of the long and devoted service of DeOrmond McLaughry as head football coach, wishes to record its appreciation of his contribution to the University. His coaching skill and knowledge of the game, his sympathy and understanding of the individual player, his emphasis on team play, his appreciation of academic standards, and above all, his own example as sportsman and gentleman have won for him the respect and affection of countless men of Brown. At the close of 15 years of happy association with Tuss, the Brown University Athletic Council wishes him all good fortune in his new position and extends to Dartmouth College its heartiest congratulations."

Athletic Director T. W. Taylor of Brown made an official announcement of McLaughry's resignation as follows:

"Brown University has released Mr. DeOrmond McLaughry as Coach of Football to permit him to accept a similar appointment at Dartmouth College. It is with regret that we see Mr. McLaughry leave Brown University and he takes with him the best wishes and warm personal regards of his associates at the University and the host of Brown men who have enjoyed his friendship.

"The termination of Mr. McLaughry's relationship to Brown University brings to a close the second of two long regimes of football coaching at Brown. The services of Edward N. Robinson and of DeOrmond McLaughry extend over a period of 31 years. This record is a source of satisfaction to all Brown men. It is our hope that with Mr. McLaughry's successor we can enjoy a similar relationship."

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### *The Bounce — with Honors*

▸ SINCE 1925 Cecil M. P. Cross '15 has labored with the odd jobs and diplomatic importances of America's consulate and embassy in Paris, a quiet, competent career man warmly respected by the State Department and carrying more than a share of the load while amateurs in statesmanship held the limelight. A year ago he was appointed first secretary of the U. S. Embassy in France, highest achievement of a career that has already taken him to Palermo, Naples, Aden, Capetown, Laurenco, Marques, Port Elizabeth, and Cape Town for consular service.

Last month Mr. Cross got the bounce. No humiliation was this for the bouncee, although Secretary of State Cordell Hull recalled him. Nor did he hang his head when he arrived in New York to face photographers and interviewers. For it was the Nazi government that had asked his recall, alleging that he and two colleagues in Paris had helped an unnamed British officer to escape.

Secretary Hull emphasized the fact that the withdrawal of the three staff members in no way implied admission of guilt or any lack of American official confidence in its employes. They were, in fact, implicated in no way in the episode, Mr. Hull said. Still, any government could request withdrawal of officials of another government without submitting any reason for the demand. Germany's desire to have Mr. Cross and the others out of Occupied France was deemed by many to be a compliment. ◂ ◂

# Herne of 'Shore Acres'

*An all-star cast of Brown alumni and "a barnyard full of domestic animals and pets" provided memorable evenings early this month as the Sock and Buskin alumni presented "Shore Acres" as their contribution to the dramatic society's 40th anniversary. The following article was originally written in anticipation of that production, but readers of the* ALUMNI MONTHLY *will enjoy it whether they saw "Shore Acres" this month, 45 years ago, or get acquainted with Playwright James A. Herne here for the first time.*

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BY BEN W. BROWN

▸ ▸ JOHN ADAMS once remarked that it was impossible to list Fine Arts on the side of Truth, Virtue, and Piety. If seventy odd years later the Boston Bred had reconciled Puritanism with Gilbert Stuart, George Boker, and Henry Longfellow, they were not fortified to meet socially an American theatre realist. When in the nineties James A. Herne's new play *Margaret Fleming* tried to raise the curtain in the shadow of the Common, Piety and Virtue packed the youngest drama off to Lynn for its premiere and anticipated the banishment of Eugene O'Neill to the suburbs under similar circumstances a quarter century after.

Like his fellow progressive, Herne was speaking in frank sincere language. Unlike his fellow playwright, Herne was speaking about the hypocrisy of a double standard and not about a confusion of standards as some think *Strange Interlude* to be. Herne had the audacity to suggest on the public stage that the human species also suckles its young. None of Boker's well-mannered Rimini family or any of their romantic associates in the theatre had ever mentioned such domestic matters. To those hardened theatre-goers of today, nurtured on Paul Green, Clifford Odets, and Irwin Shaw, Herne's immodesty and shocking bluntness might provoke nothing more than the George M. Cohan classic: "What's all the shootin' for?" But in 1890 Herne was a sensation. The really remarkable observation is that he was not trying to be!

▸ ONE hundred and one years ago this February life began for our American progressive in Troy, New York, and after developing stage mania during his childhood days, he passed to the professional ranks as George Shelby in *Uncle Tom's Cabin*. He played everything from Shakespeare to Boucicault from coast to coast in intimate association with the Western Sisters of *East Lynne* fame.

In San Francisco he met David Belasco, who was to become the Danchenko of our native stage, and in collaboration with him tried his hand at playmaking. Some theatre students feel that Belasco caught a flair for meticulous naturalness in production through his friendship with Herne. Whether this is true or not makes little difference. As years passed each securely established himself in our American theatre as a defender of "truth for truth's sake" in contrast to the decadent "art for art's sake" theories of their Victorian contemporaries. Belasco became first naturalist technician; Herne became pioneer naturalist playwright.

Both men were initially concerned with the details of setting, but Herne was more especially intrigued by the details of character portrayal—first as the actor viewing a new scheme of interpretation and then as the creative playwright. Dickens' influence upon him was noticeably strong and Denman Thompson's Josh Whitcomb, which grew from a scarbreu vaudeville skit into the Down East classic, made him conscious of the germination of a virile dramatic experience which was destined so to color romantic melodrama with truth that the impossible would appear believable. With such thoughts in mind Herne began to build his plays about personalities rather than to fit his characters into plots.

▸ As a youngster in Troy he had watched the boats go up and down the Erie Canal. Once he had thought seriously of running away to sea. Ships and sailor folk fascinated him and these personalities were the inspiration for *Hearts of Oak*, a story of Marblehead, for *Sag Harbor* off North Haven, for *Drifted Apart* with Gloucester as a background, for *Shore Acres* "where Frenchman's Bay with Mount Desert Island and its range of grandly picturesque hills in the distance and the stately Shoodac Mountains veiled in mist" are the scene.

Early in his Thespian career Herne had played Daniel Peggotty out of *David Copperfield* with success. He recognized the first cousins of his Dickens friends in New England fisher and farm folk who, like their British kin, knew the sea and had seen many a dangerous sou'easter blow. In two of his plays (*Drifted Apart* and *Hearts of Oak*) there are spectacular stage shipwrecks. In *Shore Acres* the Leddy Ann nearly cracks up on Berry's Light reef.

The people are, however, more vital in Herne's theatre than is all the well-calculated spectacle. The descendants of Old Peggotty hold center stage. Cap'n Dan Marble lives across from Shelter Island near North Haven on Long Island Sound. Terry Dennison owns the grist-mill at Marblehead which keeps him home from sea. And the most beloved of all the New England salts is Uncle Nat who lives in the Pine Tree State at Shore Acres and helps his sterner brother Martin tend Berry Light. Uncle Nat can make the best cranberry sass, tend babies, and help true love to have its way in spite of a stone-hearted father and the roaring of O'Neill's old devil sea.

▸ UNCLE NAT, it should be noted, besides fitting into the melodramatic picture, was domestically an expert at making cranberry sass. Molnar says in *The Play's The Thing* that an audience always likes to see actors eat. Herne was aware of this truism of the modern theatre long before Molnar ever thought of it; but Herne was primarily interested in food because eating gave his plays a homely realistic flavor. *Hearts of Oak* centers its great scene about the supper table where "a large dish of hot meat pie" and later "very large buckwheat cakes" with molasses for comedy are more than atmospheric properties. In *Sag Harbor* the family sit down to a feast of clams. The height of food spectacles is reached, however, in *Shore Acres* when Uncle Nat's cranberry sass and a full-course turkey dinner made the mouths of the audience water. Real eating on the stage! What an innovation! Pauline, and Francesca, and even Mrs. Vine were not much interested in their stomachs. Herne's heroines were. A decade before the Russian theatre realists captured the European scene, James Herne had introduced the American public to the "effectiveness of the commonplace."

▸ BUT Herne did not stop here. He also anticipated Bernard's "drama of silence" and Maeterlinck's "mood theatre." A contemporary critic after seeing the opening of *Drifting Apart* compared the fourth act to a painting by Millet. Perhaps such talk is far-fetched, but such a comparison does clearly indicate Herne's technical method.

He believed in permitting the acting to reveal the character rather than the recitation. He tried to substitute for the necessary subjective soliloquy or aside objective action.

Of course such a theory was not original with Herne; Robertson had hit upon the same idea in his domestic plays (*Caste, War, M. P., Society,* and *School*) but Herne emphasized the formula for American playwrights. In *Margaret Fleming* the critical scene does not end in a theatrical curtain line. Instead Margaret prepares to put to nurse her husband's illegitimate child. Upon this speechless action scene the curtain slowly descends. In *Shore Acres,* after the threads of the story have been securely knotted together in best Scribian fashion, Uncle Nat, alone on the stage, locks the door, banks the fire, puts out the light, climbs the stairs as the clock strikes midnight, and after a moment the curtain falls on the end of the play. "Mood theatre" and "drama of silence" are usual in the theatre of 1941; in 1893 when *Shore Acres* opened at the Boston Museum the annals of the American stage were being written.

James A. Herne did more than a bit in the writing! As an innovator he ushered the naturalistic movement into our theatre; and his influence can still be felt, for *Beyond the Horizon* is a near relative to *Sag Harbor* and *Hearts of Oak*. A quarter century back Montrose Moses said, "[Herne] is entitled to the very highest consideration because of the fact that in the midst of romantic melodrama and old-fashioned tragic conceptions which found favor in the eyes of the American public he put his ear close to the heart of common life and drew from the most ordinary experiences the poetry of a simple fundamental existence." That sums up the case of James A. Herne very pointedly. Further additions are unnecessary. ◂ ◂

**"AND THAT'S THE WAY a torpedo works." Members of the Brown Naval R.O.T.C. get instruction from one of the chief petty officers.**

# ▸ Anchors Aweigh

▸ ▸ POTENTIAL officers who may eventually man some of the big ships of the nation's expanding two-ocean Navy completed their initiation into the problems of Naval Science and Tactics at Brown University early in February, and began the work of the second semester in Brown's new Naval ROTC unit, one of the major defense activities on College Hill.

The unit, with an enrollment of 110 undergraduates, most of them Freshmen, is one of eight authorized by the Navy Department last Fall, It is the only new unit of its kind in the northeastern tier of States, and one of eight set up in various parts of the country as a defense training measure to supplement the 11 older units at other colleges and universities.

Brown is also aiding in the country's defense preparations by co-operating with the Civil Aeronautics Authority in its student pilot training program. One hundred undergraduates have either taken the course or are now enrolled. More than 200 workers in defense industries are taking special evening courses in engineering and mathematics under a joint project sponsored by Brown and the Rhode Island School of Design.

▸ As one of the elective courses offered for a degree from the University, Naval Science and Tactics shares the work of several other fields of study, among them mathematics, physics, engineering, American history, and astronomy, as well as physical training. Emphasis is naturally focused, however, upon how these fields are combined to prepare students for Naval careers.

The student reserves have already had 75 hours of instruction. They have been studying Naval customs, traditions and administration for 14 hours; navigation and piloting for 28 hours; and have been drilled in infantry tactics and communications for 30 hours. By the end of the college year they will have had 155 hours of instruction and training.

"This means that the usual Naval ROTC program, as conducted in more normal times, has been broadened and intensified in accordance with present day requirements," Capt. Chester H. J. Keppler, head of the unit, explained. "So far most students enrolled have shown gratifying progress and a willingness to keep up the pace. No one thinks it is a snap course."

▸ AN entire floor of Maxcy Hall has been set aside for the Department of Naval Science and Tactics, including a large classroom, a library furnished with books and periodicals on naval and military subjects, and offices for Capt. Keppler, Commander Charles L. Andrews, Jr., Lieutenant Emmanuel C. Goyette, and their staff of four chief petty officers of the navy. The unit publishes its own magazine, *The Brunavian.*

Part of the old Lyman Gymnasium has been converted into an armory. There is a rifle-range, workshop, and drill floor, where the reservists, now equipped with new uniforms, are having small arms practice, learning about drill formations and manoeuvres, and about communications by flags, light-flashes and telegraph buzzer. Seamanship instruction is also included.

The entire program will be accelerated even more during the second semester. Special attention will be given to naval ordnance and gunnery. Students will learn the technique of loading, aiming and firing a four-inch 50 calibre destroyer gun mounted on a cement base in the gymnasium armory.

The gun, recently shipped from the Philadelphia Navy Yard, is similar to those on the destroyers traded to Great Britain.

Half of the class has already registered for the summer cruise of about a month on board a man-o'-war. This is part of the training required before a student can receive his commission as a reserve ensign in the Navy, or second lieutenant in the Marine Corps reserves.

Undergraduates who have completed two years in the unit will have met their military requirements as set forth in the Selective Service Act, according to Capt. Keppler. Besides furnishing uniforms, books and special equipment

**IT'S THEIR NAVY, as far as Brown is concerned. Capt. C. H. J. Keppler, centre, is in charge of the R.O.T.C. unit, with Commander Charles L. Andrews, Jr., and Lieut. Emmanuel C. Goyette as aides. Here they are examining some targets shot in the rifle range in Lyman Gym basement.**

without charge to all undergraduates, the Navy will pay a small monthly compensation to Juniors and Seniors, amounting to a total of approximately $180 for the two years.

▸ WITH nearly twice as many applicants as could be accepted, the training program for workers in defense industries being offered by Brown University and the Rhode Island School of Design swung into high gear in mid-January. A total of 210 workers were then enrolled, according to Prof. Zenas R. Bliss of Brown's Division of Engineering, who is in charge of the program. So many qualified workers wanted to take the courses, however, that the University was making arrangements for extra class sessions.

The defense training program includes courses in Engineering Drawing and Engineering Mathematics, which were begun earlier in January; and Jig and Fixture Design and Machine Design Fundamentals, which held their first class meetings at the School of Design and at Brown Jan. 15. Workers in machine tool plants represent the largest group enrolled, but virtually all other major industries are also represented.

Planned in co-operation with industrial leaders of the State, the courses have been organized at the request of the United States Office of Education to help meet "the shortage of engineers for service as designers, inspectors and supervisors." Tuition costs are being met by the Federal Government under a $9,000,000 appropriation for defense education throughout the country.

Classes will meet on two evenings a week and will continue for 20 and 22 weeks. Instruction will be in charge of Prof. Samuel J. Berard, Prof. J. Sutherland Frame and A. Joel Warren of Brown, and Rudolph E. Griffin, head of the mechanical design department of the School of Design.

### *Acting Director of Alumni Relations*

▸ APPOINTMENT of W. Chesley Worthington '23 as Acting Director of Alumni Relations at Brown University was announced last month by President Henry M. Wriston. Mr. Worthington will assume some of the responsibilities and duties of the Director of Alumni Relations, James L. Whitcomb '36, a reserve officer in the United States Army who was called in December to active duty as lieutenant in the Signal Corps.

In his temporary post Mr. Worthington, magazine editor of the *Providence Sunday Journal,* will work in association with James H. Case, Jr., Secretary of the University, and will have the co-operation of James W. Gurll '38, and others in the University's alumni organization. The appointment, which does not conflict with his newspaper work, was made upon the recommendation of the Associated Alumni and with the approval of the Advisory and Executive Committee of the University Corporation. It took effect Jan. 20.

Mr. Worthington is a former editor-in-chief of the *Brown Daily Herald* and one of the founders of the *Brown Jug.* He has been active in several phases of alumni work, as editor of the BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY since 1930, and as a member of the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the Associated Alumni, the executive committee of the Friends of the Brown University Library, a class agent of the Alumni Fund, a member of the Class Secretaries' Association, and chairman or member of such committees as those dealing with Brown commemorative plates, the Advisory Council, and Commencement. He is a member of the Providence Brown Club and holds a key as honorary member of Sock and Buskin. He is a lecturer in the Department of University Extension and counselor of the Brown Chapter of Delta Upsilon fraternity.

In addition to his AB from Brown, he has received a graduate degree from the Columbia School of Journalism, where he received a Pulitzer Traveling Fellowship in 1925. ◂

### *Any Pictures of the Brown Navy?*

▸ THE Naval tradition at Brown University has not been an uninterrupted one, but the Reserve Officers Training Corps, established this year, is not the first instance of such instruction on the campus. Many an alumnus will recall the Brown Naval Training Unit during the World War.

One link between the two will be provided on Feb. 22 when members of the old B.N.T.U. color guard present the R.O.T.C. with a set of colors on behalf of the Associated Alumni. Captain C. H. J. Keppler would strengthen that link and asks any alumnus to give or lend photographs of previous Naval activity at Brown so that they may be hung in the R.O.T.C. quarters. If the alumnus is able to provide for the framing of such a picture, so much the better. ◂

### *Problem in Navigation*

▸ ALL of College Hill, including the campuses of Brown University and Pembroke College, were fathoms deep under salt water Jan. 30.

It was not a super-hurricane, but only the inventive imagination of the Department of Naval Science and Tactics that was to blame.

Naval ROTC students taking their mid-year examinations found themselves faced with an original problem in navigating the "U. S. S. Brown" through tortuous "Wriston Channel."

Given an imaginary map and the necessary data, they had to plot a course to take their university warship safely past "Bear Island," around "Maxcy Point" and "Faunce Head," and still not go aground on "Examination Reef."

Most ticklish of all was avoiding rocks off "Pembroke Bluff." ◂

### *Joining the Round Robin*

▸ ENDORSING the now famous Round Robin to President Roosevelt with its appeal for an active stand against the Axis, President Wriston and other members of the Brown University Faculty gave their views to the press and sent telegrams to Washington. Dr. Wriston, invited by Lewis W. Douglas and President Conant of Harvard to sign with them and 150 others, urged upon Mr. Roosevelt "the most candid exposition of American interests in the present crisis." The group urged it as "the settled policy of this country to do everything necessary to insure the defeat of the Axis Powers."

Others who approved the telegram were: Harold C. Field '94, Treasurer of the University; Prof. Robert H. George, Prof. Leland H. Goodrich, Prof. William Adams Brown, Jr., Fred B. Perkins '19, S. Foster Hunt '04. ◂

### *Legion Magazine's New Editor*

▸ ALEXANDER GARDINER '14 is the new editor of the *American Legion Magazine,* taking office Dec. 1 after 16 years as an associate editor. During part of this time he served under John T. Winterich '12, and a long apprenticeship in newspaper work preceded that association. After quarterbacking the 1913 Varsity, he had newspaper jobs in Springfield, Mass., Savannah, Atlanta, Providence, Hartford, Worcester and elsewhere. He was author of the successful biography of the gambler "Canfield," serialized in the *Saturday Evening Post* and later published in book form by Doubleday Doran. He was a coast artilleryman during the World War. ◂

### *The Place of Welfare in Defense*

▸ WALTER HOVING '20, President of the Associated Alumni and the head of Lord & Taylor, is chairman of the National United Welfare Committee for Defense. This organization, recently established, is a co-ordinating one. One problem under consideration is whether or not the recreational and welfare activities provided for our field forces in the World War by the Y. M. C. A., Knights of Columbus, Salvation Army, Jewish Welfare Board and other civilian organizations should be taken over by the National Youth Administration, working with the newly created military agencies. ◂

### *$1000 Bequest to Brown*

▸ BROWN UNIVERSITY will receive a bequest of $1000 under terms of the will of Mrs. Alice F. Peckham of Providence, widow of Dr. Frank E. Peckham '85. ◂

# 'M' Day for the Fund

▸ ▸ A GOAL of $50,000 to be raised by commencement in June was announced by the Trustees of the Brown Alumni Fund as this year's annual campaign was launched Jan. 20 with a dinner at the University Club, attended by more than 100 fund workers.

Agents representing every class from 1884 through 1939 heard Vice-President James P. Adams, honorary fund trustee, declare that alumni loyalty and support is more vital than ever before in the face of the current world crisis and its relationship to the university.

"We have learned that defense is not merely a matter of material, but it is a matter of morale," Dr. Adams said, citing Britain as an example. "We must help to maintain the cultural stream and not let it be choked by the more immediate and pressing things. While we build fortresses, we must build moral and spiritual fortresses within. That is the function of our colleges and universities."

Dr. Adams and Dean Bruce M. Bigelow, who spoke earlier, pointed to Brown's defense efforts in training students in the new Naval R. O. T. C. unit and the Civil Aeronautics Authority's pilot training program; and in offering industrial defense courses as well as providing research facilities and personnel for defense agencies.

"Our largest job, however, is to carry on the major work which we have been doing in years past," Dr. Adams said, "by furnishing a liberal education to the men who have come to us for this purpose. What we are doing is not just 'business as usual,' but a streamlining for the future—training men to be the citizens of tomorrow."

▸ EDWARD H. WEEKS, '93 class agent, declared that his classmates subscribed 100 per cent. to the fund last year largely through personal letters and contacts. He urged similar efforts by other agents, a plan which was endorsed wittily by Prof. William W. Browne, '08 of the College of the City of New York, district agent for metropolitan New York, and by Martin L. Tarpy, '37 class agent.

A new system of class quotas, based upon a study of past contributions and the needs for this year, was described by James H. Case, Jr., secretary of the university, who spoke in the absence of Richmond H. Sweet, '25, a fund trustee. The quota plan calls for gifts in proportion to the length of time since a class was graduated.

Mr. Case said that the alumni have a "right to be pleased and proud" of their success with the fund in past years, which has seen the number of contributors increase from one out of six to virtually one out of two within the past few years.

Arthur L. Philbrick '03 of Providence, chairman of the Alumni Fund Trustees again this year, presided at the dinner. Copies of last year's Fund report, prepared under the direction of James W. Gurll '38, Executive Secretary, were distributed. ◂ ◂

### *The Gold Standard Reviewed*

▸ AFTER 20 years' work on the project, Professor William Adams Brown, Jr., head of the University's Economics Department, has completed his book on the history of the gold standard "The International Gold Standard Reinterpreted: 1914-1934." The book is published by the National Bureau of Economics Research. It contains two big volumes, totalling 1420 pages, with 100 tables and 82 charts, and is considered a monumental work. A Foundation subsidy made it possible. ◂

# With the Brown Clubs ◂ ◂

### *New York*

▸ THE committee in charge of the 73rd annual dinner of the metropolitan Brown alumni in the New York region has arranged a banner list for the speakers' table on the evening of Feb. 10 at the Hotel Commodore. In addition to President Wriston, Quentin Reynolds '24, returned *Collier's* correspondent, whose new book and film make him the month's lion in Gotham. Myles Standish '20, whose performance as Alumni Day awarder of prizes was memorable, will be toastmaster. The second annual award of Brown Bears to outstanding alumni will be another feature of the evening.

The Brown University Club in New York gave a testimonial dinner to "Tuss" McLaughry, Dec. 19, at its headquarters. Vice-President Joseph F. Halloran '16 was toastmaster at a dinner where 100 enthusiastic alumni gathered to show appreciation to the coach. A gold wrist-watch and combination stop-watch, presented by the toastmaster, carried the following inscription: "To 'Tuss'—15 years, still first down—Brown Club of New York—December 19, 1940."

The speakers at this dinner included Stanley Woodward, Sports Editor of the *New York Herald Tribune*, Everett Morris, special feature writer of the *Herald Trib.* and Denny Myers, Brown line coach.

Guests of honor included: Father Ford of Columbia University; Van Smith, football coach at Glen Cove High School; Mike Torgan, football coach at James Madison High School; Clair Anderson, former Colgate star, now coach at Montclair High School; Joe Rothvock, coach at Peekskill Military Academy; Al Owen, of the New York Giants; and Bill Burnham '07, former President of the Boston Brown Club.

Brown songs were led by Fred A. Forbes '38, Executive Secretary of the New York Club, with Earl E. Eldredge '27 at the piano. Dean Hill, Jr., former Princeton fullback, presented "Tuss" McLaughry with a book called "Football Through the Years," which was written by Dean Hill, Sr.

Brown men in Downtown New York are meeting pleasantly for lunch Tuesday noons in a private dining room at the Seamen's Institute, 25 South St., for the fifth year. Jerry Holmes '02 heads the table and makes new men, who are always welcome, feel at home. The food is excellent, the prices reasonable and no reservations are necessary.

### *Boston*

▸ IT is important that Brown should adhere to its liberalism at the same time that it aids the Government more directly in the defense program, according to Vice-President James P. Adams. He told of the place of the liberal college under present emergency conditions in a talk on affairs on College Hill before the Brown Club of Boston at the Boston Chamber of Commerce Jan. 7. The Naval R. O. T. C. program and other defense contributions at Brown were described. The luncheon gathering was deeply impressed by his discussion, we hear from Ernest T. Clough '20, Secretary. Others at the head table included: President Royal W. Leith '12, who presided; Joseph N. Ashton '91, President of the Merrimack Valley Brown Club; and Dr. Charles H. Hare '85.

At the December luncheon the speaker was Prof. Thomas H. Sanders of the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, who drew upon his New York and Washington contacts to illuminate the background material of his talk on "Problems Arising Out of the Election." "He proved to be one of our best speakers," we learn from one of the 35 present. The February luncheon, scheduled for Feb. 4, was to feature the American League Baseball motion picture, procured through the cooperation of John J. O'Reilly '36.

**GAVIN PITT: Assistant to Dean Arnold, who has taken over the duties previously carried out by Dean Rand, resigned. They include granting of financial aid, loans, regulation of student service, NYA administration, and placement.**

Final luncheon of the season will come on Tuesday, March 4, with Prof. Theodore F. Collier, head of the History Department, announced as the speaker on a world affairs topic. This meeting, like the others will be held at the Chamber of Commerce at 12:30. Advance reservations should be made through Mr. Clough at 140 Federal St., (HUBbard 2450). Guests are welcome at $1. each.

As the year's climax in Boston, the annual banquet will be held Wednesday evening, April 16, at the University Club. William P. Burnham '07, chairman of the banquet committee, has announced that speakers will be President Wriston and Dr. Claude M. Fuess, Headmaster of Phillips Andover Academy.

### *Merrimack Valley*

▸ A CONTINUED need for study of the humanities was foreseen by Prof. Robert P. Casey, head of the Department of Biblical Literature and History of Religion, who spoke at the mid-winter meeting of the Merrimack Valley Brown Club at the Andover Inn Dec. 7. A turkey dinner was served to the large gathering, and it was "a most successful occasion," as the *Evening Tribune* reported.

Introduced by President Joseph N. Ashton '91, Prof. Casey said there was a present rush for technical or practical courses, but because conditions a few years hence were so unpredictable the broad intellectual training was necessary as a basis.

The student attitude on religion, Prof. Casey believed, is a more soundly developed interest than at any time in the past, with an insistence on a practical theology not entirely emotional nor merely moral. He answered many questions about the Brown of today.

Among those listed as present were: Nelson Barlow '17, James S. Eastham '19, Samuel H. Bailey, Jr., '02, Irving Southworth '02, George A. Mellen '98, Burton S. Flagg '96, Frederick M. Boyce '09, Rev. William E. Arnold '33, R. E. Maynard, D. M. Leith, Roger W. Higgins '30, Philip L. Burns, John S. Barse, Henry P. Kelley, Frederick R. Hulme, Herbert B. Francis '11, Herbert L. Anderson '33, Raymond S. Hall '31, James Canton, Rufus E. Corlew '98, Rupert A. Nock '30, Albert E. Fowler, Jr., '22, Everett G. Perkins '16, Lewis H. Conant '03, Herbert L. Hambleton '21, Thomas R. Hadfield '24, Carleton D. Skillings, Rev. Archie H. Crowley, Rev. Byron O. Waterman '32, Charles R. Iovino, Harold K. Tolson, James Hanson, James S. Allen '98, Francis E. Smith, Nicholas E. Janson '30, Ernest T. Clough '20, Howard D. Smith '03, Charles W. Henry, H. R. Fazio, Jr., Rolland E. Wolfe, Holbrook Dodge '24, David M. Dougherty. Communities represented were: Andover, Lowell, Newburyport, Methuen, Lawrence, Winchester, Cranston, Chelmsford, Marblehead, Medford, Manchester, N. H., Manchester, Mass., and Worcester.

