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QUADRANGLE NEIGHBORHOOD: The University, now owning each side of Benevolent St. between Brown and Thayer, has petitioned the City for permission to close the block indicated by the arrows and dotted line. School Committee decision to abandon the old Thayer St. School (upper right, facing the Brown Intramural Field) may also assist University hopes. We are looking east in the photo; Slater and Rhode Island Halls appear in the lower lefthand corner; lefthand street is George. Between it and Benevolent, several buildings at the top of the picture have now been razed in clearing the Refectory site. Air view was photographed a few years ago by the late Lt. (jg) Thomas M. J. Boyle '39.

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THE COVER PHOTO: One of the pleasures of entering the Brown campus comes from the gates through which you pass. One of the finest is the Goddard Gate, giving access from George St. Bruce Bigelow's photo looks north.

In the Month's Mail

Hosanna, But —

▶▶ SIR: Compliments, praise and hosannas!

The current issue of the *Alumni Monthly* (April) is the best I have ever read. Whoever wrote the story about the Pledge Night riot deserves a lot of credit for a skillful, workmanlike, and highly informative reporting job. I also particularly liked the comments from the undergraduate publication. Why can't each issue have a little reflection of undergraduate opinion?

Don't cut out the sports reporting. Nobody would ask that. But give us more issues like the last one, which offer a well-rounded picture of what is going on in Brown. I realize only too well what you are up against in the matter of costs and want to say that you are doing a swell job.

C. B. FARABE '48
President and Publisher, Printers' Ink

Stet. or Else —

▶ SIR: While your health and beauty are still unimpaired, while yet you are in one piece, before the "Lug" in Chicago gets to you, and long before you face-to-face us lumberjack lugs, I merely warn you: Just start to alter the *Brown Alumni Monthly*. Just make one simple bum move in that direction and just even twist your nose or mouth that way. Just appease the High Brows and see what happens to you from us lugs.

"LUMBERJACK LUG"
Whitchall, Wis.

Reporting and Redolence

▶ This time I come to praise, and neither faintly nor fulsomely, but very sincerely. For many years past I have been an interested reader of the *Brown Alumni Monthly*, and I have of late watched with some satisfaction what I feel is its marked improvement. This trend seems to me to have reached some sort of pinnacle in the April Issue, and I want to commend some one for that achievement.

The anonymous account of the recent fraternity troubles was one of the most objective, thorough and lucid examples
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► ► Commencement Index: 42 Reunions

BULLETIN: *The former Secretary of War, Robert P. Patterson, will be the principal speaker in Sayles Hall, June 20. He is certain to attract a large audience for Brown's general Commencement Meeting that afternoon.*

► ► LAST YEAR there were 33 Class Reunions during the Commencement period, a total regarded as a record. This year, according to an early estimate, there will be 42.

The fact gives you a yardstick of alumni interest in Brown University's 181st annual Commencement. That is activity at the Class level, but the over-all inducement is also great in a general program enhanced by tradition, names of the notable, and overtones of sentiment. For the fourth year in a row, the All-Alumni Dinner offers a major attraction for everyone, ushering in Commencement with its "reunion of reunions" in Andrews Hall on Friday night, June 17. The weekend ends on Monday, June 20, after graduation and the Commencement Luncheon, with the general Commencement Meeting in Sayles Hall. In between, agreeably dictated by custom, come the festivities of Class Day and Class Night, the Baccalaureate Service, Graduate School Convocation, and other gatherings large and small, official and casual. The formula is familiar; the only reportorial necessity is in detail.

One major uncertainty appeared on the program, in addition to the earnest hope for benevolent weather. It was in connection with the Sayles Hall Meeting, where Dr. Philip C. Jessup had been announced as a speaker. The first Ambassador-at-Large would have been eagerly heard, even without the headlines on the May hopes in Berlin, which his efforts raised. However, the meetings in Europe which commanded his presence also made unlikely his ability to come to Providence.

DORMITORY-BASED REUNIONS

► FOR EXPLICIT DETAILS about the reunion plans of each Brown Class, we refer you elsewhere in this issue to a general summary and to the individual instructions which appear with the Class notes in our monthly department "Brunonians Far and Near." It might be noted, however, that interest in a campus-based reunion continues, and the Class of 1924 has found to its liking 1923's experience last year at its 25th reunion, reserving Hegeman Hall for its headquarters. The University is also arranging accommodation for individuals who wish to spend one or more nights in a Brown dormitory. (Details elsewhere.)

As always the alumni are invited to attend most of the events of the weekend on College Hill. And there is no happier experience than the march down to the Meeting House on Commencement Day. The Chief Marshal this year will be the Presiding Justice of the Rhode Island Superior Court, Charles A. Walsh, a member of the 50-year Class. A new Chief of Staff, Brenton G. Smith '11, has taken over duties this year in connection with the procession.

Eligible for degrees this June are 919 Seniors, including 704 men and 215 women. Of the total, 158 men completed requirements for their diplomas in September, 149 more in February. Many of these will return for the Commencement observance, since there were no formal exercises at the end of the other terms. Probably 750 will wear their Senior caps and gowns for the June procession and take their diplomas in person.

As has been the case in the last two years, there is provision for a graduation ceremony divided between the First Baptist Meeting House and the College Green. One more Class is so large that its members must receive their degrees in the open air if they are to have the throng of witnesses to which they are entitled. There would not be room in the old Meeting House for each Senior to have one guest each, and today one man in four has a wife as well as parents. Pride likes to look on.

And so, the compromise that proved so happy in 1947 and 1948, a compromise between the ritual of history and the exigencies of the situation, will again be invoked. As many of the old forms will be observed as possible. The procession, under the protection of the High Sheriff and attended by the known cadences of the Commencement March, will form as usual on College Hill. The alumni will precede the Seniors down to the Church, and the Seniors will enter. (To the limit of capacity in the balcony, the alumni may follow to hear the Senior orations. These are by David N. Barus '49, Rhodes Scholar-elect and Editor of the *Brown Daily Herald*, of famous Brunonian lineage; and Harold R. Shippee, Jr., another able spokesman.) In the Church will be the brief formal-

FURBER MARSHALL:

Midwest manufacturer, Rose Bowl alumnus, and Brown enthusiast will share speaking honors at June 17's Alumni Dinner with President Wriston.



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ties which are preliminary to the actual receipt of the diploma. Throughout, the voices and music will be carried to the College Green, where the principal audience awaits the return of the Seniors.

The procession, wending and winding its way back to the College Green, will lead to the second half of the proceedings there. With venerable and gracious U.H. as the background, President Wriston will there award them baccalaureate diplomas and confer the honorary degrees. There, where each Senior may have four guests in the reserved section, several thousand watched last year and the year before. As we have said annually, "Pray, oh pray, for a lovely day."

THE "REUNION OF REUNIONS"

► WE HAVE SPOKEN AT LENGTH in other issues about the All-Alumni Dinner in Andrews Hall, and there is no purpose in elaboration. The early response indicated a capacity crowd of men from both anniversary Classes and off-year ones as well. This year the annual meeting of the Associated Alumni will be combined with this dinner, rather than impinge upon the Sayles Hall gathering for even brief business which is, after all, however important, a family matter for Brunonians.

Speakers at the "Reunion of Reunion" will be Furber Marshall '19 and President Wriston, with J. Harold Williams '18 as toastmaster. President Smith of the Associated Alumni will present Brown Bear awards, announce election results, and turn over the cane of office to his successor. The half-hour preliminary on the terrace of Andrews Hall makes a fine occasion for seeing your friends. This starts at 6, the dinner at 6:30.

Class Night amenities come that same night, Friday, June 17. The extent of the Seniors' invitation to the alumni is described elsewhere, but it is an agreeable habit for alumni to continue on from the dinner to the campus for the promenade and dance. The presence of several reunion Classes in the College dorms that night is apt to swell the attendance of alumni on Class Night, too.

For the Class of 1949 (and note, please, that we're back on an academic schedule where the numeral is once more credible and chronistic) the Commencement weekend gets under way Thursday night, June 16. That's the night of the Senior Dinner, exams having finished the previous day. On the 17th the "Under the Elms" Exercises will be held on the College Green at 4. The Senior President, H. Calvin Coolidge '49, will make the welcoming address; the Class Historian will be William A. Taylor '49; the Class Orator Theodore J. Holmgren '49; the Poet Mark Spilka '49. President Wriston will be the climactic speaker. Alumni are invited, cordially, to the exercises and to the Deans' Reception at their conclusion.

COMMENCEMENT LUNCH RESCHEDULED

► IN REVIVING the Commencement buffet luncheon, the University this year invites all alumni and friends of Brown to attend. Service will be provided from the Temporary Dining Hall ("Flat-Top") on the Lower Campus in the rear of Sayles Hall, and it is the hope to enjoy the meal outdoors. Tickets, covering the entire lunch, are to cost \$1.25. For the Corporation members and their wives and the invited guests, luncheon will be served at the President's House, 55 Power St. (Incidentally, the Corporation will meet Saturday morning, June 18, in Sayles Hall.)

The ringing of the bell on U. H. will be the signal for the assembly in Sayles Hall, the general Commencement meeting at 2. Dean Kenneth C. Johnson '19 of the New York School of Social Work will be the presiding officer.



RT. REV. RICHARD S. M. EMRICH '32, Episcopal Bishop of Michigan, will return to College Hill to give the sermon at the Baccalaureate Service Sunday, June 19.

Greetings from the State will be brought by Lieutenant Governor John S. McKiernan, from the Associated Alumni by the new President, William W. Browne '08. President Wriston will announce and acknowledge the year's gifts to the University. As noted earlier, the first announcement that Ambassador Jessup would be the principal speaker must now be subjected to doubt.

The 1949 Baccalaureate Sermon will be given by the Rt. Rev. Dr. Richard S. M. Emrich '32, Episcopal Bishop of Michigan. As usual, the Seniors will assemble on the campus and march to the first Baptist Meeting House, where the service will start at 3 on Sunday, the 19th. Immediately after the service, presumably about 4:15, the President and Mrs. Wriston will receive the graduating Class, their families, alumni, and all friends of the University. As was the pleasant experience last year, the reception will be held at the President's House, 55 Power St. A year ago the garden was at its height for this occasion.

Events at Pembroke have their focus for the alumnae on Saturday, June 18, with the Annual Meeting of the Alumnae Association in the Crystal Room of Alumnae Hall at 10, Class luncheons at 12:30, Garden Party at 4, and the Alumnae Reunion Dinner in Andrews Hall at 7. At the dinner the speaker will be the former Undersecretary of the Navy for Air, John Nicholas Brown, Fellow of the University. Pembroke Seniors have their Class Dinner on June 15, their Ivy Night Dance in Alumnae Hall on June 16.

THE GRADUATE SCHOOL CONVOCATION

► DR. W. ALBERT NOYES, JR., Chairman of the Department of Chemistry at the University of Rochester and former professor at Brown, will be the speaker at the Saturday afternoon Convocation of the Graduate School. His topic: "The Place of the Scholar in International Affairs." Advanced degrees will be awarded at this Convocation in Sayles Hall at 2:30, being preceded by an academic procession of Corporation, Faculty, and the candidates. The general public is welcome to attend if there are vacant seats after the procession has entered. Ticket-holders, of course will have been seated earlier. (Tickets are obtainable on request at the Office of the Graduate School in University Hall.) Following the Convocation, the Graduate School will honor the recipients and their guests at tea in the John Carter Brown Library.

Phi Beta Kappa events at Commencement are once again consolidated on Saturday. The Rhode Island Alpha will hold its annual meeting at 10:30 a.m. in the Faunce House Theatre Lounge, also initiating its newly-elected members there an hour later. Alumni members are invited to the ceremony as well as to the luncheon to the initiates in the Pine Room of Faunce House at 12:15. Reservations at \$1.50 should be made with the Secretary before June 16.

All visiting alumni are requested to register at Alumni House, 17 Benevolent St. (corner of Brown and Benevolent, just one block south of the campus). Full information on Class activities and other Commencement events will be available there, and also at the Room Registry Desk in Faunce House, where those rooming on campus must confirm their reservations. The Alumni Office will be open from 9 a.m. to 5 each day of the Commencement period, including Saturday and Sunday. The University Club, offering its customary Commencement hospitality at 219 Benefit St., announces "open house" privileges for the weekend.

Last Call

FOR THE REUNION OF REUNIONS

The All-Alumni Dinner

FRIDAY, JUNE 17

We will try to accommodate you if you act at once in sending your check (tickets are \$3. each) made payable to Raymond H. Abbott, Treasurer, to him at P. O. Box 1436, 50 South Main St., Providence, R. I. (Attendance at the dinner in Andrews Hall is limited to 600.)

Name _____

Address _____

Class _____

Number of tickets _____

Meat _____

Fish _____

(check preference)

► Class Night Beckons

►► REMEMBER YOUR CLASS NIGHT? It's still a very special kind of evening, and from the Senior Class comes cordial assurance that Brown alumni and their wives and friends have an invitation to share in the dance and promenade Friday evening, June 17. (Many alumni move down to the College Green after attending the Alumni Dinner that night.)

The dance will continue from 10 to 2, with all the traditional features, including the sentimental moment of the Senior Sing on the steps of Sayles at midnight. Music will be provided by an old favorite of Class Night dancers, Ed Drew '30 and his orchestras. In addition to the popular hits of the present and past, he knows the repertory of Brown's own songs and Brownbroker favorites. The outdoor dance will have a slightly new location this year, in order to improve the quality of the floor, but it will have all the familiar charm of setting and association under the elms between University Hall and Sayles. Japanese lanterns are to be a part of the illumination. Sayles Hall will be the scene of the indoor dance.

Reunion Chairmen are asked by the Senior Committee to make early reservation for the tables which will serve as the gathering-place for their classmates, and this accommodation is available to any Brown group. The tables, which will surround the dance floor, are to be of two types: the round tables which seat 10 persons may be procured for \$5.00; a more ample arrangement, a "U" for 30, is priced at \$12.00. Ushers will guide the groups to their tables and assist in general. Concessions will be accessible for those who wish the supplement of popcorn, pretzels, potato chips, soft drinks, and general refreshment aid. Tables with free punch will be conveniently located. To reserve tables, write or phone the Office of Student Activities, University Hall.

You will save money by buying your ticket to the Class Night Dance now. To purchasers in advance, the ticket costs \$3.60 per couple. At the gate the night of the dance, the price will be \$4.80 per couple. Only to alumni back for reunion, will stag tickets be sold, at \$2.40 each. In view of possible limitations on the size of the dance, early reservation insures admission.

As usual, the John Carter Brown Library will observe "open house."

Bryant Becomes Non-Profit College

► THE RHODE ISLAND GENERAL ASSEMBLY, passing the Bryant College bill at its recent session, has authorized the transfer of this privately-owned enterprise to the control of a board of trustees. The bill, as signed by Governor Pastore, further provides that the trustees are empowered on Jan. 2, 1960 to offer the property to Brown University. The tender, which might be made earlier in the event of the death of Bryant's President and proprietor, Dr. Harry Loeb Jacobs, is conditional upon Brown's undertaking to operate Bryant College of Business Administration as an integral part of the University.

The original bill was amended in order to answer objections of the Providence City officers that it would exempt Bryant College from taxation on real estate and tangible property during the period when the board of trustees should control it. However, should Brown accept its eventual tender, the property would be tax exempt under the terms of the Brown Charter.

Hospitality on the Hill ◀

▶▶ MORE AND MORE ALUMNI each June take advantage of the University's new ability to provide overnight accommodation in its dormitories at Commencement time to individuals and Classes. And each June, on the basis of accumulated experience, the technique of the University's welcome improves.

If you would like a room on campus between June 17 and June 20, here are instructions: Where possible, please give advance notice of your requirements to the Office of Student Housing, Brown University. Upon arrival, you will find a registration center established in the Trophy Room of Faunce House, at the news counter on the first floor. Apply there to have your reservations confirmed, rooms assigned, and keys issued. The desk will be staffed on Friday, Saturday, and Sunday of Commencement weekend from 8 in the morning until midnight, and on Monday from 8 a.m. as long as the need is apparent. (After midnight, keys will be available from the watchman in Sayles Hall.) On Friday, the night of the campus dance, use the west entrance of Faunce House.

The charge for dormitory accommodation is \$2.00 a night per person, which includes bedding, soap, and towel. A limited amount of parking will be provided. Inquire at the Registry Desk.

For wives, children, and couples there will be housing available in Sharpe House on Angell St., near Brown St. Again, reservations should be made in advance where possible, but late applications may be made at the general reservation desk in Faunce House. Rooms may be occupied from noon on Friday, June 17, and must be vacated before 5 p.m. Monday, June 20.

All arrangements of this sort for the weekend are under the direction of William N. Davis, Director of Student Housing and Dining Rooms. He and Nelson B. Jones, Manager of Faunce House, have prepared a little leaflet describing the "service with a smile" which is to be available to those on campus at Commencement. The leaflets will be distributed to class officers, reunion chairmen, Seniors, and alumni in general at the reservation center.