### *Portland, Ore.*

▸ THERE'S a new Brown University Club on the Pacific Coast, thanks to the enterprise of a group of alumni in Oregon and the encouragement of Edwin B. Mayer '09, President of the Brown Club of Chicago. Meeting in December at the University Club in Portland, they elected Robert Forbis '20, President. Mr. Forbis, a horticulturist, is President of the Montinore Company. Ashley Greene '21, attorney in the Public Service Building, is Vice-President, while the Secretary is Edward A. Fontaine '38 of the West Coast Power Company, 404 Terminal Sales Building.

The club has decided to hold meetings at noon on the last Saturday of each month. A message of congratulations from President Wriston awaited them at their Jan. 25 meeting at the Hotel Roosevelt.

### *The Engineers*

▸ LEADING the 1941 program of the Brown Engineering Association was the luncheon meeting at the Hotel Bristol, New York City, Jan. 16. The gathering, with Sidney Wilmot '09 as chairman, coincided with the annual meeting of the American Society of Civil Engineers. T. Elliott Tolson '06 and his sons are hosts at the Bristol.

Officers of the Association for 1941 are Robert B. Perkins '29, president; Stuart P. Cooke '26, vice president; E. Edmund Jackson '11, secretary-treasurer; and James Wilmot '08, Leonard K. Murphy '20, and James P. Patton '34, directors. Murphy has served several terms as the active and efficient secretary-treasurer.

The slate was elected at the annual dinner held at the Brown University Club in New York, Dec. 5. Ralph M. Palmer, '10, President of the Brown Club of New York, was the toastmaster. Speakers of the evening included President Henry M. Wriston of Brown University; Professor Stuart P. Cooke, Fred A. Forbes '38, Executive Secretary of the Brown Club of New York; Mr. Murphy, and Wilbur T. Breckenridge '15, former president of the Brown Engineering Association.

### *Akron*

▸ THE Brown Alumni Club of Akron, Ohio, held its traditional Holiday meeting at the City Club. Present was the Club's protégé, Gerald M. Stevenson, Jr., from Kent, Ohio, who is a member of the Freshman Class on the Hill. He is the second boy that the Akron Alumni Club has sponsored at Brown.

Samuel A. Steere '07 is President of the Club, which was founded through the efforts of William A. Maguire '18, former Varsity Baseball Captain.

### *Western Pennsylvania*

▸ THE Brown University Club of Western Pennsylvania held a Fall football dinner-meeting at the Pittsburgh Y. M. C. A. Dec. 5 with 16 Brown men and six guests present. A brief meeting was conducted by R. O. Hughes '00, President of the Club, following which three reels of motion pictures of the Brown-Army game were shown. During the pictures R. B. Clark '39 gave a running commentary on the plays and players.

The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended, and the members expressed a desire to hold more meetings of a similar nature when special features such as motion pictures are available.

### *St. Louis*

▸ FIFTEEN graduates of Brown met at the Racquet Club, at the invitation of Chapin S. Newhard '22, to spend the evening of Dec. 6 with Dr. Bruce Bigelow. It was a most enjoyable occasion. Dr. Bigelow had spent the day with Mr. Newhard visiting the Country Day and John Burroughs Schools and the Western Military Academy. From all reports the visits were most successful.

During the course of the evening motion pictures of Brown-Army game were presented, and it was real fun to see the old team in action again.

At the suggestion of Mr. Newhard, seven at the meeting have sent in their names for ALUMNI MONTHLY subscriptions.

The following were present: Carl H. Angell, '15; E. B. Carpenter '26; Hugh H. Conklin, '37; W. Taylor Davol, '37; Tankerville J. Drew, '31; Homer R. Faulkner, '23; Bertrand O. LeBlanc, '31; Chapin S. Newhard, '22; Preston W. Lewis, '17; John R. Lymna, '24; John C. Mosby '30; Donald E. Pratt, '27; Dr. Ernest S. Reynolds, '07; Joel A. Rogers, '31; Dr. E. F. Sievers, '18.

### *Los Angeles*

▸ IT'S a young group of officers that the Brown Club of Los Angeles has installed, not one of them more than 14 years out of college, and the club is having an enterprising year. The slate voted in includes the following: President—F. Miles Flint '27, 2857 North Gainsborough Drive, San Marino, Cal.; 1st Vice-President—Hugh Wallace '37, 804 Stratford Ave., South Pasadena; 2nd Vice-President—James H. Hay '34, 4808 Bonvue Ave., Hollywood; Secretary-Treasurer—W. W. Mann '28, 643 Moreno Ave., West Los Angeles; Assistant Secretary—Curtis Peck '34, 1100 South Grand Ave., Pasadena.

The Club held a dinner meeting Dec. 5 with 40 Brown men and their friends present. The meeting was high-lighted by a talk given by E. A. "Shad" Adams '12. Plans are being formulated to have at least two meetings of this nature each year.

### *Washington*

▸ A FOOTBALL roundup was promised the Brown Club of Washington, D. C., at its meeting Jan. 29 at the Army and Navy Club. "Tuss" McLaughry planned to take with him from Providence a few reels of movies from last fall's games, which he would illuminate with comment.

The Secretary of the University, James H. Case, Jr., was scheduled to bring the latest news from the Hill in his first speaking appearance before the Club.

# Season in the Balance ◂ ◂

▸ ▸ THE Brown basketball season was still in the balance when Yale came to the Marvel Gym Feb. 5 to open the second half of a schedule that had shown itself altogether unpredictable. The first 10 decisions of the campaign had been split evenly, as the quintet defeated such strong foes as Rutgers, Lafayette, Holy Cross, M. I. T., and Clark, only to bow before Harvard, Connecticut, Columbia, Tufts, and Army. If the squad can live up to its possibilities, it should improve appreciably in its last 10 games, for it had been held back by late conditioning, loss of a couple of valued men through illness and injury, and the interruptions of Christmas and mid-year's.

Services of Harry Platt '40 as playmaker and retriever were missed in the first games. But Co-Captains Padden and Wilson, Person, Sheffe, and Fisher remained from the starting lineups of last season. In addition, Varsity holdovers were Davis, Savignano, and Sokol, with Pournaros and Pogson, upperclassmen, playing for the first time at Brown. Sophomores active in their first year with the Varsity were Delaney, McGowan, Gregory, and Rutherford. Thompson, the two Prices and Dunn completed the list of those who have seen competition thus far. And Coach Eck Allen has been using his reserve strength freely, particularly when his starters seemed unable to maintain a fast pace for long.

Clark came to Providence with a large cheering contingent and a determination to win, based on its team's fine condition and practice games through a football-less fall. With the Bear by no means in shape, the visitors looked sure winners in the erratic action. They were away to a 25-18 lead as their shots clicked and Brown's were off, but the Brunonians kept pecking away and got results toward the end. In the late stages of play, Clark was ahead four times, Brown twice, with the score tied three times. When McGowan, one of Brown's many subs, kicked in two baskets for a 44-43 edge 45 seconds from the end, and his team held the ball for the final moments, refusing twice to accept foul shots in order to retain possession of the ball. Nine figured in the Brown scoring, no one in double figures, while 38 fouls were called in a whistle-bound action. Brown sank 10 of 22 free shots, Clark 11 of 19.

▸ IN the past two years, the same Brown team (plus Platt) had trounced Harvard and was favored to add a third scalp. But in Cambridge Harvard's superior condition told after a first half that ended only 17-16 in her favor. (Brown pulled up from 17-10 with three shots in the last two minutes.) But strength off the backboard permitted the Crimson to move out to a 47-34 final, although Coach Allen used 15 men in an effort to sustain the pace.

Again at Storrs it was close for a time, the rivals being deadlocked at 18 for the interval of rest. But a red-hot rally shortly afterward gave Connecticut 12 points a-running and the leeway for a 42-36 verdict. Otherwise it was close, and a late Brown rally was cut short by time. The first half had seen each club lead three times and four tie scores.

Brown welcomed Holy Cross back to intercollegiate competition by defeating her 40-26. Again the first half was nip and tuck, with the Purple out ahead 19-18 at halftime. But this time it was Brown's turn to turn on the steam with long range work featuring a 22-point action. Savignano, playing his first game of the season, contributed to the stout defensive work that gave Holy Cross only three baskets in the final 20 minutes, two of them on rebounds after foul shot failures.

▸ CONTROL of the backboards followed when Brown took advantage of its height against a short, scrappy Lafayette quintet. In the opening period the lead changed no less than nine times before Brown pulled away to a 26-17 command at the midpoint. That margin was increased before the 49-34 finale. For the first time in the winter a Brunonian reached double figures when Padden sank five baskets for 10 points, missing others as the ball refused to roll for him. Person showed his old game, too, recovering both his eye and his aggressiveness.

Coming along fast to tie up the Rutgers game in New Brunswick, the Bruins moved ahead in the overtime to win 50-46. Rutgers had previously been beaten only by Fordham and had been highly favored. Indeed, she was leading 22-18 after the half and had seven points with seven minutes to go. But team play enabled Sheffe, Wilson and Fisher to deadlock the score, and in the overtime Padden, Delaney and Fisher put in the big ones. Individual scores were higher as only three subs were used (Delaney, McGowan, and Pogson), and Padden ran up 16 points, Wilson 10.

That unexpected victory seemed to augur well, but the Christmas interruption brought a letdown despite practice sessions during the vacation. Against Columbia there was the standard tight duel for the early stages, until the Lions got hot, pulled away 28-21 at the rest point. Although Padden retrieved three, Columbia gained power while the Bear attack and defense disintegrated from then on. The 36-49 loss was the first at home for Brown. Against the pattern of his team's unsteadiness, Padden counted for 16 points.

▸ THE squad recovered its poise against a highly recommended M.I.T. team before

1000. In an unusual spurt at the outset, Brown regulars ran up a 17-4 lead for the quarter, which the subs continued for a 27-11 half. Against a stout defense the Engineers dropped only two floor shots in the half. Then the top five returned to make the score 44-21 before Coach Allen emptied the bench of subs, including the two Prices in the roster of 17. Wilson was high gun with 10 points.

Even with Person out on injuries and Padden suffering from grippe, the team figured to take Tufts into camp. But after a 20-20 tie in the first half, only 20 points were dropped in a defensive exhibition that drew frequent applaudings. Brown took a four-point lead after the intermission but lost the 31-29 decision.

It was rugged defensive play, too, that kept the score down to 10-9 as Army led the first half of a game at West Point, further marked by the liberal use of substitutes. The Cadets used 16 men, Brown 11, as the Pointers raced ahead to a 30-19 triumph. The Brunonian total was one of the lowest in years, while the combined scores were uncommonly small. Brown's offensive weakness is indicated when one records that the high scorers for her, Pournaros and McGowan, had only five points apiece.

The Freshmen had broken even in six contests, with lineups drawn principally from Swingler and Miller, forwards; Scavongelli, centre; and Thompson, Hines, Pattee, Smith, and Wood, guards. After an inaugural victory over East Providence High, 41-29, the Cubs lost two decisions to the clock in a row. Harvard sank the winning basket of a 46-44 game just three seconds before the gun, and the Freshmen missed winning the Connecticut game by a bare second, the Nutmeggers tying and then running out in the overtime 49-40. Swingler had 13 and 12 points in these two games. The Junior Varsity was edged out 31-29 and, despite a close first half, M.I.T. was set down 48-23. Thompson was in double figures for the third time this season and Smith also had 11 points, but the Tufts Freshmen outshot the Cubs and held off a belated drive 53-47.

▸ CONCENTRATION of talent in a few brilliant individuals showed itself as the Varsity swimming team opened its season against the Springfield College team in Springfield. The Brunonians lacked the balanced squad necessary for a winning season, and Springfield's margin of 50-25 told the story. Co-Captains Bob Schaper and George Gibbons, with assistance from Sherburne Carter in the sprints, garnered their anticipated points, but no one else could do better than third and both relays were lost. Schaper took 10 points with a 29.8 second sprint in the 60 and a 100-yard freestyle timed in 53.8. Carter was second and third in those events, while Gibbons trailed Milligan of Springfield in the 220 but turned the tables in the 440 with a 5:01.6 effort. Schaper was only 1/10 of a second behind the New England record in his century and 1/5 of a second in the 60.

Even this limited talent was curtailed when the team went to Cambridge, where two years ago Schaper and Gibbons had contributed to a spectacular meet that broke Harvard's three-year string of victories. This year Gibbons was ill, and two others also stayed home in the infirmary. Schaper, who took a first in the 50 by two yards and a second in the century, was Brown's only winner in the 13-62 shellacking. It was Coach Barry's lowest scoring in years, and one has to go back to 1927 to find in the 56-6 defeat by Yale that winter a worse defeat.

▸ WITH this in mind, the news from the Freshman camp sounds especially welcome, and that club may prove the best in a decade. Consider the results in the meet with Brookline High that started the schedule off, as an indication: The Cubs lost both relays by disqualification but even so managed to win 42-24, taking all other firsts. Here is what the boys did: 50-yard freestyle—Berns and Capouch, one-two, in 25.5 seconds; 100—Joyner and Tye, one-three in 58.4; 200—Carson and Baetzhold, one-two, in 2:09.7; 100 breast—Lawson and McDonough, one-two, in 1:15.8; 100 back—Brazile and Drennan, one-three, in 1:08.3; Ahearn and Rafuse, one-three, in the diving event.

Carson and Capouch were each double winners against the Harvard yearlings, the former taking the distance events, the latter the sprints in freestyle. Carson and Harding were one-three in a 220 clocked at 2:27.1, while Baetzhold was the third man in a 440 negotiated in 5:46.1. Berns was second and third to Capouch in a 24.9-second 50 and a 56.6 second century, respectively. Besides winning the 150-backstroke event in 1:53.3, Brazile teamed with Lawson and Baetzhold to capture the medley relay (3:21.2 for the 300 yards). Ahearn was a close second in the dives and Lawson in the breaststroke, while Drennan was third man in the backstroke. With points to spare, the Cubs yielded the freestyle relay, and the final tally read: Brown 43, Harvard 32.

Carson, who swam in the New England A. A. U. senior 440-yard freestyle championship at Springfield College Feb. 1, clipped three seconds off the record established last year by Cutler of Harvard. Carson won the title in 4:54.1, better time than the New England Intercollegiate record of 4:58.7 set in Springfield's 60-foot pool last February by Rawstrom of Springfield. The next night in the Olneyville Boys' Club pool he shaded 29 seconds from the New England A. A. U. record as he beat Gibbons for the title by inches in 3:36. Schaper won an invitation 60-yard event in 29.9 seconds.

▸ AN alumnus and a Sophomore who took New England A. A. U. titles gave Brown her allotment of glory at the V. F. W. Games in Boston which inaugurated the indoor track season on Jan. 11. Allan Schwartz, former Varsity high jumper, became New England champion with a leap of 6 feet 2½ inches, while Frank Floyd won the championship sprint with a time of 5.6 seconds for the 50 yards.

Although the anchor man made up a 30-yard deficit for Brown, the Varsity mile relay team finished in third place two yards behind New Hampshire and Tufts. Allen, Battey, Kurath and Austin ran for the Bear. A Freshman quartet of Marshall, Hindmarsh, McMutrie and Allen were third to Rhode Island and Northeastern. In the Prout Memorial Games Jan. 25 the Varsity relay four were Clark, Battey, Feehan, and Austin. Clark was second by a yard to New Hampshire, and Battey turned over a three-yard lead at the start of the third leg, but Brown trailed New Hampshire and M. I. T. by two and four yards at the tape. ◂ ◂

**SCORES AT MID-SEASON**

***Varsity Basketball***

Brown 44, Clark 43
Harvard 47, Brown 34
Connecticut 42, Brown 36
Brown 40, Holy Cross 26
Brown 49, Lafayette 34
Brown 50, Rutgers 46
Columbia 49, Brown 36
Brown 50, M. I. T. 33
Tufts 31, Brown 29
Army 30, Brown 19

***Freshman Basketball***

Brown 41, E. Providence 29
Harvard 46, Brown 44
Connecticut 49, Brown 40
Brown 48, M. I. T. 23
Tufts 53, Brown 47

***Varsity Swimming***

Springfield 50, Brown 25
Harvard 62, Brown 13

***Freshman Swimming***

Brown 42, Brookline High 24
Brown 43, Harvard 32

### *Football Clean-up*

▸ ▸ THREE hundred members of the Providence Brown Club honored the squad and coaches of the football team at a dinner Dec. 12 at the Providence Biltmore Hotel. The principal speaker was Francis Wallace, author of *Saturday Evening Post's* "Pigskin Preview," and former Notre Dame publicist. Since Richards Vidmer was unable to attend, Charles P. Sisson '11, All-American center, substituted for him in fine fashion. "Tuss" McLaughry introduced each player and coach, while Linus Travers '27, director of the Yankee Network, was a suave toastmaster. Club President Edward T. Richards '27 presented him. The dinner committee in charge of arrangements were: H. Stanton Smith '21, Chairman; Theodore R. Jeffers '23; Henry Aylsworth '20; W. Stanley Barrett '21; James W. Gurll '38; Edward T. Richards '27, President of the Club; Chester Snow '07; J. Richmond Fales '10; and Ross deMatteo '35.

▸ TUSS MCLAUGHRY, asked to mention the biggest thrill of his coaching tenure at Brown, told the *Herald* that it probably came when his son John assisted in a pass interception and lateral in the 1938 Harvard game. The 1930 game with Syracuse also stood out, for in that contest the Brunonians rallied to score 16 points and tie it up.

▸ MCLAUGHRY may be the first Brown football coach to move along to Hanover, but two Dartmouth coaches came to Brown: William Odlin, an Indian alumnus, coached at Hanover in 1892 and Providence in 1893; Wallace Moyle, former Yale athlete, coached at Brown from 1895-1897 after having been two years at Dartmouth.

▸ ERNEST T. SAVIGNANO, who came to Brown by way of Newton High School and Morristown Prep, will lead the 1941 football Varsity. The captain-elect has also won letters in basketball and hockey, besides gaining honorable mention on the Associated Press's All-American football squad last year.

▸ SIX sons of Brown alumni were among the Freshman football players given numerals on the basis of their play last fall. They included: Robert R. DeWolf, son of Paul C. DeWolf '05; Dana Gallup, son of Dana T. Gallup '07; Irving T. Gumb, Jr., son of Irving T. Gumb '16; George M. Hindmarsh, son of Alexander T. Hindmarsh '19; John E. Pattee, son of Harry E. Pattee '06; Raymond L. Smith, Jr., son of Raymond L. Smith '14; The son of Elmer F. Davenport '16 was also a squad member. ◂ ◂

# They Gave Their Pledge

One of the smallest groups of Freshmen in recent years offered pledges to 17 Brown fraternities at the end of the annual rushing period, Dec. 10. No house took the limit of 15 men permitted by Interfraternity Governing Board regulations, although 12 of the houses pledged 10 or more men. From a class of 379 Freshmen, 177 accepted bids. Although the number of pledges was lower than last year, the percentage was slightly higher because the Class of 1944 is a somewhat smaller class. In 1940, 46% of the Class pledged; in 1939, 45%; in 1938, 51%.

While rushing followed familiar patterns of recent years, one innovation was notable: at the outset of the season fraternities held several open house dates when any Freshman could visit them, without specific invitation. On the last day the Freshmen gathered in Sayles Hall to list their first three choices among fraternities. These choices were compared with lists of preferred men which the fraternities had filed with the Dean earlier in the day and the yearlings received their final bids after this comparison. Red fire, cannon salutes, and other special welcomes awaited them.

Alpha Delta Phi, Beta Theta Pi, and Psi Upsilon had the largest delegations, with 14 pledges each. Delta Upsilon and Phi Kappa Psi had 13 each, while Delta Kappa Epsilon and Pi Lambda Phi had a dozen. Other delegations numbered as follows, according to a Brown Daily Herald tabulation: Delta Tau Delta, Phi Delta Theta, Phi Gamma Delta, and Zeta Psi—11. Delta Phi—10. Sigma Chi—9. Lambda Chi Alpha—7. Kappa Sigma and Sigma Nu—6. Theta Delta Chi—3. It was a matter of comment how many "legacies" did not give pledges to their fathers' fraternities and how many of the "big men" in the class did not pledge at all.

The catalogue of pledges published in the *Herald* was as follows:

***Alpha Delta Phi***

Spencer H. Baker, Hingham, Mass.; William E. Barton, Foxboro, Mass.; F. Joseph Capouch, Oak Park, Ill.; Lloyd W. Cornell, Jr., Providence; Guy deBrun, New York City; Fred R. Hazard, 3rd, Providence; Edward W. Lawson, Park Ridge, Ill.; Willis G. Nealley, New York City; Paul Reed, Greenwich, Conn.; Raymond L. Smith, Jr., Pelham, N. Y.; Gerald M. Stevenson, Jr., Kent, Ohio; Frank E. Tye, Jr., Oak Park, Ill.; Robert B. Wise, Ardsley-on-Hudson, N. Y.; and John A. Zinke, Geneva, Ill.

***Beta Theta Pi***

Carroll E. Adams, Jr., Pawtucket; Thomas H. Davenport, Thomaston, Conn.; Richard P. Gaunt, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; David M. Greenwood, Providence; Arthur E. Hatch, Jr., White Plains, N. Y.; Paul P. Henson, Jr., Hyannis, Mass.; Francis W. Lawton, Palmer, Mass.; John S. Lennon, Pawtucket; Javier S. Leon, Madrid, Spain; Charles W. Powers, Rumford; Chandler E. Swallow, Jr., Pawtucket; Austin B. Thompson, Jr., Williamstown, Mass.; Franklin D. Volpe, Arlington, Mass.; Charles A. Williams, Kent, Ohio.

***Delta Kappa Epsilon***

John D. Baer, Attleboro, Mass.; George A. Groves, Lowell, Mass.; William R. Hirschberg, Greenwich, Conn.; Clement McCarthy, Lowell, Mass.; Nat M. Marshall, Malone, N. Y.; Herbert D. Mills, Jr., Meriden, Conn.; Owen T. Muzroll, Rumford, Me.; Joseph E. Riley, Jr., Norwood, Mass.; John D. Ross, Jr., Holyoke, Mass.; John S. Sage, New York City; Richard W. Sarle, Rumford, Me.; Daniel G. Savage, Jr., Orange, N. J.

***Delta Phi***

E. Stanton Adkins, Salisbury, Md.; George Campbell, Jr., Buffalo, N. Y.; Donald E. Easdon, Cranston; Bigelow Fowler, Norwood, Mass.; Charles F. Gladding, Barrington; Henry C. Hastings, Albany, N. Y.; Richard E. Kerns, Chicago, Ill.; George M. Leach, Barrington; John H. Lyman, Holyoke, Mass.; Benjamin Y. McCabe, Ossining, N. Y.

***Delta Tau Delta***

John F. Ahearn, Jr., Waterbury, Conn.; L. Clarke Budlong, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.; John Chelluk, Westport, Mass.; Horace A. Harding, Hillside, N. J.; Robert E. Klie, Jersey City, N. J.; James K. F. McNally, Bryn Mawr, Pa.; Douglas K. Mikolas, Oak Park, Ill.; Robert B. Olstad, Yonkers, N. Y.; John H. Pattee, West Barrington; George Rich, 3rd, Chicago, Ill.; Thomas J. Risinger, Utica, N. Y.

***Delta Upsilon***

Howard G. Baetzhold, Buffalo, N. Y.; John F. Buchman, 3rd, Canton, Ohio; H. Clinton Davis, Wilmington, Del.; William C. Drennan, Oak Park, Ill.; Robert W. Elsner, South Weymouth, Mass.; Dana H. Gallup, Cambridge, Mass.; George M. Hindmarsh, Cranston; Ray G. Huling, Providence; William W. Nash, Providence; C. Howard Nold, Jr., Norberth, Penn.; John A. Sawyer, Allendale, N. J.; Joseph W. Schwanda, Staffordville, Conn.; Roger S. Spear, West Hartford, Conn.

***Kappa Sigma***

William A. Chambrun, Providence; Frank J. Kenny, Jr., Teaneck, N. J.; Charles B. Scovil, Jr., Providence; Ernest A. Trahan, Barrington; William N. Tyler, Pawtucket; Edward H. Winsor, Jr., Cranston.

***Lambda Chi Alpha***

Elliott E. Andrews, East Hampton, Mass.; John F. Dorrance, Providence; Ben F. Dziengielewski, Naugatuck, Conn.; Russel M. Geer, Jr., New Orleans, La.; Richard C. Houck, Reading, Pa.; Harold H. Rafuse, Lynn, Mass.; Edward A. Teschner, Newton, Mass.

***Phi Delta Theta***

David G. Fernald, Montclair, N. J.; William B. Fernald, Montclair, N. J.; Robert N. Hagnauer, St. Louis, Mo.; Davis G. Howes, South Dartmouth, Mass.; Walter E. Jessup, Jr., Rye, N. Y.; Edward F. Riley, Wellesley, Mass.; Charles A. Robinson, Newton, Mass.; George Schott, Tarentum, Pa.; Jack F. Ulen, Newport; Norton C. Wheeler, Mystic, Conn.; Theodore C. Wilbar, Kenyon.

***Phi Gamma Delta***

Benjamin S. Andrews, East Orange, N. J.; Lynn P. Caming, New York City; Philip W. Carson, Providence; Harry G. Gooding, Jr., Hackensack, N. J.; Irving T. Gumb, Jr., Bronxville, N. Y.; James L. Ham, Boston, Mass.; Donald M. Joseph, Passaic, N. J.; Harold E. Miller, Jr., Cranston; Paul J. O'Reilly, Worcester, Mass.; Jasper L. Olmstead, Worcester, Mass.; Mortimer H. Wells, Jr., Arlington, Mass.

***Phi Kappa Psi***

Richard C. Anderson, Rumford, N. J.; Frank B. Clements, Mankato, Minn.; Paul A. Cunningham, Attleboro, Mass.; Wilbur S. Deming, Jr., Washington, Conn.; William M. Hines, Lakeville, Conn.; Charles Klatt, Jr., Plainville, Conn.; William H. Lacey, Jr., Jackson Heights, L. I.; William C. Myers, Morristown, N. J.; Robert E. Nelson, Wellesley, Mass.; Anthony F. Noll, Norton, Mass.; Charles H. Philbrick, 2nd, Providence; William K. Smith, Westfield, Mass.; and Jack A. Wood, Needham, Mass.

***Pi Lambda Phi***

Lawrence Berns, Staten Island, N. Y.; Eugene Cohn, Larchmont, N. Y.; Sherman A. Gates, Scituate, Mass.; Howard G. Krafsur, Brookline, Mass.; Arthur M. Markoff, Providence; Charles Nathanson, East Greenwich; Alan S. Rosenberg, Brookline, Mass.; Edward H. Rothstein, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Albert W. Sedar, Brighton, Mass.; Richard I. Shapiro, Brooklyn, N. Y.; David H. Solomon, Brookline, Mass.; Lincoln A. Steinhardt, South Orange, N. J.

***Psi Upsilon***

Charles F. Bruno, Jr., Rockport, Mass.; Robert DeWolf, Providence; Edward R. Fitzsimmons, Tsingtao, China; Arnold R. Hanson, Bellerose, L. I.; William O. Harbach, Mamaroneck, N. Y.; George E. Kanouse, Jr., Summit, N. J.; John A. Kilbourne, Dayton, Ohio; John J. McDonnell, New London, Conn.; James G. MacPherson, Jacksonville, Fla.; Joseph W. Pearson, Jr., Schenectady, N. Y.; Michael J. Reddy, Lake Forest, Ill.; William W. Townson, Rochester, N. Y.; Frederick P. White, Palm Beach, Fla.; and Gerard R. Williams, Jr., Scranton, Pa.

***Sigma Chi***

Robert P. Burwell, Cleveland, Ohio; William R. Ewald, Jr., Detroit, Mich.; John B. Hill, Westport, Conn.; Robert B. Lynch, Cranston; John L. Merriam, Edgewood; Donald R. Parker, Plainfield, N. J.; William N. Ross, Spartansburg, S. C.; Hampton H. Thomas, Jr., Milwaukee, Wis.; and Howard W. Young, Westport, Mass.

***Sigma Nu***

Anthony L. Anthony, Providence; John R. Miner, Collinsville, Conn.; Harold W. Paine, Providence; Lawrence Phillips, Southport, Conn.; Duncan P. Reese, Paris, France; and Stuart C. Roberts, Pawtuxet.

***Theta Delta Chi***

Robert D. Bentley, Rochester, N. Y.; William H. Kimball, Providence; David G. McCabe, Wrentham, Mass.

***Zeta Psi***

Ernest R. Alexander, Jr., Greenfield, Mass.; John C. Allen, Providence; Peter Chase, Providence; Charles H. Collins, Providence; Richard A. Hoober, Lancaster, Pa.; Charles P. Isherwood, Fall River, Mass.; Frank M. Jacobs, Wauwatosa, Wis.; Ogden R. Lindsley, East Greenwich; David C. Marshall, Gaspee Plateau; Walter H. Richter, Jr., New York City; Philip A. Simpson, Winchester, Mass.

***The Lanpher Cup***

The Lanpher Cup, symbolical of supremacy in interfraternity athletics at Brown, rests this year on the mantle of Phi Gamma Delta, which last spring broke the three-year reign of Delta Upsilon as champion of Greek intra-muralists. The latter was second, followed by Phi Kappa Psi, Zeta Psi, Delta Kappa Epsilon, and Alpha Delta Phi. The point totals follow:

Phi Gamma Delta 428.8, Delta Upsilon 396.7, Phi Kappa Psi 318., Zeta Psi 294.3, Delta Kappa Epsilon 280.8, Alpha Delta Phi 277.8, Delta Tau Delta 242.5, Psi Upsilon 208.7, Beta Theta Pi 164.3, Sigma Nu 152.3, Theta Delta Chi 141.8, Pi Lambda Phi 119., Phi Delta Theta 109.5, Kappa Sigma 106.5, Delta Phi 87., Sigma Chi 49.5, Lambda Chi Alpha 43.9, Alpha Tau Omega (charter released in Spring) 43.9.

Championships in various sports were won by: Phi Gamma Delta—Basketball, Novice, Baseball, Horseshoes. Phi Kappa Psi—Touch Football, Track. Zeta Psi—Handball, Tennis. Delta Kappa Epsilon—Swimming, Tennis. Alpha Delta Phi—Cross Country.

Fall competition this year produced the following champions: Phi Gamma Delta in Touch Football and Delta Upsilon in Track. The two were the early leaders in competition for the Lanpher trophy award for 1940-41.

### *Fraternity Scholarship*

SCHOLASTIC ranking of Brown's 17 fraternities shows three houses above the average of non-fraternity men on the campus. The rating, based on marks for 1939-40, again places Pi Lambda Phi on top with an improved figure of 2.736 as against 2.558 for the previous year. Jumping from 13th place to second, Lambda Chi Alpha had a creditable 2.476, which earned her the Edward T. Richards Cup for improvement.

Figures in the office of Dean Samuel T. Arnold show that class averages tend to improve with each year in college. The phenomenon is explained partly by the fact that students learn better how to take advantage of educational opportunities, partly by the fact that inferior students are weeded out, thus raising the average of the group. By classes last year the ratings were: Seniors 2.526; Juniors 2.388; Sophomores 2.217; Freshmen 2.137. Computations were made on the basis of A equalling 4, B 3, C 2, D 1, and E 0.

Fraternity rankings follow:

| FRATERNITY | *Official Average* | *Previous Ranking* |
|---|---|---|
| 1. Pi Lambda Phi | 2.736 | 1 |
| 2. Lambda Chi Alpha | 2.484 | 13 |
| 3. Kappa Sigma | 2.476 | 5 |
| AVERAGE OF NON-FRATERNITY MEN | 2.426 | |
| 4. Delta Upsilon | 2.389 | 3 |
| 5. Beta Theta Pi | 2.365 | 2 |
| 6. Sigma Chi | 2.356 | 10 |
| 7. Zeta Psi | 2.353 | 4 |
| 8. Delta Phi | 2.317 | 9 |
| ALL-COLLEGE AVERAGE | 2.294 | |
| 9. Delta Tau Delta | 2.293 | 6 |
| 10. Phi Delta Theta | 2.259 | 12 |
| AVERAGE OF FRATERNITY MEN | 2.220 | |
| 11. Alpha Delta Phi | 2.184 | 11 |
| 12. Sigma Nu | 2.161 | 7 |
| 13. Phi Kappa Psi | 2.115 | 14 |
| 14. Delta Kappa Epsilon | 1.991 | 15 |
| 15. Theta Delta Chi | 1.919 | 13 |
| 16. Phi Gamma Delta | 1.881 | 16 |
| 17. Psi Upsilon | 1.864 | 17 |

An unofficial survey made by the *Brown Daily Herald* brought out the fact that students in extra-curricular activities last year achieved higher marks in general than the average student at Brown. By groups, 10 student activities were rated scholastically as follows: Debating Union, *Herald*, French Club, Sock and Buskin, Sphinx Club, Liberal Club, Cammarian Club, Glee Club, *Sir Brown*, Football Squad. The previous year the activity rating on a scholarship basis was slightly different: *Herald*, Debating Union, *Sir Brown*, Cammarian Club, Sock and Buskin, Glee Club, BCA Senior Cabinet, Erasmians, Football Team, Rifle Team.

### *Given the Louttit Scholarship*

THE William Easton Louttit Memorial Scholarship of $500, awarded annually to an outstanding Brown University undergraduate, has been won this year by Donald E. Corzine '43 of Milwaukee, Wis., the office of Dean Samuel T. Arnold announced last month. Corzine is the first Sophomore to receive the scholarship.

Given in memory of the late William Easton Louttit of Providence by members of his family, the prize scholarship was awarded to Corzine for "distinguished accomplishment and promise," according to Brown's Committee on Scholarships. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer L. Corzine of 4141 North Ardmore Avenue, Milwaukee.

Corzine entered Brown from Shorewood High School, where he had an exceptional school record. He was President of the Senior Class, President of the Student Council, and a member of the National Honor Society. He was given All-Suburban mention as a schoolboy tackle during his Senior Year.

At Brown, Corzine has been a top-ranking member of his class for two years, and is a candidate for an A.B. degree. Last year he won freshman numerals in football and was awarded a 'varsity football letter this Fall. Corzine is a member of Delta Upsilon fraternity.

### *Collection of Minerals Arrives*

THE Department of Geology of Brown University is richer by more than 3700 specimens of minerals from all over the world. The J. Willard Baker Memorial Collection, presented to the university by Miss Louise Baker, daughter of the late J. Willard Baker of Wrentham, Mass., arrived in Rhode Island Hall this winter.

Prof. Alonzo W. Quinn said the Baker collection is one of the finest private collections in the world.

Mr. Baker, who died last year, was secretary of the Manville-Jenks Corporation in Wrentham. He began collecting geological specimens for a hobby when he was about 13 years old and continued until his death at the age of 72. His collection includes a section devoted to Rhode Island minerals, and some particularly fine "fluorescent" minerals. Fluorescents glow with vari-colored light when exposed to ultra-violet rays.

No estimate has been made of the value of the collection. Prof. Quinn said that it will be invaluable for teaching and research purposes.

### *The Missing Lectures*

ONE of the features of University Hall as reconstituted is a reference library for all the people there located. A file of the Colver Lecture series is being completed for that library, and it lacks three items at present: Giddings — "The Responsible State" (1918); Lord — "Plymouth and the Pilgrims" (1920); and Kellogg — "Human Life as the Biologist Sees It" (1921). Any alumnus who is able to meet this need in whole or in part should send the documents to Dr. Henry B. Van Hoesen, University Librarian.

### *Dr. Mead's Prize*

THE Department of Biology announces a new prize to be awarded to undergraduates for excellence in laboratory work in the department. Amounting to $30 and $20 for the two best students, it will be presented by Dr. Albert D. Mead, Vice-President of Brown University from 1925 to 1931 and for long Chairman of the Department of Biology. He was the department's first graduate student, taking his degree in 1891.

DR. MEAD

### *The Keen Research Fellowship*

APPLICATIONS for the Corinna Borden Keen Research Fellowship will be due on March first. This fellowship, established in 1934 under the will of William W. Keen '59, carries a stipend of $1000 or more and is to be used for original research in the sciences. It is open to men who are holders of a Brown University degree and will ordinarily be awarded only to those who already hold the Ph.D. degree from some institution. Research under this fellowship may be carried on at Brown University or in any other part of the world.

### *Rhymed Prexies*

"RAH RAH CHRONOLOGY" was the title of a bit of verse in *What Cheer Jottings*, a department of the *Providence Sunday Journal* edited by Paul B. Howland '10. The poem was dedicated to "the New Y'r at Brown's":

James Manning first ruled up at Brown,
When college students came to town,
And after Manning, Jonathan Maxcy
Rode up the hill, not in a taxi.
Succeeding him as the possessor
Of the president's chair was Asa Messer.
Francis Wayland, Barnas Sears,
Each in order next appears.
Caswell followed, named Alexis,
(Not yet were students of both sexes).
Welcomed next by every hill man
Was Robinson (Ezekiel Gilman)
And, loved for long by Bruno's many,
E. Benjamin Andrews, cheered as "Benny."
And then the college took a chawnce
On William Herbert Perry Faunce
Then turned the beacon o'er the harbor
To Dr. Clarence Augustus Barbour.
And now it's Wriston, known as "Hank,"
Who stirs the grounds in Brown's think tank

# Gentlemen of the Faculty

SIXTY-EIGHT members of the Faculty of Brown University took part in the meetings of a variety of learned societies during the Christmas and New Year recess. Twenty-seven members of the Faculty presented papers on topics dealing with their special fields of study, ranging from astronomy to zoology.

One of the sessions most closely related to current affairs was the special conference called by the Rockefeller Foundation in New York to discuss methods for intensifying the study and teaching of Spanish, in connection with cultural understanding in the Western Hemisphere. This meeting was attended by Dr. Irving A. Leonard, Professor of Hispanic civilization at Brown.

Dean Samuel T. Arnold, who attended the meetings of the National Collegiate Athletic Association with Thomas W. Taylor, Director of Athletics, continued on to California for the sessions of the Association of American Colleges.

Prof. Charles H. Smiley and Clinton B. Ford represented Brown at the meetings of the American Astronomical Society in Philadelphia.

From the Department of Bibliography, Dr. Henry B. Van Hoesen, University Librarian, and William H. Jesse, circulation chief, went to Chicago for the meetings of the American Library Association. They spoke on departmental and divisional libraries.

Biologists in Philadelphia for the sessions of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and its affiliated societies included Prof. Philip H. Mitchell, chairman of Brown's Department of Biology, and the following who read papers: Prof. Ivon R. Taylor, Prof. Paul B. Sawin, Prof. J. Walter Wilson, Prof. Arthur M. Banta, Dr. Richard J. Blandeau and Mark Nickerson. The Department of Botany was represented by Prof. Walter H. Snell, chairman.

At the American Chemical Society's Division of Physical and Inorganic Chemistry symposium at Columbia University, Prof. John P. Howe and Prof. Paul C. Cross represented Brown's Department of Chemistry.

The University's economists were in Chicago and New Orleans for the gatherings of the American Economic Association, the American Accounting Association, the American Statistical Association, the American Finance Association, and the American Association for Labor Legislation.

Prof. William Adams Brown, Jr., author of a two-volume text on the gold standard, spoke on "Gold and the Monetary System." Prof. Willard C. Beatty's paper was on graduate accounting and Prof. James H. Shoemaker's on "Japan's Present Fiscal Position." Prof. Chelcie C. Bosland, chairman, read a paper on the theory and practice of bond financing. Others attending the meetings included Prof. Anton Basch and Edward F. Denison, Jr.

Most of the Department of English was represented at the meetings of the Modern Language Association of America in Boston. They included Prof. William T. Hastings, chairman; Prof. Leicester Bradner, Prof. Randall Stewart, Prof. R. Gale Noyes, Prof. Edwin R. Casady, Prof. Bernard C. Bloch, Prof. George K. Anderson, John G. Rideout and Charles M. Kenyon. Prof. Sharon Brown spoke on required composition before the College English Association.

The Linguistic Society of America, meeting in Providence, heard papers by Prof. Hans Kurath, chairman of the Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures; by Prof. Bloch and by Robert A. Hall, Jr., of the Department of Romance Languages and Literatures. Prof. Henry Lee Smith, Jr., of the Department of English was among those attending.

Prof. Alonzo W. Quinn, head of the Department of Geology, addressed the Mineralogical Society of America in Austin, Texas, on rock formations in New Hampshire and took part in an American Association for the Advancement of Science symposium in Philadelphia.

The Department of Greek and Latin Classics sent its head, Prof. Benjamin C. Clough, Prof. Charles A. Robinson, Jr., Prof. Herbert N. Couch and Alden G. Vaughan to the meetings of the American Philological Association in Baltimore. Prof. Robinson, a member of the council, and Prof. Couch also attended the sessions of the Archeological Institute of America. Prof. Robinson met with the Fellows of the American Academy in Rome, the Classical Society of the American Academy, and the alumni of the American School of Classical Studies in Athens.

Five members of the Department of History were at the sessions of the American Historical Association in New York. They were Prof. Leonard, Prof. Chester H. Kirby, Prof. Sinclair W. Armstrong, Prof. Hans Rothfels, Prof. Jarvis M. Morse and Dr. H. Stuart Hughes. Dr. Hughes discussed the training of graduate students.

Mathematicians attending the meetings of the American Mathematical Society in New Orleans included Dean Roland G. D. Richardson of the Graduate School, who was honored for his 19 years of service as secretary of the organization; Prof. Jacob D. Tamarkin, and Dr. Dick W. Hall. They also attended the gatherings of the Mathematical Association of America.

Prof. Arlan R. Coolidge and William Dineen of the Department of Music were at the Cleveland meetings of the Music Teachers National Association, the National Association of Schools of Music, and the American Musicological Society.

The chairman of the Department of Philosophy, Prof. Curt J. Ducasse, represented Brown in Philadelphia at the gatherings of the American Philosophical Association, the Association for Symbolic Logic and the American Association for the Advancement of Science, of which he is a fellow. Prof. Charles A. Baylis and Prof. Albert A. Bennett also attended as well as Dr. Maylon Harold Hepp.

The American Political Science Association and the American Sociological Society met in Chicago during the vacation. Delegates from Brown's Department of Political Science and Sociology, and from the Department of Economics, included Prof. Matthew C. Mitchell, chairman, who spoke on Rhode Island's administrative organization; Dr. Edward H. Littlefield, whose paper was on the political behavior of the Negro; and Dr. Harold A. Gibbard. Prof. James H. Shoemaker of the Department of Economics presented a paper.

Traveling members of the Department of Physics included Prof. Harry E. Farnsworth, who attended the American Physical Society's meetings in Philadelphia. Dean Bruce M. Bigelow, Thomas W. Taylor, director of athletics; and Coach D. O. McLaughry were delegates to the sessions of the American Football Coaches Association in New York. Dr. Arthur H. Ruggles, lecturer in psychology, was in New York for the meetings of the American Psychiatric Association and the National Committee for Mental Hygiene.

Eleven members of the foreign language departments at Brown took part in the meetings of the Modern Language Association of America in Boston. Papers were presented by Prof. Edwin M. J. Kretzmann, Dr. Robert A. Hall, Jr., Prof. Robert H. Williams, Prof. Detlev W. Schumann, and Leon Livingstone, assistant. Others attending were Prof. Harcourt Brown, Prof. Hans Kurath, Prof. Irving A. Leonard, Arthur Weld, Jr., and Robert Berry.

### *Faculty Briefs*

VICE-PRESIDENT James P. Adams was the principal speaker at a mass meeting Jan. 5 which opened Providence Education Week. Many dignitaries of church, state and education took part in the programs, the theme of which was "the role of education in preserving the American way of life."

Dr. Walter S. Hunter was one of the 20 leading American psychologists who met with representatives of Federal Government agencies to study factors in national morale. *The Psychological Bulletin* says they have mobilized their talents and are planning a psychological defense.

Prof. Edwin M. J. Kretzmann of the Department of Germanic Languages and Literatures has been appointed Assistant to the Dean of the College for the remainder of the academic year. Dr. Kretzmann, who did graduate work at Brown, has been a member of the Faculty Board of Counselors since its creation in 1936. He will continue to give his courses at the College, but his teaching at Pembroke has been assigned to others in his Department.

Prof. Ben W. Brown was the guest of honor at the December meeting of the Erasmians.

A landscape by Prof. Will S. Taylor hung in the Providence Art Club during December, chosen as the "picture of the month."

Prof. Zenas R. Bliss of the Engineering faculty has qualified as Lieutenant Colonel in the Rhode Island National Guard, according to the National Guard Bureau of the War Department announcement Dec. 31. He is executive officer of the 68th Field Artillery Brigade, which awaits a call this month to active service.

Dr. Lawrence Wroth, of the John Carter Brown Library, and Dr. Henry B. Van Hoesen of the Brown University Library, contributed to a discussion of rare books on "Library Treasure Day" at Butler Hospital, Dec. 7.

### *The Brown University Lectures*

THE Brown University Lectures are being given by members of the Brown faculty for the third successive year. This year the series on "Science and the Citizen," has been named for Arnold Buffum Chace of the class of 1866, a distinguished graduate

of the University, who served as Trustee, Treasurer, and Chancellor for 25 years. His interest in the history of science was shown particularly in his valuable edition of the Rhind Mathematical Papyrus.

Prof. Raymond C. Archibald of the Department of Mathematics gave the first Chace Lecture on the topic "The Rise of Science in the Ancient World." Other Chace lectures are scheduled for Feb. 12 and 26, and for Mar. 12 and 26.

### *Dean Arnold Returns*

DEAN SAMUEL T. ARNOLD is back at Brown University after a two-week trip to the Pacific Coast and Southwest where he attended a meeting of the Association of American Colleges and visited western colleges and universities as Director of the Arts Program of the Association.

Dean Arnold visited the University of California, Leland Stanford University, Claremont College, Scripps College, Pomona College, the University of Texas, and Southern Methodist University, where he discussed problems of administration, curriculum, and the tasks of collegiate work in the present crisis with faculty members and administrative officials.

In between meetings and conferences, Brown's dean of undergraduates met many Brown alumni, got a first hand view of the motion picture industry at a meeting of the American Academy of Motion Picture Artists in Culver City, and was somewhat shocked by heavy rainfall in California. A late and sudden change in his itinerary made it impossible for him to see all the alumni he had hoped to originally and did not allow time for substitute arrangements, but such contacts as he had added greatly to the pleasure of his trip.

He renewed friendships with Dr. Gordon K. Chalmers '25, President of Kenyon College; Theron Clark '95, Registrar of the University of Southern California; Dr. Charles H. Abbott '13, Robertson Professor of Zoology, University of Redlands; Paul Braisted '25, lately of the mission field in Burma and China; Dr. Hermon C. Bumpus, Jr., '12, Hugh Wallace, Trustee E. A. Adams '12, Ernest E. Intlehouse '26, Dr. Howard G. MacMillan '12, Vernon A. Libby '24, Dr. George S. Goodspeed '14, Fremont E. Roper '11, Stacy R. Warburton '98, Nathaniel Blaisdell '83, Cad W. Arrendel, Ruth Hussey '37, and others. With many of them he described current University problems.

At the annual meeting of Consuls of the American Institute of Banking in Los Angeles, Dean Arnold was the speaker, addressing 400 members at the Breakfast Club. He also spoke before the members of the Association of American Colleges at their luncheon. Among his hosts were Mrs. Mitchell of Palo Alto, granddaughter of the late Prof. John L. Lincoln; Dr. Everett Dean Martin; and alumni in Berkeley, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

### *On Dr. Bigelow's Itinerary*

DR. BRUCE M. BIGELOW, Associate Dean of the College and Chairman of the Committee on Admissions, visited 23 schools and three alumni clubs on the first of his annual trips to various parts of the country in December. He spoke in assemblies at 10 Middle Western schools, conferred with school heads and advisers, and interviewed prospective applicants for admission to Brown. Dr. Bigelow was a speaker and guest at meetings of the Brown Clubs of Chicago, St. Louis and Cleveland, and attended a meeting of the Central States Headmasters' Association in Chicago.

Interest in Brown among schools in the Middle West has increased in the past few years, Dr. Bigelow said. This was his 10th visit to some of the schools in his itinerary. Much of the increased interest is through the efforts of students already enrolled in the University, he pointed out.

Schools visited by Dr. Bigelow in Illinois were the Chicago Latin School, Francis Parker School, Oak Park and River Forest Township High School, Maine Township High School, North Shore Country Day School, New Trier High School, Evanston Township High School, Highland Park High School, Lake Forest Academy, Lake Forest High School and Western Military Academy.

In Indiana and Missouri he visited Culver Military Academy, St. Louis Country Day School and John Burroughs School. In Michigan he was at the Cranbrook School, Highland Park High School, Detroit University School and Grosse Pointe High School. Schools in Ohio where Dean Bigelow was a guest were Shaw High School, Shaker Heights High School, Cleveland Heights High School, University School and Western Reserve Academy.

Dr. Bigelow's next trip will take him to the Middle West again in February, with stops en route at schools in Albany, Syracuse, Rochester, and Buffalo. He will go as far as Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul and Minneapolis. William K. Selden, admissions officer, visited schools in the Middle Atlantic States in January.

### *Sock and Buskin Alumni*

REMINISCENCES that spanned Sock and Buskin's 40 years provided a bond for two-score alumni of the dramatic society when they met last month for the anniversary dinner at the Brown Faculty Club. It was a congenial evening of the sort those present hope will become an annual affair.

Early days of the society were recalled by Prof. William G. Hoffman, Jr., '04 of Boston University, a member of the cast of the first production, "Our Boys," and Prof. Thomas Crosby, Jr., '94, who helped found the organization. After these good-humored anecdotes, Prof. Ben W. Brown, director of campus dramatics for the past 15 years, told the older graduates what is being done on the Brown stage at present. George A. Baker, Jr., '34 told of plans for the alumni production of "Shore Acres" the week of Feb. 3. Toastmaster for the evening was Tilden B. Mason '36.

Among the senior alumni present were Col. G. Edward Buxton '02, Judge Russell W. Richmond '02, and Newton P. Hutchison '05.

### *Tribute to Dean Richardson*

IN recognition of his 19 years as Secretary of the American Mathematical Society, Dean Roland G. D. Richardson of the Graduate School of Brown University was presented with a resolution of appreciation and a silver coffee service at the society's dinner in New Orleans on New Year's Day.

The resolution, illuminated and bound in leather, was given to Dean Richardson by the President of the Society, Prof. Griffith C. Evans of the University of California, who also presented the coffee service.

The resolution said, in part:

"He was elected to the Secretaryship in 1921, in the period of danger and uncertainty following the World War of 1914-1918.

"By his persistent continuation of the campaigns for membership, his watchful interest in the resources of the Society, his sympathetic understanding of our research needs, and his constant and unifyingly friendly influence in the management of our affairs, Richardson has taken a most prominent part in insuring the financial safety and developing the scientific influence of the Society.

"He has devoted himself, and often to the limit of his strength, to our interests. In contrast to these self-sacrificing services our comments here must inevitably seem inadequate and incomplete. Richardson's real memorial lies, however, in the affection and admiration for him which are wide-spread among the present members of the Society, and universal among those who have known him personally and worked with him. For future generations of members the Society itself and its scientific resources will constitute an ineffaceable reminder of his effective interest."

**"OUR BOYS" AGAIN: Participants in the first Sock and Buskin production held a reunion in conjunction with the dramatic society's 40th anniversary dinner. Left to right, Prof. Thomas Crosby, Jr., Col. G. Edward Buxton, Judge Russell W. Richmond, and Prof. William G. Hoffman, Jr. The photographer said, "Make it look like a rehearsal."**

### *Soccer on the Upgrade*

▸ ONLY three Seniors are among the 16 soccer players who received Varsity letter awards in December, and, with the elevation of a strong Freshman squad, the sport may well bring Brown a team next fall to compare with its championship outfit of a few years ago. The three Seniors, Captain Arthur Bijur, Richard Sonis and Earl W. Harrington, Jr. (son of Earl W. Harrington '14), have seen three years of Varsity play and had major roles in the season's contests, notably the scoreless tie with Harvard which ended the 1940 schedule and gave Brown a standing about midway in the roster of New England League teams.

Other letter men, including several sons of alumni, were: Robert W. Calhoun '43, Robert P. Fisler '43, Morton D. Furber '42, William C. Giles '42, William K. Glen '42, William W. Keffer '43, Edwin R. Keppler '43, Ronald McIntyre '42, Eliot F. Parkhurst '43, George W. Smith '43, John J. Tansey '43, Harry L. Thompson '42, and David Zabriskie '43. Giles, son of William C. Giles '11, is captain-elect.

Two boys who learned their soccer on other continents were among those who received their insignia in December after service with the Freshman team this fall. Captain Edward R. Fitzsimmons is from Tsingtao, China, while Andrew A. Woodger is an English boy from Epsom Downs. ◂

# Brunonians Far and Near ◂ ◂

### 1878

▸ ▸ WILLIAM ELY reports his new address to be 1216 Eighth St., Coronado, Calif.

### 1881

Chief Justice Charles Evans Hughes was honored by the National Conference of Christians and Jews, a group he helped found, when he was awarded a citation in a ceremony which took place at his house in Washington last December. The Chief Justice said that rancor and bigotry, racial animosities and intolerance were "the deadly enemies of true democrary, more deadly than any external force because they undermine the very foundations of democratic effort."

"Popular elections," he said, "express the will of the people, but back of that will must be the true democratic spirit which alone can save us from the excesses of the rule of force."

Chief Justice Hughes is the only survivor of the three Christian leaders who organized the national conference in 1928, his colleagues having been Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War under President Wilson, and Dr. S. Parkes Cadman, Brooklyn pastor.

Many dignitaries of church, state, business and education including President Henry M. Wriston were present to honor Mr. Hughes and to hear him say, "Liberty cannot be conserved by majority rule unless the majority hold sacred basic individual rights regardless of race or creed, so that along with our differences of view, political and religious, we have a deep and abiding sense of human dignity and worth, and hence of our capacity for friendly co-operation in pursuit of common ideals of justice. Rumor and bigotry, racial animosity and intolerance, are wholly incompatible with that co-operation."

### 1883

Past Master Walter W. Burnham received a 50-year membership medal of the Grand Lodge of Masons at the 184th annual communication of Saint Johns Lodge, No. 1, A. F. and A. M., held at the end of December in Providence.

### 1886

Dr. George Grafton Wilson has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his wife, Mrs. Elizabeth Rose Wilson, who died suddenly in St. Petersburg, Fla., Jan. 4, 1940. The Wilsons would have observed their 50th wedding anniversary next June. Mrs. Wilson's brother is Col. Henry B. Rose '81, and one of her sons is Grafton L. Wilson '14 of Brookline and Boston.