Breakfast, lunch, and dinner will be served in the Faunce House Cafeteria over the weekend, while the Faunce House Blue Room will be open at stated hours for lunch and in-between meal snacks and general fountain service.

The University telephone switchboard will maintain a file of all campus registrants so that calls may be referred to the proper dormitory phones or messages delivered. The watchman can be reached after midnight through the same switchboard, in case of emergency. Western Union service is also available.

In Faunce House, the University Book Store will be open for generous hours over the weekend for those who wish books or Brown souvenirs or other items (including the album of "Music at Brown"). The barber shop in Faunce House will also be at your service, while newspapers, magazines, tobacco, and candy will be found at the news counter. Faunce House offers other recreational facilities—radio, television, playing-cards and tables, ping pong, etc. Travel information is handy, and taxi service, for the departing.

Says the leaflet blithely, "If you're looking for something—a lost umbrella, a misplaced coat, or an old

friend, we can probably help you. It's easy to locate your friends through the Room Registry desk, and there also you may procure information about Class Reunions. For the absent minded, a lost-and-found service is maintained."

In other words, the University says "You're welcome" long before you say "Thank you." ▶

Want to Make a Campus Tour?

▶ HOW LONG SINCE you've been back on the Brown campus? This June when you're on the Hill would you like to have someone show you what's new?

A short, informal tour of the campus has been set up for Saturday morning, June 18, leaving the Terrace of Faunce House at 10:30. It will cover a few selected high spots, under the guidance of J. Deming Bacon '43, Assistant Manager of Faunce House.

The itinerary will be flexible enough to accommodate the desires of those who are interested, but Mr. Bacon suggests that the tour should include Faunce House, University Hall, the famous mice of the Biology Department, Whitehall, the site of the Quadrangle and Refectory, Infirmary, Annmary Brown Memorial, John Carter Brown Library, and John Hay. No advance registration nor tickets are needed. It is expected that the ramble will take an hour.

It is not possible to have all campus buildings open throughout the Commencement period. Here, however, is an arrangement when access is assured, as well as guidance and company. We believe you'll enjoy seeing some of the changes you've been reading about. ▶

1949 Commencement Highlights

Friday, June 17

4:00 p.m. "Under the Elms" Exercises, College Green. Evening Reception for the Deans follows immediately.

6:00 p.m. Alumni Reception, Terrace of Andrews Hall.

6:30 p.m. Annual Alumni Dinner and Meeting of the Associated Alumni, Andrews Hall.

9:00 p.m. Class Night Dance and Promenade, College Green and Sayles Hall. Senior Sing at Midnight.

9:00 to 11:00: Open House at the John Carter Brown Library.

Saturday, June 18

9:30 a.m. Corporation Meeting, University Hall.

10:30 a.m. Conducted tour of campus, leaving from Faunce House Terrace.

10:30 a.m. Annual Meeting of the Rhode Island Alpha of Phi Beta Kappa, followed by initiation of newly elected members, Faunce House Theatre Lounge. Phi Beta Kappa Luncheon at 12:15, Pine Room.

2:30 p.m. Graduate School Convocation, Sayles Hall, followed by tea in the John Carter Brown Library.

Sunday, June 19

3:00 p.m. Baccalaureate Service, First Baptist Meeting House.

4:15 p.m. President's Reception, 55 Power St.

Monday, June 20

8:45 a.m. Procession forms on the College Green.

10:00 a.m. Exercises of the 181st Annual Commencement, First Baptist Meeting House and the College Green.

12:30 p.m. Commencement Buffet Luncheon, Lower Campus.

2:00 p.m. General Commencement Meeting, Sayles Hall.

Johnson to New York ◀

▶▶ KENNETH D. JOHNSON '19 has resigned from his post as General Counsel for the War Resources Board to take up new duties shortly as Dean of the New York School of Social Work, oldest and largest professional school of its kind in the United States. His appointment was announced by President Dwight D. Eisenhower of Columbia, who is also President of the School.

Mr. Johnson will return to Brown for his 30th reunion this June and will be presiding officer at the General Commencement Meeting in Sayles Hall on the 20th. His experience includes eight years as a District Court Judge in Massachusetts, a combat veteran of World War I, and a Colonel in World War II who was for a time legal advisor to the American Military Government in Germany.

During his duties overseas in the past war, Col. Johnson was in charge of programs dealing with price control, rationing, imports and exports, internal trade, and decartelization. He served on a number of committees of the Allied Council here and abroad. In August, 1946, he became a civilian member of the War Department and was assigned to the Civil Affairs Division of the Special Staff as a foreign affairs analyst. He was engaged in international law research involving problems in connection with the drafting of the Japanese Constitution. He also headed a committee appointed to draft a new directive from the Joint Chiefs of Staff to the Commanding General of our occupation forces in Germany. He received the Legion of Merit while with the Office of the Chief Signal Officer and the Industrial Personnel Division, Headquarters, American Army Service Forces.

One of his pleasantest duties earlier in the war came when he represented the Army in presenting one of its three "E" awards to President Donald Millar '19, of Greenfield Tap and Dye Corp. They had served in the field artillery together in the First World War.

▶ HE BECAME SPECIAL ASSISTANT to the Secretary of War in December, 1946, and served as an alternate member of the special commission appointed by President Truman to study the Federal Employee Loyalty Program. He was put in charge, too, of all matters dealing with pardons, paroles, disciplinary barracks, court martial, and correction of military records. When the National Security Act of 1947 set up the National Security Resources Board, he left the War Department to become its General Counsel.

Mr. Johnson's appointment to the New York School of Social Work comes as the 50-year-old institution is completing plans to move into the 66-room mansion once occupied by Andrew Carnegie at 2 East 91st St.

After graduation from Harvard Law School in 1924, with honors in International Law, Mr. Johnson practiced in Boston. In 1930 he was appointed Judge of the District Court in Quincy and conducted about 4000 Juvenile Court cases in addition to his regular criminal and civil sessions, thus reinforcing his interest in juvenile delinquency, probation, prison reform, and related subjects. He resigned from the bench in 1938 to give full time to law practice. He was Regional Director of the National Probation Association; President of the Massachusetts Conference of Social Work; President of the Habit Clinic for Child Guidance; and Trustee of the John Howard Society. He was active in alumni affairs, serving as President of the Boston Brown Club.



DEAN KENNETH D. JOHNSON '19, who presides at the general commencement meeting in Sayles Hall at Brown June 20 while back for his 30th reunion.

Of his new work, he has said, "We must cope with the problems of making our vaunted scientific approach applicable to the study of human behavior. To aid this adjustment, on an individual and group basis, is the role of the social worker."

A speaker at many Brown gatherings in the past, he will make an excellent presiding officer in Sayles Hall June 20. ◀

Fraternities Postpone Rushing

▶ FRATERNITIES AT BROWN will not rush Freshmen next year until College reopens after the Easter vacation in the spring, and the pledges will not be initiated until the following fall. Such was the decision of the Interfraternity Governing Board made up of student representatives of all 17 Greek societies with chapters at Brown.

The I.G.B. decision followed some consideration of a proposal to defer all rushing until the start of a man's Sophomore year, but it was felt that the summer holidays presented too many complications. The group felt the same service will be performed if the Freshman gets a full orientation and is not rushed until toward the end of his first year. The minimum for fraternity membership will be a scholastic average of 1.75 maintained for two semesters.

Thus did the I.G.B. respond to the friendly criticism of alumni and parents, who urged the fraternities to leave Freshmen alone until they were "squared away" in College. The step is a further intellectual reform, going beyond the other voluntary step which set the average of a semester at 1.75 as a prerequisite for pledging. ◀

Commencement Objective: 4½ Million ◀ ◀

▶▶ THE FIRST MILLION DOLLARS contributed in the second phase of the Brown Housing and Development Campaign boosted the total over \$4,000,000 May 7 and spurred the workers and contributors afresh in their efforts to provide another half-million before Commencement.

The Student Housing Board under Arthur D. Homer '16, giving one last cold, hard look at final plans before authorizing the start of construction, had good news earlier, too. They learned that the University had been able to acquire the last missing bit of property in the two blocks facing each other on Benevolent St. between Brown and Thayer. Straightway the University petitioned the City of Providence for the privilege of closing Benevolent St. at that point in order to make it possible to consolidate the building plans into a single quadrangle, self-contained, self-enclosed. Its advantages to the University are many and obvious. The Providence City Council has ordered a public hearing on June 2, following approval given to the petition by the City Plan Commission. Such public hearing is required by law whenever abandonment of a street or section of a street is under consideration.

Property around that section of Benevolent St. has been bought by Brown, except for a few parcels, between 1922 and this year. Most of the buildings in the two-block area bounded by George, Thayer, Charles Field, and Brown Sts. would be razed or re-located. Those on Thayer St. between George and Benevolent, and several on lower Benevolent St. have already been demolished, including the shops which once housed the Brown Bear Shop and the Savoy Market.

Another possibility in this area appeared when the Providence School Committee voted to abandon the old Thayer St. School at the corner of Charles Field and Thayer across from the Brown intramural athletic field. It is said to be the key to a three-way transaction in which the City would give the 83-year-old school property to Brown University in return for a parcel of land on which to build a fire house, on Power St., immediately east of Brook St. Ames House, a frame dormitory (converted from a residence) is on the site of this land. A further aspect of the proposal is that Brown should buy school busses which would be operated daily to transport the children, lately taught at Thayer St. School, to such a school as Nathan Bishop, the Junior High School across from the Brown stadium.

▶ BROWN UNIVERSITY ALUMNI may earmark their contributions to the Housing and Development Fund for a memorial building to the late Col. G. Edward Buxton '02, who was the first National Campaign Chairman. The proposal was made by H. Stanford McLeod '16 in launching the second phase of the Campaign in Rhode Island. He said many Brown men had expressed a desire for such a memorial because of Col. Buxton's close and loyal identification with the University over the years.

"The building of Buxton Hall would be a magnificent gesture of appreciation to one who gave himself tirelessly to the service of his Alma Mater, though at the same time actively engaged in many other enterprises," Col. McLeod said. "Though he is best known to Rhode Islanders, among whom he was so long a leader, the Colonel had a national reputation both in the two World

Wars and more recently as National Chairman of the Housing and Development Campaign during its initial drive in 1947 and 1948. He was also instrumental in 1919 and 1920 in the University's drive for \$3,000,000 additional endowment. We feel that there will be many who will want to contribute to his memorial." It would probably be a dormitory in the Quadrangle, a \$150,000 unit.

The second phase of the Campaign, conducted on a regional basis in several areas since last fall, has now brought the drive two-thirds of the way toward its \$6,000,000 goal. This would supplemented by borrowing of \$3,000,000. The Quadrangle, to be built as a residential community at a cost of more than \$5,000,000, will include 16 dormitories, as well as housing in separate and appropriately-equipped units the University's 17 fraternities.

▶ ALUMNI IN CONNECTICUT have been solicited already, National Chairman Claude R. Branch '07 pointed out in May. Similar drives are at their height in New York, northern New Jersey, Massachusetts, and Rhode Island. He reported that the campaign tempo had picked up in heartening fashion.

"In Rhode Island alone the campaign story is being told by more than 600 active workers, and elsewhere in corresponding numbers. Many more alumni are giving than gave two years ago, and thus far in the early stages of this second phase they are giving more than before. At this four-million-dollar mark, a major milestone has been passed, and it is our hope by Commencement we will have raised four and a half million."

If this intermediate goal is achieved this month, Mr. Branch noted, it would mean that only another \$1,500,000 would be required to complete its objective. Of this sum, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., '97 has promised a gift of stock worth between \$300,000 and \$400,000, conditional upon raising about \$1,400,000 more than was in hand May 1.

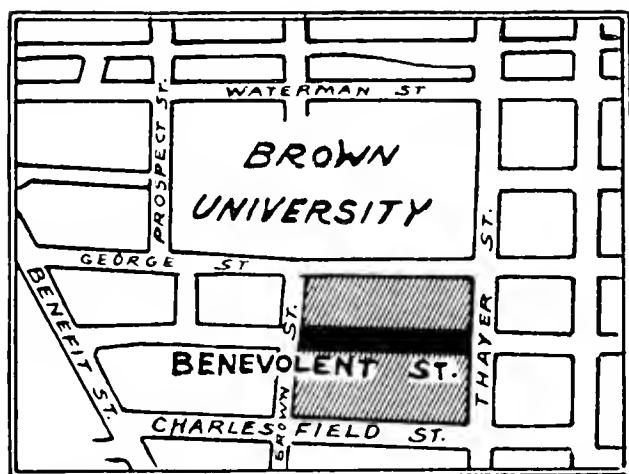
Col. McLeod, speaking as Rhode Island Regional Chairman, reported returns there had been gratifying in



H. S. McLEOD:

Regional chairman in Rhode Island for the second phase of the Housing and Development drive. His report, too, was heartening.





KEY TO THE "FOURTH BROWN" is found in the shaded area on this map. The Quadrangle will occupy most (not all) of the two blocks on each side of Benevolent St. between Brown and Thayer. Should the City of Providence allow the University to close the section of Benevolent St. shown in solid black, the consolidating of construction in a single quadrangle would be made possible — with all its dramatic advantages.

the first three weeks of activity. "Most Brown men," he said, "realize that the deficit in adequate housing at the University calls for immediate attention if Brown, which is in the top bracket in other respects, is to continue to attract the high-grade young men of this country." In late April, he said, "I witnessed one of the most inspirational meetings I have attended in years: One hundred and twenty men of the 1940 decade attended an organization meeting and dinner at Faunce House . . . The enthusiasm with which this group of men entered on the job of assigning cards and getting started on our cam-

paign augurs well for its success. What is most encouraging is the fact that every decade group has shown a businesslike determination to complete the job successfully in a short intensive period. Bob Loosley, Secretary of the University and executive of many large campaigns, made the statement recently that he had never seen a campaign get rolling so early."

► The early trends seemed to be holding—that was one of the remarkable things about this Brown campaign. The first 1000 contributors had given twice as much as they gave in the first round, and twice as many were giving as did before. Now in New York City, Dr. William W. Browne '08 told State Chairman C. Douglas Mercer '06 that 60% of the alumni reported were giving in the second phase. With only one-third of the returns in, the dollar total was within \$5000 of the amount raised the first time. In Massachusetts, outside of Boston and special gift prospects, 65% were reported giving. Two hundred fifty men who gave \$8000 the first time had increased their gifts to \$15,250. The North Shore District in the Bay State had more than doubled the number of contributors and raised nearly five times as much money, according to Elmer Wright. In the Merrimac Valley Paul Spencer told a Brown Club gathering that the money was about treble that of the first phase. Reports in North-eastern New York at an Albany meeting showed community after community bettering previous records by big margins.

Commencement will have a fine story to tell if the Campaign work and response hold up. ◀

Vice-Presidency for Hart

► HENRY J. HART '02, heretofore General Counsel of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad Company, was named Vice-President and General Counsel at the April 19 meeting of the Board of Directors. He has served the road since 1916 as counsel, as well as the Northern Telegraph Co. and affiliated corporations. ◀

Your Report on Sport ◀ ◀

Better Days in Baseball

►► BROWN UNIVERSITY, cellar-dwellers of the Eastern Intercollegiate League last year and doormat of college baseball for several seasons, has earned itself some old-time support this spring by its vastly improved play. It has won some good games, including three with League rivals in one four-day period, and is playing smarter, scrappier, steadier ball than we have seen in a long while at Aldrich Field.

One indication of a new spirit on the diamond was the size of Coach Lefty Lefebvre's squad, which he had to cut from 80 to 37 men before the spring vacation (on the basis of very little outdoor work, incidentally). His work with the pitchers was especially rewarding, but the infield, too, tightened up markedly. There was some improvement at the plate, but Brown continues to be a light-hitting club.

Four pitchers all saw duty in the first half of the schedule: John McClain, a Senior, once of Pingry; Norm Ebenstein, a Junior who prepped at Exeter; and Sophomore ace Bill Hayes from Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, who toiled well for Lefebvre last year as a Freshman and has this year allowed only 23 hits in 34 innings; and Giles Powell, too, steadier this year. Behind the bat Captain George Menard

is having his best year, hitting safely in the first eight games and handling his hurlers well. Ben Patrick, a Junior, originally from Worcester Classical, occasionally spells him but has seen more outfield duty because his hitting keeps him a candidate for the lineup.

The infield has been shuffled repeatedly in order to give each man a chance to show himself in competition. Jack Thompson, a Hillhouse Sophomore, hits the longest ball on the team and clinched first except for one game when Ivan Spangenberg, another Sophomore Nutmegger, took over. Gauthier, a Sophomore from Middleboro, Mass., had the call on second in the early games, but Joel Kern, last year's regular keystone, fought his way back into the lineup later. Gauthier has seen service at short as well, although Scott and Flanders have also played a good bit—they're both Sophomores, too. Wasseth, a letterman from last year, has a consistent challenge at third from Dick Burfeind, a Sophomore from Pleasantville, N. Y.

Harvey Lapidès, a Junior from New Haven's Hillhouse, has had center-field to himself all year, but the other spots have been shared by two Sophomores, Schulz from Wilbraham and Norm Bendroth from Andover's Punchard High, and two vet-

erans Chuck Nelson and Patrick. Powell has had a turn in the gardens, too.

► WESLEYAN, with a Southern trip and seven games under its belt, spoiled the Bear's debut when Paul Francis set Brown down with only four hits, two of them by Gauthier, who singled and homered. McClain was nearly as stingy, allowing five bingles, but two of his seven walks led to runs. The Bruin redhead allowed no hits in the first five innings, setting the Cardinals down in order except in the fourth when he walked three batsmen. (They were stranded by fine fielding.) Gauthier's homer gave Brown the lead in the fifth, but Wesleyan tied it up on a double-steal with two out. Then the Middletownies went ahead in the seventh on a walk, a single, and an infield bobbie. Two singles, a stolen base, and two fielders' choices added two more in the ninth. In the ninth Schulz of Brown went to third when his long fly was dropped and scored on a force play. An oddity of the game was a penalty on Brown for not following its batting order.

At Kingston, the game with State went 12 innings and Rhody won 7-6 on a neatly executed bunt. Brown took an early lead with a five-run assault in the second, but State's second pitcher, who had intended resting a sore arm, allowed only four hits in his 10-inning relief stint. Rhode Island

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kept whittling down the Bruins' lead and tied the game with a squeeze play in the ninth.

Powell pitched himself in and out of trouble all afternoon against Arnold, while his teammates made their hits count in the 9-1 victory. Menard had a triple, a double, and three runs batted in four AB's. Scott and Powell each had a double and a single.

The first League start was against Harvard at Cambridge, and it was not a bad duel for seven innings. Two costly errors let the Crimson take a 3-1 lead in the first stanza. Brown tied it up in the fifth, only to lose the lead again, and three runs on McClain's wildness in the eighth just rubbed it in before the game was called because of rain. Each team managed only six hits, two for Brown's Gauthier (a triple and a single), but Godin's steadiness earned him the 8-3 victory. He has not lost an Ivy League start in two years, and earlier this year beat Navy in 17 innings.

► THERE WERE A DOZEN thrills in the 14-inning triumph over Columbia in the second League game. Hayes, after allowing a run in the first inning on a walk, a sacrifice, and a single, settled down and pitched brilliantly thereafter. But his teammates, while backing him well afield, were shut out at the plate by Columbia's Swanson until two were out in the ninth, when Thompson singled home Menard. Again, Brown had to knot the count in the 12th. An error, a sacrifice, and a single by Flanders was the winning combination in the 14th, after Lapides had stopped a Columbia run with a perfect throw from deep center in the opening half of the inning. Hayes and Powell, who took over in the 12th, allowed only five hits to Columbia. The visiting third-baseman, Rakowski, who had hit safely in 20 consecutive games, was ejected from the game for overdoing a protest after an unstolen base in the eighth. It was his replacement who let the tying hit go through him and who bobbled the important ball in the 14th. Brown's third-sacker Burfeind was brilliant in handling 11 chances.

Ebenstein pitched effectively against Navy, another League foe, and had a shut-out until the ninth inning. Hawkins' homer then produced both Middle runs, but Brown had a six-run lead by then, and the clout wasn't as serious as it might have been. Triples by Burfeind and Menard

were the blows which did the most damage in Brown's three-run fourth. Three double plays helped Ebenstein, and Kern especially gave stout support, muffing only one of 14 chances at second.

Red McClain tossed a five-hit victory against Princeton, and he, too, lost a shut-out in the ninth, walking home a run. A beautiful bunting attack shot the Brunonians off to a two-run margin in the third, and they added two more in the fifth and seventh each. At that point Brown seemed on its way to spring the surprise of the League season, but it lost its next three E.I.L. encounters to Penn, Cornell, and Yale by close scores.

The Standing

Eastern Intercollegiate Baseball League, as of May 10:

	Won	Lost	Pct.
Dartmouth	4	0	1.000
Harvard	3	1	.750
Pennsylvania	3	1	.750
Brown	3	3	.500
Princeton	3	3	.500
Cornell	1	1	.500
Columbia	3	4	.429
Yale	1	2	.333
Navy	1	4	.200
Army	0	3	.000

► PENN EDGED the Bruins on a ninth-inning homer, which broke up a tight, tingling tussle. The Philadelphians had scored in the third on two walks, a single, and a fielder's choice, when the Brown infield elected to try for the double-play that would have retired the side. The tying run was a curio: Menard singled, went to second on a pick-off attempt that was wide, moved to third on a wild pitch, and scored on a balk. Hayes pitched well for Brown, but Powell was in the box when Smith hit his 400-foot wallop over the fence to win the game. Each team was held to five hits, Nelson getting a single and a triple for Brown.

Cornell and Brown matched seven-hitters at Ithaca, but Ebenstein's four walks got him into trouble, two of them providing the margin in the Red's 3-2 success. Brown scored first on Schulz's infield single and Lapides' double in the second inning, but Cornell had markers

in the third, fifth, and seventh, while Brown could manufacture only one more run (in the eighth on singles by Kern and Nelson, and a fly).

McClain was the winner against Providence College with a fine four-hitter. Again, he lost his shutout in the ninth, this time as Weinstock homered for P.C. Thompson's long hit, scored as a triple, brought home Wasseth in the sixth and he, too, tallied on a bad throw. That was the scoring, as Brown's defense was errorless and brilliant. Play took only an hour and three-quarters, and the fans appreciated the way the collegians this year are speeding up their action, especially on the mound.

After flawless fielding at home, it was errors which handed a 4-2 game to Yale at New Haven. All of the runs off Brown's Hayes were unearned. Thompson, one of three New Haven boys in the visiting lineup, gave Brown the lead in the fourth with a home-run, but Yale promptly doubled that harvest on a walk, a passed ball, an infield boot, two wild pitches, and a single. Two more came on three errors and a single in the eighth, while Brown could add only a run in the ninth on two singles and two errors.

At this point (May 14) Brown had won five straight games at home but had been defeated on every road contest.

► THE FRESHMEN had beaten Providence College 17-12 but had lost four other encounters. They had started promisingly enough in a close battle with Harvard, called when they were trailing 3-2 in the eighth. Sheehan, formerly of Hopkins Prep in New Haven, had homered in the first, but Harvard tied the game in the second without a hit—on an error, a stolen base, a fielder's choice, and a balk. North, former Pingry pitcher, held the Crimson to four hits, but two of them in the fourth were a triple and a double—the winning rally. The Cubs could do nothing with Arnold of Andover, who hurled a three-hitter, and the Academy scored three in the first and one in the fifth to settle the issue, 4-0. The other scores were that 17-12 victory and defeats by Holy Cross 21-8 and Yale 11-0. We didn't have the heart to audit those accounts. (But we hear the Brown pitcher allowed the Elis only five hits, and the Holy Cross game would have been close without an 11-run eighth inning.)

Spring Scores in All Brown Sports — Official and Informal

Varsity Baseball

Wesleyan 4, Brown 2
R. I. State 7, Brown 6
(12 innings)
Brown 9, Arnold 1
Harvard 8, Brown 3
Brown 3, Columbia 2
(14 innings)
Brown 6, Navy 2
Brown 6, Princeton 1
Penn 2, Brown 1
Cornell 3, Brown 2
Brown 2, Providence 1
Yale 4, Brown 2

Freshman Baseball

Harvard 3, Brown 2
Brown 17, Providence 12
Andover 4, Brown 0

Holy Cross 21, Brown 8
Yale 11, Brown 0

Informal Crew

Lost: Yale 2L
Lost: Dartmouth 1½L

Varsity Track

Army 112, Brown 23
M.I.T. 73*, Brown 61*
N.Y.U. 92, Brown 43
R. I. State 76, Brown 59
Pentagonals: Army 63*, Cornell 46*, Yale 44*, Penn 24*, Navy 15*, Dartmouth 15*, Princeton 15*, Columbia 12, Brown 10, Harvard 9.

(*means fraction)

Freshman Track

Andover 80, Brown 37
Brown 91*, M.I.T. 33*
Hope High 67, Brown 59
Brown 67, Providence 59
Brown 88, R. I. State 47

Varsity Tennis

R. I. State 5, Brown 4
Brown 7, Tufts 1
Harvard 7, Brown 2
Yale 9, Brown 0
N. Carolina 9, Brown 0
Army 8, Brown 1

Freshman Tennis

Harvard 9, Brown 0
Brown 5, Bryant 3
Brown 7, M.I.T. 2

Varsity Golf

Brown 5, Harvard 2
Brown 5, Wesleyan 2
Brown 6, M.I.T. 1
Brown 7, Providence 0
Brown 5, Amherst 2
Brown 4, Dartmouth 3
Brown 5, Holy Cross 2
Brown 7, M.I.T. 0
Brown 4, Boston U. 3
Navy 5, Brown 2

Informal Lacrosse

Brown 8, Dean Acad. 4
Brown 6, Nichols Jr. 4
Trinity 8, Brown 6
Amherst 5, Brown 4

Though Stars Shine ◀

Track Without Winning

▶▶ LACK OF DEPTH has hurt Brown's chances on the track this spring, although several stalwart performers have come through as expected. It is in their records that the Brunonian partisan must take most satisfaction. The competition, to be sure, was uncommonly tough in that we stacked up against Army and N.Y.U., out of our usual rivalries, but M.I.T. and R. I. State also had their outings at our expense.

Setting the pace has been Dick Phillips, holder of the Brown high jump record. He defended his Penn Relay title against the challenge of some of the country's best leapers, with a mark of 6 feet 5, and set a new height for the Heptagonal Games by jumping $\frac{7}{8}$ of an inch higher. Against N.Y.U. he bettered his own Brown Field record by jumping 6 feet $5\frac{3}{8}$, defeating Mondschein in doing so. He bowed to Kulpa of the Army under adverse weather conditions, letting his rival lead him at a mere 6 feet even. His other outing was also on a poor day when he eased off early after defeating the Rhode Island opposition.

Ray Leeth has been top scorer for the Bruins, taking two doubles in the hurdles within five days against N.Y.U. and Rhode Island. He was first in the highs and second in the lows against M.I.T., but had only a second in the lows against Army. In the Heptagonals he scored in each event.

Against Army, the opening event was the mile and also the thriller of the day. Josh Tobey ran shoulder to shoulder with Wilson of the Cadets for three quarters, took a four-yard lead on the final leg, and fought off a game challenge to win by half a stride. It was a record for Army-Brown competition: 4:26.8, and it proved to be Brown's only first all day long in the heavy rain. In all Brown only managed 23 points: Jon Tobey took a third in the 440 but was held to fifth in the 880 despite his creditable time of 1:58. Gil Borgeson had two seconds in the hammer and shot, Rich was second in the broad jump, and Bearer took a point in the hammer. Army swept eight events in its 112-23 romp.

Back in its own class, Brown battled it out with M.I.T. only to lose 73 2/5 to 61 3/5. It would have been closer but still a defeat even if Phillips had been denied his victory at the Penn Relays in order to compete at Cambridge. The Bruin firsts were: Josh Tobey in the mile, Ken Rich in the broad jump, Leeth in the 120 high hurdles, Borgeson in the shot, Lauro in the javelin, and Allen in a tie in the pole vault. Others who figured in the scoring were: Rich in the 100, Barksdale and Zeoli in the 220, Jon Tobey and Richards in the 440, Jon and Josh Tobey in the 880, Welchli in the two-mile, Wickham and Rich in the high jump, Bearer and Borgeson in the hammer, Cardozo in the shot, Bearer and Sheard in the discus, and Hodosh in the javelin.

N.Y.U. scored in every event to beat Brown 92-43 in Providence. Two Brown Field records were bettered, one of them Tom Gilbane's 1932 shot put mark—Lampert of the Violets had a heave only a half-inch under 53 feet. Brown counted most heavily in the javelin where Hodosh led

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CONFUSING, YES.
But when brothers can run like the Tobeyes, a track coach like Brown's Ivan Fuqua will forgive their looking alike. Now, don't ask US to identify them. Incidentally, in one Boston meet last winter, they finished first, second, and third in the same race. Two are twins.



with 184 feet 9 and Lauro was third, and the hammer where Borgeson and Bearer were one-two. Allen tied for first in the pole-vault.

▶ ALTHOUGH THE BRUINS took nine firsts in the annual duel with State College, the Kingston depth provided the 76-59 margin once again. Bearer came out on top in both discus and hammer. Josh Tobey won the mile and brother Jon a thrilling 440, the latter nearly making it a double by conceding only a foot to Cashman of State in the 880, while Josh ran third. The visiting Bears were off to a stunning handicap as Rhody took all the places in both broad jump and pole vault for an 18-0 lead. Otherwise it would have been a close, close struggle. Brown's only sweep came in the javelin, with Hodosh, Lauro, and Sheard. Borgeson and Cardozo were one-three in the shot. Richards had two thirds, while Creswell split a second place in the high jump for his first points of the year.

Seven-eighths of a point kept Brown out of last place in the 10-college Heptagonals, but the last six teams were not in it with the leading Army, Yale, and Cornell powerhouses. In addition to points by Phillips and Leeth, already noted, Josh Tobey was fifth in the two-mile.

The Freshmen wound up their season with three wins in five starts, losing to Andover and Hope High but beating Rhode Island, M.I.T., and Providence College. The spectacular performer is Norm Steere, formerly of Moses Brown, who took points in five events on three different occasions, once winning four firsts and twice winning three; two firsts has been his minimum. He competes in shot, javelin, discus, broad jump, and high jump. Thornton, a Vermonter from Springfield High, took three firsts against Rhode Island—in the dashes and low hurdles. Other first place winners have been Townsend, from Galesburg High,

Albany, quarter-miler; Midgley, a half-miler from Albany Academy; Standish, a three-time winner in the mile, from Blair; Andrews, a hurdler from Hebron; Munro from Hope High, a versatile man in all the weight events. In all, 17 men have taken points.

The story on the Andover meet is told in the field events, where, apart from Steere's firsts in the shot and javelin, Brown took only one point in six events. Steere, not content with four firsts against M.I.T., shared a third place tie. Hope's New England champions yielded only four first places (three of them Steere's) but Brown's 11 second places kept the Cub's in contention. Brown's depth provided the edge over Providence College, as the Smith Hill neighbors begin to build in track. It is a long time since a Brown track team has beaten Rhode Island by a margin like 88-47, which was the Cubs' score. ◀

New England Champs

▶ COMING FROM NOWHERE in a single season, Brown has become a power in New England college golf. A year ago the team could do no better than win three of 11 encounters, but this spring it went through New England competition without defeat, only to run afoul of a strong Navy team in the Eastern Inter-collegiates, after running its string up to nine.

Most of the golfers from last season were available again, while the return of Chuck Johnson, after a year as an exchange student in Sweden, gave the lineup a strong lead-off man. He matched the 69 par on the rigorous Wannamoisett course on more than one occasion this spring. He won six of his matches in rugged competition, and dropped a heart-breaker on the 18th against Navy.

Marty Gresh usually works in the second position, losing only to Wesleyan, B.U., and Navy. The Gibney brothers, John

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and Dick from Canton, Mass.; Joe Dagham; and Rip Connors from Providence gett from Milwaukee; Phil Ross of Need-round out the team, with David Buckley, only Sophomore on the squad, as alternate. Dick Gibney, a great competitor, has met defeat only once this year, against Dartmouth. Rip Egle coaches the team, which won 44 of 56 individual matches in New England. Against M. I. T. every man broke 80. ◀

Overmatched in Tennis

▶ There's not much to write about the tennis team except to say that it fulfilled its engagements and was out there trying. Except against Rhode Island, which beat it 5-4, and Tufts, which it beat 7-1, it has been playing over its head. Two of the best of the Brunonians are Puerto Rican boys who prepped at Andover, Sophomores Lohr Gonzalez and Pablo Curbelo. Gonzalez reached the second round of the New England tourney. Other regulars

are Charles W. Briggs, Jr., of Fall River; Perry Herst of Chicago; Bob Love of Greenwich, Conn.; Bill Crafts of Newtonville, Mass.; Ed Alsop of Warren, and Dick Kennedy of Worcester. ◀

The Lacrosse Revival

▶ LACROSSE ENTHUSIASTS, continuing their campaign in the hope of gaining official recognition for their sport, have fielded a creditable team again this spring under the name of the Narragansett Lacrosse Club. A year ago they won two of five scheduled contests.