### 1892

Although Dean Emeritus, Dr. Marshall S. Brown reports that his mailing address continues to be New York University, University Heights, New York City.

Professor Henry K. Rowe is now a resident of Holliston, Mass.

### 1893

President Edward H. Weeks of Old Colony Co-operative Bank, Providence, has begun another term as vice chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Boston.

Ned Aldrich's son was a regular last fall on the University of Virginia football team, participating in its triumph over Yale and other high moments of the fall.

Dr. Charles M. Poor informs us that he divides his time between 680 Montrose St., Clermont, Fla. and Onekama, Mich. (June 1 to October1).

### 1894

Col. H. Anthony Dyer made humorous capital of his recent operation when he presided over the Christmas revels of the Providence Art Club's Friday Knights. His appearance as master of ceremonies on this occasion is a "must" tradition at the club. In addition to his annual exhibition of paintings at Tilden-Thurber's (this year of New England subjects), Col. Dyer saw one of his landscapes hung in the Art Club as the "Picture of the Month."

### 1896

John B. Edwards associated with Edwards, Metcalfe and Strong reports his new address to be 506 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo.

Dr. George A. Matteson, now retired, is living in Saunderstown, R. I.

### 1897

Robert Brackman, New York artist, has completed a portrait of John D. Rockefeller, Jr., which will be hung in the restored Old Court House on Duke of Gloucester St., Williamsburg, Va., as the gift of Williamsburg's citizens. The portrait, one of the few for which the subject has posed, shows Rockefeller seated, "with his overcoat over his arm and his hand resting on the handle of a walking stick." Brackman, the artist, is a resident of Noank, Conn., and a teacher at the Art Students League, New York City. Besides Williamsburg residents, many students of the College of William and Mary gave to the portrait fund.

Your Secretary records with regret the death of Ferdinand A. Binford, M.D., in Hyannis, Mass., Sept. 1, 1940. Binford, member of the Class in Freshman year, won his M.D. at Harvard Medical School in 1898. He was on the staff of Cape Cod Hospital and was a member of the fracture committee of American College of Surgeons. His wife and a daughter, Dorothy C. Binford, survive.

Howard M. Van Gelder wrote in to say his new address is 1025 North Eleventh St., Reading, Pa. He is associated with the electrical contracting firm of Thomas H. Emerson and Co., N. Y. C. although at the moment he was ill.

### 1898

Franklin K. Mathiews reports his new home address to be 17 Prescott Ave., Montclair, New Jersey. He is Librarian and member of the National Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

### 1899

Rev. A. S. Putnam is Pastor of the Inwood Baptist Church, Raleigh, N. C.

Harry J. Williams wrote in to tell us his new address is 1329 Canterbury Court, Dallas. He is still practicing law.

### 1900

Michael S. Brennan, Chief Building Inspector for the City of Chicago, is now living at 40 East Oak St., Apt. 1610.

Harold L. McAuslan, Grand Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island Free and Accepted Masons, lives at 102 Blackstone Blvd., Providence.

Nathan A. Tufts is now residing at 463 Carol Place, Pelham, N. Y.

### 1901

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison E. Wright of Basking Ridge, N. J., were recently entertained at dinner in New York by Dr. Willaim C. Langdon '92 in honor of their 37th wedding anniversary. Mr. Wright entered Brown from Dr. Langdon's school, located then at 68 College Hill. Mr. Wright is with the *Bernardsville News*.

Charles E. Bryant, former principal at South High School, Akron, Ohio is now retired and lives in Brookfield, N. Y.

Lt. Comdr. U.S.N.R. C. Sherman Hoyt is at present Supervisor of Shipbuilding U. S. N. at the Electric Boat Co., Bayonne, N. J. His new residence is 37 West 44th St., New York.

Henry C. Hart, President of the Rhode Island Bar Association, declared in a statement issued through the Rhode Island League of Women Voters that the present Civil Service system of the State should be permitted to become "fully effective in its present form" so that it could have "a fair chance to demonstrate in actual practice its weaknesses and its values." Mr. Hart is a member of the Advisory Committee on Civil Service.

Daniel A. Clarke has been re-elected as president of Phenix Trust Co., West Warwick.

William R. Harvey has begun another term as president of Aquidneck National Bank, Newport, and E. Tudor Gross continues as a director of Mechanics National Bank, Providence.

### 1902

Col. G. Edward Buxton is president of the newly organized Theodore W. Foster & Bro. Co., Inc., which has begun the manufacture of metal specialties and of small metal products for defense activities at 389 Charles St., Providence. The com-

pany bought the tangible assets, name, and good will of Theodore W. Foster & Bro. Co., well known jewelry manufacturing firm with which the late Theodore Clyde Foster '96 and other Brown men were associated in years past.

Charles B. Coppen, lawyer and former member of the Board of Aldermen, is one of the six Republicans in the Providence City Council of 26 which took office Jan. 6 under the new city charter providing for a unicameral body made up of two members from each of Providence's 13 wards. He was one of the three members of the Board of Aldermen who did not pass into temporary retirement when that branch of the City Government passed out of existence Dec. 27, after 108 years.

Bernard Cowen, in law practice for himself, has reported his new address to be 325 West End Ave., New York.

Robinson Pierce, teacher-tutor, is now living in West Palm Beach, Fla., at 615 El Vedado St.

Thomas E. B. Pope reports his residence address changed to 22 Parkside Drive, Providence.

### 1903

William A. McCoy has his insurance office at 66 Batterymarch St., Boston.

Arthur L. Philbrick, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Brown Alumni Fund, announced a goal of $50,000 for the Fund this year at a dinner given to the Class Agents at the University Club Jan. 20.

### 1904

Arthur A. Denico, active in the New York Brown Club affairs, reports his new address to be 195 Broadway. Rev. Charles F. Fields has recently moved to 5219 Belleplaine Ave., Chicago. Alfred E. Isaac reports his address is now c/o Baptist Temple, Rochester, N. Y.

### 1905

Senator Fred C. Broomhead received his varsity "B" this winter even though 35 years out of college. Tom Taylor, Director of Athletics, made the presentation at the 18th annual football dinner given at Laura Carr's by the Senator. Members of the varsity football and soccer teams were guests of honor while coaches and administrative officers were other invited guests.

Roscoe C. Dorn has moved from Rochester and is now living at 2205 Warren St., Toledo.

Colgate Hoyt's son, Sherman Hoyt, and Miss Janet Tompkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Tompkins, were married in St. Ann's Episcopal Chapel, Babylon, N. Y., Dec. 28, 1940. Colgate was best man for his son.

Edward Everett Harkness and Mrs. Harkness of Ballard Drive, West Hartford, Conn., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Hope Janet Harkness '38, Pembroke College, to Robert Jerrett, Jr., '35 of Warwick Neck.

### 1906

Harold James had charge of the Jan. 10 program for the Providence Art Club's Friday Knights, showing motion pictures that included generous footage in black and white and color on Brown's 1936 Commencement. He identified 1906 in the procession as the University's "best class." Mr. James is Rhode Island State Tax Attorney.

Albert J. Loepsinger, assignor to General Fire Extinguisher Co., Providence, has received a U. S. patent for a method of sealing bulbs for which he applied in July, 1936.

Dr. John G. Walsh retired as president of the Providence Medical Association at the annual meeting held last month.

Charles A. Lundell's mail will not reach him at Box 572, Rockland, Me.

### 1907

Myron S. Curtis, machine tool design consultant, has been retained by the National Machine Tool Builders' Association with headquarters at Cleveland to supervise the design of a line of shell turning machines for the Government. These "special purpose lathes" have been accepted by the Government and are expected to be an important factor in defense production. Cleveland newspapers gave considerable space and prominence to a description of Mr. Curtis's work last month.

He has received a patent on a machine tool for which he made application in March, 1937. Potter & Johnston Machine Co., Pawtucket, was the assignee.

Leonard S. Little, with the dye division of E. I. duPont de Nemours & Co., spoke at a testimonial dinner given in New York in December to John P. Abbott, new president of the Wool Club. Little recalled when Abbott and he were working for the Apponaug Co., of which Abbott afterward became superintendent.

Fred S. Auty, special agent for the U. S. Department of Justice, and Mrs. Auty are somewhere in California. They left home in Upperville, Va., the day after Christmas to head for the Coast by way of New Orleans and the southern route.

Leslie F. Mowry, Jr., son of Leslie F. Mowry and Mrs. Mowry, and Miss Bethany Armitage, daughter of Mrs. Margaret M. Armitage and George H. Armitage, airplane designer, were married on New Year's day in Providence. Mrs. Mowry, Jr., is Rhode Island's first parachute jumper. She is also an aviator, having made many solo flights before she took up parachute jumping in Cleveland three years ago.

W. W. Reynolds is slowly recovering from a leg broken early in December while he was helping a crew of his men unload flagstones at the Providence freight yard. A stone slipped, catching him on the right leg just above the ankle. One of his doctors is Herbert E. Harris; his first nurse at Rhode Island Hospital was Harold Miller's daughter; and Dr. Asa Sheldon Briggs, assistant superintendent of the hospital, saw to it that Bill had good care. In addition, he has had letters and visits from classmates, for all of which he is grateful.

Professor Z. Chafee, Jr., of Harvard Law School recently read a paper, "Reapportioning the House of Representatives Under the 1940 Census," before the Massachusetts Historical Society. He also gave the first lecture in the current series for lawyers aranged by the Rhode Island Bar Association.

### 1908

Engagement of Miss Anne Warner Burnham, daughter of Walter H. Burnham and Mrs. Burnham of Elizabeth, N. J., to William B. Moore of Pelham Manor, N. Y., was announced shortly after Christmas. Miss Burnham, member of the Junior League, attended Finch Junior College and the Vail-Deane School. Mr. Moore is a Princeton graduate.

Hill Griffith, the sage of Sugar Hill, N. H., is in the Cavalry Reserve, ready for active duty if and when he is called. Meantime, he told us in a recent letter, he keeps busy supervising the remodeling of houses in his sector and developing his real estate business.

E. Biddle Conklin, plant superintendent for Semet-Solvay Co., has shifted his scene of operations from Ironton, O., to Ashland, Ky., where he and his family are temporarily settled at 2708 Seminole Ave., Conklin's younger son, E. B. Conklin, Jr., is a Junior on the Hill this year.

J. Donald Pryor has the sympathy of the Class in the loss of his wife, Mrs. Florence Ward Greene Pryor, who died suddenly at the Pryor home, South Pier Road, Narragansett, Jan. 13, 1940. Don and Mrs. Pryor were ready to leave for the South at the time. Mrs. Pryor '04, Pembroke College, was the daughter of Nathanael R. Greene, owner for many years of Green Inn at Narragansett Pier, a hotel familiar to hundreds of Brown men as a reunion centre.

John S. Canfield is General Sales Manager of Telephone Laboratories of America, Inc., 350 W. 31st St., New York. Products manufactured include sound transmission and hearing aid equipment.

Franklin I. Chichester, Factory Representative for the Dudley Lock Corp., the W. M. Welch Mfg. Co. and News Map of the Week, Inc., all of Chicago, is now living at One Mile Road, Barrington.

James L. Murray is Resident Engineer for the R. I. Department of Public Works, Division of Roads and Bridges. He prefers his mail sent to Longmeadow.

### 1909

Mose Crossley maintains his scientific publication pace as joint author of a Johns Hopkins Hospital monograph dated December, 1940, on some of the characteristics of sulfadiazine.

Johnny Mayhew, home from Hong Kong, is now the country gentleman with his address, Merrybrook, West Tisbury, Martha's Vineyard, Mass.

George Henderson, Chief Highway Engineer, R. I. Division of Roads and Bridges, and Deputy State Director of Public Works, has qualified through civil service examination to retain his place.

Al Leach's older son, G. Myron Leach, is a member of the Freshman Class on the Hill.

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***Athletes of '87***

Two members of the class of 1887 are said to be the oldest active athletes in certain lines of sport now living, at least among University men.

At 73 U. S. Senator Theodore Francis Green, according to the *New York Times*, indulges for two hours a day in such activities as running, swimming, diving, tennis and wrestling.

At 75 Howard Prescott Quick, now a retired engineer, as reported in the *New York Herald Tribune* and *The Newark Call*, plays an average of two or more hours of strenuous tennis every other day during each outdoor season of 7½ months. He has been doing this continuously for 32 years and intermittently for 57 years.

Both classmates were singled out for their prowess in athletics at a recent dinner of Brown Engineers and other Alumni in New York City.

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**THIS IS '85: This cut of the 55th reunion group has been given to the *Alumni Monthly* by the Class. The members, front row, left to right: Prescott H. Coleman, Charles Owen Dexter, Frank Hall Brown, Norman S. Dike, Harry Parsons Cross (honorary member), Elmer E. Silver, William C. Burwell. Back row, Charles E. Bassett, Dr. Harlan Page Abbott, Dr. Charles H. Hare, Dr. George S. Mathews, Edgar H. Grout, Orray Taft, Francis W. Greene (recently deceased); and in rear, Frank Manran.**

W. P. (Dinks) Dodge is again President and Al Poland a Vice-President of Providence Charitable Fuel Society. Both were re-elected at the 114th annual meeting last month.

Ray Buss, manager of the Providence office of American Surety Co., has been renamed as a director of Providence Chamber of Commerce to serve until 1943.

J. Howard Alger's new house address in Montreal, Canada, is The Gleneagles, Apt. D-12, 3940 Cote des Neiges Road.

William Davis Miller, President of the Providence Public Library, presided over the fourth annual meeting of the Trustees and the Branch Neighborhood Advisory Committees in December.

### 1910

Dr. Ernest M. Morris, Director of Health, City of Newton, Mass. and Instructor Public Health Practice, reports his new address is 1000 Commonwealth Ave., Boston.

Rev. Stephen D. Pyle, Pastor of the Peking Union Church, Peking, China, sent a splendid Christmas letter to his "friends in the homeland." He told of the evacuation of Americans from China and the attendant sad separations of loved ones. He relates what the Union Church is doing in war-torn China.

Mrs. Pyle, much improved in health after a stay in the Rocky Mountains, has been studying at Columbia. Mr. Pyle arrived in San Francisco, Dec. 26. His message closed with these inspiring words: "As we strive for that day when men will claim their common kinship, may we share His faith that wrong can never triumph and right can never fail." Rev. Mr. Pyle's mail address in U. S. A. is c/o Harvey O. Dobson, 189 Montague St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

### 1911

Dr. Harmon P. B. Jordan, Superintendent of the Providence Lying-In Hospital, took part in the dedication of the handsome and ample new Nurses' Home at his institution last month. He is the new Vice-President of the Hospital Association of Rhode Island.

E. Edmund Jackson, executive with United Electric Light & Power Co., New York City, is the new secretary-treasurer of the Brown Engineering Association, succeeding Leonard K. Murphy '20.

John C. Clark is now teaching mathematics at Lakemont Academy, Lakemont, Yates Co., N. Y.

Frederick L. Mulcahy reports his new address is 1016 Hope St., Providence. He is an Engineer for the city.

Harry Roelke, Assistant Editor and Advertising Director of the Lyons and Carnahan Publishing Co. of Chicago, is living at 810 Forest Ave., Evanston, Ill.

Maurice Y. Snyder, General Rights of Way Superintendent of the Bell Telephone Co. of Pennsylvania, is living at 53 W. Bryn Mawr Ave., Lansdowne, Pa.

Rev. Herbert B. Francis is now living at 63 13th St., Lowell, Mass.

### 1912

Dr. Robert C. Dexter is executive director of the Unitarian Service Committee, conducting its second campaign to finance work to help war refugees abroad and in this country. The committee performed conspicuous services among the destitute during 1940.

Record holder in the East Providence Town Hall bowling league tournament is President Leon E. Smith of the Town Council. In recent competition Smith rolled three strings for a total of 363. His scores were 113, 142, 108, two duckpins better than the old mark of 361.

Preston H. Hood's daughter, Miss Phyllis Hood, is an undergraduate at Skidmore College. Preston H. Hood Jr., is a Senior at Brown, and Roger W. Hood is a student at Mercersburg Academy. Can any other member of the Class equal or better this excellent showing?

### 1913

Russell W. Field, president of Brownell & Field Co., wholesale grocers, is again President of Providence Chamber of Commerce, having been unanimously re-elected in December.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Daker Jenks of Pelham Manor, N. Y., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ida Daker Jenks, to John R. Lemon, son of Alfred B. Lemon and Mrs. Lemon, former student at Brown and the University of Virginia.

Marshall H. Sheldon is Vice-President of Rhode Island Chapter of the American Institute of Decorators for the current year.

Edward A. C. Murphy is an insurance broker with Douglas Lawson Inc., 50 State St., Boston.

Herbert M. Ross has been on sabbatical leave of absence from the N. Y. C. High Schools where he is head of the Dept. of Health Education. He wrote in to say he has been traveling throughout the country but is soon to be back at his old address, 6181 Delafield Ave., Riverdale, N. Y.

### 1914

Dr. Edward A. McLaughlin was Providence County chairman for the raising of funds in connection with the annual drive for the National Infantile Paralysis Foundation.

C. Louis Bagnall receives mail addressed to Box 493 Coconut Grove, Fla. He is President of the Erben-Bagnall Paint Co.

John B. Moore tells us on a recent card that his address is 960 Park Ave., New York.

A new address for Francis M. Willett—253 So. Main St., Wharton, N. J.

### 1915

Boston papers recently carried an article on the fine development of the placement bureau work being done at Athol, Mass. High School. Don Dike, Principal, is a great believer in the idea that when a graduate of his school goes out into the world he should not be forgotten. Many graduates and undergraduates, including all seniors, are registered in Athol's placement bureau and many of these obtain full-time or part-time positions through this agency.

Harold M. Jackson is dividing his time between his office, 201 Devonshire St., Boston, where he serves as President of the Automatic Shopper Co., and Ipswich, Mass. where he lives on Heartbreak Rd.

Eliot S. Staples is playing a part in National Defense as an instructor at the Lewis School of Aeronautics, Lockport, Ill. He lives at 320 East 10th St.

Lt. Col. Parker G. Tenney, F.A., U.S.A. is on duty in Hawaii, having received orders in December to report to the Commanding General in Hawaii for assignment to the Inspector General's Department.

Commander George T. Paine, U. S. N., is stationed at the Boston Navy Yard.

Attorney General John H. Nolan of Rhode Island began work in his new office Jan. 7 with a full staff of assistants, one of whom is Hyman Lisker '29.

### 1916

Dr. William N. Hughes, Providence neurologist, has been called to active service with the Navy medical unit, being attached to the Naval Hospital at Newport.

Gordon B. Ewing, formerly Boston sales manager for National Broadcasting Co., is a new member of the sales advertising staff of National Sportsman, Inc., in the same city.

Louis W. Cappelli, as Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island, is presiding officer of the State Senate, which is Republican by a small margin. Cappelli is a Democrat.

Your Class Secretary records with regret the death in Hollywood, Calif., Dec. 27, 1940, of Stanley Howard Lyons, who was associated with his father in the Lyons Mfg. Co., Providence, before settling in California about ten years ago. Surviving are his wife, who was Edna G. Solinger '15, Pembroke College, two daughters and a son.

Irving C. White has recently moved to Leominster, Mass. where he is associated with Bernard W. Doyle Investments. His home address is 152 Prospect St. "Ike" feels that he will now be able to visit the Campus more frequently and looks forward to renewing his ties with his classmates and other Brown friends.

Charles J. Hill, President of The University Club of Providence, officiated at the club's annual Christmas party and presented gifts to three prominent citizens for their services to the community. Zenas W. Bliss, former Lieutenant Governor of Rhode Island and an honorary member of the class, was one of the members who received a gift and a citation.

### 1917

James G. Fernald, of the *New York Herald Tribune*, is the new secretary of the New York Newspaper Promotion and Research Managers Association, formerly known as the New York Newspaper Promotion Group.

Bill Farnsworth and Col. Joseph E. Maguire again are serving as our class agents for the Alumni Fund and doing a swell job.

Dr. Howard B. Marble reports his new home and business address is 41 Adin St., Hopedale, Mass.

### 1918

BY WALTER ADLER
*85 Westminster St.*

Dwight T. Colley, Chairman of the Class's 25th reunion Gift Committe reports that receipts are coming in rather slowly, although Treasurer Gordon Parker has a substantial sum of money in the treasury. Dwight urges that all those who have not contributed, please do so so that additional progress may be made.

Clarke C. Belden writes that his business address is 41 Mt. Vernon St., Boston, and that he resides at Watertown, Mass. He is Trade Association Manager for the New England Gas Association.

Ronald M. Kimball was promoted to Vice-President of Continental Illinois National Bank & Trust Co., at the meeting of the Board of Directors held in Chicago last month.

Gurney Edwards is chairman of the Rhode Island branch of the Greek War Relief Association, Inc., of which President Wriston has accepted honorary chairmanship. Prof. Charles A. Robinson is a member of the executive committee.

Allison Miller is Regional Manager of the Dodge Brothers Corp. with address at 608 Liberty Trust Bldg., Philadelphia. His home address is 1513 Surrey Lane, Overbrook Hills, Philadelphia.

Herbert W. Chappell is teaching at the New Haven High School. Herb's address is 196 West Rock Ave.

Reuben Rogers Chase is operating a service station at 1333 Westfield St. in West Springfield. His address is 20 Eloise St., Springfield, Mass.

Laurence G. Flick, manager in the St. Louis office of International Business Machines Corporation, has been admitted to membership in the company's 1940 Hundred Percent Club of sales leaders and executives, a distinction earned through his outstanding sales performance during the year. Mr. Flick has been connected with the St. Louis IBM organization since February of this year.

***He Lost It By Fire***

▸ WHILE Harold L. Madison '01 and his wife were away for the Christmas holidays, Block Island's Crown Inn, which they operated, was destroyed by fire despite the efforts of volunteer firemen, Coast Guards, and fishermen. The three-story summer hotel overlooking Great Salt Pond was well known to many Brown men.

Mr. and Mrs. Madison went to the island to live after his retirement two years ago as director of the Cleveland Museum of Natural History, but he was continuing work on his collected bird lore and researches. In his library at the inn he had been completing a set of volumes on the history of North American birds, most of which was lost in the flames, together with antique furniture and paintings collected over a number of years by Mrs. Madison. ◂

### 1919

Roger Clapp is chairman of the Providence Area Committee for the Narragansett Council, Boy Scouts of America. He was the author of the Providence Art Club Christmas show again, his 1940 opus being a lighthouse melodrama titled "Beacon and Eggs."

### 1920

Ed Walsh, who remained in Brussels for the International Tel. & Tel. even after the German occupation, may be back in this country by the time this is in print. His brother Jim (Brown 1926) received a cable last month announcing his intention to leave the continent with the first booking he could get in Lisbon. Mrs. Walsh, a South America, has been back in this hemisphere for some time.

John W. Harriman, Professor at the Tuck School of Business Administration at Hanover, has been doing quite a bit of speaking before Dartmouth alumni groups in various parts of New England. His specialties at Tuck are Corporations, Finance, and Investments.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sinclair had the pleasure in December of entertaining His Excellency Michael Moscicki, former Ambassador from Poland to France, Austria, and Japan, and Mrs. Moscicki.

Arthur W. Brown is Claims Examiner for the Michigan Unemployment Compensation Commission in Detroit. Arthur's home is at 25846 Pembroke Rd., Huntington Woods.

William J. Crouch is in mining business in Bauxite, Ark. His company is the Crouch Mining Co. Bill lives at 309 Lillian St., Benton, Ark.

William L. Dewart is in the investment banking business in New York with Barrett Herrick & Co., Inc. He lives at the Hotel St. George, Brooklyn.

Harrison D. Ricketson is District Manager for Liberty Mutual Ins. Co. in Pittsburgh. His address is 717 Liberty Ave.

Ernest Santangini is now living at 6810 Denton Rd., Bethesda, Md.

### 1921

Joel M. Nichols, Jr., Vice-President and Director of Federal Advertising Agency, New York City, resigned at the end of the year to join Hixson-O'Donnell Advertising, Inc., of which he is now a member of the board.

John W. Chapman, for 12 years District Manager for New England T. & T. Co. at New Bedford, Mass., is now attached to the company's Boston office in the publicity department. John was a reporter on the *Providence Journal* while he was in college, as some of us will recall, and worked for the *Journal* until he went with the telephone company in Providence.

Gordon Roaf is a member of the Finance Committee of the town of Marblehead, Mass.

Al Mochau is planning for a strenuous campaign for our participation in the Alumni Fund. He, as our class agent, is doing commendable work for the class and for the University.

Harry T. Broadbent is Plant Engineer for J. & P. Coats, Inc., Pawtucket. Harry lives at 48 Kimball Ave. in that city.

Reginald S. Kimball, Instructor in the School of Education, New York University, is home at 184 Emerson Pl., Brooklyn.

### 1922

The last time she was in the news, it was last fall when she christened a warship for the U. S. Navy. But Mrs. Thomas G. Corcoran and her husband have had to think of another, a human christening, for a baby was born to them Jan. 20. What more fitting for one who was a close adviser to the New Deal chieftain than that the baby should arrive on the day Mr. Roosevelt was inaugurated President for his third term?

Fergus McOsker is now conducting his law business from 612 Elmgrove Ave., Providence.

The sympathy of the class is extended to Paul Manchester, of Pawtucket, whose mother died late in December.

Lawrence Whitcomb of the Dept. of Geology at Lehigh University was elected a Fellow of the Paleontological Society at the National meeting held at Austin, Texas in December.

Sayles Gorham will serve this year as Chairman for our group of Class Agents for the Alumni Fund. The other agents are Ted Sweet, John Quinn and Clarence Gray. The latter is experiencing his first year in this prominent Alumni program.

L. S. Chick reports his new address is 5 Cambridge St., Winchester, Mass.

Arthur E. Fowler is at 14 Essex St., Newburyport, Mass.

Herman M. Kravat is working in the U. S. Post Office at the High Bridge Station, New York City. Herman lives at 1380 Merriam Ave.

The postal authorities have informed the Alumni Office that Rev. Frederick S.

Gallup formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y. is now at R. F. D., Westville, N. J. They report also that Joseph I. Gates has moved to 2173 Coventry Rd., Columbus, Ohio.

### 1923

Mike Gulian came down from Newton for the Providence Brown Club's football dinner Dec. 12, meeting up with Art Braitsch, Ted Jeffers, Chet Worthington, and Willard Walcott, among his Providence classmates.

Ernest J. Woelfel, for many years with Arthur Perry & Company, Inc., Boston investment bankers, spoke on "Investment Banking" at the Kiwanis Club meeting in Salem last month.

William C. Roux, formerly sales promotion manager of Stations WEAF and WJZ has had an advancement that makes him national spot and local sales promotion manager for the National Broadcasting Company. Bill's advertising on "Our Voice Changed" at the time WEAF dedicated its new transmitter was widely praised in the trade magazines.

John B. Applegate and his family have been living since November in the new home built for them in Madison, N. J. The Lackawanna now drops him right at the doorstep of his law office at 1 Newark St., Hoboken, each morning.

Jock Joslyn, chairman of the committee which is raising the funds to pay for the year's premium on the Class of 1923 Insurance Policy, has begun his solicitation. The University is the beneficiary of this endowment policy taken out on one of the class officers. It will receive at least $2500 on one of the class's major anniversaries as the result of the plan, in effect since the 1938 reunion. Jock's address is now 50 Belleclaire Ave., Longmeadow, Mass.

Larry Lanpher was a recent speaker in the vocational guidance series in the Providence high schools. He gave counsel on advertising as a career.

Frank E. Fahlquist is assistant district commissioner for the Bristol County District of the Narragansett Council of the Boy Scouts of America.