This year, with the addition of several new candidates, the players have had comfort from Athletic Director Paul Mackesey, himself an old addict of the game, so that physical education credits as well as playing space and equipment have been provided. Coach and captain of the Club is Don Miller, one of six members from Baltimore, the lacrosse capital of the country.

Seven of last year's starting ten are still in college, while ten Freshmen who played in prep school last year are new recruits. One of the latter is the goalie, Pete Roberts from Hebron, while Dave McElroy from McDonough in Baltimore is at first attack. In addition to Zeke Marshall, the defensive line includes a trio of veterans from a year ago—Miller, John Dirlam, and Tim Colahan. Midfield positions went to Tom Oliver, John Roberts, Bill Connor, and Bob Elliot. Others on attack are Walt Heingartner, Larry Bugbee and Orme Aldred. Aldred scored five of the Brown goals when Dean Academy was defeated 8-4 in the opener. It was Oliver's turn to net five when Nichols Junior College was set down 6-4.

Rowing for Brunonia ◀ ◀



THEY BROUGHT BACK ROWING: The informal Brown crew on the Seekonk in the shell the men chipped in to buy for training. They arranged a four-regatta schedule.

Trying to Revive Crew

▶▶ Brown University has been represented, albeit informally, in intercollegiate rowing this spring for the first time in 70 years. It came about because a group of undergraduates who had rowed in preparatory school wanted to keep on with the sport. They chipped in to buy a second-hand shell, brought it to Providence on the top of an auto, and set to work on the Seekonk. Practicing on their own, they had the good fortune to find in Robert Read a rowing enthusiast who was captain of the Princeton 150-pound crew while he was a student, just as his son is today. He volunteered to do what he could along the lines of coaching.

The undergraduates are seated as follows in the photo on this page, from stern forward: Coxswain Ralph Gerstle, Captain Jim Donaldson, Harlan Bartlett, Jim Collins, Bob Brunelle, George Vest, Duke Pinkham, Bill Hale, and Chuck Leveroni. Undaunted by the lack of funds and the necessity of a makeshift arrangement, they have worked out faithfully. During spring vacation, for instance, they practiced twice daily, concentrating on distance in the morning at 6 and on time at 5 in the afternoon.

Obviously, they would want some testing against competition. That was out of the question on the Seekonk which, although the hospitable Narragansett Boat Club fosters singles, lacks another eight. All races, therefore, must be held away from home, where a shell can be borrowed.

The season opened May 7 when the crew of the Brown Rowing Club went to Connecticut to take part in Yale's annual Derby Day on the Housatonic River. The competition was stiff—the Eli Junior Varsity, which included a couple of men who rowed Varsity last year. For a spell Brown trailed by only a single length, but a couple of faults in the Brown boat cost another

length which was never regained. But, while the Brunonians said they didn't do well, everyone else seemed to think they had made a creditable showing, particularly for a debut after only a few weeks' experience.

During the Green Key weekend at Hanover, Brown rowed Dartmouth, taking an early lead of a length which it held until the home-stretch. There a strong drive enabled the Green to overhaul the Bears and win by a length and a half. The following week Amherst was to be raced, with a wind-up in the third-Varsity division of the Eastern Intercollegiate Sprint Regatta on the Charles.

The crewmen are enthusiastic and hope their season may lead to some recognition by the University. They point out that hockey was carried on as an informal sport before getting Varsity status again, while lacrosse and skiing are similarly without official standing.

The shell, originally built for Harvard around 1930, was purchased from St. Andrew's School, where Jim Donaldson prepared for Brown. This meant a 450-mile overland trek from Middletown, Del.,—65 feet of shell on top of a 17-foot Oldsmobile. The trip took 14 hours.

Bartlett was a member of an undefeated crew at Exeter, while others rowed at their schools before coming to Brown: Hale at South Kent, Brunelle at Tabor, Vest at St. Andrew's, Pinkham at Deerfield, and Bill MacColl at Choate. Leveroni and Collins both rowed at Harvard last summer. They all think rowing need not be a lavishly-supported sport but could continue on two or three thousand dollars' expenditure, even \$1000 if necessary.

Benignly regarding the new enterprise is the Narragansett Boat Club, oldest rowing club in America. It overlooks a four-mile stretch of Seekonk which was once famous for its rowing. ◀

Raccoon Coats Wanted

▶ ARE THERE EIGHT idle raccoon coats, serving no useful purpose in Brunonian attics? If there are, the Brown University cheerleaders would like to have them in time for next fall's football season.

Time was, of course, when the raccoon coat was the hallmark of many a collegian. What ever happened to those coats? If you had one and didn't throw it away and are willing to give it to the cause of warmer cheerleaders, send it collect to: The Cheerleaders, Alumni House, Brown University, Providence 12, R. I.

"We need at least eight to outfit all the cheerleaders," says Bob Fearon. "But if we get a hundred—swell, the whole cheering section wears them. (And what a cheering section we have coming up.) But we'll settle for eight, gratefully."

Fearon says the cry is "Nine for Nine in Forty-Nine," and the undergraduates will back the team to the limit next fall. But they're looking forward to "more than a string of victories." He explains: "We're proud of our school and proud of our team, and we want everyone to know it. The cheerleaders, headed by Curt Chrisfield, are out to make Brown the most spirited college in the Ivy League, with Butch Bruno X leading the way. We want the alumni to get out to all the games, too, and to yell. And, by the way, a bearskin coat would be welcome, if you haven't raccoon." ◀

First defeat came at the hands of Trinity, although the Naragansetts led 5-3 at the end of a well-played first half. After the rest period, the team fell apart while the Hartford club raced out to an 8-6 triumph. Amherst was played on even terms until the last two minutes when the Jeffs tallied the deciding goal in the 5-4 brush. ◀

Skippers Go to Nationals

▶ **YALE'S CRACK TEAM** of Bobby Monetti and Bob Coulson broke up another successful spring regatta season for Brown by capturing the New England Intercollegiate dingy championship and the Eastern Intercollegiate. The latter affair, which Brown sponsored in conjunction with the Edgewood Yacht Club, found the Brunonians below par, but otherwise they had three firsts and two seconds to show for the year up to mid-May. Brown qualified for the Nationals on June 20-23.

Charlie Ill and Randy Bliss, who were national titleholders a year ago, are bracketed with Freshman skipper Glen Foster and his veteran crewman, Dave Dodsworth.

For the third straight year Brown won the Jeff Davis Trophy in its dual meet with R. I. State off the clubhouse on the Seekonk. In addition to Ill and Foster,

the Bear skippers included Jack Merchant, Jim Roberts, Pete Butterfield, and Jack Latham, running up a 157-101 score. The Davis plaque was donated to the two college clubs by the Narragansett Bay Yachting Association, and the presentation this year was made by Prof. Zenas R. Bliss, former navigator of the America's Cup sloops Rainbow and Ranger.

Brown won the New England "B" eliminations by nosing out Harvard and four other neighbors on the Charles River, but M.I.T. took the honors in a Pentagonal regatta on the Seekonk, leading the Bruins 99-93. In the annual competition for the Lucian Sharpe Trophy Brown outraced its guests, including Yale, but in the New England's Yale returned the compliment by a distinct margin. The second place, however, was sufficient to qualify the Brunonians for the national championship regatta to be sailed under University of Michigan auspices at the time of our Commencement in June. This was fortunate for Brown had an off-day in the Easterns, falling off from a challenging position to a fifth place on the second day's races. The scores to May 15 were:

Brown 157, R. I. State 101.

Brown 69, Harvard 68, B.U. 56, Holy Cross 49, New Hampshire 46, Tufts 36.

M.I.T. 99, Brown 93, B.U. 81, Worcester Tech 71, Dartmouth 44.

Brown 94, Yale 88, M.I.T. 81, Coast Guard 65, Dartmouth 57, Williams 49, Harvard 47, R. I. State 39 (Sharpe Regatta).

Yale 144, Brown 107, Harvard 105, Coast Guard 97, M.I.T. 96, B.C. 94, Amherst 73, Williams 73, R. I. State 62, B.U. 56 (New England's).

Yale 172, Harvard 164, Coast Guard 156, M.I.T. 156, Brown 145, Princeton 118, Navy 112, Cornell 109, Army 102, Dartmouth 87, Williams 60 (Easterns). ◀

All-New England Guard

▶ **CAPTAIN-ELECT** George Mahoney of the Brown Varsity basketball team was selected on the All-New England team picked by the New England coaches in a poll conducted by the Boston Garden. He shared the honor with Kafton and Cousy of Holy Cross, Leede of Dartmouth, and Lavelli of Yale. A three-sport letterman, Mahoney passed up the early baseball drills in favor of spring football practice.

Fred Kozak, who played only the latter part of the basketball season, and Chuck Whelan were Brunonians who received honorable mention for the New England squad. ◀

▶ ▶ Month of Climax for the Brown Clubs

New York Elects

▶▶ **FREDERICK H. ROHLFS '26** was elected President of the Brown University Club in New York, designated at the annual meeting May 19. His associate officers are: Vice-President—Alexander Gardiner '14; Secretary—Edward J. Gorman '23; Treasurer—Jeffrey S. Granger '14. Also submitted by the Nominating Committee were names of the following new members of the Board of Governors—Willard C. Butcher '47, Robert C. Litchfield '23, retiring President, Joseph Micucci '31, and Edward Sulzberger '29. They will serve with Maxwell Barus '10, Rowland R. Hughes '17, and Benton B. Orwig '20, who continue.

Committees were constituted as follows: Auditing—Winfield W. Greene '10 and Lee White '07; Admissions—Donald V. Reed '35, Hoey Hennessey '12, Charles H. Daley '48, David Balfour '36, E. R. Alden '23, and Mr. Orwig. Ralph M. Palmer '10 was chairman of the Nomination Committee.

Speaker of the evening was Gordon Fraser '31, radio correspondent and commentator. He had only recently returned from assignment at the Paris sessions of the United Nations and a special trip to Berlin to work on a documentary on the Airlift.

Members of the Club will participate in the College Club Golf League outing at the Knollwood Country Club in White Plains June 21. Robert S. Salant '35 will head the delegation, anxious to improve its Ivy League tournament record.

About 250 attended the 81st annual dinner of New York and New Jersey Alumni, held at the Roosevelt March 31, the committee reports. President Wriston and Joseph B. Keenan '10, former Chief prosecutor for the International Military Tribunal in the Far East, were the principal speakers, while Eugene W. O'Brien '19 was toastmaster. Guests from the campus included Alumni President H. Stanton Smith '21, Dean Kenny, Dean Walker,



THE LACKAWANNA BROWN CLUB was born in Summit, N. J., in April when the four alumni above were principals on the program. Left to right—Charles Kenney, vice-chairman; George Decker, chairman; Vice-President Bruce M. Bigelow of Brown; and Ernest Savignano, Assistant Athletic Director. (Photo by Jay)

Athletic Director Mackesey, Howard Curtis of the News Bureau, and Coach Engle. A brief meeting of the Board of Directors of the Associated Alumni preceded the dinner.

▶ **"WE MUST BE CONCERNED** with what goes on behind curtains—whether they be bamboo or iron curtains," Mr. Keenan declared. "An analysis of the Japanese pattern of conquest shows how greatly the United States was at the mercy of other nations as to whether we should have war or peace. Therefore what happens in other nations can no longer be a matter of indifference to us when plans are made that have as an object the destruction of our own freedoms."

He spoke of the importance of the Far Eastern trials. "For the first time in history," he noted, "eleven nations representing perhaps two-thirds of the civilized

population of the world sat in judgment upon 28 accused, charged with planning, initiating, and waging wars of aggression.

"Today," he continued, "we are observing a third project in operation (in Europe) . . . Thus far the pattern of the third project has followed with remarkable similarity that of militaristic Japan and Nazi Germany."

Mr. Keenan's dramatic address was highlighted with personal reminiscence of incidents and conversations with Japanese notables. His warnings were the more arresting because of the parallels he drew and the experience on which they were based. He was a distinguished public servant telling his story and sharing his judgments. ◀

HAVE YOU VOTED?

Polls close June 17 for alumni balloting



GALA NIGHT IN ST. LOUIS came this spring when President Wriston paid a visit to the Brown Club. Fifty Brunonians were on hand to greet him and hear his report from College Hill.

Wriston in St. Louis

► FIFTY ALUMNI and friends of Brown welcomed President Wriston to St. Louis April 25 when the Brown Club dined at the Racquet Club. Dr. Wriston talked intimately on developments at the University, covering curriculum, enrollment, fraternities, and housing. He said he was hopeful that the construction of the Quadrangle would get under way by June, according to the *Star Times*. The St. Louis papers all featured President Wriston's visits, with lively interviews on modern education.

Leaders in secondary school education in the area were the guests of the Brown Club for the evening, including: L. D. Haertter, Headmaster of Burroughs Academy; Eugene Hecker, in charge of guidance at St. Louis Country Day School; Robin McCoy, Headmaster of Thomas Jefferson School in Kirkwood; Col. Ralph Jackson and Maj. C. L. Persing of Western Military Academy; and Col. Charles Stribling of Missouri Military Academy from Mexico, Mo.

Fathers of undergraduates and of prospective students joined with the Brunonians: Michael Freund, Archie L. Lee, Philip Moss, Dr. Leo M. Shanley, E. M. Enslin, Edwin Levis, Herbert A. Schiele, A. S. Mills, Francis Comer, Elmer E. Marx, and Dr. B. L. Neubeiser.

Among the alumni at the dinner were: Kenneth H. Bitting '20, Warren T. Chandler '22, George O. Cutter '26, John B. Edwards '96, Arthur H. Feuerbacher, Jr., '32, Dr. Minot P. Fryer '36, Joseph H. Grand '19, Rev. Charles D. Kean '30, Martin Lammert IV '50, John R. Lyman '24, Robert E. Lynch '41, Roderick M. Meyer '30, Chapin S. Newhard '22 (President of the Club), Frank O'Shanick '39, Joel A. Rogers '31, P. L. Sincoff '42 and his father, Robert A. Webb '46, Allen B. Williams '12, Dean F. Coffin '33 from Detroit, Lewis M. Carr '96, Francis G. White '20, John C. Mosby '30, C. B. Calfee '32, Eugene L. Primm '37, Dr. E. F. Sievers '18, E. B. Carpenter '26, Marvin Boisseau '41, Robert Clark '39, John A. Ryrie '15, and Fred Parkinson, Jr., '46.

Bigelow Bides in Pittsburgh

► IT WAS A GREAT PLEASURE for the Brown Club of Western Pennsylvania to have Bruce Bigelow with us again at a dinner meeting at the Roosevelt Hotel April 20. He brought us up to date on all the campus activities (including the Black

Weekend) and showed the slides of campus landmarks. Dr. Erdman Harris, Headmaster of Shadyside Academy, was also our guest that evening. All in all, it was a very full but very fine get-together.

The Club has suspended its monthly luncheons for the present.

FRANK D. PRICE

Boston's Big Dinner

►► The Brown Club of Boston held its 77th Annual Banquet at the University Club, Boston, on Monday evening, April 11, 1949. Over 200 Brunonian Alumni were in attendance. President Henry Wriston and George Channing, '11, Editor of the *Christian Science Publishing Company* and newly elected president of the Boston Brown Club, were guest speakers.

President Wriston appraised conditions of fraternity life at Brown. He said that fraternities were a traditional, useful part of the Brown campus life but he also stated that the fraternities would have to remove any vestiges of discrimination to maintain their present and past status in the college world. He cited Brown's main goal which is intellectual development and advancement. He told of Brown's role in scientific advancement and the study of ancient culture.

Dr. Channing told the alumni that the leadership of an articulate democracy against false claims of anti-democratic forces should come from the university graduates.

Dr. Bruce Bigelow, vice-president; Charles "Rip" Engle; and Paul Mackesey were among the invited guests.

In addition to President Channing, the other officers for the year ahead will be: Vice-Presidents—Robert G. Bleakney '23, Edwin H. Murphy '19, and Richard E. Hale '41; Secretary—Loring P. Litchfield '28; Assistant Secretary—Leonard M. Campbell '40; Treasurer—George P. Delaney '43; Archivist—Frederick Bloom '40; Directors—Ernest J. Woelfel '23, Robert F. Jones '34, Arthur H. Crosbie '39, Edward T. Brackett '14, Philip K. Finegold '23, Joseph F. Lockett, Jr., '42.

Two dozen Boston alumni were addressed at the May luncheon, with which the Club suspended its activities for the summer. The speaker was Charles E. Gratke, the distinguished foreign news editor of the *Christian Science Monitor*. In daily contact with all capitols of the world, he presented an inspiring talk on the "Shape of Tomorrow's World." His

enthusiasm concerning our country's dynamic foreign policy in the present difficult international situation was refreshingly convincing. The Club's new President, George Channing, introduced the speaker.

The Boston Brown Club will resume its activities in October, holding monthly luncheons on the second Tuesday of each month at Thompson's Spa, 239 Washington St.

FRED HAILER

Rhode Island Wind-up

► AS THE FINALE of the liveliest year in the history of Providence activity, the Brown Club of Rhode Island scheduled its annual meeting for the Agawam Hunt Club May 25. Speakers announced for the steak dinner were Dr. Murray Banks ("How to Live with Yourself") and Bill Tate, Director of Student Activity at Brown. Frank Brady '16 was toastmaster, while President J. Wilbur Riker '22 did the honors at the business session. Pete Davis '39 was running the golf tournament in the afternoon, while Stanley F. Mathes '39 was treasurer for the evening.

April's attraction was the concert on the 26th by the Brown-Pembroke Orchestra. Brown Club members and their guests filled Alumnae Hall for the program of lighter music which Martin Fischer conducted. Specialties included the University Quartet, "Five Men with Horns," Bob Kinder, magician, and Paul Michael, haritone. F. L. Harsen was chairman of the successful event.

Few Brown Club affairs have been more popular than the series of four "at homes" arranged for the members by Chairman Richmond Sweet. Demonstrations and lectures were given at the Arnold Laboratory (Biology Department under Prof. J. Walter Wilson), Rhode Island Hall (Prof. I. J. Kapstein on "Writing and Writhing"), Wilson Hall (Physics Department under Prof. R. L. Lindsay), and John Carter Brown Library (Prof. Lawrence Wroth). Capacity turnouts were the experience at all four programs. Senator Theodore Francis Green was one of many who hoped the series would be projected into the future.

A Cue for Cleveland

► MEMO TO CLEVELAND from Chicago fans and others: "What have you in mind for the Western Reserve week-end Nov. 6-7?"

160 Dancers in Hartford

► **HARTFORD'S** ANNUAL dinner dance for the undergraduates gets bigger and better every year! This time there were more than 160 at the Wampanoag Country Club in West Hartford on April 8, and 51 were at the dinner. Many, many undergraduates came to join the Brown Club families—and not all of them were Hartford, either, for some came from as far away as Boston. It was good to see so many of the younger alumni there, too. Of course, there were the usual number of us old timers who tried to act as young as the youngest—and succeeded pretty well, too, until the next day.

Dancing lasted until 2. During the intermission the welkin rang with the old Brown songs. After the dance, I hear some of the diehards adjourned to Wally Henshaw's house. I don't know when they went home. All praise to the many Brown men of Hartford who helped to make this the best yet!

The annual meeting will be held at the University Club May 12 at 7 p. m. Rip Engle and Bill McCormick will be there. The football coaches and two boys from each of the seven Greater Hartford schools will be there, and for an hour prior to the dinner Rip will meet with them. Of course, they'll sit in with us at the banquet as our guests. We may make this experiment an annual feature.

CY FLANDERS '18

New Haven's Spring Dinner

► **THE BROWN CLUB** of New Haven added a successful Spring Dinner to its calendar of annual events, providing a real attraction at the Colonial House May 5. Clarence Miller '12, President, presented the two visitors from Providence, Vice-President Bigelow and Lewis A. Shaw, Director of Athletic Publicity, both of whom were well received, as always.

The committee in charge was headed by Donald Holmes '46, with Clarence Andrews '26, Robert Dugan '33, and Mr. Miller also serving.

The New Lackawanna Club

► **TWO NEW JERSEY MEETINGS** on successive evenings gave Vice-President Bruce M. Bigelow the opportunity of visiting with alumni in April. The first was marked by the birth of the Lackawanna Brown Club.

This new group was formed at the Suburban Hotel in Summit, N. J., on April 7, and the lively gathering was supported by 10 undergraduates and several sub-Freshmen. Ernest Savignano, Assistant Director of Athletics, had pictures and good talk for the sports fan, as the second speaker of the evening. George Decker '23 and Charles Kenney '27 were the sponsors.

Vacation in Plainfield

► **THE UNBEATABLE** speaking team of Vice-President Bruce M. Bigelow and Coach "Rip" Engle gave the Plainfield Area Section one of their finest meetings of the year. At this affair, held April 6, at the Park Hotel, Plainfield, the alumni were host to vacationing undergraduates and prospective Brown students from this area.

More than 50 heard the Vice-President speak on the history, growth, and future of Brown. Dr. Bigelow also outlined the building program and spoke of the Faculty's role in teaching and research. He also reviewed the admission qualifications for the prospective students. Joseph K. Burwell, '13, Chairman of the group, introduced Dr. Bigelow.

Coach Engle was introduced by Joseph W. Freeman, Jr., '32, Westfield High School football coach. Rip gave a review of the general athletic program, covering both varsity and intramural sports. He spoke briefly on the prospects of the 1949 season and introduced two Westfield members of next year's squad, Loren Rodewig and Bill Heinz. A movie of the 1948 Brown-Colgate game was shown with Rip giving us a running commentary on it.

The alumni and their guests enjoyed refreshments following the movie. At this

time, Dr. Bigelow showed several very excellent kodachrome views of the campus and of familiar landmarks in Providence. The refreshment period provided the Alumni with an opportunity to get acquainted with the undergraduates and prospective Brown men, and to renew old friendships.

Alumni present at the meeting were: Mark D. McClain '28, Howard F. Parker '13, Donald R. Parker '44, Joseph K. Burwell '13, Moses L. Crossley '09, Maurice L. Dolt '06, Carlton L. Dunham '21, Edwin B. Havens '28, George C. Johnson '25, Lt. (j.g.) Harold W. Rasmussen '32, Charles Walz, Jr., '37, Dr. Byron L. West '15, Alec L. Logan '42, John A. Jost '35, Willard C. Parker '42, Joseph W. Freeman '32, John C. Healy '36, Howard P. Quick '87, William A. Tucker '38, E. Bruce Wetzel '29, Henry W. Connor '35, J. Anton Hagios '27, Arthur E. Cameron '04, Robert E. Klie '44, Alexander W. Muir '10, Gilbert E. Cain '39, B. D. Roman '25, and Cecil L. Brown and E. Carter Class.

AL LOGAN '42

Election in Detroit

► **Wendell C. Forsman** '38 was elected President of the Detroit Brown Club and Howard Shaw '39 Secretary at the annual meeting of the Club, held at Huyler's L'Aiglon in the Fisher Building April 22. They succeeded J. H. Nimmo '29 and Bruce Coulter '20.

Speaker of the evening was Vice-President Bruce Bigelow, who brought his father-in-law, Prof. Armstrong as a guest. Another visitor was Bert Shurtleff '22, who had been lecturing in the region. In addition to his report on Brown, Dr. Bigelow showed some kodachrome slides, and all did some singing, with the aid of song-sheets from Brunonia Kennels in Texas. It was a very good meeting, one to gladden the heart of a frustrated Secretary.

The company included: Selleck '09, Kiernan '11, Farnsworth '12, Moffett '14, Beauvais '18, Coulter '20, Jacoby '21, Brown '22, Shurtleff '22, Milton '23, Scott



THIS WAS NEW HAVEN (not the picture which was switched in the last issue). It shows Brunonians and their families before the Yale hockey game, a fine turnout, which included these alumni: Standing—Ervin '11, Chase '38, Williams '38, Miller '12, Horvath '25, Smith '13, Hedberg '22, Breckenridge '11, Henshaw '23, Cox '25, Allison '30, Henshaw '49, Hallock '46, Holmes '46, and Jordan '19. At tables—Copeland '15, Armstrong '23, Danzell '26, Flick '18, Dest '46, Dugan '33, Andrews '52, Wheeler '36, Goldstein '46, and Carangelo '48.

'24, Brown '25, Aikens '25, Foley '25, Rice '25, Saunders '26, Freedman '26, Mulliken '28, Nimmo '29, Bishop Emrich '32, Coffin '33, Gaffney '38, Renfrew '39, Shaw '39, Kiernan '40, Weisbecker '41, Brown '41, Allen '45, Roebuck '48, and Aiken '50. Several wives and fathers were also present.

B. N. G.

Chicago's 59th

▶ OVER 300 CHICAGOANS interested in Brown turned out in formal dinner clothes for the most successful annual dinner ever held in the Mid West. The large University Club of Chicago on Michigan Boulevard was practically taken over by alumni and their wives, parents of undergraduates, Pembroke alumnar and their husbands, prep school headmasters and their wives, and guests of honor.

The gala evening started with a reception and cocktail hour in the spacious College Hall at 6:15. Guests were met as they arrived at the door by 34 members of the reception committee, who were distinguished by white carnations with brown and white ribbons. This committee was organized and directed by Warren J. Smith, Jr. '32. In one corner of the room an attendant maintained a continuous showing of the set of colored slides of the campus. In an adjoining room nearby, Dr. and Mrs. Wriston, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stevens, and Mr. and Mrs. James Brenner greeted alumni in the receiving line.

At 7:30 the large crowd moved upstairs to Cathedral Hall, where the members of the receiving line took their places at the head table. This table was slightly raised with special lights overhead spotlighting it and had an enormous Brown banner covering a large part of the wall on that side of the room behind it. The group were seated in tables of ten in the impressive Gothic hall, with its stained glass windows and high vaulted ceiling.

▶ RETIRING PRESIDENT JAMES R. Brenner, Jr. '34 took over for a short business meeting after the dinner had successfully polished off the first reunion dinner. James G. Ehrlicher '25 made the report of the nominating committee and the following new officers were elected for 1949-50: President, William J. Garvey, Jr. '38; Vice-President, William J. Roberts '42; Treasurer, Jackson B. Derfinger '40; and Secretary, R. Harper Brown '45.

Elmer T. Stevens '04 was his inimitable self as master of ceremonies, finding time to relate the circumstances of the Providence birth of "I'm a Brown Man Born" and the "Illinois Loyalty Song," and the football exploits of Furler Marshall '19 against Harvard and Yale. Furler journeyed to Chicago from Ohio for the occasion and made the presentation of a giant scroll of appreciation to Trustee Ronald M. Kimball '18 for his past loyal devotion to Brown and the Chicago Brown Club. The humorous wording was the work of Jack Monk '24, Banquet Committee Chairman, and Vice-President Bruce Buelow, one of the guests of honor for the banquet.

Toastmaster Stevens then made a whirlwind introduction of the following Brown personalities present, who stood at their places: Dr. Buelow, Trustees Ronny Kimball, James L. Palmer '19, and John G. Peterson '17 from Miamiapolis, Northwestern Director of Admissions William Seldon, Northwestern Dean of the Graduate School Arthur R. Tebbutt '27, U.S.



LARGEST AND BEST Brown Club Dinner ever held away from the Eastern seaboard was the spectacularly successful affair in Chicago when the company above assembled at the University Club April 28. (Photo by Oscar)

District Attorney Otto Kerner, Jr. '39, Captain E. A. Lofquist USN (R), Vice-President James Cunningham representing the University of Chicago, Governor and Mrs. Green, parents of a Pembroke, and others.

▶ DURING HIS INTRODUCTION of Dr. Wriston, Elmer Stevens made the observation that the best legacy for one generation to leave its children is a heritage of cultural tradition, freedom and democracy as represented by the universities. Dr. Wriston spoke on the current spirit of the student body, its aims, plans and needs of the university for size, building and financing, the fraternity situation, and the academic strength in various departments of the faculty as exemplified by two he specifically described in detail.

Music was provided during the reception and during dinner by a well-known Chicago instrumental trio which played a complete repertoire of Brown and Ivy League songs. Many of the diners sang

to the playing during the lull after dinner, and the meeting ended with Alma Mater, led by Robert H. Manenck '46.

Other members of the Banquet Committee, in addition to Palmer, Monk, Stevens, Smith, Garvey, Kimball, Brenner and Roberts mentioned above, were Joseph L. Strauss, Jr. '28, Warren F. Groce '35, and F. Donald Bateman '25.

Members of the reception committee were Frederick P. Bassett, Jr. '35, R. Ford Bondy '33, Ralph M. Brown '25, R. Harper Brown '45, Charles K. Campbell '34, Frank E. Chessman, Jr. '28, Richard V. Gorman '33, J. Willard Groll '28, James G. Ehrlicher '25, Homer R. Faulkner '23, John M. Gross '34, William R. Kinnard '31, Edward W. Lawson '34, John E. McFadden '30, Fred A. Nachman, Jr. '35, Laurence H. Norton '28, Norman Pierce '33, George O. Podd '20, Will B. Presba '32, Edwin L. Reid, Jr. '35, George Rich '11, 44, Harry E. Roelke '11, David F. Watson, Jr. '11, Franklin B. Bowes '34,

William H. Bromage '24, F. Abbott Brown '26, Paul Herriott '20, Dana M. Hubbard '15, John W. Lane '31, Jack Pierce '36, Samuel J. Sherer '11 '40, Morris F. Swaney '23, Ralph G. Johnson '05, and William E. Fay, Jr. '38.

A telegram of best wishes was read from James P. Adams, Provost of the University of Michigan, who regretted being unable to attend.

The annual dinner was not the only activity for our visitors from Brown. On April 26 President Wriston gave an outstanding address before the 22nd annual meeting of the Economic Club of Chicago at the Stevens. Several tables of Brown men heard him propound "A Political Policy for Business." Vice-President Buelow also had a speaking engagement, appearing before a large meeting of the Parents Association of New Trier High School.

In Colorado

▶ EVERY WALKER'S Western trip prompted a good meeting of the Rocky Mountain Brown Club at the University Club in Denver in February. The Dean of Admissions gave the alumni a very interesting talk and showed color slides of the campus.

Leslie Paul '97 was on hand, and as lively as ever. Judge Joseph E. Cook '14 was M.C., managing to amaze everyone with his memory for obscure Brown songs. A very successful evening!

On the same trip Dean Walker journeyed to Colorado Springs for a Brunonian evening with T. G. "Pete" Simmons '23 and his wife and Joel Webb '36 and his wife. They, too, liked the slides.

Los Angeles Program

▶ NEARLY 200 BROWN MEN in Southern California have had word this spring of Los Angeles Brown Club plans for wider activity and a cordial invitation to share actively. It was prompted in part by the enthusiasm encountered at the time of Dean Emery Walker's visit in February and his talk of new developments on the campus. "Under President Wriston," said the letter to the alumni from Club Secretary, "the University is moving ahead on all fronts—academic, athletic, caliber of personnel, and physical facilities... it's easy to understand why Brown is making such progress."

The Club is proceeding under its new constitution and by-laws to "give an orderly basis and statement of purpose to

the Brown Club of Los Angeles." Its officers: President—Hugh H. Wallace '37, Vice-President—Stephen H. Dolley '42, Treasurer—Lyle Caldwell '21, Secretary—R. D. Messinger '37, Executive Committee—the officers and Houghton Metcalf '04 and Lawrence O. Gates '21.

Washington's Buffet

▶ THE WASHINGTON BROWN CLUB held a Spring Buffet Supper in the East Lounge of the National Press Club on April 25. After a delicious roast beef supper the Club members listened to various business reports before proceeding to the speaker of the evening. Ross deMatteo, Club Treasurer presented his report which, for the first time in several years, found the Club's treasury solvent. Particularly interesting was his report that after only three months the Scholarship Fund stood at approximately \$125.

Don Ranard, Secretary, reviewed the events of the Winter-Spring Season, with some projection to Club events in the future. He mentioned, among other things, the weekly informal luncheons which are still going strong and which on three particular occasions found the Club entertaining John Muccio, Ambassador to Korea; Jesse Olmstead, Admissions Officer, in Washington on University business; and nine Washington undergraduates home on spring vacation.

Golfing enthusiasts in the Club were interested to note the Club's informal arrangements for golf approximately every Tuesday afternoon at the Fairfax Golf Club, Fairfax, Va. (Those interested in playing are advised to contact George Hurley, President, at CH-3703, or Don Ranard at RE-5600, Ext. 2065.)

Dr. Waldo Leland, University Trustee and Director Emeritus of the American Council of Learned Societies, served as guest speaker for the evening and was surprised to find himself being introduced by Charles A. Thompson, Director of the UNESCO Relations Staff of the Department of State. Dr. Leland, who had recently returned from Beirut, Lebanon where he served as U. S. Representative to the General Conference to UNESCO, is Vice Chairman of the United States National Commission for UNESCO. He opened his remarks by referring humorously to the "reign of terror" prevalent in the United States, as evidenced by the fact that the Senior Fellow of the University, Senator Theodore F. Green was present to spy for the University and Mr. Thompson to do likewise for the State Department! In introducing Dr. Leland, Mr. Thompson referred to his yeoman work in establishing UNESCO and his long service as Advisor to the Government in the formulation of cultural aspects of foreign affairs. Dr. Leland is presently engaged in the preparation of a history of UNESCO and presented a scholarly address on the background and purposes of UNESCO. As usual, his words of wisdom were intermingled with his own inimitable witicism!