The New York public accountancy firm of Hopkins & Co. has announced the admission to general partnership of Arthur R. Nelson, C. P. A. Its new offices are at 347 Madison Ave.

Stephen McClellan says mail should come to him at his new address—Oyster Bay and Frost Mill Rds., Locust Valley, N. Y.

Louis L. Destremps is a Special Agent with the Intelligence Unit of the Bureau of Internal Revenue in Boston. He prefers his mail to be addressed P. O. Box 202 in that city.

William Dighton is an instructor at Rutgers University and lives at 159 Nassau St., Princeton, N. J.

George H. Gates, rubber chemist for Victor Mfg. & Gasket Co., Chicago, is living at 227 Keystone Ave., River Forest, Ill.

Edgar H. Hammond, Jr., associated with the Kennecott Wire & Cable Co., 80 Lafayette St., New York, is living at 76 Woodland Ave., Summit, N. J.

Raymond F. Goodman, District Manager for the New York publishers, McGraw-Hill, prefers his mail sent to 259 Ives St., Providence.

Gilbert E. Broking, Assistant Manager of the Club Transportation Service Inc., Coral Gables, Fla., lives at 3241 Percival Ave., Coconut Grove, Fla.

A. G. Russell, chemical engineer with the Western Electric Co., Chicago, is living at 5511 W. Washington Blvd.

Rev. G. H. Parker, Jr., tells us his new address is 77 Mineral Spring Ave., Pawtucket. He was only this winter transferred to Rhode Island again.

### 1924

Dick Horsefield is in charge of the district headquarters of the Telephone Company in Morristown, N. J.

Wes Hayward informs us he is now assistant manager for the Providence Territory, Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, 1601 New Industrial Trust Building, Providence. He is working under J. D. E. Jones, Jr., '23.

Arthur E. Marley, prominent in Rhode Island American Legion circles, was the speaker at two Providence high school assemblies in connection with the Americanism program of Education Week.

Lyman H. Whitney, associated with The Credit Corporation, Newark, lives at 57 So. Walnut St., E. Orange, N. J.

David L. Jones, now doing sales work for The Wallace Press Inc., 730 W. Monroe St., Chicago, lives at 1640 S. Wesley, Berwyn, Ill.

Stanley S. Robinson is department manager for the Montgomery Ward Co. and retails tires and auto accessories. Stan lives at 432 Clinton St., Fresno, Cal.

Capt. Francis L. Nichols of the U. S. Army Air Corps is Ordnance Officer at Westover Field, Chicopee Falls, Mass. He prefers his mail addressed to 120 Morgan St., Holyoke, Mass.

Milton E. Staples is a salesman at Ovington's and lives at 10 Park Terrace East, New York.

Courtney M. Morgan has a new address —719 19th St. N.W., Washington, D. C.

E. R. Harrington, associated with the Personal Products Corp., 400 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago, is living at 110 Apple Tree Rd., Winnetka, Ill.

Robinson C. Locke is breeding horses in Tucson, Ariz. His mail address is Route 2, Box 415E.

### 1925

Dick Sweet, Trustee of the Alumni Fund and our head class agent, has two new men to work with him, Paul Chernov and Jim Gorton. The others who are serving again are George Kilton, Bill Wagenknecht and Wilton Brown.

Robert I. Williams is in the sales force of the C. I. T. Corporation of Jersey City, N. J. Bob lives at R. F. D. No. 1, Hackensack, N. J.

Many new addresses have recently been sent in to the Alumni office! Ralph Lockwood—1188 Main St., Bridgeport, Conn. Everett R. Walker — 16 Laurel Ave., Shrewsbury, Mass. Stanley B. Post — Shingle House and Pine Bridge Roads, Route 2, Ossining, N. Y. Emile Seth Hall —2114 N. Summit Ave., Milwaukee, Wis. Harry N. Marks — Roman Arms, White Plains, N. Y. Harry is owner of the Colonial Employment Agency at 226 Main St., White Plains. Paul V. Hayden is at R. F. D. No. 1, No. Windham, Conn. Theodore F. MacLauchlan — 5 Sedgwick Park, Woburn, Mass. Rev. Paul J. Braisted —Indian Town, Saybrook, Conn. H. Vinton Potter is reported to be in disagreement with Horace Greeley. He has moved from Tulsa, Okla. to Fall River, where he is employed by the F. R. Gas Co.

### 1926

Because all Nebraska was agog over the selection of the Cornhuskers to play in the Rose Bowl this year, James M. Barry of Scottsbluff, Neb., thought it would not be amiss to remind his fellow townsmen that his own Alma Mater had been the first Eastern representative in that New Year's festival game. A good story about Pollard and company appeared in the Daily Star Herald under a two-column heading, concluding as follows:

" 'The citizens of Rhode Island were just as thrilled because Brown University had been chosen as Nebraska citizens are today,' Barry said. 'They were especially happy because the school, although one of the oldest colleges in the Ivy League, was also the smallest.' "

Mr. Barry is back on the job with the Western Public Service Company, having been home in Providence long enough to attend a Brown Club luncheon and see the Dartmouth and Columbia games.

Elmer R. Smith, an official in the Providence Public School system, was executive secretary for Providence Education Week, a January event in which 53,000 public and private school students in that city demonstrated the work being done in education for democracy. A crowded program was successfully planned and executed. Smith's duties normally are the direction of curriculum study.

John C. McOsker has moved his law offices to the Old Colony Bank Building, 58 Weybosset St., Providence.

Horace S. Mazet, First Lieutenant, Marine Corps Reserve, has begun active duty at the Naval Reserve Aviation Base, Long Beach, Calif.

Al Parks, Trustee of the Alumni Fund and one energetic head class agent, has

***Its Morale Value***

▸ Dr. Arthur Upham Pope '04, internationally known as an authority on Persian art, is Chairman of the new Committee for National Morale, with headquarters in New York.

Commenting on President Roosevelt's statement that the Axis would not win the war, Dr. Pope told *Science Service* last month that there was high morale value in Roosevelt's challenge to the myth of German invincibility. The statement, he said, will be "alarming and depressing to the Axis powers, heartening to the few neutrals, immensely inspiring to England and China, and a source of confidence to the United States." ◂

***Up Through the Ranks***

▸ Albert E. Lownes '20 was named President of the Narragansett Council, Boy Scouts of America, at its annual meeting last month. With 10,000 boys and men active, this is one of the country's largest and strongest councils. Lownes, a former Scout, is the first president of the council who has come up from the ranks to take over this responsible office. J. Harold Williams '18, Scout Executive of the Narragansett Council, was once his scoutmaster. ◂

***25 Years Ago — in the Rose Bowl***

◀ ◀ WHEN the 1915 Brown eleven left for California to play Washington State in the first of the modern Rose Bowl series on January 1, 1916, coaches, players, and managers were so convinced that California was the land of perpetual sunshine that mud cleats were left behind. Two days before the game, however, a heavy "mist" set in, which developed into a downpour by January 1. Recently, on the 25th anniversary of the first modern Bowl game, Edgar "Spike" Staff, Brown Guard, declared that the Brown squad never saw real rain prior to the California trip.

College gridders of that period were not so big as is now generally assumed. The Brown starting eleven averaged 189 pounds and Washington State, 178. The Brown backfield averaged 167, and the Huskies, 163.

The story goes that some Brown fan in Pasadena tipped off the Washington State squad that the softest spot of the Brown line was right tackle, played by Mark Farnum, one of the best linemen in Brown football. The Huskies hit his side continually throughout the first half with no effect. In the second half, they tried elsewhere in the Brown forward wall and pushed over two touchdowns to win, 14-0.

Best back on the field was Fritz Pollard, who broke loose time and again only to slither in the mud. Midway in the second quarter he, Capt. Harold "Buzz" Andrews, Clair Purdy, and Harold Saxton, the backfield quartet, put the ball on the Washington four only to lose it on downs. A few plays later they drove to the 10-yard line only to have time run out.

Others in the first string lineup were: Eddie Butner, Ray Ward, Edgar "Spike" Staff, Ken Sprague, Wallace Wade, Mark Farnum, and Josh Weeks. ◀ ◀

been working hard to make '26 prominent in the Fund work. He has two new agents recently appointed to work with him this year, Ralph R. Crosby and Edward Austin, in addition to veterans Matt Goring and Fred Rohlfs.

W. L. "Ed" Keene is a District Forest Ranger for the U. S. Forest Service. Ed is living at Box 596, Hot Springs, Ark.

George A. Paine, working for the Hercules Powder Co., as a salesman, reports his address has changed to 24 Chester Rd., Belmont, Mass.

John C. Prior, Chief Investigator of R. I. State Board of Milk Control is now living on Greenville Rd., No. Scituate.

Samuel Karp, Attorney for the Railroad Retirement Board, Washington, lives at 408 N. Thomas St., Arlington, Va.

Mather Hanchett reports a change of address brings him to 91 Wilson Ave., Rumford, from New York, where he was with Western Union.

New addresses — Garret T. Green—Douglas Rd., Glen Ridge, N. J. He is with the Canada Dry Ginger Ale Co. Edward T. Cary, Old Greenwich, Conn. (opposite P. O.). C. H. Polley, Jr., 2031 Locust St., Phila., Pa.

**1927**

Frederick B. Wiener's "The Militia Clause of the Constitution," written for the *Harvard Law Review*, has been reprinted for wider distribution. "The problem of making the militia clause into a workable instrument of national defense," he writes, "has not been one of broad vision nor of constructive imagination, but a task rather of avoidance and evasion." In a concise chronological survey he presents "the actual problems and difficulties which plagued us in the past," and then cites the specific problems which the legislator must meet and solve today.

F. Miles Flint, who is at 2857 North Gainsborough Drive, San Merino, is the new president of the Brown Club of Los Angeles.

Charles W. Goulding, mathematics instructor at Culver Military Academy, was a Providence visitor over the New Year's holidays. He and Mrs. Goulding have recently moved into a new home at the academy.

John G. Greene is director of the Community centre in Boston under the auspices of the Charles Street Meeting House Society, Inc. One of its best known activities is the sponsorship of the Charles Street Forum. John looked up a number of friends during a visit to Providence last month.

George P. Richardson, Jr. has left Lord & Thomas Advertising Co. to go with J. Walter Thompson Co.

Arthur R. Tebbutt is Professor of Statistics at North Western University School of Commerce, Evanston, Ill. Art is living at 1318 Judson Ave., that city.

Ed Richards, President of the Providence Brown Club and Class Agent Captain, has two new co-agents this year. Irving Loxley and Harry G. Remington were recently appointed and Sam McCormick and Fred Barrows return for (we earnestly hope) a successful year.

Andrew C. Goodier, a manager for the N. Y. Telephone Co. at 294 E. Kingsbridge Rd., writes to say his new address is 78 Oakdene Ave., Teaneck, N. J.

Charles F. Johnson is Plant Wire Chief for the N. J. Bell Telephone Co. in Newark. He prefers his mail sent to 516 Wildwood Rd., West Allenhurst, N. J.

Capt. Herbert P. Horton an officer in the U. S. Air Corps Reserve is stationed at Scott Field, Ill.

Frank V. Kimball is proprietor of Kimball's, Post Road, Greenwood. He is living at 197 Trinity St. in that town.

Robert W. Buckley is doing sales work for the Ludlow Typograph Co. of Libertyville, Ill. Bob reports his address to be Pine Knoll, that city.

George N. Fessenden has gone into the oil business at Wakefield, R. I. His company, known as the Wakefield Branch Co., dispenses gasoline and fuel oils. George is living at R. F. D. West Kingston.

**1928**

Irving Harris, whose work as head of Harcourt-Harris, motion picture, portrait, and candid photography, has brought a lot of favorable publicity, reports that Mrs. Harris and he are living at 15 West 81st St., New York City. He adds that he's working "25 hours a day," and that it is true that he is interested in doing visual education work for the Government.

Dr. Seebert J. Goldowsky was one of the two speakers at the 94th annual meeting of the Providence Medical Association, delivering a scientific paper on modern treatment of varicose veins.

Roy Randall, former Brown quarterback who has been successfully coaching football at Haverford College, was prominently mentioned as a possible candidate for the post at the University of Maine, to which Brown's backfield coach, Ek Allen, was finally named. Newspapermen also questioned Red in connection with the vacancy at Brown after Coach McLaughry's departure for Dartmouth.

Paul W. Slade has been re-named Field Commissioner-at-Large for the Narragansett Council, Boy Scouts of America, an organization of 10,000 boys and leaders. His province is one of the most in the Scouting program—camping.

Walter D. Shackleton, formerly of the New York *Morning Telegraph*, is the publicity officer for the New York draft board.

Fred M. Knight of the *Boston Herald* is now living in Marblehead at 20 Rose Ave.

Alfred W. Pett, Jr., is now in Chicago as a research chemist with the Power and Regulator Company. He is living in Glencoe.

Your secretary received a letter the other day from Dr. Perry Sperber, who suggests that the Athletic Department install a loud-speaking system at Brown Stadium. He says that football spectators want to know who carries the ball, the type of play, penalty, etc., then and there, rather than to wait until the newspaper comes out. "Let's make football at Brown more understandable. It'll pay in returns" he writes.

The Providence *Evening Bulletin* recently published a photo of Paul and Mrs. Hodge enjoying their winter vacation at the Miami Biltmore Hotel.

W. G. Stuart Sherman is temporarily serving as an attorney on the NLRB in Los Angeles.

Merton Williams, now an Abrasive Engineer with the Minnesota Mining and Mfg. Co., reports his new address to be 24 Wolcott Rd., Lynn, Mass.

Nelson Conlong, Louis Palmer, and Gus Calder deserve our full fledged support for the untiring way they represent us as our class agents on the Alumni Fund. All three are serving again this year.

Thomas F. Flynn was recently appointed to the office of City Auditor for Providence. This is an important position for such a young man.

New addresses—Earl H. Saunders—R.D. No. 7 York, Pa. Yale J. Kweskin—65 South St., Stamford, Conn.

**1929**

John Davis and John Child are currently seen Thursday evenings at one of the Providence high schools, "batting the bird" in an effort to keep fit with badminton.

Douglas D. Davisson, Supervisor of Em-

***"Bump" Sold Across Town***

▶ THE New York Yankees have sold Irving Hadley '28, but "Bump" won't have to travel far to join up with his new club.

The New York Giants bought the pitcher for the waiver price of $7500, following his record of three victories and five defeats last summer. It was one of the first years in a long time that "Bump" had not worked in the World Series. ◀

ployee Relations in the Research Dept. of the Western Electric Company in Chicago reports his new address to be 301 N. Catherine Ave., LaGrange, Ill.

Three members of the class have joined the ranks of our class agents for the Alumni Fund. They are: Everett Eynon, Paul Stannard and Edward Sulzberger.

Donald P. Cruise writes us from Quaker Hill, Conn.

James P. Howell, like Davisson receives his check from the Western Electric Co., at the Hawthorne Station. Jim has asked the University to "Kindly register James Kenneth Howell, born 11/19/40 in the class of 1962. The Howells live at 5933 Midway Park, Chicago.

Arthur C. Kingston, Jr., has reported his new address to be Leroy Ave., Darien, Conn. Art is Assistant Division Manager for the Boston Woven Hose and Rubber Co., 30 Church St., N. Y. C.

Two new addresses: Arthur Kaplan—495 Ferry St., Fall River. Webster S. Jones, 71 Stearns Rd., Brookline, Mass.

## 1930

BY HAROLD P. CARVER

*75 Federal St., Boston*

A long letter was received from Joe Maleady, now Vice Consul to the United States Legation at San Salvador, El Salvador. Joe acknowledged a letter which took 10 days to reach him with a brief report of his activities since leaving college as follows: "Consulate, Veracruz, Mexico:

Vice Consul, Dec. 1930—March 1932.
Vice Consul, May 1933—Aug. 1934
Consulate, Acapulco, Mexico:
Vice Consul, April 1932—April, 1933.
Legation, San Salvador, El Salvador:
Vice Consul, Aug. 1932 to date.
Married May 2, 1937,—no children."

Joe considers this "not a very eventful record."

He was back in the States last winter and travelled from Massachusetts south to El Salvador by automobile: "You can get to Mexico City easily, on a good road. You have to ship your car by train from Mexico City or Veracruz to Tapachula, near the Guatemalan border. Upon entering Guatemala you climb more than 13,000 feet, drop down to about 5,000 at Guatemala City, and then to 2,300 at San Salvador. The trip is a wonderful experience, but I wouldn't recommend it very much. It can be made in 15 days actual travel and covers 4,000 miles by car and about 700 by train."

Newt Hutchison reports that Joe Clark whom he sees in Houston every once in a while, is doing well in business.

Jack Lipman wrote the other day saying that he was graduated from New York University College of Dentistry, in 1934, and has been in private practice in Brooklyn since that date. He also reports that he was married last December. Bernie Tillman, according to Jack, is practicing medicine in Springfield.

Marsh Snyder is at the Hygienic Laboratory at the University of Michigan, his fourth university. He reports two youngsters in his family and says that at the present time he is busy studying the mysteries of dental caries.

George A. Kay, who has been missing from our address files for some time, reports his new address as Aviation Ave., Hillsgrove.

### *What Ninety Per Cent Believe*

CITING a dictum of Ralph Waldo Emerson that "men are as they believe," Arthur Deerin Call '96, Secretary of the American Peace Society and Editor of *World Affairs*, recently told the Cosmos Club of Washington, D. C. that "the future life, liberty and happiness of our America will be bent for weal or for woe by the beliefs men hold and cherish in these our own times."

Dr. Call's address, "Ninety Per Cent of Us Believe," was published in the December issue of *World Affairs*. His address dealt with the attitudes with which Americans approach the problem of the present war. "There is a central belief throughout this ninety per cent of us," he said, "a belief amounting to an abiding conviction. It is this: War is a throwback to the ways of savagery. It is a mess of unintelligence, extreme boredom, misery, futility, tawdry panache, and injustice . . . War is the gasp of a dying era in human affairs, an era that ought to be dead. In spite of our present, natural, growing anxiety, ninety per cent of us agree to that. We believe it so much that we mortgage future generations, conscript the finest of our youth, organize all the might we can—physical, mental, spiritual—to keep the loathsome stuff from our doors."

Ray Chaplin is as busy as a termite in New Hampshire, helping to run the Nashua Gummed and Coated Paper Company. He is in charge of the day shift, but since he still has the responsibility of the night shift, he gets relatively little sleep. He reports that he has one youngster.

Art Sanborn is employed by the Atlantic Refining Company, at the present time doing Dealer Sales Work in the Brockton area. He runs into Tubby Beckford once in a while. He is married and has one boy 5½.

Art also reports that Dick Blake is Treasurer of the Boston Store in Providence.

Manuel Selengut, who is in the real estate business in New York City was to be married Dec. 22.

Duncan Stewart, Jr., who is recorded in the Class of 1930 but who actually spent most of his time in the class of 1931 reports that he is now at Carleton College, Northfield, Minn., as Assistant Professor of Geology. This is one of the outstanding small colleges in the Northwest and is largely supported by the Scandinavian people who reside in the area.

Bob Uhl reports that he is an account executive with Batten, Barton, Durstine, and Osborn, Inc., who are among advertising's "greatest."

## 1931

E. G. (Happy) Hapgood, Jr., has put New York City behind him to return to New England as a member of the sales department of the commercial division of L. G. Balfour Co., manufacturing jewelers, Attleboro, Mass. Hap's division, distinct from the company's school and fraternity sections, deals in service badges, awards, club pins and insignia of many varieties. He works in Southern New England, taking in territory as far as Springfield, Mass., and New Haven and Hartford, Conn. His mail address is his old home one, 4 Chester St., Newton Highlands, Mass.

E. Kent Allen was elected a Director of the Massachusetts Federation of Taxpayers in December.

Dr. G. Edward Crane of Providence has been called to active service with the Naval medical unit, being assigned to the Newport Naval Torpedo Station. Dr. Bernard I. Sherman is now serving with the Regular Army, First Corps Area.

Rev. Robert Little analyzed the problems of marriage at a forum sponsored by the B. C. A. His discussion topic was "Courtship and Marriage."

"We had the greatest football season Pomfret has had since 1917, blanking four of our opponents" according to Head Coach W. E. S. (Wecky) Moulton. Wecky has begun his first half-year Sabbatical leave and is studying History, Physical Education and Posture at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He plans to do some extensive traveling throughout the Southeast this spring. Next summer will find him at Springfield College taking more courses in Posture and Physical Education.

Dick Bowen has an able corps of class agents of the Alumni Fund working for him this year: Schweikart, Gill, Gurll, Ingerson, Jacobs, Snow, Hutchinson, Briggs, Coughlan, Demmler, Lave, Walls, MacKenzie, Hindley.

Alfred E. Toombs is at present the N. E. Branch Mgr. for the Columbia Mills, Inc. and is living at 4 Atherton Rd., Winchester, Mass.

Arthur L. Gaskill, New England camera man for "News of the Day," is now living at 42 Eustis St., Arlington, Mass.

Aaron L. Bilgore is publishing the *Florida Fruit Digest, The Produce Guide*, and the *Florida Fruit and Vegetable Directory*. Aaron lives at 333 Laura St., Jacksonville.

Walter W. Niles is a representative for the Chemical Bank & Trust Co. in New York and lives at 58 W. 8th St.

Word comes that J. Egerton Lee is Cable Editor for the New York office of the International News Service, and is now living at the Shelton Hotel.

John G. Dean while living at 270 Bronxville Rd., Bronxville, N. Y., is teaching at Sarah Lawrence College.

Robert M. Routain, associated with White, Lamb, Finlay, Inc., 54 Worth St., New York, is living across the river at 11A Oxford St. Montclair, N. J.

Hillis K. Idleman, with the State Board of Education in Hartford, has reported his new address to be 51 Brownell Ave., that city.

Dr. Morris E. Malakoff has his shingle out at James Moore Bldg., Laredo, Texas.

Historical Research keeps Alfred Levin busy at 338 Crown St., New Haven, Conn.

New addresses: Charles E. Payne, 411 West 24th St., New York. Paul R. Wicks, 56 Knollwood Terrace, Allwood, N. J. Carl A. Boeker, Jr., 340 Cottage St., New Bedford. Oscar F. Schneider, 13 Fleetwood Place, Newark. John M. Sullivan, 501 Boylston St., Brookline, Mass.

## 1932

BY RICHARD A. HURLEY, JR.
*723 Hospital Trust Building*

▸ "TUITE" ELDRIDGE is working with the North American Cement Corporation. He is living at 65 Strathmore Road, Brighton, Mass.

George Schwenck, with the Eton Publishing Corporation in New York, is enjoying his Park Ave. address. It's No. 15.

Jack Cooper has changed his office and is now with the firm of Cooper, Kerr and Dunham, Attorneys. He is living on Kitchell Road, Convent, N. J.

Jack Kreps has changed his address to 328 E. Chillicothe Ave., Bellefontaine, Ohio.

Joe Zucker is now a real M.D. He is attached to Worcester State Hospital, Worcester, Mass.

Hank Letoile is going places with the North American Cement Corp. as New England Sales Manager. He is residing at 10 Berwick Rd., Lexington, Mass.

Dr. Bill Hennessey has moved to 520 East Ave., Pawtucket, where he is practising medicine in a combination home and office. Bill reports his new infant daughter is doing nicely.

Dick Crull is now assistant sales manager of the Campana Sales Co., Batavia, Ill. His home address is 425 Easton Ave., Geneva, Ill.

Bill Resko has a new address, R. F. D. No. 6, Military Highway, Norwich, Conn.; Jack Dugall also has a new address, 34 High St., Perth Amboy, N. J.; Dick Peirce and his mother have moved to 381 Ives St., Providence.

Dr. Francis E. Temple is at Fort Adams, Newport, having been called for service with the Army medical corps.

Franklin V. Taylor is an instructor at Princeton University, living at 12 Princeton Ave., Princeton.

An officer in the U. S. N. R., Delbert S. Wicks is teaching mathematics at the U. S. Naval Academy and living at 2 Sylcrest Court, West Annapolis, Md.

S. Vint Van Derzee is associated with A. G. Becker & Co., Inc., Investment Bankers, and is living at 64 South Swan St., Albany.

## 1933

Prof. Ivor D. Spencer is teaching history at The Citadel, Charleston, S. C. and is living at Old Citadel.

Norman H. Watson of the Blake School, Hopkins, Minn., lives at 3252 Girard Ave. S., Minneapolis, Minn.

David H. Johnson, sales supervisor, for Lever Bros. Co., Cambridge, lives at Main St., Wenham, Mass.

John H. Wildman, Instructor of English at L. S. U., informs us that his home address is 339 State St., Baton Rouge, La.

Lawyer William R. Bragaw prefers his mail sent c/o A. C. Bragaw, 140 Liberty St., New York.

New addresses: Arthur Justin, 2162 Ohio Blvd., Terre Haute, Ind. Hyman A. Schulson, 1732 16th St. N.W., Washington, D. C.

Attorney Philip D. Straffin is associated with Hayward & Murray, 1 East 42 St., New York and his new address is 15 Bronxville Rd., Bronxville, N. Y.

Buyer Peter J. Albiani is with the Albiani Lunch Co., 101 Albany St., Boston, and his home is at 143 Commonwealth Ave., Chestnut Hill, Newton, Mass.

### *Africa Listened In*

▸ THE censor passed a Brown cheer in Africa last November when Justus P. Kretzmann, a Lutheran missionary in Obot Idim Uyo, Nigeria, sent a post card to his brother, Prof. Edwin M. J. Kretzmann of the Brown Faculty. Received last month, 11 weeks later, the card read:

"10:22 p. m., Nov. 2, 1940. Passed by Censor 14 Nigeria, Port Harcourt, Nigeria. 'Hurrah for Brown! Just heard Yale-Brown game. Glad you won 6-2. It had us on edge of our chairs. Heard game clearly over WRUL, Boston. Radio is a blessing in Africa. Merry Christmas'." ◂

Textile engineer with the Dow Chemical Co., in Midland, Mich., Alfred A. Lawrence has a new address at 116 W. Carpenter St.

Harry J. Chernock is an attorney in the office of the General Counsel, Federal Security Agency, Washington, D. C. His home is at 2212 Eye St., N.W. that city.

R. Ford Bentley, Manager of the Intaprint Division, Mickle Printing Press & Mfg. Co., Long Island City, is living at Scarsdale Manor, Garth Rd., Scarsdale, N. Y.

Edwin W. Vreeland is associated with the National Newark & Essex Banking Co. He lives at 47 Prospect St., Little Falls, N. J.

Dr. Alfred E. King has his shingle out at 175 Harris Ave., Woonsocket, and his home is at 512 Summer St., that city.

William Stewart is Office Manager of the Maggi Co., Inc., 612 N. Michigan St., Chicago. He lives at 540 Washington St., Glencoe, Ill.

Frederick P. Bassett, Jr., formerly with the William R. Harshe public relations organization and special writer for the National Syndicate Service, both of Chicago, recently joined the publicity department of Hays MacFarland & Company, Chicago advertising agency, 333 N. Michigan Ave.

## 1934

A very interesting letter was received by your correspondent from Coburn Buxton. He relates that he was a candidate for the Texas legislature from Dallas county on the Republican ticket but was defeated by his Democratic opponent. Coburn said he trailed Willkie by slightly more than 8000 votes for that district.

He was associated with Barron G. Collier, Inc. as Dallas manager until the firm went out of business last June by way of the Federal Bankruptcy Court of New York. In July an entirely new company National Transitads, Inc., was founded, and he was shortly reemployed as Dallas manager. Coburn spends most of his time traveling between Fort Worth, Waco, El Paso, and Oklahoma City. He says business is good and should remain so for at least two years, but believes we shall experience a depression such as this country has never visualized at the end of that period. The Army game victory was his year's biggest thrill. John H. Pennell has been temporarily employed by the Construction Quartermaster, Fort Devens, as Building Inspector on the Recruit Reception Center.