Special efforts were made for this meeting to bring out members of the older classes and the members of such classes attending were Charles W. Brooks, '01; Richard Colmery, '10; Senator Theodore Green, '87; Howard Coffin, ex Michigan Congressman of the class of '01; Rex Cleveland, '14, Dr. Leon Truesdall, '07, Club President George Hurley presided. DON RANARD



YES, YOU'VE SEEN THIS PICTURE before. But one of those caption switches misinformed you about it. It's part of the crowd at the Philadelphia Brown Dinner — for details read below.

At the Philadelphia Dinner

► MORE THAN 60 MEMBERS of the Philadelphia Brown Club elected officers at their annual dinner at the Barclay April 5 and heard outstanding talks by Justice Owen Roberts and Dr. Bruce M. Bigelow. Francis X. Hope, Jr., '38 was named President of the Club to succeed C. C. Myers '25. He is succeeded as Secretary, in turn, by George C. Myers '46. Other officers: Vice-President—Ed De Paul '45; Treasurer—Morris Stout III '46.

Others at the head table included: Oscar Granger, Principal of Haverford School; Don Rubel '23; Toastmaster Don Ball '27, program director of Station WCBS, New York; R. A. Kingsley '20, Headmaster of Chestnut Hill Academy; and Rev. Lester K. Kriebel '23.

Justice Roberts, now Dean of the Law School at the University of Pennsylvania, was warmly applauded for his speech on the Atlantic Pact, which had been signed only the day before. He also expounded his famous plan for World Government. Vice-President Bigelow, as always, was a popular speaker, reporting on University affairs. All felt it was a successful dinner.

Engle in Poughkeepsie

► THE MID-HUDSON Brown Club held a family meeting at the home of Mr. W. Howard Young '16, President of the Club, April 7, Rip Engle was guest speaker and his talk on the athletic program at Brown started a pleasant evening for area Brown men, their families and friends. Several local high school coaches attended the meeting and expressed their appreciation at having the opportunity of talking to Rip and seeing the movies of last year's Brown-Colgate game.

Rip covered his subject extremely well as he included a discussion on Brown's admission policy, stating that athletes with good marks would be welcome but there is no sense in applying unless the men were capable of maintaining quality grades. A question period followed his

talk and then Rip showed the Colgate Film. This proved to be a big hit with everyone, especially when certain plays were run over again to show how the system worked. Vin D'Angelo '49 also was introduced to the Club. Vin was co-captain of the Colgate game and after the movies he talked to several of the guests on sports at Brown.

Mr. Young had his living room and front door decorated with Brown banners and pennants to give a real college air, and draught beer and coke were served following the movies. All in all the get-together was a big success and we appreciated Rip's being with us, more than ever since it meant he had to take a very late train back to New York that same night.

Our regular spring meeting will be held on May 18. Dean Arnold and Mrs. Arnold will be with us then and a large turn out is anticipated.

ROBERT M. GOLDRICK '47

Sponsoring UN Conference

► BROWN UNIVERSITY is one of 11 New England colleges which have joined the Carnegie Endowment and other foundations and citizens to act as sponsors of the Mount Holyoke College Institute on the United Nations to be held from June 26 through July 23 of this summer. The Institute, established a year ago, again offers those who attend the opportunity of discussing UN developments and hopes with its leaders, officials of a number of countries, and authorities on international relations. Alumni of Brown are invited to participate in the program, which includes weekly trips to Lake Success to observe the United Nations at work.

The weekly topics are as follows: June 26—Human Rights and Individual Security; July 3—European Union; July 10—Conflicts and Tensions in Asia; July 17—Outlook for World Stability. Inquiries should be directed to Mary J. Levy, Executive Secretary, Mount Holyoke College, South Hadley, Mass. Prof. Athern P. Daggett of the Department of Political Science, is acting as representative from Brown to the Institute.

In Appreciation — for the Most Part

► ► WITH THE LIGHT TOUCH but also with an underlying sincerity, they paid their respects to Ronald M. Kimball '18 at the big Brown dinner in Chicago in April. The scroll of appreciation he received bore these sentiments:

"The officers and members of the Brown University Club of Chicago herein record the value they attach to the loyal and distinguished service he has rendered to his University:

"As a transplanted Connecticut Yankee (Norwich Free Academy 1846-1914) who outnatives the native Chicagoan,

"As a battle-scarred veteran of Plattsburg and Camp Devens,

"As a victim of the blandishments of Vassar College,

"As a banker in Cuba who invented the Cuba Libre,

"As an authority on the habits of the world's largest carnivore, the giant Brown Bear of Alaska,

"As a national vice-chairman of the Brown Housing and Development Campaign (Brother, can you spare a grand?),

"As a golfer of high attainments and even higher scores,

"And for his bridge work—table, not dental,

"For all these qualities we admire you, but it is rather as a friend, fellow Brown man, and Trustee for whose strength of character, tireless energy, boundless enthusiasm, and unswerving loyalty, We salute you."

It was also recorded that the words and music were by Jack Monk '24 and Bruce Bigelow '24. The presentation was by Furber Marshall '19.

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of reporting that I have read in any periodical, on any subject. If there is a prize for collegiate reporting, that article deserves to get it. Please congratulate the writer on my behalf—since I am not in a position to award the prize.

And I was delighted, too, with Walter Wilson's story of the Biology Department, whose "cat course" still is redolent in my nostrils and was, I think, one of the most profitable of my under-graduate enterprises. I hope you can run other stories of like nature and of like excellence.

Under the shadow of Memorial Hall in Cambridge, as I am, I read each second

week the *Harvard Alumni Bulletin*, which ranks I think beyond the merely local level of a collegiate news-letter, and takes its place with the genuinely valuable magazines of general cultural interest. There is no reason why the *Brown Alumni Monthly* cannot achieve as great a stature, and in your recent number you seem to be on the way. Incidentally, you know, they have an owl on the Harvard Yard now, for the first time in over 300 years. Perhaps Brown, which is still very callow at less than two centuries of age, could get an owl too, to provide a dignified aura of wisdom.

The article of the introduction of hockey into the U. S. was excellent, too.

WAT SMITH '19
Cambridge, Mass.

Fraternity Grades

► SIR: Congratulations on your excellent treatment of the current fraternity controversy in the April BAM. You have covered the entire picture most fairly and corrected many misimpressions caused by the irresponsible handling of the issue in the press at large.

I should like, however, to make two comments. Your article, "The Greeks and the Books" and its accompanying table imply that the fraternities led the academic standing in February because they declined to pledge any man with an average below 1.75, thus leaving the poorer students to affect the non-fraternity figure adversely. However, only a few scattered pledgings—of upperclassmen only—took place during that fall semester, for the rushing season did not begin until the opening of the second semester.

The fact that fraternities took only higher average men at that time could not

possibly have enhanced fraternity standing for the previous semester. In my opinion the fraternities lead because the Freshman Class—which was at the time all non-fraternity—showed a lower average than its recent predecessors, largely because these men are not able to meet the demands of the college as well as the more mature veterans to whose ability the academic standards have been geared.

Secondly, I should like to point out that the *Daily Herald* has expressed several times in its editorial columns the opinion that the 9 fraternities involved must make every effort to secure the removal from their national constitutions of provisions restricting their membership along racial, ethnic or religious lines. In your otherwise most adequate representation of *Daily Herald* policy on fraternities this stand (and the paper's generally constructively critical attitude) was overlooked.

DAVID N. BARUS '49
Editor-in-Chief

BROWN DAILY HERALD

(Note: We're grateful to Editor Barus, but Dean Kenny confirms the fact that first semester marks earned by Freshmen pledges were credited to the fraternities even though the men were not affiliated with the chapters until later. Otherwise, we acknowledge that his exceptions are well taken. ED.)

Trueblood's Need

► SIR: I have followed the reports of the recent "fracas" at Brown and admire the manner in which the administration is handling the matter. Out of this tragic incident there may come a new frame of mind and a deepened sense of responsibility on the part of the whole student body. A college population, no less than a church, needs what Elton Trueblood has called "a sense of community."

REV. EARLE C. HOCHWALD '33
East Cleveland, O.

Suffield's Tribute

► "JESSE F. SMITH has given his inspiration for years to Suffield Academy. Now it's our turn to do something for him."

With this appeal the alumni of this Connecticut preparatory school announced their intention to designate their 115th annual Alumni Day May 21 as Jesse F. Smith Day



JESSE F. SMITH '96: Suffield set aside the day and named the room.

in honor of the Brunonian (1896 is his Class) who taught well at Suffield and is now Alumni Recorder. "To all of us who have known Jesse throughout the years, this is the one opportunity for alumni and friends to honor him with our presence on this Alumni Day," says the notice.

Moreover, the occasion was to be marked by the dedication of the Jesse F. Smith Alumni Room at the Academy. On the committee of sponsorship are such Brunonians as Prof. William T. Hastings '03, Harry W. Hastings '04, James M. Carmark '40, and Dana H. Gallup '44.

Mr. Smith has been at Suffield since 1917, following his return to this country after service as Superintendent of the Normal Department of Rangoon Baptist College and Professor of Pali. ◀

► ► Reunion Checklist for '49

► ► 1878-1898—Luncheon, Pine Room, Faunce House, Monday, June 20, 12:30 p.m.

1884—Col. Bowen to be host at dinner. Class to attend Alumni Dinner and Commencement Day Luncheon.

1891—Dinner with 1893 at Squantum Club, Sunday, June 19.

1893—Dinner at Squantum Club, Sunday, June 19, 2 p.m. Group to meet at University Club at 12. Breakfast at Hope Club Monday at 8.

1894—"Time is Turning Back for '94 in '49." Dinner, Saturday, June 18, Agawam Hunt Club, 4:30. Luncheon, Sunday, June 19, at 84 Prospect St., Providence.

1897—Dinner, Saturday, June 19, Agawam Hunt Club.

1899—Alumni Dinner, June 17. June 18 and 19 at Point View House, Jamestown. In campus, June 20.

1900—Friday night dinner. Regular breakfast, Monday, June 20 at University Club.

1901—June 18 and 19 at Narragansett Inn, Watch Hill, R. I.

1902—Dinner, Saturday, June 18, Agawam Hunt Club, 5 p.m.

1903—Dinner, Saturday, June 18, Agawam Hunt Club, 5 p.m. Luncheon, Monday, June 20, University Club, noon.

The 50-Plus Luncheon

► BROWN'S ELDER STATESMEN, the members of Classes from 1898 back to 1878, are invited to attend a special luncheon on the campus on Commencement Day. Alumni Executive Officer has made arrangements, through the University Dining Rooms, to cater to the "50-plus" Classes in the Pine Room of Faunce House Monday, June 20 at 12:30. The luncheon will provide opportunity for those special reminiscences which are the privilege of the senior alumni. It will conclude in time for the Sayles Hall meeting Monday afternoon. ◀

1904—On-campus headquarters, Littlefield Hall. Lunch and dinner, June 18 at R. I. Country Club. Sunday, "Do as you please day" at King Gorman's in East Greenwich.

1905—Saturday afternoon, June 18 at David Davidson's at Cedar Tree Point. Dinner Saturday evening, Frog Pond, Warwick.

1907—Saturday, June 18, Dinner at University Club, 5 p.m.

1908—Weekend at R. I. Country Club. Dinners Saturday and Sunday evenings.

BROWN ALUMNI MONTHLY

1909—Friday night to Monday morning at Dunes-Carleton Hotel, Narragansett Pier, R. I.
 1910—Alumni Dinner, Friday, preceded by cocktails. Dinner at R. I. Country Club, Sunday, June 19, 2 p.m.
 1911—Sunday, June 19, dinner at Cold Spring House, Wickford, 1:30 p.m.
 1912—Dinner, Agawam Hunt Club, Saturday, June 18 at 6:00.
 1914—Friday, June 17 to Monday, June 20 at Canonchet Beach Club, Narragansett Pier. Clambake, Saturday; Barbecue, Sunday.
 1915—Meet at home of Sidney Clifford, 60 Freeman Pkwy., 4:30 p.m. Friday preceding Alumni Dinner.
 1916—Cocktail party, University Club, Friday, June 17 preceding Alumni Dinner.
 1917—Cocktail party, University Club, Friday, June 17 preceding Alumni Dinner.
 1918—Breakfast, University Club, 7:45 Monday, June 20.
 1919—Friday, June 17 to Sunday, June 19 at Weekapaug Inn, Weekapaug, R. I.
 1921—Dinner, 6:30 p.m., Golf beforehand. Saturday, June 18, R. I. Country Club.
 1922—Plans under way for informal reunion—cocktails before Alumni Dinner, Friday, June 17.
 1923—Breakfast, University Club, Monday, June 20, 7:45.
 1924—Cocktails, Providence Art Club preceding Alumni Dinner, Friday. Dinner for wives at University Club, Fri-

day. Lunch, Yacht Club; Bake, Squantum Club, Saturday, June 18. Luncheon, Brown Outing Reservation and President's reception, Sunday, June 19. Commencement Procession, June 20.
 1926—Plans pending at press time.
 1927—Cocktails before Alumni Dinner Friday, June 17, at Fred Barrows', 173 Brown St.
 1928—Dinner, Saturday, June 18, University Club, 6:30.
 1929—June 18 and 19 at Norwich Inn, Norwich, Conn.
 1932—Overnight at Bon Voyage Hotel, Jamestown, R. I. Lunch and dinner, Saturday; dinner and class meeting, Sunday. Golf and usual activities.
 1934—Weekend at Cold Spring House,

Wickford, R. I.
 1937—Class Dinner Monday, June 13, Sheraton-Biltmore Hotel, Providence, 7:30.
 1939—Cocktails, Foster Davis' home, 163 Bowen St. preceding Alumni Dinner. June 18, lunch, cocktails, dinner and class meeting, Viking Hotel, Newport. June 19, shore dinner at Surf Club, near Easton's Beach, Newport.
 1940 — June 18 at Valley Ledgement Club; golf tournament at 2 and dinner at 6:30 p.m.
 1944—Afternoon and dinner, Chopmist Hill Inn, June 18.
 1945—Dinner, June 18, at University Club, 7 p.m.

Brunonians Far and Near ◀ ◀

EDITED BY JOHN B. HARCOURT '43

1884

Col. W. H. P. Bowen, Secretary of the 65-year Class, invites its members to be his guests at dinner during the Commencement season. They will attend the All-Alumni Dinner on Friday night, June 17, in Andrews Hall at 6:00, in addition to the special luncheon on Commencement Day, Monday, June 20.

1887

Mrs. Clarence A. Carr of Newport, widow of our late classmate, died after a long illness in April. Two daughters survive—Miss Margaret E. Carr, dean of girls at Rogers High, Newport, and Mrs. Charles V. Booth of Worcester—and a son, Comdr. Robert S. Carr USN ret.

1888

Arthur Johnson's current address is 716 Hospital Trust Bldg., Providence.

1891

E. B. Aldrich has generously included the Class of 1891 once again in his invitation to the Squantum Club clambake for his own Class, 1893. This comes on Sunday, June 19.

1893

For many years the Class of 1893 has enjoyed the hospitality of E. B. Aldrich at a Commencement clambake. Again he has extended his invitations for this delightful affair at the Squantum Club. J. D. E. Jones, another host to the Class, will continue his custom of inviting '93 to the Hope Club on Commencement morning for breakfast.

1894

Time Turns Back for '94 in '49

Cordial response to the reunion program promises a good gathering for the Class in Providence June 17-20. The Class Dinner will be held at the Agawam Hunt Club, following informalities there at 4:30 Saturday, June 18. On Sunday Henry Sharpe invites the '94 men to his house, 84 Prospect St., for lunch at 1, repeating his gracious action of five years ago. The attractive schedule is rounded out by participation in the general events of the Commencement period, starting with the Alumni Dinner Friday night and carrying on through the graduation and Sayles Hall meeting on Monday.

Among the Early Birds

► EARLY BIRDS to send in reservations for tickets for the Alumni Dinner June 17 included several of Brown's senior alumni. Two of them will make the trip East from California for the occasion: William Ely '78 of Coronado and N. Wheaton Dexter '95 of Santa Monica. Two Class Secretaries are in the group: Prof. Henry P. Manning '83 and Dr. E. D. Chesebro '83. E. H. Weeks '93, who seldom misses a Brown gathering in Providence, is another.

Last year William Ely was the oldest alumnus to share in the Commencement festivities and drove east to celebrate his 90th birthday during that period. Dr. Chesebro, like Mr. Ely, has hardly missed a Commencement since his own. ◀

The Damaged Earth and a Prize ◀

►► A vivid and informative series of news stories on damage done by soil erosion in the eastern wheat crop district of the State of Washington won for Charles R. Stark Jr., '07 of the *Seattle Spokesman-Review* a first prize in the Washington State Press Club's annual awards for distinguished writing.

For his top honors, which were in the public service feature story division, Stark received a parchment certificate, a \$100 bond, and plenty of helpful publicity. His newspaper added another \$100 bond, and his editor sent the series of articles to New York for Pulitzer consideration.

Moreover, the U. S. Department of Agriculture, appreciating the value of the series, had reprints made and photostatted and sent to all parts of the country. The reprints have gone through four editions, and a fifth edition is now ready. The John Hay Library has copies of the reprint, which clearly illustrate the value of propaganda stemming from material carefully and thoroughly gathered, and ably written.

Stark got his facts first hand. He made trips into the field. He saw with the eyes of a trained reporter what was going on throughout the wheat-raising district. He watched the Soil Conservation Service experts, and asked many questions. He talked with hundreds of other persons—county agents, farmers, bankers, business men. All told, he turned in 35 special stories for his newspaper to publish in four parts. Stark admits that he is beginning to know his wheat fields, as well as something about soil erosion.



CHARLES R. STARK, JR. '07

On the *Spokesman-Review*, where he has handled many assignments, Stark is currently staff writer and picture page editor. A native of Providence, he has been in newspaper work for most of the years since he left college to go to the city staff of the *Providence Journal*. ◀

Lecturer in Egypt

► CALLED TO EGYPT to lecture at King Fuad University, Dr. John H. Morrissey '10 gave a six-weeks' course of instruction to students there this spring, as well as to Egyptian urologists. In addition to the lectures there were demonstrations and operations on selected cases.

Before his return he attended the International Urological Conference in Madrid, and was also invited to lecture before the Royal Academy of Medicine in Dublin.

A well-known authority in his field, Dr. Morrissey is Director of Urology at City Hospital, New York, and Attending Urologist at New York Hospital (Cornell University Division) and St. Clare's Hospital, as well as consulting urologist at numerous hospitals. He is a former Chairman of the Section on Urology of the New York Academy of Medicine. He holds a Brown Bear Award, from the Associated Alumni. ◀

Henry D. Sharpe, a Board member of the National Industrial Conference Board since 1929, was re-elected at the April meeting in New York.

1896

Thaddeus J. Hayden has a new address at 170 Smith St., Providence.

1897

Class Secretary George L. Miner reports that the Class has made arrangements for its annual Commencement dinner at the Agawam Hunt Club on Saturday, June 18.

Leslie Paull has moved to 3520 Natches Court, Englewood, Col. We wonder what he did with his extensive gardens with their vast variety of flowers.

James H. Arthur, President of the Class, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Ellsworth Gale of East Greenwich. He spent a month in the hospital in Providence after being flown back from Florida, where he had been taken ill.

1898

Roland C. Powers has a new address at 2101 So. Oakknoll Ave., San Marino, Calif.

1899

All plans are complete for the big 50th reunion, along the lines previously announced and as reported to the Class in a succession of fine News-Letters edited by Benjamin W. Grim. The weekend will begin with the Class taking part in the All-Alumni "reunion of reunions" at Andrews Hall Friday night, June 17. Headquarters for the next two days will be at the Point View House, Jamestown, and all will return to the campus for the general program of Commencement Day on Monday. A large turnout is expected for all events.

Francis Cole's daughter, Martha W. Cole, was married April 16 to Leo M. Curley of Taunton.

Edward A. Stockwell sat for his last day as Probate Judge for the town of Smithfield, R. I. in April.

Current addresses: Charles Atkins, 160 Euston Rd., Garden City, N. Y.; Julian C. Chase, RFD 2, Woodbury, Conn.

1900

Melvin Johnson has been enthusiastic chairman of all 1900 reunions to date. His

big project will come next year, but the Class will meet this June to talk over plans. The usual breakfast on the morning of Commencement Day will be held at the University Club.

1901

The Class will be at Watch Hill's Naragansett Inn on Saturday and Sunday of the Commencement weekend, with more than a little interest attached to this off-year reunion. The All-Alumni Dinner of Friday night, June 17 is also on the program, as well as participation in the overall program of Monday on College Hill.

Former Congressman Howard Coffin has established the Industrial Service Bureau in Washington, D. C., and heads its activities.

F. C. Thompson has moved up into the White Mountains following his retirement and has come along nicely after a serious illness. He speaks of his pleasure on discovering that the editor of the local newspaper is Clinton L. White '31, nephew of Clinton C. White '00. Mr. Thompson's new address is Mt. Prospect Road, RFD 1, Lancaster, N. H.

Rev. Betram A. Warren is Rector Emeritus of St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Walla Walla, Wash.

Dr. Arthur I. Andrews, former Professor of Diplomacy at Charles University of Prague, Czechoslovakia, is a scheduled lecturer at the 15th annual session of the Institute of World Affairs in New Hampshire, of which he is director. He plans to be in Providence for Commencement.

Dr. Harvey N. Davis's daughter Suzanne was married at her father's home to Robert S. Way of New York, April 9.

The *Springfield Daily News* marked the 70th birthday of George A. Taylor April 22 with a feature story about him which said he was "still a trencherman, writer, dog fancier, and student of Von Clausewitz." "Known as the 'corpulently complacent Colonel,' a self-assumed pseudonym of former years, the former Army officer still enjoys life in a simple pastoral setting at a small place at 12 North Middle St. (Hadley, Mass.) . . . The old Army fire still lurks beneath the aura of squire." ◀

1902

Class Secretary Lewis S. Milner reports a good response to the provision of an off-year reunion in the form of a dinner at the Agawam Hunt Club on Saturday, June 18. The men will start to gather around 5 in the afternoon. A delega-

Honorary Degree for Boas

► PROF. GEORGE BOAS '13, Johns Hopkins University philosopher, was among those who received honorary degrees at the Washington and Lee Bicentennial. The citation for the degree of Doctor of Laws called him: "at home alike in the world of ideas and the world of action—weaving gossamer threads of thought into patterns of comprehension—magnetic center of recurrent groups of youth who seek the inner meaning—soldier of two wars of freedom—remembered in deathless gratitude by hosts of foreign citizens whose lives you enriched, and honored by all who know your work." ◀



THE BANNER SAYS "BROWN" but it was also a remembrance of a quartet deeply interested in the Collegiate School of New York. Alumni of the School, now in Brown, were guests of Henry G. Carpenter '06 at Cold Spring House, Wickford this spring. Leonard Carpenter '38 also joined with undergraduates John Stepita and Vincent Keating. The Senior Carpenter is on the Faculty and Alumni Secretary at Collegiate.

tion will also be on hand for the All-Alumni Dinner the night before.

The Class mourns the death of Walter E. Munro on April 27, 1949. "Pop" had long been ill.

P. H. Porcheron sends his summer address: 295 Woodland Ave., Albany, N. Y.

1903

At the 45th reunion last year the Class voted to hold annual reunions at Commencement time henceforth. The schedule for 1949 includes attendance at the All-Alumni Dinner Friday night, June 17. The Class dinner will be held at the Agawam Hunt Club, starting around 5 p.m., while the annual Commencement luncheon will find 1903 men at the University Club at noon.

1904

Littlefield Hall will be headquarters for a campus-based reunion for 1904's 45th. From there the Class will join with the others in the "reunion of reunions" at Andrews Hall Friday night, June 17. On Saturday, luncheon and dinner are scheduled at the R. I. Country Club. Sunday is listed as "Do-as-you please Day," with a shore dinner in prospect at King Gorman's in East Greenwich for those who desire it, with the possibility of a boat-ride on the Bay.

Howard Esten came back to Pawtucket after his winter in California. The Los Angeles Brown Club reports he was a regular attendant at its weekly luncheons (along with Houghton Metcalf) during his stay on the Pacific Coast.

1905

Nineteen five, which prides itself on its splendid reunion record, will feature two events on Saturday, June 18: The afternoon will be spent at David Davidson's summer place on Cedar Tree Point. Dinner will be served under pleasant auspices at the Dreyfus Frog Pond, Warwick, that evening.

What Is a Liberal?

▶▶ WHAT is a liberal? Dr. W. F. Partridge '07 made the following definition of the term the basis of a talk he gave to the International Club of Mount Allison University, Sackville, N. B., where he writes a weekly column, "World Commentary," for the *Tribune-Post*:

"A liberal is one who guides his thought and conduct by the consideration of 'whatsoever things are true'. But since truth has many facets he does not insist that truth as he sees it is the only and ultimate truth. He believes that it is possible by experience and thought to arrive at constantly larger visions and that the larger truth is arrived at by the contributions of many minds.

"For that reason the liberal always wants freedom to think and speak, to believe and disbelieve, to will and to choose. He wants that freedom not only for himself but for all men. He is willing to be persuaded but will not be coerced into accepting other men's opinions and dogmas; nor will he consent to the coercion of others.

"Because he believes that truth, with a free field, is its own best advocate, he is willing to bow to the will of the majority, confident that truth will ultimately triumph. But he is not willing to surrender to the majority his mental and spiritual freedom nor his reasoned convictions.

"His ideal of government is a government that rules with the minimum of laws consistent with the common good, that seeks to preserve and extend the area of action in which the individual will act on his own initiative and responsibility. The liberal believes in the natural equality of all men and in its accompanying inference of natural rights such as have recently found expression in the United Nation Declaration of Human Rights.

"Because of these attitudes of mind and heart the liberal is the most comfortable and civilized type of man earth's cultures have yet produced."

1905

Joseph Bailey is with the Iver Johnson Arms and Cycle Works in Fitchburg, Mass. His home address is Box 314, Ashburnham, Mass.

Oliver Jennings, in retirement, is living at 274 Lincoln Ave., Fall River, Mass.

Clarence W. Holmes, also in retirement, sends a permanent address at 10 Bradford Rd., Newport, N. H.

1907

Dinner at the University Club in Providence on Saturday, June 18, will be a reunion highlight for 1907. The clan will gather about 5 that afternoon, Class Secretary Alfred H. Gurney informs us.

George Hurley's law firm is now Hurley, Moriarty (Walter V. Moriarty '20) and Moakler, and is occupying its new offices at 105 Grosvenor Bldg., Providence.

Arthur W. Bushell, visitor from Hamden, Conn., to his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. David Miller, on the Brown campus, said that he was having "a swell time as executive secretary of the Connecticut Road Builders' Association." He acts as a labor union contact man, keeps an eye on the General Assembly, and works "half time for ten months." His off months are August for cruising and February for Florida.

Professor Z. Chafee, Jr., and Mrs. Chafee of Cambridge, Mass., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Anne Buffington Chafee, to Shirlyn Brien of San Clemente, Calif. Miss Chafee is a graduate of Radcliffe College; Mr. Brien, alumnus of University of Southern California, is studying at Harvard for his doctorate in fine arts.

Dr. Ernest S. Reynolds and his family, former residents of Miami, are at home at 903 Pizarro St., Coral Gables 34, Fla.

Harry H. Thurlow has moved his law office from 56 Washington St. to 88 Dorrance St., Providence 3.

Earle Arnold Harrington, who died March 4, 1949, at Hatboro, Pa., was a member of the Class in Freshman year. Born in Providence, March 7, 1885, the son of Charles N. Harrington '70 and

Annie E. (Stone) Harrington, he entered Brown from Hope High School and won a Hartshorn Premium in mathematics. From the time he left college in June, 1904, until his death, he was connected with the lumber business in Providence, North Carolina and Pennsylvania. In recent years he had been a packaging engineer (sales) for C. M. Wall & Son, Lexington, N. C. He was a former president of the North Carolina Society, Sons of the American Revolution, and a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon. On March 9, 1907, he married Miss Mabel Ida Hazlehurst, who survives, with a daughter and two sons.

1908

For its off-year reunion, the Class has made reservations for Saturday and Sunday evenings, June 18 and 19, at the Rhode Island Country Club for dinner. President Benson R. Frost appointed Prof. William W. Browne and Norman S. Case to serve with him on the committee in charge. Dr. Albert C. Thomas is the official tub-thumper, with extra publicity in Roy Grinnell's *Newport County Sentinel*.

When Ambassador Ely Eliot Palmer was in Providence in May, several of the Class and their wives greeted him at dinner at the Wayland Manor: Dr. and Mrs. Albert C. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mason, Howard S. Young, C. LeRoy Grinnell, James Murray, and Howard Newman. Mr. Palmer had many interesting stories to tell of his long career in the State Department. The Palmers have headed west, motoring to California for a holiday before the next assignment is undertaken. That will depend in part on Mrs. Palmer's health.

After dinner, the group had a chance to look at souvenirs of the Ambassador's travels. Greetings came from a dozen or more of the Class who had been unable to dine with the others, including President Benson R. Frost, and President-elect William W. Browne of the Associated Alumni. The *Newport County Sentinel* said: "With the exception of becoming more gray and weighty, Ely looks the same as in the 1905 picture of the Sophomore

football team that trimmed the Freshman that year."

John G. Canfield was promoted at the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Reliance Machine & Mfg. Co., Inc. He has been Sales Engineer but in May was named Vice-President of Domestic and Foreign Sales in charge of their Prime and Subcontracting Departments. The company, at 30 Irving Place, New York 3, deals in metal products—mechanical, scientific, and electrical. Mr. Canfield is also Decade Chairman for the Brown Housing Campaign in New York's metropolitan district.

Earl Biddle Conklin is convalescing at his home on Sugar Creek Rd., Ironton, O., after an accident that laid him low while working on his farm in early spring. A piece of wood from a blast struck him on the right leg below the knee, breaking it and knocking him to the ground. When he fell, he broke a bone in his right arm. E. B. Conklin, Jr., '42, who was with his father at the time, later withdrew from Brown, where he has been doing graduate work, to do the farm work until his father becomes active again.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick A. Edgecomb of Honolulu are in California for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. T. E. Roberts of San Diego. Another daughter, Miss Carol Edgecomb, is to be married in Pasadena to Floyd Elton Brown of that city, a fellow student at Occidental College, where she is to graduate this month. Miss Eleanor Edgecomb was married in December to Lt. Harry Sinclair.

Frank G. Shinn has moved to Good Hill Rd., Woodbury, Conn.

Interlake Commodore

▶ "IF THERE IS ANY living Great Lakes skipper who has earned himself a spot in the Who's Who of yachting, it is Theodore B. Farnsworth of Grosse Pointe, Mich.," said a Cleveland yachting writer who noted that this member of the Brown Class of 1912 had just become Commodore of the Interlake Yachting Association, one of the highest honors a Midwest skipper can receive.

The Detroitier, who began sailing at 14, has competed in 28 of the famous Mackinac races, winning six, five with his own boats and one as a guest skipper. He was Commodore of Detroit's Bayview Yacht Club in 1934, Commodore of the Detroit River Yachting Association in 1935, and has been chairman of the Port Huron-Mackinac race committee, yachting committee of the Grosse Pointe Yacht Club, and Detroit River Y. A. He learned to sail on Narragansett Bay with a flat-bottomed dinghy and was a member of the Washington Park Yacht Club while an undergraduate at Brown.

During the war it gave him satisfaction to hear of good navigation and seamanship by youngsters whom he had trained. He watches with interest the progress of yachting at Brown. Nearer home, he is one of the five advisors to the new Midwest Collegiate Yachting Association.

1909

The 40th reunion will center in the Dunes-Carleton Hotel at Narragansett Pier, where the reservation has been made for the period from Friday night to Monday morning, June 17-20. The Class of 1909 is famed for its fine reunions, and the interval between Friday and Monday will be appropriately employed, under the direction of Reunion Chairman Herbert M. Sherwood.

Another Class Supper was held in the evening of May 5th at the Faculty Club to discuss Reunion matters with Chairman Herb Sherwood. Those present were Connell, Chace, Whitmarsh, Connelly, Cameron, Tinkham, Greene, Ross, Sherwood, Hollen, Poland, Tanner and Chafee.

The nomination of Albert M. Christy as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, Territory of Hawaii, was confirmed by the U. S. Senate in March. His nomination by President Truman was reported by us in January.

Bob Bennett has not been in the best of health lately. But he is better now and would be glad to hear from any of his classmates. His address: 258 Spencer Ave., East Greenwich.

Heinie Selleck is doing a lot of freelance special writing and also teaching a class in advanced advertising copy at Wayne University.

D. Albert Reid's address is 28 Narragansett Bay Ave., Warwick, R. I. We are pleased to report that Bert is recovering from a rather long illness and will be glad to see any of his classmates.

William M. Conroy is practicing law in New Bedford, Mass., where his home is at 203 Hawthorne St.

Miss Jane Mayhew, daughter of the late John W. Mayhew '09, was married in April in West Tisbury, Mass.

Henry S. Chafee was a pleased witness when Governor Pastore of Rhode Island signed a bill which authorized the City of Providence to borrow an additional \$450,000 in exchange for bonds to complete construction of an addition to the Providence Public Library. Mr. Chafee is President of the Library's Board of Directors.

1910

A 1910 dinner in the Pine Room of Faunce House on the campus provided a get-together April 20 for Fales, Horton, Phinney, L. A. Round, Spicer, Walcott, Wood, and Comstock. The group com-

McGrath Suggested Quinn

▶ WHEN PRESIDENT TRUMAN was seeking a Secretary of the Navy to succeed John L. Sullivan, the name of Judge Robert E. Quinn '15 was given consideration for the appointment, according to Washington newspapermen. Frederic W. Collins '28 reported the fact to his papers the *Providence Journal* and *Bulletin*.