Second Lieut. Roy H. Smith, Jr. is at the Cavalry Officers' School, Horse and Mechanized Course, Fort Riley, Kansas.

Charles C. Fenno, Jr. writes in to say he has been transferred from the San Juan branch of the National City Bank of New York to the branch at Panama City. He is now Officer in Charge of the combined Isthmian Credit Departments. He expects to be quite busy since there are four branches on the Isthmus, two in the Republic of Panama and two in the Panama Canal Zone.

Harold J. Tanner is in the production department of the Glenn L. Martin Co. and is living at 3313 Lyndale Ave., Baltimore.

John D. Hill, Jr. is a graduate student at Boston University School of Theology and is living at 16 Baldwin St., East Providence from where he commutes.

Bill Broadhurst has a new address at Bryant Ave., Roslyn, L. I. E. Davis Caldwell is living at P. O. 1106 Woodhaven, N. Y.

Dr. N. William Wawro is a clinical research Fellow at Memorial Hospital, New York. His home is at 538 E. 83 St.

Ernest L. Drew, Jr., special agent of the Utica Fire Insurance Co., Boston, lives at 57 Carleton Rd., Belmont, Mass.

Phillip H. Slocum is teaching at the Stanton Preparatory School, Cornwall, N. Y., although his mail address is at 268 Spring St., Newport, R. I.

Harry H. Daw, Jr., is working for the American Woolen Co., at present in Plymouth, Mass., having moved from Farnumsville. He prefers his mail sent to 391 Burncoat St., Worcester.

John Balmer is with the New Departure Co., Meriden, Conn., and lives there at 458 Broad St.

Charles H. Conner, Jr. is in the Acetate Rayon Sales Division of E. I. duPont de Nemours Co. and is living at 131 E. 93 St., New York City.

Lewis D. Kay, Jr., is dispatcher for the American Airlines, Philadelphia Municipal Airport. He is living at 99 So. Lansdowne Ave., Lansdowne, Pa.

New address for William N. Bancroft is 82-60 116th St., Kew Gardens, N. Y. Frederick W. V. Shipley has removed from

### *They Won on Brown*

▸ THE Brown-Columbia Football Game of last Thanksgiving received an extra lot of national newspaper comment. Or rather, the time of play did. To quote from the article which appeared in the *Atlanta Constitution* Nov. 28: "Bookies are Bilked Because of Boner."

"New Orleans bookies, who do more business on football games than on horse races during the season failed to watch the post time of the Brown-Columbia tilt and it cost them $5,000 today.

"The two eastern teams played this morning to a scoreless tie, but many of the local operators had six points against Brown chalked upon their slates this afternoon, never dreaming a football game would be played in the morning.

"By the time they had learned their error they had been taken for $5,000 by bettors who knew the score and didn't mind gambling on a sure thing, as long as it was against the bookies.

"Motto: A radio is the bettors' best bet." ◂

If ever a chap won his letter after graduation, it is Ned Aldrich '02, of the Diamond Hill Kennels, Cumberland, R. I. As a breeder, judge, and writer on Salukis he is with the Honourable Florence Amherst of Kensington Gardens, London, one of the greatest authorities in the world on this ancient and interesting breed. We can but refer you to his comprehensive articles as correspondent for the *American Kennel Gazette*, for which he has also written on Schipperkes, the Belgian "canal-boat-hounds," and is also delegate for the club of owners of that breed.

Natives of Arabia, Saluki pups were regarded so valuable that when litters were too numerous for the brood matrons, the women of the Nomads helped out by themselves suckling the young speed merchants. Although resembling the greyhound, the Saluki's ears and tail are slightly feathered. Champion El Zolario, pictured above, depicts one of the finest examples of his breed.

The Egyptian and Assyrian tablets bear likenesses of similar strains though the true Saluki is a native of Arabia, and imported from there to Egypt. It may be a far cry, but Cyrus may have coursed the gazelle and great bustard with such speedsters, on his "march to the sea."

No show in this part of the country is complete without the Diamond Hill Salukis and Schipperkes. Some of the romantic and carefully chosen names of his Salukis are:—Amherstia Nazarat O'Redledge, Redledge Abu Ben Adam, Rihan Ab-Ah, Malik-el-Zobair, Akbar Malik, Scheherezade Ab-Ah, etc. Also of his Schipperkes:—Bargee, Miquette and Ginette of Kelso, Sancho Panza, El Conde de Egmont Qui-Ast, etc. It is needless to say that his kennels are as full of dogs, that have made their championships, as a cat is of fleas.

A half century ago we boys used to yell for Senator Nelson Aldrich's son Ned '93, who played right half on the Brown team. Now we propose a cheer for his namesake Ned Aldrich '02.

GAT '01

Atlanta, Ga. to 1130 N. Parkway, Memphis, Tenn. Leslie L. Smith has his new address at 1310 Woodland Drive, Richmond Heights, Mo.

Dr. William C. Wohlfarth, Jr., whose engagement you may read in another column, is on the Faculty of the School of Dental and Oral Surgery, Columbia University, from which he was graduated in 1938.

## 1935

BY ROSS A. DEMATTEO, II

*Collyer Insulated Wire, Pawtucket*

The class's Alumni Fund goal this year is 25% more than last year which means that we've all got to do our part. Bill Broomhead is in charge of the subscriptions.

From all post-mortems and what nots, our class reunion last year was most successful—remember! Your scribe has met several classmates in the last few weeks who have inquired about the possibility of having a get-together this year. We shall be more than glad to start the ball rolling if we can get an idea from you fellows as to what you want. Let me hear from you—any and all suggestions will be most welcome.

I had lunch with Roger Harrison several days ago—he is a brother of Jim Harrison, one of our classmates. He reported that Jim graduated from McGill with an M.D. degree and is now interning at Victoria Hospital, Quebec.

Another of our biology majors, Vic Emmel is an instructor in Anatomy at the Rochester Medical School, Rochester, N. Y.

Gordon McLaren's new address is Northwest Airlines Inc., 80 East 42nd St., New York, N. Y.

Ralph Walker is leaving Lord & Taylor, where he has been a junior executive in charge of training and the Men's Shop, to join the firm of G. Fox and Co. in Hartford, where he will be an assistant buyer of clothing. Ralph has been quite active in the activities of the Brown Club of New York.

J. L. Fenny writes that he is leaving the Avalon Theatre Co. in Milwaukee, to take a position with the Cuno Engineering Corp. of Meriden, Conn.

Bob Hull reports that he is a salesman with H. Behlent Bros., Inc. of New York and is living at 135 South Irving St., Ridgewood, N. J. Bob is a frequent visitor to Providence.

Dr. E. D. Stokien is an assistant in the resident medicine department of City Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio.

Tom Holmes is a machinist with Pratt & Whitney in West Hartford, Conn. and is living in Hazardville, Conn.

J. L. Jaffe writes that he is secretary-treasurer of the Perfectlite Co., Cleveland, Ohio, and is living at the Park Lane Villa in Cleveland—sounds pretty swank!

John Cooke is a chemist with the Cohn-Rosenberger Co. of Providence and is living at 270 Doyle Ave.

Vernon Chapman is in the sales department of the Eastman Kodak Co. of Boston and is living in Dover, Mass.

Warren Groce writes that he has been promoted to Agency Supervisor of The Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co., Albany.

Stanley Wawzonek is in the Chemistry Department at the University of Illinois, where he holds a National Research Council fellowship in chemistry.

Bob Hawkins reports that he is an engineer for the Sealed Power Corp. of Muskegon, Michigan.

We have two new addresses to report—Bill Bijur is now living at 333 West 57th St., New York, and Bud Wallburg has moved to 1 Meadowview Road, Melrose, Mass.

Here are a couple of news items that will make all you golfers get out your golf clubs and putter about the living room: Mike DiCesaro scored two holes-in-one in less than a month at the Herman Park Golf Club in Houston, Texas. Ed Taft reports that he plays golf all year round in Florida. He is Assistant to the general lighting superintendent of the Tampa Electric Co.

Alfred Kessler was recently appointed Director of Health Education with the Queensboro Tuberculosis and Health Association, 90-04 161 St., Jamaica, N. Y., after completing his requirements for M.S. degree from Columbia. He would welcome hearing from all Brown men in the Public Health field.

Russell V. Ticknor, whose marriage is reported elsewhere, is practicing law in Mt. Kisco, N. Y. with the firm of Ticknor & Ticknor and is living at 2 Virginia Place, Pleasantville.

## 1936

5TH REUNION CLASS

According to a news item in the Lynn, Mass., paper, Lawrence McGovern, coach at the Industrial Arts High School, helped direct the school's annual sports night Dec. 12. The feature attractions of the evening were Thomas Gilbane '33 and Denny Myers, Brown football coaches, who spoke to 500 students. Lawrence McGinn '31 assisted McGovern.

Abbey Surrey, recently married to Miss Beverly Roth, is gloating over his wallet's thickness, a direct result of the Bruins' 1940 football season. The Surreys are now in their new apartment at 35 West 90th St., N. Y.

Paul Hogan is an aircraft engine tester with Pratt and Whitney in Hartford. Paul lives at 315 Pearl St. there.

Dave Field joins several classmates in Uncle Sam's growing Army. He is on extended active duty as assistant dental surgeon in the station hospital at Ft. Benning, Ga.

P. W. N. Gustafson reports by mail that he is now a partner in the firm of Frank N. Gustafson & Son, 241 Taber Ave., Providence.

George Kuhn reports his preferred address at Waldoboro, Me., but he is a field service agent for the Travelers Insurance Co., and has been in Chicago.

Leon P. Eisman has a new post as bacteriologist and Director of Laboratories for the St. Louis County Health Department, which has its headquarters in Clayton, Mo. Last June he received his C.P.H. after postgraduate work at M. I. T. Following graduation he was recipient of a three months' Fellowship in Public Health Engineering with the W. K. Kellogg Foundation of Battle Creek, Mich. "One could not help but absorb a great deal of benefit from this unique organization," Eisman wrote recently. "At that time I was associated with the Calhoun County Health Department and had a wonderful summer doing rural health work in Michigan.

Dr. Theodore Bedrick, Jr., who writes that he "had to come East to get the right

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one," took his bride back to the University of Illinois with him last fall. Ted is doing research at the University of Illinois, where he received his Ph.D. last June.

Bill Hill, Jr., again a proud father, has accepted the position as Project Supervisor for the NYA in Eastern Suffolk County on Long Island. Bill's address there is room 11, County Court House Bldg., Riverhead.

James France, who completes Yale Law School this June, was in New York during the Christmas vacation, interviewing possible employers.

Class President Leon Payne was to join the Army last month. He has been with a Houston law firm since graduating from the University of Texas Law School last June and most recently has been doing legal work in Illinois.

Your class scribe is openly boasting of the Alumni office's ability to track down the missing members of the class. Douglass Taber, an engineer, has been lost to us these many years. But a single clue on a scrap of paper, the good officers of the Chicago Brown Club, some former employers and Doug's fraternity aided in establishing his whereabouts. He is now an assistant engineer with Greeley and Hansen, Sanitary Engineers at Camp Peary, Tullahoma, Tenn. He may be reached care of H. V. Wilson in Tullahoma.

W. W. Kahler was recently elected President of the Lakewood Junior Chamber of Commerce.

J. Alden Dooley will be honored at a testimonial dinner at the Biltmore Hotel, Feb. 11. Mr. Dooley recently passed the State bar examination after receiving his LL.B degree from Boston University School of Law last June.

The second class meeting of the year was held Jan. 23 in Faunce House. Organization and plans for our big 5th Reunion this June were the main topics discussed Sub-division of the committee will be announced in the March issue.

New addresses recently received are as follows: Richard W. Pearce, 37 Rounds St., Providence. John S. Buckley, 410 No. Euclid Ave., Pasadena, Cal. Donald M. Emery, Marshfield Hills, Mass. James S. Edwards, 808 E. Ann St., Ann Arbor, Mich. (Jim is a Teaching Fellow of German at the University of Michigan. Harrison A. Nelson, 29 Sheridan St., Glen Falls, N. Y.

## 1937

Deane Fox, sailing his good dinghy Waterwagon, is piling up points again this winter in the frostbite regattas of the Manhasset Bay, Long Island, fleet.

Fred Leighty, to be married this June to a Nebraskan, Miss Frances Larson, is an Account Executive for Sherman K. Ellis Advertising Agency, Chicago. He is living at 725 Home Ave., Oak Park, Ill.

Johnny Powell is an insurance broker with the firm of Bart, Dalton & Church of Boston. He and Mrs. Powell celebrated their first wedding anniversary in January at 658 Franklin St., Framingham, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud S. Haskell are living at 600 So. Negley Ave. Pittsburgh, Pa. Bud is still working at Kaufmann's while taking the Retail Training Course at the University of Pittsburgh.

From Don Daniels: "My roommate at Brown, Ted Golden, who is to graduate from Tufts Medical School this coming June, has received the news of his appointment to the pediatrics interneship at the New Haven Hospital for next year. I am still helping people protect their families through the Equitable Life Insurance Co."

Thurston Steele, Junior Executive at the Patton-MacGuyer Co., Providence, says he is living at "Thurlyn Acre", Division St., East Greenwich.

Walter Burbank has left the retail field to work for I. B. M. and is at present at the Larchmont, N. Y., office. Albee Court is his home address there.

Bill Kubie is a chemist for Lever Bros., Edgewater, N. J. and lives at 120 Ames Ave., Bergenfield.

Edmund Schiller is a Field Engineer for the General Electric Co. He can be addressed at Box 382 R. D. 7, Bellevue, Pittsburgh.

Travis Miller is a Field Representative for the Automatic Canteen Co. of Southern California and lives at 1921½ Apex Ave., Los Angeles.

Teaching German at the University of Michigan is what John F. Ebelke is doing.

### *Promoting Sea Ambulances*

JOHN McLAUGHRY '40, former captain and star of the football team, is one of five drivers of ambulances of the British-American Ambulance Corps. Known as the "Thumbs Up Cavalcade" the ambulances are on a transcontinental tour to raise $300,000 for airplanes, ambulances and medical supplies for the Royal Air Force. John, who is a member of the N. Y. Giants Professional Football Team, accompanies two other players—Kenneth Lunday and Eddie Miller.

On the four-month tour, funds will particularly be sought for Britain's "sea ambulances," planes specially equipped for picking up aviators shot down into the water, survivors of bombed or torpedoed ships, and other war casualties at sea. John planned to stop at several cities on his way to and from the Coast, speaking before civic organizations.

A farewell party was given the men Jan. 2, at the Brown University Club of N. Y. Ralph M. Palmer, President of the N. Y. B. C. was host and John's father "Tuss"; Earl W. Sprackling '12, and Walter Hoving '20, former All-American football players, were present.

His home address is 921 West Huron St., Ann Arbor, Mich.

Dick Murdoch is Assistant Foreman in the Steel Mill of the American Steel & Wire Co., New Haven.

Elmer K. Eaton is salesman for Curtiss-Way Co., Inc., Meriden, Conn. He is living at Flanders Rd., Southington.

Dick Shaw, another salesman, is with the Becton, Dickinson Co. of Rutherford, N. J.

Fred Sheetz is now living at 1023 Fern St., New Orleans, La. W. R. Hulbert is at 112 Pinckney St., Boston. Walt Brown at 1711 Lakewood Ave., Durham, N. C. Art Saklad at 36 Crosby Rd., Newton, Mass. Jim Rigby at 25 E. Henry St., Linden, N. J. Norm Neubert at 307 Garfield Rd., Brooklyn, N. Y.

## 1938

BY JAMES W. GURLL
*University Hall*

Got a quick response to my plea for better addresses for certain of our classmates which appeared in the December issue Bill Chicester, writing in from 320 N. Oakhurst Drive Beverly Hills, Cal., tells us he is working for the Blue Diamond Corp., manufacturers and producers of building materials, as an efficiency expert. Bill is living with his college roommate, E. Butler Moulton '39 who is doing graduate work at U. C. L. A. They report good times and eagerness to return to Campus for Commencement this June.

Orlando Rodio, after working for the Federal Government in the Alien Registration Division of the Department of Justice, is now an Assistant Examiner with the Immigration and Naturalization Service in the Department of Justice. He writes in to say Marvyn Carton is working as an Operations Agent for the American Airlines. Marv was working at the World's Fair before serving in the Army Air Corps for a while. Address his American Airlines, Washington Airport, Arlington, Va. Owen Gretton is at present a Statistician with the Bureau of Census in Washington.

Franklin W. Bartlett is a machinist at the Union Twist Drill Co. (S. W. Card Mfg. Co. Mansfield, Mass.) He lives at 1160 East St., East Mansfield. Assistant Buyer Hy Wolf works at Gilchrist's in Boston and is living at 324 Chestnut Hill Ave., Brighton, Mass.

Draftsman Don Munro is associated with Sprout-Waldron & Co., Inc., Muncy, Pa. and lives at 301 So. Main St., Muncy, Pa.

Charles "Chick" Gaffney and Mrs. Gaffney announce the birth of a daughter Charlene Kay, at Sheboygan, Mich. Chick had been Director of the Boys' Club in that city for the year but has now started his new duties as Executive Director of the San Pedro, Cal., Boys' Club.

Charlie Williams, a member of the Naval Reserve, is training on the U.S.S. Vincennes.

Frankie Foster reports his third change of residence in Binghampton, N. Y., from where he travels to sell for the Johnson & Johnson Pharmaceutical Supply Co. He is now at 694 Chenango St. Frank spent a week at Christmas visiting in Boston and Providence.

Tony Sciabica is now living at 217 West Foster Ave. State College, Pa.; Stearns Putnam at 335-A Harvard St., Cambridge, Mass.; Alden Hensel at 7722 Cornell Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Jack Montgomery for the second consecutive year received second prize in the City

of Hartford in the fire insurance examinations conducted by the Insurance Institute of America.

Jim Ramsbottom is at the Wright Aeronautical Corp., Paterson, N. J. He is in the Payroll Department, being responsible for determining the weekly bonus allotted to each department.

Word came in recently that Monroe Fagan has left his post with Sayles Finishing Co. and enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserve. Having had one month's training on the U.S.S. Quincy, he will enter the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis soon as a candidate for a commission.

Don MacMillan reports for training at the U. S. Naval Academy Feb. 14. Until then he is at 63 Princeton St., Providence.

Derek Tubman is clerking at the General Foods Corp., 250 Park Ave., New York and is living at 114 North 8th St., Mt. Vernon.

Bill MacDougal reports his Chicago address is 6529 Kenwood Ave. John Certuse is back at Mansfield where he is coaching three sports and teaching Physics and Chemistry at the Mansfield High School. Sales Engineer Beverly Lundy is now to be located at 405 Lexington Ave., N.Y.C. Bob Riegler reports that he is working for the Cleveland Bean Co., Cleveland, Ohio and living at 19793 Coffenberry Blvd. Fairview Village.

Those Christmas booklets on University Hall certainly had some swell photos in them. George Henderson, take a bow.

We were quite wrong in the last issue when we said that C. Woodbury Gorman was with Tilden-Thurber in Providence. He is associated with Gladdings, Inc., right across Westminster St.

Bill Browne, who was graduated from the Harvard School of Business Administration last June, is an assistant buyer in Macreary's, New York. At Christmas time he had 200 girls working for him and at present is in the "hostess pantry" of the grocery department.

Fred Gilbreth was his brother's best man when Daniel B. Gilbreth and Miss Irene Frances Jensen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl C. Jensen, were married in Upper Montclair, N. J., Dec. 27, 1940. John and Robert Gilbreth were ushers. Dr. Lillian M. Gilbreth, mother of this fine family, is an honorary graduate of Brown '31.

Charlie Walsh, Jr., in training with Atlantic Refining Co., has been advanced to the sales staff and is working out of the Boston office with the North Shore as his first territory.

### 1939

Jim Edwards is showing the boys how to make connecting rods at the Wright Aeronautical Co. of Paterson, N. J. and is living in his new house at Packanack Lake, N. J. He reports that Don Howarth, in the Engineering Dept. also lives at Packanack.

***Foist's Cherce***

"He must have been a Brooklynite," remarks the *Worcester Telegram* in printing the following paragraph:

"It is said that a young man seeking admission to Brown University gave his name as Foist, and that a checkup revealed that his original name was Prima and that it had been anglicized. That, of course, was not the Foist case of confusion over names."

***Building the Base at Trinidad***

Bound for Trinidad where he was to become a project engineer on a large U. S. Army base, James Wilmot '08, a director of the Brown Engineering Association, left by plane for the Caribbean Jan 14. On Trinidad or one of the neighboring islands leased from Great Britain, Mr. Wilmot will work for a private concern as supervisor of engineering and construction work on a project calling for naval and submarine bases, flying fields, underground hangars, shops, and barracks. Since the project is expected to take three years for completion, Mrs. Wilmot plans to join him in the near future. At present she is remaining at their home at 33 Puritan Drive, Port Chester, N. Y.

Wartime construction work is nothing new for the Brunonian, for during the World War he was an engineer with a private firm at the New Orleans Army Supply Base. Recently he had been Park Director for the Tri-Boro Bridge Authority and the New York City Department of Parks. An active churchman, he is President of the Board of Trustees of the North Baptist Church in Port Chester as well as assistant superintendent of the Sunday School. He is on the Advisory Committee of the Baptist Home for the Aged, New York City; the Board of Managers of the New York Baptist City Society; and Vice-President of the Metropolitan Baptist Board of Promotion. He has also been prominent in such community projects as Boy Scouting, Community Fund, and Masons.

George L. Playe holds the Irene V. Lichter Fellowship at Washington University, in St. Louis, where he is doing post A.M. work in Romance Languages.

Jacob Stone is attending Georgetown University, School of Medicine class of 1944. He lives at 4429 Volta Place, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Stan Mathes, whose engagement to Betty Winslow was announced in the last issue, is with Nicholson File Co., in Youngstown, Ohio. He may be written c/o Daugherty Co., 502 Nat'l Bank Bldg. Stan relinquishes his post as captain of the class agents of the Alumni Fund to Bill Carter for this year. Bill is still with Puritan Life Insurance Co., in Providence.

James E. Fraser is Claims Adjustor for Liberty Mutual Life Ins. Co., of Boston. Jim is at 114 Newberry St.

Bob O'Brien says he is "writing for the Theatre" and living at 125 Alta Ave., Yonkers, N. Y.

Kenneth F. Conn is now living at 764 Franklin Ave., Wilkinsburg, Pa. Ken is an Electric Test Engineer for Westinghouse.

Farley Carter Childs is living at 53 Hastings Hall, Cambridge, while he studies law at Harvard.

Ernie Alderman has enlisted in the Connecticut National Guards and is studying for a commission. He expects to leave this month for Florida with the 169th Infantry. Ernie had a rather low number in the draft; so he thinks that his step is a wise one. His company is giving him a year's leave of absence with two months' pay. Mrs. Alderman intends to go South with him, we understand.

Fred Parker, whose marriage is reported in another column, is an engineer with United Aircraft Corporation, East Hartford, Conn.

Lyman Friedman is attending Washburn Law School, Topeka, Kans.

Norman LeL. Guy, associated with E. I. du Pont de Nemours Co. is clerking in the Explosives Dept. Norm lives at 1608 Penna. Ave., Wilmington, Del.

Roy Savery is working for the G.M.A.C. in the Field Dept. He should be addressed Box 251, Westerly, R. I.

Foster "Pete" Davis has returned to Providence to work as apprentice at the Brown & Sharpe Manufacturing Co. Pete leaves Charlie Gross, Bob M. Smith '40 and Freddie Rhodes all at 34 East 61st St., New York.

Howard A. Lane is a salesman for Swift & Co., Canal St., Providence. Howie lives out on Davidson Pike in North Scituate.

New addresses are reported as follows:

James D. Wilson, Morris D-31, Soldiers Field, Boston. William Hogan, U.S.S. "Quincy" Div. R. c/o Postmaster, N. Y. Karl F. Weygand, R 14, Chestnut St., Taunton, Mass.

Bill Carter is busy these days in the Brown Club of Providence. Bill is Chairman of the Membership Committee and a member of the Executive Committee. He is active about one night a week at the R. I. Auditorium where he is playing hockey for the Newport Team, a member of the R. I. Amateur Hockey League.

### 1940

Five members of the class of 1940 are in service at the U. S. Naval Air Station at Pensacola, Fla.: Gordon J. Brown, Arthur W. Doherty, Robert Fenley, Charles Winterrowd, and Eugene Verdery. Doherty has subscribed to the MONTHLY, which his four colleagues will presumably share with him.

Ernest T. Clough '20, Secretary-Treasurer of the Brown Club of Boston, told the Alumni Office that the first Brown 1940 man to make his whereabouts known to the Club is George Thompson, who now lives at 5 Fairfield St., Boston. He has been with the American Mutual Insurance Company but has been on a two months' leave of absence in order to get experience obtainable during the drive period of the Boston Community Fund.

A letter which Ben Bradford wrote and sent to the Editor of the New York Times catapulted him into a job as reporter. John Kiernan, Times Sports writer and of "Information Please" fame likened Bradford to Cinderella. Ben, while working for $12 per week lugging wood for the Int'l. Paper Co. of Niagara Falls, N. Y. wrote his missive which received publication and much favorable comment. His theme was that youth needs no sympathy despite conditions of the present but is well aware of its duties and responsibilities.

Fred Brown takes first prize for information getting and letter writing. Writing from 56 Watchung Ave., Upper Montclair, N. J., Fred says in part that he is with the Wright Aeronautical Co., Paterson, N. J. and is attached to the Personnel Dept. He is at present gaining shop experience in the Cylinder Dept. Gus Cheever, Don Amidon and Joe Crooker are with this Company on "engine test," which means

"they set up an engine in a brick cell and try to rack it to pieces in eight hours. If it survives it goes out to carry the mail—or the Army."

Fred tells us that Bob Homma is living in Montclair and is in the importing business in New York. Bob spent last summer in the basement of a Brooklyn 5 and 10 where he sweltered while learning about novelty goods. He says George Sawyer is now in Baltimore for the Liberty Mutual Casualty Co. Bob Joslin has joined the American Airline Products, New York office. Don McNeil is with the Pennsylvanian Railroad's Freight Dept., and is living at the Phi Gam Club.

Harry Platt has been starring as a member of the basketball team representing the Providence Jewish Community Centre. He scored more than 30 points when the quintet beat its Boston rivals.

Fred Bloom, whose engagement is recorded under the vital statistics department, reports a new address: 11 West 74th St., New York.

Sam Gourse won high honors recently when he was cited by Major V. P. Coyne, Commandant of Fort Revere, Hall, Mass. Sam enlisted in the Coast Artillery last September and was assigned to Fort Revere. His citation was made for personal appearance, neatness, attention to drill, progress, general aptitude, promptness and willingness to learn.

Joe Harvey, since his marriage (previously reported), is living in North Scituate, R. I. He is with Puritan Life Insurance Co., of Providence.

Sam Anderson is with Montgomery Ward in Newport News, Va. He is a Department Head.


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Dave Borst writes in to say he at present is employed by General Electric as a student engineer on Test, now testing in the Turbine Dept. in Lynn, Mass. Other men on test there are David Hall—Turbines, Bruce Robbins—Superchargers, and Ed Jones—Thompson Laboratory. Dave is keeping up his connection with the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System, serving as Technical Manager and Editor of the I. B. S. Bulletin.

Ray McCulloch has moved from Altoona, Pa., and is now back in Providence where he lives at 270 Benefit St. He works in the Sales Dept. of the Hope Webbing Co. of Pawtucket.

Address changes: Franklin Palmer to 139 E. 35th St., N.Y.C. Stanley Millard to 1440 Midland Ave., Bronxville, N. Y. Frank Rollins to E-12 McCulloch Hall, Harvard Bus. School, Cambridge. Saul Belilove to 138 So. Frazier St., State College, Pa. John Crosman to 6751 Oglesby Ave., Chicago.

### *Engagements*

▸ ▸ 1925—Miss Mary Budnick, daughter of Ezreal Budnick of West Boxford, Mass., to Philip B. Goldberg.

1925—Miss Helen Louise O'Donoghue, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Charles O'Donoghue of Providence, to John Wilfred Connolly.

1926—Miss Sarah Willard Beach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burr Beach of Dubuque, Ia., to Theodore Alfred Hunt formerly of Providence and now at Center College, Ky.

1931—Miss Beatrice Hindley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hindley of Lonsdale, to George M. Knowles.

1931—Miss Mabel A. Bamford, daughter of Mr. Joseph Bamford, Providence to Elwood L. Hopkins.

1932—Miss Miriam H. Day, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellison G. Day of Newtonville and Rockport, to Dr. Frederic W. Ripley, Jr.

1932—Miss Eunice E. Torgerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Torgerson of Seattle, to Mr. Everett M. Seixas, Jr.

1933—Miss Hildegarde Stevens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph T. Stevens of West Hampton, L. I., to Gordon M. Fairchild.

1934—Miss Marion Richardson, (Pembroke, 1936), daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Dennett L. Richardson, to Robert T. Flynn.

1934—Miss Sylvia H. Murdock, granddaughter of Mr. Frank L. Havens of Pawtucket, to Frederic R. Morse.

1934—Miss Charlotte Morein, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Morein, to Dr. Isadore Gershman.

1934—Miss Alice N. Renshaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace W. Renshaw, of Bronxville, N. Y., to Dr. William Carl Wohlfarth, Jr.

1935—Miss Hope J. Harkness (Pembroke '38), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Harkness of West Hartford, Conn., to Robert Jerrett, Jr.

1936—Miss Ruth Tenenbaum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel J. Tenenbaum of Providence, to Howard D. Silverman of East Greenwich.

1936—Miss Caroline L. Jones of Glen Cove, L. I., to Robert G. Wilkens.

1937 — Miss Virginia Deane Parsons (Pembroke '37), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Parsons of Providence, to Harold S. Barrett of North Providence.

1937 — Miss Martha Allen Dudley, daughter of Mr. Samuel W. Dudley of Hamden, Conn., to Robert L. Gilbert, Jr., of East Providence.

1938—Miss Phyllis Roberts Haydock (Pembroke '39), daughter Mr. and Mrs. George Haydock of Newport, to William R. Michael of Newport.

1938—Miss Mary Frances Monahan, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John T. Monahan to Charles A. Walsh, Jr., son of Judge Charles A. Walsh '99 and Mrs. Walsh.

1938—Miss Edith Tozzer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Tozzer of Scarsdale, N. Y., to Howard D. Jordan.

1938—Miss Nancy Shuyler Campbell, daughter of Judge and Mrs. Albert E. Campbell of Canastota, N. Y., to Herbert F. Dalton.

1938—Miss Gertrude I. Kindley, daughter of Mrs. A. Ralph Kindley of Pawtucket, to Arthur H. Noble, Jr.

1939—Miss Ruth M. Thomas, daughter of Mrs. Walter R. Thomas of Providence, to Hollier G. Tomlin.

1939—Miss Dorothy Bayer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bayer of Schenectady, N. Y., to J. Stuart Franklin of Pawtucket.

1939—Miss Audrey Hope Wouters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph M. Wouters, of Maplewood, N. J., to Mr. William Granville Meader, Jr., son of William G. Meader '05 and Mrs. Meader of Providence.

1939—Miss Elizabeth W. Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Foster of Providence, to Roy Ten Haagen of New York.

1940—Miss Caroline H. Bradshaw (Pembroke '41), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Bradshaw of New Brighton, Pa., to E. Melson Webster of New York City.

1940—Miss Arline Luther Adams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allen Adams of East Providence, to Earle W. Scott, Jr., of East Providence.

1940—Miss Marion Leeds (Pembroke '40), daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert R. Leeds of New York City, to Frederick Bloom.

1940—Miss Virginia Chalcolm Steere, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis C. Steere of Edgewood, to Joseph Henry Windle, Jr., of West Barrington.

### *Weddings*

▸ 1929—A. C. Kingston, Jr., and Miss Jane E. Woodson, Oct. 3, 1940. At home: Leroy Ave., Darien, Conn.

1931—Joseph May Davis and Miss Ruth Oran James, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Garfield James of South Attleboro, in Park Place Congregational Church, Pawtucket, Nov. 16, 1940. Mr. and Mrs. Davis left on a month's automobile trip through the South. They now are at home at 724 Pleasant St., Pawtucket.

1932—Edward R. Squier and Miss Ruth C. Lennon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John M. Lennon of Pawtucket, in St. Raymond's Rectory, Providence, Dec. 28, 1940. Dr. and Mrs. Squier left on an automobile trip to the South.

1933—Ralph W. Hemmerle and Miss Grace Hollingworth of Edgewood, Dec. 14, 1940.

1933—Alvin L. Natelson and Miss Josephine Dumanis, daughter of Mrs. Betty Dumanis in Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 5, 1940. At home: 505 Ocean Ave., Brooklyn.

1934—Bancroft Littlefield and Miss Anne Davidson, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Davidson of Elizabeth, N. J., at St. John's Episcopal Church, Dec. 28, 1940. The groom is the son of Ivory Littlefield '09 and Mrs. Littlefield.

1934—Dr. Duncan H. C. Ferguson, Jr., and Miss Florence Mae Umstead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer S. Umstead of Providence, in the Mathewson Street Methodist Church, Jan. 4, 1941. Dr. and Mrs. Ferguson are now living at 328 Pawtucket Ave., Pawtucket.

1935—Russell V. Ticknor and Miss Ruth F. Partelow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Partelow of Hastings-on-the-Hudson, N. Y., July 9, 1940. Mr. and Mrs. Ticknor are living at 2 Virginia Place, Pleasantville, N. Y.

1936—Dr. Theodore Bedrick, Jr., of the University of Illinois, and Miss Beatrice Fine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Fine of New Bedford, Mass., Sept. 15, 1940. At home: 203 North Coler Ave., Urbana, Ill.

1936—Douglass Taber and Miss Charlotte D. Murray of Toledo, Ohio, on Nov. 11, 1939.

1937—Robert W. Auten and Miss Avelyn Buford, daughter of Mrs. Ramey Patterson Morris of Philadelphia, Dec. 28, 1940, at Knoxville, Tenn.. Mr. and Mrs. Auten will live at Daingerfield House, Jenkintown, Philadelphia.

1937—Austin Peck and Miss Prudence Cleveland Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hall Smith of Providence, Dec. 28, 1940, at Grace Church. Mr. and Mrs. Peck will live at 110 Waterman St.

1937—George Francis Toelken and Miss Virginia Wass Ziegler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward H. Ziegler of Providence, Nov. 28, 1940. Mr. and Mrs. Toelken have taken up their residence at 16 Owen St., Hartford, Conn.

1937—Richard Warren Murdock and Miss Phyllis Mary Parsons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Fereday Parsons of New Bedford, in St. Martin's Church, New Bedford, Nov. 23, 1940. They live on Main St., Short Beach, Conn.

1939—Frederick L. Parker and Miss Marion Knight Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mason C. Green, in the Congregational Church, Windsor, Conn., Jan. 4, 1941. Mr. and Mrs. Parker will live in Windsor.

1940—Robert T. Engles and Miss Helen M. Gill, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Edward F. Gill of Providence, at St. Sebastian's Church, Providence, Nov. 18, 1940. Mr. and Mrs. Engles are living at 407 Angell St.

1940—Stanley R. Millard and Miss Eunice Cocks were married at Bronxville, N. Y., Nov. 20, 1940.

***Births***

To Mr. and Mrs. James H. Case, Jr., a third daughter, Penelope, Dec. 9, 1940. Mr. Case is the Secretary of Brown University.

1920—To Mr. and Mrs. James Quayle Dealey, Jr., of Utica, N. Y., a son, William Reed, Dec. 28, 1940.

1923—To Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hagan, Jr., of Providence, a daughter, Sara, Dec. 30, 1940.

1924—To Dr. and Mrs. Robert Mazet, Jr., of Great Neck, L. I., a son, Robert, III, Nov. 27, 1940.

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Keith Chalmers, of Gambier, Ohio, twin sons, John Putnam and Stephen Everett, Nov. 10, 1940.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Koly of Woonsocket, a daughter, Elizabeth Ann, Oct. 25, 1940. The Kolys also have two sons.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Raymond D. Brennan of Pawtucket, a second daughter, Nov. 27, 1940.

1928—To Mr. and Mrs. Stephen I. Hall of Bronxville, N. Y., a daughter, Susan Gates, Nov. 17, 1940.

1928—To Dr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon Murphy of Providence, a son, Robert Gordon, Jr., Dec. 19, 1940.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. Alden J. Carr of Barrington, a daughter, Marcia Warren, Nov. 30, 1940.

1929—To Mr. and Mrs. James P. Howell of Chicago, a son, James Kenneth Howell, Nov. 19, 1940.

1930—To Mr. and Mrs. C. Hazard Beckford of Abington, Mass., a daughter, Nov. 2, 1940.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Cory Snow of Needham Heights, Mass., a daughter, Linda Gail, Dec. 22, 1940

1932—To Lieut. and Mrs. John R. Dolan of Cranston, a daughter, Joan Elizabeth, Oct. 31, 1940.

1933—To Dr. and Mrs. Donald L. DeNyse of Cranston, a son, Dec. 3, 1940.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Buonanno of Providence, a daughter, Marjorie Lynn, Dec. 4, 1940.

1935—To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin A. Watts of Athens, Ohio, a daughter, Bethany, Dec. 13, 1940. Mrs. Watts is the former Miss Carolyn Troy, Pembroke, 1935.

1935—To Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Joseph Fraad, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y., a daughter, Sara Therese, Dec. 11, 1940.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. William A. Hill, Jr., of New Rochelle, N. Y., a second daughter, Deborah, Sept. 26, 1940.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hamilton Gifford, Jr., of Old Greenwich, Conn., a son, John Francis, Nov. 17, 1940.

1940—To Mr. and Mrs. George E. Sands, Jr., of Philadelphia, a son, Ronald Lee, Oct. 18, 1940.

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### *From the Faculty*

▸ ▸ PROFESSORS J. FRANKLIN COLLINS, botanist, and Albert Edward Rand, linguist, died as 1940 was ending—Professor Collins on Nov. 25, and Professor Rand on Dec. 12. Both had long been ill. Professor Collins rounded out a full life of nearly 77 years; Professor Rand at 57 was still young.

J. Franklin Collins never went to college. Yet he was the "father of modern tree surgery"; he knew more about the municipal parks of the United States than any other man; and he made the Herbarium on the Hill "next to the finest in the world for New England flora." The Canadian Geological Survey gave the name of Mount Collins to the peak which he first explored and mapped in detail during a botanical trip through Gaspe Peninsula.

Then, too, the plant Arabis Collinsii, a variety of the mustard family, bears his name as a result of his discovery of it in 1904. He was a pioneer in the study of the chestnut blight which swept away the native chestnut trees 30 years ago. Tree lovers find his "Key to New England Trees" a handy volume; and his many authoritative books and pamphlets testify to the fact that he was "an indefatigable and accurate student of the northeastern (North American) flora."

Professor Collins came to Brown in 1894, received the honorary degree of Ph.B. in 1896, and was successively instructor, assistant professor, demonstrator, and lecturer in botany. He became head of the Department of Botany after Prof. William Whitman Bailey retired in 1906, and resigned in 1913 to take charge of the Government Bureau of Forest Pathology at Brown. He retired in 1934, but kept contacts with Brown and his older students until the end.

Dr. Rand, graduate of Amherst and holder of advanced degrees from Columbia and Harvard, joined the Faculty in 1912 as instructor in German. During the World War he went to France as Y.M.C.A. secretary, and on his return to Brown became instructor and then assistant professor of the French language and literature. In September, 1937, he received leave of absence for the academic year. He was not able thereafter to resume his teaching. His wife, Mrs. Bertha E. Rand, two sons, one of whom is Evans L. Rand '37, two daughters, and two grandchildren survive.

### 1878

▸ CHARLES TAYLOR HOWARD, PH.B., telephone executive, born Coventry, April 4, 1859, the son of Henry and Catherine G. (Harris) Howard; died suddenly at his home in Providence, Dec. 3, 1940. His father, former Governor of Rhode Island, received the honorary degree of A.M. from Brown in 1873; his sons, Frederick N. Howard and Henry Howard, II, belong to the Brown classes of 1907 and 1924, respectively.

His active business career was linked with the Providence Telephone Co., and its successor, New England Telephone & Telegraph. "My manufacturing and other connections were of so brief and casual character that they should be ignored," he once said. Joining the Providence Telephone Co. in 1879, he became its secretary and treasurer in 1880, and vice president in 1915. After the merger with the New England company he continued as vice president and manager of the Providence office. Although he retired in 1926, he had been on the company's auditing committee until a few years ago. He was also a director of the Westerly Automatic Telephone Co., and a member of Psi Upsilon.

Mr. Howard's first wife, who was Mary Greene Henry, died in 1893, leaving two sons, one of whom is Frederick N. Howard of Providence. On Jan. 5, 1897, he married Gertrude Harris Payson, who survives, with a daughter, Mrs. Gilbert M. Mears of Warwick Neck, and the son, Henry Howard II '24 of San Marino, Calif.

### 1884

▸ JAMES LAWRENCE JENKS, PH.B., dean of the Pawtucket bar and civic and religious leader, born Smithfield, April 15, 1858, the son of John A. and Martha Jenks; died at his home in Pawtucket, Nov. 19, 1940. His activities as lawyer, public citizen, churchman, were as varied as they were numerous.

For 50 years he was secretary of the Pawtucket Business Men's Association and Chamber of Commerce, resigning in December, 1939. He was an original incorporator of Memorial Hospital, and secretary of the board of trustees for 39 years. He stepped down last May, at which time his friends and acquaintances gave him a testimonial dinner and praised him as one "who exemplified everything worthwhile in manhood." He was a life deacon of the First Baptist Church, honorary president of the Family Welfare Society, and vice president of the Rhode Island Legal Aid Society.

His public offices were Coroner, City Solicitor, State Representative and State Senator, and chairman of the Selective Service Board, West Side, in 1917-18. He was a director of the Pawtucket Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Adam Sutcliffe Co., Pawtucket Branch, Industrial Trust Co., and secretary of the Pawtucket Hosiery Co. and Lonsdale Bakery Co. He was a former president of the Pawtucket Bar Association. In 1908 he was unsuccessful candidate for Mayor of Pawtucket on a Democratic-Independent Citizens ticket.

In March, 1890, he married May Bromley, who survives, with a son, James L. Jenks, Jr., '20 of West Medford, Mass.

▸ HENRY RUSSELL HITCHCOCK, A.B., A.M., M.D., born Foxboro, Mass., June 8, 1861 the son of Dr. Joseph G. S. Hitchcock and Mary Ellen Hitchcock; died in Plymouth, Mass., Nov. 23, 1940. He had been a practising physician for 50 years.

Graduated from Harvard Medical School in 1890, he commenced practice in Hyde Park, Mass., and later removed to Plymouth. In his early years he was associate medical examiner for the Second District, Norfolk County, and physician to the Peabody New England Home for Crippled Children in Hyde Park. He was a member of the Massachusetts Medical Society.

On Sept. 21, 1896, he married Alice W. Davis of Plymouth, who survives, with a son, H. Russell Hitchcock, Jr. His brother was the late Charles C. Hitchcock '85.

▸ JAMES WAGER JOHNSON was a business man by vocation, and a pamphleteer by avocation. During the first World War his pamphlet, "To Drink or Not to Drink," had a wide circulation among soldiers in training and throughout the country. He also wrote "Meaning of War and Basis for Permanent Peace," "A Wonderful Golf Story," and many general articles. His letters to New York newspapers were always pertinent and pointed.

He spent about two years at Brown. Typhoid fever twice interrupted his studies, and it was his great regret that he could not complete his work for a degree. By reading he kept his mind fresh. Writing gave him enjoyment outside of business hours as secretary of Isaac G. Johnson & Co., steel castings, his father's firm. He was likewise active as a trustee of St. John's Riverside Hospital and of the New York Baptist Mission Society. Born in Spuyten Devil, New York City, May 9, 1863, he died there July 9, 1940, after a short illness. His wife, who was Josephine Compton and whom he married April 12, 1893, and a daughter, Jane Bradley Johnson, are his only survivors.

### 1885

▸ FRANCIS WHITTIER GREENE, retired textile manufacturer and public citizen, born Riverpoint, Oct. 15, 1861, the son of Henry L. and Marcy G. (Wilbur) Greene; died in West Warwick, Dec. 9, 1940. He took a special course at Brown for three years, and from the time of leaving College Hill to retirement in 1925 was successively secretary, treasurer and general manager of S. H. Greene & Sons Corporation, operator of the Clyde Bleachery and Print Works.

His public service began in 1891 when he became a member of the Warwick School Committee. He sat in the Warwick Town Council for five years, was Representative

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from Warwick in the General Assembly for three years, and State Senator from Warwick in 1903. He had also been president of the Pawtuxet Valley Library Association of Phenix, was an honorary member of the Varnum Continentals of East Greenwich, and a member of the Order of Cincinnati and Psi Upsilon.

On Feb. 26, 1895, he married Jeanette Vreeland, who survives, with two sons, two daughters, a sister, and three grandchildren. He was a direct descendant of Col. Christopher Greene cousin of Gen. Nathanael Greene, 1776, honorary.

**1892**

▸ Ben Stanley Webb, A.B., LL.B., lawyer and manufacturer, born Providence, May 19, 1868, the son of Wanton S. and Martha T. (Hubbard) Webb; died of a heart attack in Lisbon, N. H., Dec. 20, 1940. An excellent athlete in college, he played on the Brown football elevens of 1890 and 1891, was a director of the baseball team, and holder of the Brown record for throwing the heavy hammer—81 feet, 5 inches.

From Brown he went to New York Law School, won his LL.B. degree in 1894, and became a member of the New York bar in June of that year. He was managing clerk for the law firm of Sackett & Bennett two years and for the law department of American Telephone & Telegraph Co. until 1899 when he removed to New Hampshire. He was admitted to the New Hampshire bar in March, 1902.

But he turned from law to manufacturing. With his brother-in-law, William E. Price '96, he organized the New England Electrical Works, manufacturer of insulated magnet and resistance wires, and was president of the company until his death. During the World War he was Town Food Administrator of Lisbon and chairman of the town's 4-Minute Men. For 18 years he served as chairman of the Lisbon Library. He was also a commissioner of Lisbon Village, chairman of the budget committee, and a member of the Rotary Club and Ammonoosuc Golf Club and Delta Kappa Epsilon. He had likewise been active as chairman of the Magnet Wire Group, Wire and Cable Section, Associated Manufacturers of Electrical Supplies, and in the Brown Club of New Hampshire.

Surviving are his wife, who was Vida Chase and whom he married Nov. 30, 1899, a son, a daughter, and his sister, Mrs. William E. Price.

**1898**

▸ Ratcliffe George Earle Hicks, A.B., lawyer, born Warwick, Jan. 21, 1875, the son of George A. and Isabel J. (Blake) Hicks; died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Providence, Nov. 26, 1940, after a short illness. He was a second cousin of Ratcliffe Hicks '64, benefactor of the University.

As undergraduate he was editor-in-chief of *The Brunonian*, the literary magazine, manager of the Brown track team, and a member of Delta Upsilon. In his Senior year he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa. He took courses in law at Brown in 1899 and 1900, studied law in the offices of Frederick Rueckert '77 and W. A. Morgan, and on admission to the Rhode Island bar commenced practice in Providence. When canoe clubs and canoeing were popular on the Pawtuxet River, he was a director of the annual competitions that attracted many contestants and spectators, too, from this State and Massachusetts.

His only survivor is his wife, the former Florence A. Hunter, whom he married June 11, 1910.

**1901**

▸ David Robinson, A.B., M.D., who died in Tillamook, Oregon, July 27, 1940, was at one time Mayor of Mosier in the Hood River district of that State a pioneer apple grower, and for years the only physician in or near Mosier.

Born in Drumdollagh, Ireland, the son of David and Mary Jane (Christy) Robinson, he was a good student at Brown, and an honors man at Harvard Medical School, where he received his M.D. degree in 1906. For several summers after leaving Brown he worked for the U. S. Commission of Fish and Fisheries at Woods Hole, Mass., and was interne at Long Island Hospital, Boston Harbor, in his Senior year at Medical School.

On June 20, 1907, he married Dollie C. Mosier, and with his bride settled in Mosier, Oregon. Classmates lost track of him for years. Then the late Professor Frederic P. Gorham '93 received a box of Hood River apples from "David Robinson, M.D., Mayor of Mosier," and Harold L. Madison, curator of the Roger Williams Park Museum at the time, had a similar box, with a letter, sent him the following Christmas. In recent years Robinson had practised in Tillamook. He was a former president of Tillamook Kiwanis Club, and a member of the Eastern Oregon Medical Society and the Oregon State Medical Association. His wife survives.

**1908**

▸ Frank Albert Walker, Sc.B., architect and engineer, born Huddersfield, England, the son of Albert and Jane (Drake) Walker; died in New Bedford, Mass., Oct. 31, 1940. As member of the firm of Leary & Walker, he helped design various New Bedford buildings, including Normandin Junior High School, and mills in this country, Canada, and Mexico.

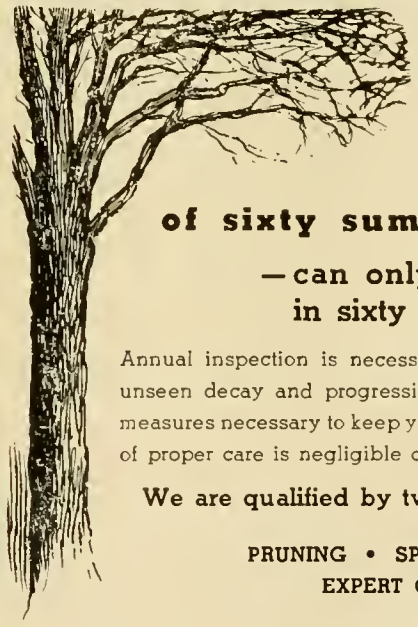
When he left Brown he went to work as plant engineer for Arnold Print Works, North Adams, Mass. While he was mechanical engineer for B. B. & R. Knight, Providence, 1910-17, he studied stresses in framed structures at Brown for a year. In 1917 he enrolled at the Engineer Officers' Training Camp, American University, Washington, won commission as First Lieutenant, but did not see active service. After a year with Lockwood, Greene Co., mill engineers, he became a partner of Frank J. Leary in New Bedford. Since 1930 he had carried on alone, and during the year before his last illness had been technical director with the New Bedford Housing Authority.

A loyal Brown man, he was an officer of the Brown Club of New Bedford and a delegate to the Advisory Council of the Associated Alumni. On June 1, 1911, he married Sophie K. Urquhart. His second marriage took place March 16, 1920, to Maud V. O'Neil of Malden, Mass., who survives, with a son, Robert G. Walker, and two sisters. Capt. Albert W. Johnson, U.S.A., '19 and Charles W. Battle '28 are nephews, and Helen L. Urquhart '22, Recorder of the University, and Mrs. John B. Rae '32 are nieces. He was a 32nd degree Mason and a member of Grace Episcopal Church, New Bedford.

**1921**

▸ Joseph Barakat Makanna, Vice-President of Makanna, Inc., well known firm of Boston importers, died Jan. 3, 1941, while wintering at Palm Beach, Fla. He was 42 years old.

Born in Beirut, Syria, Mr. Makanna came to this country as a youth. At Brown,

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where he was a member of the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity, he received a Ph.B. degree. Three years after graduation he went into business with his brother, Nicholas, setting up the Makanna Linen Shop on Boylston St., in addition to their importing activities. This association continued until his death, and both brothers became recognized authorities on linens. Joseph had been a member of the University Club of Boston and of the Brown Club there.

Surviving him, besides his brother, are three sisters, Helen Makanna, Mrs. Katharine Bakarat, and Mrs. Linda M. Sawyer.

### 1921

▸ THE death of David Duncan Gilchrist, Jr., '21 in Loodon, Dec. 19, 1940, had nothing to do with the war. He had been out with a shooting party near his home in Essex the previous Saturday and died of an accidental gunshot wound, according to word which his widow sent the Alumni Office. After blood transfusions, it had been thought he would recover.

He had been Superintendent of Operations for the Texas Oil Co., Ltd., in London and had had residence in Theydon Bois, Essex, for the past 12 years. Due to war conditions, his family had returned to the United States last May and are living in Summit, N. J., at 42 Franklin Place. In addition to his wife, the former Louise Bailey (Smith College, 1920), three sons, David 15, Stuart 14, and Thomas 13, and a daughter, Jean, aged 5. Mr. Gilchrist is survived by his mother, three sisters and two brothers, Kenneth and James Gilchrist.

Mr. Gilchrist entered Brown in 1915, but his college career was interrupted while he served from 1917 to 1919 with the 6th U. S. Engineers in France and the Army of Occupation in Germany. He had been graduated from Summit High School, where he had been on several teams and the Y.M.C.A. basketball team. At Brown he was a swimming instructor and a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity. He received his Sc. B. in 1921.

### 1924

▸ NATHANAEL WEST, novelist and film writer, and his wife, Eileen McKenney, famed as the heroine of Ruth McKenney's "My Sister Eileen," stories, were killed Dec. 22, 1940, in an automobile accident near El Centro, Cal.

The Wests had been married only about a year. Mrs. West, 26, had achieved a vicarious fame through her sister's stories now fashioned into a play about "My Sister Eileen" on Broadway. West had had a varied career which began at Brown, included a couple of years as an experimental writer in Paris, and ended after several years of successful screen writing in Hollywood.

West was born Nathan Wallenstein Weinstein, son of Max and Anna Weinstein, in New York, Oct. 17, 1902. At Brown, where he was known as "Pep" Weinstein he was one of a group of brilliant young men with literary interests who have since been achieving prominence: Quentin Reynolds of *Collier's*, S. J. Perelman, West's brother-in-law, known for a wild brand of humor as exhibited in "Dawn Ginsberg's Revenge," and other books; I. J. Kapstein, now a member of the Department of English, author of "The Song the Summer Evening Sings," and of a novel to be published this year; and Frank O. Hough, an outstanding novelist-historian working in the Colonial period.

*Time* magazine recently called West "next to Poe, the most proficient U. S. surrealist," and praised his novel, "The Day of the Locust," as "by far the ugliest and best book to date about Hollywood." His other novels included "The Dreamlife of Balso Snell," "A Cool Million," and best known of all, his story of a newspaper sob-sister, "Miss Lonelyhearts."

As an undergraduate at Brown, West contributed to *Casements*, the Brown literary magazine of the early twenties. After graduation he worked for a time in New York as a construction superintendent for his father, who was a contracting builder. Then he went, at a time literary exile was fashionable, to Paris and there, 1926-28, was associated with surrealist groups and other experimentalists in the arts.

On his return to this country, West edited, with William Carlos Williams and Robert McAlmon, *Contact*, one of the short-lived "little magazines" of the period. More prosaically, he also worked as a night clerk in a New York hotel.

The publication of "Miss Lonelyhearts" brought him an increased reputation. He subsequently went to Hollywood and wrote scenarios for "It Could Happen to You," "Born to Be Wild," "Spirit of Culver," "I Stole a Million," and "Advice to the Lovelorn," the last a Hollywooden version of his best book. He had made his nom de plume, Nathanael West, his legal name. ◂◂

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## ALUMNAE CLUBS

### *Boston*

▸ THE members met Dec. 7 at the home of Jessie Monroe Williams '12 to greet about 30 high school girls who were prospective Pembroke freshmen. The special guest at the tea was Miss Eva A. Mooar, who talked to the girls about the College. Two graduates of recent years who also spoke briefly to the subfreshmen were Eleanor Campbell '34, president of the Club, and Nellie Zygmuntowicz '38, secretary. After the talks the alumnae met in informal groups with the girls and, over the teacups, acquainted them further with Pembroke and answered the many questions which they had in their minds. *Secretary:* Nellie Zygmuntowicz, N. E. Baptist Hospital.

### *Providence*

▸ PROF. JAMES H. SHOEMAKER, the guest of the Club Jan. 22, gave a most illuminating address on "Economic Aspects of our Foreign Policy." *Secretary-Treasurer:* Alice E. Desmond, 22 Overhill Road.

### *Bristol County*

▸ A VERY interesting meeting of the Bristol County Club was held Dec. 7 at the home of Alice Gardner Merchant '97 in Warren. In order to acquaint any girls in Bristol County, who were interested in going to college, with the advantages that Pembroke offers, the Club invited Miss Eva A. Mooar, Director of Admission, to speak to these young people. There was a good attendance from the three towns and everyone had a very enjoyable afternoon. *Secretary:* Mary G. Honan '20, 21 Sowamsett Ave., Warren.

### *Newport*

▸ MISS EVA A. MOOAR was the guest of the Club at a delightful dinner meeting at the La Forge in November.

In December Elizabeth Carr '36 and Betty Hussey '39 were hostesses at a Christmas party for the members at Elizabeth's home. This was also a shower for Thelma Halverson Ebbitt '37, a recent bride.

In January the Club planned its annual Scholarship Bridge at the Viking Hotel with Elizabeth Carr as general chairman.

*Secretary:* Ruth Huntington, 441 Broadway.

### *Fall River*

▸ THE Club honored the undergraduates, home for the Christmas holidays, at a tea Dec. 28 at the home of Anna Kiencke '35. The table was attractively decorated in a Christmas motif, and original favors were presented to each guest as well as a Christmas corsage. Mildred Murray Jackson '24 and Grace Martin '28 poured. Music was furnished by a trio of high school students. The committee in charge included, Anna Kiencke '35, Alice Harrington '38, Alice Barlow '39, Helen Cavanaugh '39, Claire Harrington '39, and Claire Murphy '38. *Secretary:* Mrs. George M. Jackson '24, 354 Pearce St.

### *South County*

▸ MAUD B. NICHOLS '09 of Wakefield was hostess to the Club in November. Anna Canada Swain '11 was guest speaker and her plea for the Alumnae Fund secured a pledge of $50 from the Club. Mrs. Swain also gave a most interesting account of her trip around the world.

On Dec. 13 the Club held a Christmas party at Beriah Manor, the home of its president, Doris Deming '30. The great stone fireplace was lined with a row of stockings, one for each member of the Club,

and peeking out of the top of each was a little Brown bear. Ida Hawkins Morrison '97 read a beautiful and inspiring original Christmas story, "The Romance of Four Christmas Eves." Christmas carols were sung and the evening's festivities were concluded with the enjoyment of Doris's Christmas punch and delicious cakes. *Secretary*: Mrs. Raymond C. Harrington '21, Moose Horn Road, East Greenwich.

***New Haven***

▸ At the December meeting of the Club the following officers were elected: President—Miriam Hahn '37; Secretary—Shirley Bowman '34; Treasurer—Julia Watson Tourgee '36. Eleanor Keating '35 was hostess. Plans were made to meet on the first Wednesday in each month. Shirley Bowman entertained at a card party in January and Helen Conway '34 is to be the February hostess at her home in Milford. At that time Eleanor Keating will give a talk on "Nursing and Defense." Travel pictures will be shown at the March meeting and in April it is planned to have a speaker from College. *Secretary*: Shirley Bowman, 275 Kelsey Ave., West Haven.

***Worcester County***

▸ The December meeting was a Christmas party and supper at the home of Doris Horne '29 in Millbury. The assisting hostesses were Grace Horne Higginbottom '30 and Frances Boruch '35. There were 25 members present. After a brief business meeting gifts were exchanged and the rest of the evening was spent in playing a variation of the game of charades. *Secretary*: Mrs. George C. Whitney, Jr. '28, 8 Roseland Road, Worcester, Mass.

***Cleveland***

▸ The Cleveland alumnae held a luncheon Nov. 30 at Higbee's Silver Grill. A business meeting followed the luncheon and the following officers were elected: *President*—Anne Crawford Jonah '27 (Mrs. Fred C.), 2964 Hampshire Road, Cleveland Heights, and *Secretary*—Cecelia Baker Dixon '34 (Mrs. Ashton D.), 1770 Victoria Road.

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# Pembroke Chronicle ◂ ◂

*By* GERTRUDE ALLEN McCONNELL '10
*Executive Secretary of the Alumnae Association*

## Class Notes

▸ ▸ 1894—In response to our request to Miss Woolley for news of herself we received the following interesting reply: "My days are more than full. I am serving on numerous committees and am chairman of some of them, as for instance, the Women's Cooperating Commission of the Federal Council of Churches and the People's Mandate. Speaking engagements along international and educational lines are taking me as far afield as Los Angeles and South Dakota, with several trips to the Middle West and the South. I am filling my 'spare time' with trying to keep up a heavy correspondence; doing some writing on my autobiography (not going very fast); and entertaining my collie, 'Boy' and Belgian Police, 'Micky.'" . . .

1895—Elizabeth Peckham Kinder is living at the Rittenhouse Hotel, Chestnut and 22nd St., Philadelphia.

1896—Nettie Goodale Murdock and her husband, Judge John S. Murdock '96, are collecting the material for a biography of the late E. Benjamin Andrews, and would welcome any data or anecdotes relating to that worthy man, the founder of our College.

1895—Clara Comstock Everett was hostess to a large group of alumnae at supper Dec. 27.

1896—Grace Cleveland Cary of Hartford was the guest of Emma B. Stanton during Christmas week.

1897—Ruth Story Devereux Eddy presented to the Eddy Family Assocation a 10-year Supplement to her previous volume, "The Eddy Family in America." The presentation was made at a dinner in Boston given to commemorate the 310th anniversary of the landing of John and Samuel Eddy at Plymouth. The Supplement adds 180 pages of recent family history to the earlier volume of 1400 pages. It has been generally conceded by the press that "The Eddy Family in America" is one of the outstanding recent genealogies.

1897—Caroline Tuthill Starr has gone to Washington, where her husband, Dr. Harris E. Starr, Brown '97, is working on another volume of the Dictionary of American Biographies.

1898—Jessie Wilson, secretary of the class, tells us: "Members of the class spent the evening of Dec. 10 with their president, Lillian Wesley Blanchard. After a delicious supper, served from a table with gay Christmas tree centerpiece and other decorations appropriate to the season, the class adjourned to another room and discussed plans for increasing its contribution to the Dormitory Fund. Many ideas developed. Mrs. Moulton read her plans for the coming year. It would seem that by earnest application to the work, a considerable sum may be secured for the Fund."

1898—Anna Bates Guile is living at Beekman Tower, 3 Mitchell Place, New York.

1900—Lucy E. Cyr spends each winter at the Hines Hotel, St. Petersburg.

1900—Edna Warner Shippee has moved to 57 Barton Ave., Minneapolis.

1901—Louise Gamwell Cobb's son Franklin was married in November.

1902—Miriam Withee Miller is at 836 San Luis Rey, Mission Beach, Calif.

1903—Jessie Barbour is spending the winter in Tucson, Ariz. and San Diego, Calif.

1903—Mabel Bartlett Rackle and her husband won the finals in the R. I. bridge tournament.

1904—Annie Fisher Seamans has been enjoying a winter vacation at 4078 Chestnut St., Riverside, Calif.

1905—The Class is most enthusiastic over the monthly luncheons which have brought the members together with renewed spirit. The hostesses have been Edith Brown Winters in Framingham, Lulu Joslin Gay in Newton Highlands, and Alice Macomber in Wellesley. About 15 members from a number of states have attended each luncheon.

1906—Florence Leighton, teacher of Spanish in the Davis High School, Mt. Vernon, N. Y., is now living at 54 South Second Ave.

1907—Mildred Carnes Nuttall is now living at 41-69 Parsons Blvd., Flushing, L. I.

1908—Cora Medbury Lever has moved to 3051 Long Shore Ave., Philadelphia.

1909—Elise McCausland Crossley's son Evan, Brown '37, was married in October.

1909—Dr. May Hall James, chairman of our Regional Scholarship Committee for Connecticut, New York, and New Jersey, visited the College recently and attended the International Relations Conference as a representative of the New Haven State Teachers College.

1909—Anna Carpenter Meader and family have moved to 77 Albert Ave., Edgewood.

1910—Gwendolen Blodgett Carpenter of Burlington visited the College while in Southern New England in connection with her work for crippled children.

1910—Caroline M. Morton is secretary in the Greek and Latin Department at Brown.

1910—Ruth T. Cosgrove sent in a check for $500 during the Christmas holidays to be used for a memorial room in memory of her parents. This is the largest single gift to be sent at one time by an alumna.

1912—Beatrice Kohlberg is occupying her new home at 329 Sharon St., Providence.

1913—Helen Barrett Harvey's son, Joseph Charles, Brown '40, was married in November.

1913—Marion Bayley Lee's daughter Helen was married in October.

1913—Nora Dowell Stearns, who has lived for several years in Hawaii, is now at 1018 East 63rd St., Seattle.

1914—Ruth Goodchild Marr is living in Minot, Mass.

1914—Della Wood was hostess to the Class during the holidays.

1915—Edna Solinger Lyons has the sympathy of the alumnae in the sudden death of her husband with a heart attack at Christmas.

1916—Elsie Pickles Hoag's daughter Elizabeth was married in November.

1917—Grace Hawk is in charge of the Alumnae College at Wellesley.

1917—Bertha Prentiss Murch has moved to 2206 Eastman Rd., Midland, Mich.

1918—Marion Pfeiffer Allen is living at 472 Whitney Ave., New Haven.

1918—Stella Lafrance Farrell has been substituting at Wellesley for a French professor who was unable to leave France.

1918—Sally Morse Beardsley gave a holiday tea at her home on Waterman St., Providence, for the members of her class who had worked so hard to raise the money to complete the class quota. The class made a particularly fine record on its rummage sale, having cleared over $200.

1919—Twelve members of the class gathered at the Faculty Club for dinner Dec. 21. They were feeling in particularly festive mood because Elizabeth Hammett of Albany was the special guest of honor and because they had just cleared $75 on their radio project. The winner was a Dartmouth man who was attending the college dance at Pembroke when the drawing was made.

1919—Miriam Prentice Hickey and her husband are building a house at 35 Sunset Ridge Drive, East Hartford, and expect to occupy it this month.

1921—Irene Sheehan Clarke, secretary of the Philadelphia Alumnae Club, has moved to 40 Copley Road, Upper Darby, Penn.

1921—Dorothy Maxwell Klotz is at 519 Terrill Road, Syracuse.

1922—Rose Carr Polleys is occupying

her new home at 55 Ferncrest Ave., Edgewood.

1923—Maude Wishart Metz has moved from New York to 45 Kilgore Ave., West Medford, Mass.

1923—Beatrice Richards Wright and family are at 7 Evans Road, Marblehead.

1923—Grace Andrews Yates has moved to 10 Park Ave., New York City.

1924—Ruth Vinton Chalmers is at 3418 Porter St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

1924—Lucile Pettibone Fanning's new address is R. F. D. No. 3, Danbury, Conn.

1924—Elizabeth Young Jeffers and family are now occupying their own home at 41 Everett Ave., Providence.

1924—Hazel M. Walker is an assistant to the principal of the School of Nursing of Massachusetts General Hospital. She received her degree from Columbia and is also a graduate of the school to which she has now returned.

1925—Grace Snavely Ball's husband is teaching at Harvard Medical School and they are now living at 26 Alexander Road, Newton Highlands, Mass. after having been for many years at Johns Hopkins. Dr. Ball was awarded $1,000 at the meeting of the American Chemical Society in Cincinnati and he was chosen as the year's outstanding young bio-chemist last spring.

1925—Hannah Pickles Carson is living at 48 McMullen Ave., Wethersfield, Conn. until her new home on Harding Ave., Newington is completed.

1925—Elizabeth Eckels Dunning and husband are occupying their new home on Woodside Drive, Hewlett, L. I.

1926—Edith Snow is teaching at the Emma Willard School in Troy, N. Y.

1927—Laura Sydney Feinberg has moved to 245 Slater Ave., Providence; Mildred Marcett to 25 East 11th St., New York; Doris Heaton Nash to 5509 Wriley Road, Friendship, D. C.; and Mildred Fisher Newman to 221 Orchard St., Elizabeth, N. J.

1928—Nermine Mufaffak Menenmencioglu has completed her graduate work at Columbia and has returned to Istanbul.

1928—Virginia Wright sent a card saying that she had had a grand day on the beach at Miami Beach with Charlotte Smith Arnn '27 and her husband.

1929—Christine Anthony is living at 1901 Pacific Ave., San Francisco; Hope Small Brown at 3025 Essex Road, Cleveland Heights; and Josephine Towne Clifford at 16 Howard St., Centredale.

1929—Hildegard Jaeger Safford is doing an interesting piece of volunteer work in connection with organizing a Staten Island museum devoted entirely to that island.

1930—Louise Kelley Daly has the sympathy of the alumnae in the sudden death of her brother, Rev. Robert Kelley.

1930—Zelia Downing writes that she has been married for nearly three years to Henry C. Metcalf, Jr., brother of Mary Metcalf Pleasanton '31. Her little boy is nearly two. Her card was postmarked Port Chester, N. Y.

1930—Helene Hogan entertained a number of her classmates last month and showed movies of her western trip.

1930—Verna Follett Spaeth has been leading a study group for the Middletown (Conn.) League of Women Voters on "Public Housing for Low Income Groups." She is also secretary for the Stillman School P. T. A. and chairman of the Packaging Committee for the Middlesex County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

1931—Isabel Andrew Beery has moved to 255 East 18th St., Brooklyn, and Mary Andrew Hillsman now lives at 681 Queen Anne Road, Teaneck, N. J.

1931—Enis De Magistris has moved to 42 Gentian Ave., Providence.

1931—Bernice Mott Gill is at 14 Barnes St., Providence.

1932—Charlotte Gies Louttit is living at 156 Blackstone Blvd., Providence.

1932—Dorothy Mills has a secretarial position with the American Mathematical Society, Bennett Hall, U. of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

1932—Frieda Lippman Ullman is at 44 Windsor Road, Milton.

1934—Ruth Clem is located at 42 Independence Ave., S.W., Washington, D. C.

1934—Jessie Lebson Fuchs and her husband have just returned from an extended trip through the West and a lengthy stay in Hollywood. Mr. Fuchs, a graduate of Fordham and St. Johns Universities, is associated with RKO-Pathe News in New York. They live at 690 Ft. Washington Ave., New York.

1935—Maud Boardman Fish has moved to 69 South St., Saylesville.

1935—Frances Hazard is at 227 Slyvan St., Rutherford, N. J.

1935—Barbara McKay Payne and family are at 14 Mott Ave., New London.

1935—Jane Sanford Stone and family have moved from Philadelphia to 4831 Reservoir Road, N.W., Washington, D. C.

1936—Alberta Holdsworth lives at 25 Brimmer St., Boston; Pauline Klinberger Radom at 22-19 77th St., Jackson Heights, L. I.; and Evelyn Smith at 70 Forest St., Providence.

1936—Phoebe Merrill Schermerhorn and family have moved to 2824 S. Columbia Place, Tulsa, Okla.

1937—Priscilla Chase De Vlieg called at the Alumnae Office on the day before Christmas and is interested in getting together a group of Michigan alumnae in the hope of finding some promising prospective students for Pembroke from that state. She is living at 624 Brady Ave. North, Dearborn, Michigan.

1937—Jeannette Friedman has finished her course at the Yale School of Nursing and is now connected with the Henry St. Visiting Nursing Service in New York.

1937—Marguerite Pearson, who has been teaching at St. Mary's Hospital in Passaic, N. J. is now at the Maine General Hospital in Portland.

1937—Erika Schnurmann was recently appointed librarian in the Free Public Library in Paterson, N. J. and is working in the catalog department. The position came as the result of a Civil Service examination in which she stood highest.

1937—Ann Prestwich Wood has moved to 4923 Forest Drive, Douglaston.

### 1938

Alice Harrington is teaching in the Campbell Secretarial School in Fall River.

Rita Kenefick is Assistant Admitting Officer at the R. I. Hospital. She is living at 167 Cushing St.

Isabel Lion has been transferred from Buffalo to the New York office of her publishing firm. She is at 101 Park Ave.

Isabel and Louise Maurer are living at the Wardman Park Hotel in Washington, D. C.

Since Josephine McMurrough Greason's husband, a physician with the Navy, has been assigned to sea duty, she has returned from Philadelphia and is at her home at 1704 Broad St., Edgewood.

Sue Simonds entertained the New York alumnae members of Elizabethans at her home on Dec. 6. Professor Loughnan, formerly of Brown, was the special guest of honor. He was ordained last summer as an Episcopal clergyman and is now assistant to the Chaplain of Princeton University.

Evelyn Spelman is an assistant in the Valentine Almy School in Auburn and is living at 901 Scituate Ave., Oaklawn.

Althea Teren has changed her name to Barnum and we'd like to have further particulars.

Dorothy Trumbull has a position as service representative with the Telephone Company in Brockton.

### 1939

The class had a successful rummage sale with Alice Fitz Gerald as chairman.

Alice Barlow has a secretarial position with the Telephone Company in Fall River.

Barbara Gilbert is working in the Trust Department of the R. I. Hospital Trust Co.

Marjorie Goff has moved to 24 Walnut Road, W. Barrington.

Phyllis Haydock is working in the laboratory of the Robert B. Brigham Hospital in Roxbury.

Helen Hodnett is working for the Ditto Company, 205 West 42nd St., New York.

Barbara Hurlin is studying at the Yale School of Nursing.

Betty R. Louison is an assistant in the History Department of Boston University and is working for her M.A. She is living at 66 Chiswick Rd., Brighton.

Barbara Porter has a position in the John Hay Library.

### 1940

Mary Lou Bogert, Mary Tirrell, and M. Elizabeth Van Arsdale are studying in the Nursing Department of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, 620 West 168th St., New York.

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Frances Babcock has the sympathy of the alumnae in the loss of her father.

Virginia Carr and Ida Zimmer are taking the training course at Jordan Marsh Co.

Gladys Chernack is assisting in the Music Department at Brown.

Helen Costello is teaching in the Pawtucket Junior High School.

Vivian Cohen is doing statistical work in the Department of Education of the State of Connecticut.

Dorothy Golden is doing social work in Pawtucket.

Shirley Gratenstein and Pauline Lazarus are taking secretarial courses at Columbia.

Claire Hartland is studying at Radcliffe.

Ruth Hunt and Virginia McGann are doing graduate work at Brown.

Ruth Mann is studying at the N. Y. School of Retailing and living at 645 West End Avenue.

Mary Louise Skaggs is taking a business course.

Virginia Trimble has a position in the laboratory of the Homeopathic Hospital.

Helen Waterman has a position in a dentist's office.

# Vital Statistics

### *Engagements*

1916—Pearl Temple to Clinton Goff.

1926—Sadie McMichael to John Francis Winans, a graduate of New York University.

1932—Alice Harson to Thomas J. Sheahan, Brown '31.

1933—Grace Margaret Verdich to Sinclair Fuller Kenney, R. I. State College.

1934—Eleanor L. Campbell to Robert A. Weston, Jr. Mr. Weston, a graduate of Michigan, will receive his degree from Harvard Medical School in June.

1934—Rosalind Wallace to Albert E. Green, a graduate of Yale.

1936—Carolyn Cashman to Leopold Robert Michel, a graduate of Iowa, now on the M. I. T. faculty.

1936—Rosalie Musen to George M. Reizen, brother of Claire Reizen Freedman '31.

1936—Marion L. Richardson to Robert T. Flynn. Brown '34.

1937—Virginia Parsons to Harold Spencer Barrett, Brown '37, Harvard Medical '41.

1938—Hope Harkness to Robert Jerrett, Jr., Brown '35.

1938—Margaret Bishop to Dana Adams Story, M. I. T. Mr. Adams is a naval architect with the Sun Shipbuilding Corporation in Chester, Penn.

1939—Lois Bauer to Henry J. Remmer, Columbia U.

1939—Doris Daly to George V. Snell, Brown '41.

1939—Phyllis Haydock to William R. Michael, Brown '38. Mr. Michael is an engineer with the Newport Electric Corporation, of which his father is vice-president and general manager.

1940—Marjorie Leland to Courtland M. Briggs, a graduate of Cornell.

1940—Marion Elaine Leeds to Frederick Bloom, Brown '40.

1940—Marion S. Johnson to Paul P. Danesi.

1941—Caroline H. Bradshaw to E. Melson Webster.

### *Weddings*

1934—Anna L. Schonland and Eugene Merritt Van Loan, Jr., Yale '38, Nov. 9 in the Dwight Chapel at Yale. Address: 26 High St., New Haven.

1936—Christine Louise O'Brien and Henry Edward Owens on New Year's Day at St. James Episcopal Church. Elizabeth Considine Walker was matron of honor for her cousin. Margaret Donilon '39 was one of the bridesmaids. Address: 31 Willis St., Cranston.

1937—Thelma Halverson, daughter of Lieut. Commander and Mrs. Chris Halverson, and Paul F. Ebbitt, Dartmouth '34, Nov. 27 in the chapel of the Naval Training Station at Newport. Elizabeth B. Carr '36 was maid of honor. Mr. Ebbitt is a teacher in Rogers High School. Address: 42 Kay St., Newport.

1938—Helen E. Sullivan and Joseph H. Burke April 20. Address: 26 Gould St., Newport.

1939—Virginia Lacroix and Kenneth Dennis Oct. 12 in Summit, N. J. Address: 293 N. Oraton Parkway, East Orange, N. J.

1939—Doris McCutcheon and John Wadsworth Barry, Brown '39, Nov. 8 in West Hartford. Address: 62 Colony Road, West Hartford, Conn.

1940—Mary Elizabeth Kenyon and Theodore A. Keagels, Jr., Brown '41, on Christmas Eve at the Fourth Baptist Church. Address: 314 Benefit St., Providence.

1941—Priscilla Allen and Holbrook Bourne Nov. 9, in the Hope Congregational Church in East Providence. Mr. Bourne is a graduate of R. I. State College and has done graduate work at M. I. T. He is connected with the State Department of Public Health. Address: 15 Creighton St., Providence.

### *Births*

1925—To Mr. and Mrs. John David Velleca (Elizabeth Sanford), a son, John D. Jr., June 17. Address: 1222 Hope St., Bristol.

1927—To Mr. and Mrs. William Edwin Kirkland (Anona Holloway), a son, William Cardno Kirkland, II, Nov. 9. Winter address: 37 Avon Place, Tompkinsville, S. I.

1931—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Judson Smith, Jr. (Harriet Schmaltz), a second son, Franklin Bolling, Oct. 8. Junior is now two. Address: 1030 South 26th St., Arlington, Va.

1932—To Mr. and Mrs. John B. Rae (Florence Urquhart), a son, James Alexander, Nov. 24. Helen Urquhart is now two. Address: 60 Commonwealth Road, Watertown, Mass.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Whitaker (Harriet Randall), a daughter, Andrea, Nov. 19. Address: American Consulate, Havana, Cuba.

1935—To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin A. Watts, Jr. (Carolyn Troy), a daughter, Bethany, on Dec. 13. Address: 70 Shannon Ave., Athens, Ohio.

1936—To Mr. and Mrs. N. Eugene Reinfeld (Elizabeth Coon), a daughter, Judith Jean, in November. Address: 7805 Delmar Blvd., St. Louis, Mo.

1938—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. White, Jr. (Mildred De Pasquale), a son, Charles J. White, III, Dec. 10. Address: 34 Rosewood Ave., South Attleboro.

1940—To Mr. and Mrs. William Bacon (Natalie Chase), a son, Oct. 14. Address: 302 Benefit St., Providence.

### *Deaths*

FLORENCE WARD GREENE PRYOR '04, wife of J. Donald Pryor '08, died Jan. 13 of a heart attack. She was born in Narragansett and was the daughter of Nathanael R. Greene and Ellen L. Wilson Greene, and through her father was descended from John Greene, one of the original settlers of Warwick. She studied at Brown for two years and was a member of Delta Sigma sorority. In 1903 she was sworn in as a court stenographer, later working for various judges.

Mrs. Pryor always maintained her residence in Narragansett, of which she considered herself a life-long resident, although she lived for several years during her service with the courts at 10 Hopkins Street, a building which was torn down to make way for the new Providence County Courthouse. In addition to her husband, Mrs. Pryor is survived by a sister in New York. The sympathy of the alumnae is extended to both.

CLAIRE V. WHITING '05, head of the department of modern languages at Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill., died in November. She was the daughter of Alvarado and Mary Frances Whiting and was born in Providence. She prepared for College at English High School and entered with the Class of 1905. After two years she transferred to the John B. Stetson College in Florida because of ill health and completed her studies there. Her classmates remember her as a rather delicate but jolly person, well liked by everyone. When the popular song "Sweet Rosy O'Grady" was at its height she made a French translation of it which the students sang with gusto and recall with delight. The sympathy of the alumnae is extended to her brother, William N. Whiting, her only survivor.

ANNIE L. LANEY '32, poet and teacher, died Dec. 26. She was the daughter of the late James and Sarah Laney and was born in Norton, Mass. She lived the greater part of her life in Providence, moving to Pawtucket in 1932. The Providence *Evening Bulletin* said of her:

"A lifetime dedicated to the education of the very young and to the spreading of happiness through the medium of poetry ended with the death of Miss Laney, for 35 years a first-grade teacher in the Pawtucket schools and long prominent in Rhode Island literary circles. Though qualified through the pursuit of studies at Brown and Harvard to teach the highest grades, Miss Laney had decided at the outset of her teaching career that the first grade of school was the most important, a conviction she had clung to throughout her life." . . .

Long a lover of poetry, Miss Laney was a frequent contributor to the literary pages of the *Providence Journal* and *Evening Bulletin* and was the secretary of the Short Story Club of Rhode Island at the time of her death. One of her most recent poems, next to the last to be written before she was stricken, was dedicated to the memory of Professor James F. Collins of Brown. Her last poem, "Carol for Christmas," was written shortly afterwards. The funeral services consisted entirely of the reading of poems which Miss Laney regarded most highly among her works.

Miss Laney graduated from the old Rhode Island Normal School and except for a brief period spent her entire teaching career in Fairlawn. She received the B.E. degree from Brown in 1928 and the A.B. degree in 1934 as of 1932. Just a few days before she died she entertained her pupils at their annual Christmas party.

Miss Laney is survived by a sister and a brother, who have our deep sympathy.

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Do you realize the value of a smile when telephoning? It helps a lot. Of course, the other person can't see you but the smile is there just the same. It's in your voice. And it reflects a friendly, cordial personality.

In times like these, "The Voice with a Smile" is especially important and worth while. It is a characteristic of the American people. And one of the fine traditions of the Bell telephone business.

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