What made the news particularly interesting is the word that Judge Quinn had been suggested by a Rhode Island rival in State politics, Democratic National Chairman McGrath. Mr. Quinn, a member of the Rhode Island Superior Court, was a Navy Captain during the war. ◀



DWIGHT T. COLLEY '18 is the new General Manager of Domestic Sales for the Atlantic Refining Company. He was elected to the Company's Board of Directors at the annual stockholders' meeting in May and subsequently was named Vice-President. He has his headquarters in Philadelphia, where he moved in March, 1948, after having served as Regional Sales Manager for New England. He has been in the company's sales organization for 30 years, much of the time operating from Providence.

Mr. Colley served in the United States Army in both wars and is one of the few American veterans who has been decorated with the Distinguished Service Cross in each war. He holds an honorary degree from Brown. (Bachrach photo.)

pleted plans for the off-year reunion this month. It starts Friday afternoon, June 17, with cocktails at the home of a Providence classmate before the All-Alumni Dinner in Andrews Hall. Saturday is left open for individual plans, but Sunday will provide a Class Dinner at the Rhode Island Country Club at 2 p. m. The 1950 reunion is already shaping up, following a decisive vote for a campus-based weekend.

Billy Lynn was back on the campus for the special performance of "Countless Cathleen" on May 8. The Broadway star was the center of an interested group of Sock and Buskin undergraduates at the tea which followed.

Edward Spicer has a new grandson, Peter Sheldon Spicer, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sheldon Spicer, Jr., born April 13.

Ralph M. Palmer, for the eighth successive year, headed up the Chemical Division of the Salvation Army Drive in New York City.

1911

Brent Smith reported to the Alumni Office that nearly thirty men had indicated they would be on hand for their reunion: Giles, Channing, J. Semonoff, Staff, Swanson, Murphy, Hubbard, O'Neil, Brown,

Carpenter, Gleason, Skelding, Erwin, Wood, Pilling, Larkin, Arnold, Hinkley, Anderson, Macdougall, Corp, Richardson, Moore, Burke, Hampton, Partington, and Smith. A highlight of the Commencement weekend for 1911 will be the Sunday at the Cold Spring House, Wickford, with dinner scheduled for 1:30 p. m.

Carol Channing, "spectacularly funny" (*Time's* descriptives) comedienne of the Broadway hit revue "Lend an Ear," is the daughter of our classmate George Channing. The latter was a campus visitor late in April to give a forthright chapel talk, with words of appreciation for the things Brown stands for.

1912

Dinner for 1912 is on the docket for Saturday, June 12, and the men will meet at the Agawam about 6:00.

Howard G. MacMillan is in New Zealand for an indefinite stay, his wife informs the Secretary of the Los Angeles Brown Club.

W. L. Jenckes has a new address: Box 537, Harwich Port, Mass.

1913

Class officers were contemplating a dinner for the local members Saturday or Sunday night of the Commencement weekend this month, but as we went to press the time and place were not definite. For specific information, get in touch with George Metcalf.

Albert C. Brown is Assistant Real Estate Land Administrative Manager for the U. S. Engineers in Huntington, W. Va. His home there is at 2912 Merrill Ave.

Wally Snell has a new grandson, Stephen Farnham Snell, born April 7 to Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Snell.

Herbert E. Field has moved to Little Compton, R. I.

1914

Forty-six members of the Class had signed up for the 35th reunion when the last folder went out to give 1914 men the final word on program for the four-day weekend at Narragansett Pier's Canonchet Club. There will be a welcome from 11 a. m. on Friday June 17 forward. A buffet supper is scheduled for 10 p. m., when the delegation from the Alumni Dinner in Providence should start arriving.

Saturday's schedule: a morning of sports, class picture at 11:30, cocktails at Morgan Rogers' "Faraway" from 1 to 2, and a clambake at 2. Again a buffet supper at 10 p. m. Sunday's feature will be a broiler barbecue at Fritz Hazard's farm at 3, while Monday will see 1914 in line for the Commencement activities on the Hill in Providence.

Expected: Adelman, Bagnall, Bean, Beckwith, Boyd, Brackett, Brady, Howard Brown of Los Angeles, Champney, Pulver Cook, Joe Cook of Denver, Czabak, Deady, Durgin, Farnham, Files, Foote, Gardiner, Harrington, Hazard, Holding, Kelly, Legris, Lord, Loucks, MacDowell, McGovern, McKenzie, McLaughlin, William Moffett from Detroit, Nash, Nathanson, Poland, Post, Rogers, Savin, Smith, Spooner, Sprague, Tyrrell, Viner, Wolf, Cyril Wakefield from Redwood City, Calif., Whitehead, Willett, and Woolley.

Current addresses: C. Lester Woolley, 128 Narragansett Ave., Providence; Earl Medbery, 18 Rhode Island Ave., Providence.



Rachrach photo

JAMES L. PALMER '19, newly elected President of Marshall Field & Co., took office in April after having declined, according to *Time* magazine, the presidency of Montgomery Ward. In the Marshall Field organization since 1936, he had previously held such posts as Sales Promotion Manager, Assistant to the President, General Operating Manager, Vice-President and Controller, and Executive Vice-President.

He is completing his third year as President of the Community Fund of Chicago and is a Director of Community Chests and Councils, Inc. He is a member of the advisory committee for the Seventh Federal Reserve District, and director of General Candy Corp., American Management Association, Chicago Lighthouse for the Blind, and Chicago Sunday Evening Club. He is a Trustee of Brown and sent two sons as students to Brown.

1915

The members of the Class of 1915 will meet at the home of the Secretary, Sidney Clifford, 60 Freeman Parkway, at 4:30 o'clock, prior to attending the Alumni Dinner on Friday, June 17th. Members of the class are urged to make their dinner reservations promptly, in order that the dinner committee may make proper seating arrangements.

At the afternoon meeting detailed plans for the 35th reunion in 1950 will be discussed, and the class officers are expecting a large attendance.

Donald Dike, Principal of the Athol High School, is a Life Member of the National Education Association. This honor came to him before 300 delegates, representing 20,000 teachers, in April when he completed his term as President of the Massachusetts Teachers' Federation.

Former Attorney General John H. Nolan has been appointed to the new Rhode Island Fair Employment Practices Commission for a five-year term, the long-

est designated in connection with the setting up of the five-man board.

1916

Before the All-Alumni Dinner on Friday, June 17, the members of 1916 plan to gather at the University Club for cocktails. "Sixteen, this way."

New addresses: Henry Osborn, 24 South St., Bellows Falls, Vt.; Harold Hall, 10525 Valley Spring Lane, North Hollywood, Calif.; H. Avery Morgan, Box 108, Veterans Administration Bldg., Los Angeles.

1917

Like 1916, the Class of 1917 has designated the University Club as its meeting place before attending the All-Alumni Dinner at Andrews Hall Friday evening, June 17. There will be cocktails for those who want them. "Attention '17, See You on the 17th."

Dale Wylie, in New England on business for his company (Iron Fireman), made a side trip to Providence and the campus in April. He also looked in on his son, at Middlesex School.

Dr. Isaac Y. Olch is practicing at 6022 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles and living at 322 South Lucerne Blvd.

Col. Joseph E. Maguire has a new address at 45 Firglade Ave., Providence.

1918

The Class of 1918 will hold its traditional breakfast on Commencement morning, June 20, at the University Club. The hour has been set for 7:45 a.m. to allow ample time for the pleasant meal before the men report on the campus for the Procession, Secretary Walter Adler informs us.

Winn W. Chase has written Walter Adler, telling of a business trip to India and most of Western Europe. He visited all the countries, except those behind the Iron Curtain, with many strange and novel adventures of which we hope sometime to hear. He was in Brazil in May but hoped to be back at his home in Upper Montclair, N. J., by June. He'll try to come to Providence for Commencement.

Dr. J. Walter Wilson of the Brown Biology Department uttered a word of caution in April to those who are overconfident of an easy cure for cancer. Dr. Wilson warned that cancer may not be a disease, but a symptom of a disease, or of many different diseases with different types of cures. He emphasized that preventives, rather than magic cures, seem to be the most feasible approach to the problem at present. Walter has been serving this year as President of the Brown Faculty Club, a lively and useful institution to which he has devoted himself well.

His classmates got a kick out of seeing Prof. Charles Stuart's picture as one of the illustrations in the story on the Biology Department (April issue). But, of course, he prefers to be regarded as a 1918 man and should not have been given the '19 numeral.

1919

Everything is set, and the response is great. The Class will be at Weekapaug Inn for its 30th reunion from Friday, June 17, to Sunday, June 19. Many of the Class will attend the All-Alumni Dinner in Andrews Hall, Friday night, to hear Furber Marshall and the others. Local alumni are arranging transportation for those who want to drive to Weekapaug that night, or dormitory rooms on

campus may be reserved for those who will wait until Saturday morning for the ride down.

1919

H. Harold Whitman of Buenos Aires wrote in reply to his reunion literature: "I'd be there if I were within a couple of thousand miles. Please give my best to all the old crocks."

Arthur J. Levy was chairman of an April meeting on "The Role of the Board Member and the Social Worker in the Promotion of Legislation." This was one of the sessions in connection with the R. I. Conference of Social Work. He has been active for many years as leader in the Providence Council of Social Agencies.

Philip E. Scott has a new address at 404 Loucroft Rd., Haddonfield, N. J. He is with the Esterbrook Pen Co. in Camden.

William Albrecht, Jr., is in Washington, D. C., where he is a Structural Engineer with the Navy Department's Bureau of Yards and Docks. His Washington address is 2730 Wisconsin Ave.

Louis Caster is President of the Keig-Stevens Baking Co. in Rockford, Ill. He lives on RR 2, Pecatonica, Ill.

William H. Edwards continues as President of the Board of Trustees of Lincoln School, following the recent annual meeting. Russell P. Jones '21 is Vice-President, and Dr. Bruce M. Bigelow '24 is a Trustee.

Claude Davidson, President of the New England League of Professional Baseball Clubs, is living at the Hotel Lenox in Boston.

1920

Dr. Raymond S. Stites is curator in charge of Education at the National Academy in Washington. He has a new address at 5616 Hamilton Manor Drive, Hyattsville, Md. He's working on another book, we hear.

Dr. Stanley G. Warner is Associate Cancer Biologist at the Roswell Park Memorial Institute for Cancer Research in Buffalo. His address is the Biological Laboratory, Springfield, N. Y.

Walter V. Moriarty, long a law associate of George Hurley '07, has been joined by John W. Moakler, Jr. The three are now associated for the practice of law under the name Hurley, Moriarty and Moakler at 105 Grosvenor Bldg., Providence.

The Saving of Greece

▶ IF IT HAD NOT BEEN for the American military mission to Greece, that country would now be a Soviet satellite state, in the opinion of Col. Augustus J. Regnier '22. He spent 13 months as a member of that mission, saw considerable fighting between the Greek Army and the guerrilla troops. In fact, he saw one assault on guerrilla positions near Salonika that was widely headlined in this country.

Visiting his father in Warwick this spring, Col. Regnier pointed out that the American mission has absolutely no command authority—its function is purely advisory. He was made an honorary citizen of the City of Sparta and holds a Distinguished Service Medal presented him by King Paul for "valuable and inestimable services to Greece and her Army."

Kenneth Bitting is Manager of Merrill Lynch, Pierce, Fenner & Beane in St. Louis. His address there is 24 Clermont Lane.

1921

Golfers will provide the vanguard of 1921's off-year reunion at the Rhode Island Country Club. While they will be on hand earlier in the day, the less energetic members of the Class will be on hand in good season. Dinner will be served at 6:30, and a good turnout is indicated.

H. Stanton Smith, Chairman of the 1949 Budget Committee of the Providence Community Fund, presided over one of the sessions of the 10th anniversary Conference of Social Work in Rhode Island.

Allan B. Colby is Assistant to the President of the Gifford-Wood Co., Engineers, in Hudson, N. Y. His address there is 13 Becraft Ave.

H. A. Faulkner has a new address at 1108 King Rd., Ashland, Ohio.

1922

The Class, having found annual reunions to its liking, expects to have a re-

union set-up in the form of an informal meeting during the Commencement week-end. The time and place had not been determined as this issue went to press, but Secretary J. Wilbur Riker will have the necessary information by the time you see this notice.

Clarence S. Gray is now Vice-President and Treasurer of Appleton Corporation at 87 Willard Ave., Providence 5. The company is concerned with plastic and plastic products.

Henry M. McKelvie has joined A. D. Juilliard & Co., Inc., in a mill capacity. He was formerly with Manville-Jenckes, Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Merrimack Manufacturing Co., and more recently has been in business for himself in Gastonia, N. C., in the machine and parts line. According to the press, his first Juilliard assignment was to be at the Aragon Plant, Aragon, Ga., but late in April he sent us a postal with a Rome, Ga., cancellation, reported his house is in King's Mountain, N. C., but gave Box 861, Gastonia, N. C. as his preferred mail address.

Chapin Newhard's older boy will graduate from Hotchkiss this month and turns

his thoughts toward Brown University. He was an end on the football team and captained the swimmers. Chapin, Jr., is a student at St. George's in Newport.

New addresses: Raymond Rich, 4 Lynwood Rd., Scarsdale, N. Y.; Morton Borod, 82 Laurel Ave., Providence.

1923

Notices have gone out to the Class advising them that the popular breakfast will be held again this year on Commencement morning, June 20. Again the University Club will accommodate us, starting at 7:45.

Prof. John C. Reed is in charge of English for the plebes at the U. S. Naval Academy. He and his family make their home at 713 North Taylor Ave., Annapolis, Md.

Dr. Marsden Earle has moved to 73 Wilbur Ave., Oaklawn, R. I., having sold his Providence house on President Ave.

Walter Waldau, living at 49 Rowan Rd., Summit, N. J., is a law associate of Stryker, Tams & Horner of Newark.

George Young, New Bedford lawyer, maintains his residence in South Dartmouth at 120 Elm St.

Harvey S. Reynolds served as one of the advisors in the R. I. State Capitol when teen-agers took over the Government of the State for a day recently. The former State Senator from Providence assisted at the sessions of the Senate and praised the high school students for their knowledge of technicalities.

Alexander Russell is a Chemical Engineer with the Western Electric Company in Chicago. He lives at 24 S. Elm St., Hinsdale, Ill.

Does anyone have a good address for Warren T. Frohock, Robert H. Summers, or Aaron R. Goodall? Frohock is no longer with the Industrial Trust in Providence, and mail has been returned from Summers in Youngstown and Goodall in Cincinnati.

1924

Twenty-five years deserve the best in reunions, and that's in prospect for 1924 this year. For the particular benefit of those from a distance who don't often get back to College Hill, the program centers in the campus. The Class will be quartered in Hegeman Hall, best suited of all Brown dorms for the purpose, and everyone will really be coming "back to Brown."

The schedule tells the story: *Friday, June 17*—Cocktails at the Providence Art Club for 1924 men and their wives, 5 to 6. The wives will go to the University Club for dinner together while the men attend the All-Alumni Dinner, "the reunion of reunions," in Andrews Hall. All will get together again for the campus dance.

Saturday, June 18—Breakfast ad lib. Luncheon for the Class at the Brown Boat-house, Seekonk River. Clambake that evening for the Class at Squantum.

Sunday, June 19—Breakfast ad lib. Luncheon at the Brown Outing Reservation, Greenville. President's Reception at his home at 55 Power St. at 4:15.

Monday, June 20—Participation in general Commencement program: Procession, Graduation, Alumni Luncheon, Sayles Hall Meeting.

Walter V. Connelly, formerly of the law office of Hurley, Moriarty and Connelly, announced in May that he had opened

Departmental Changes ◀ ◀

► Changes in the chairmanship of seven Departments at Brown University, took effect in May. The changes are in line with the University's established policy of rotating chairmanships.

The new appointees are: Prof. George E. Downing succeeding Prof. Will S. Taylor in the Art department; Prof. Philip Taft succeeding Prof. Chelcie C. Bosland in Economics; Prof. Albert Case '25 succeeding Prof. C. Emanuel Ekstrom '16 in Education; Prof. Randall Stewart succeeding Prof. William T. Hastings '03 in English; Prof. Ralph M. Blake succeeding Prof. Curt J. Ducasse in Philosophy; Prof. Leland H. Goodrich succeeding Prof. Matthew C. Mitchell in Political Science; and Prof. Vincent H. Whitney succeeding Prof. Harold S. Bucklin '10 in Sociology.



RANDALL STEWART

In naming the new Chairman, Dr. Wriston said, "We do not have heads of Departments at Brown. The chairmanship is a staff assignment, and a change in that assignment is in no way an impression of judgment as to the manner in which duties have been discharged. Our high regard for the vision, tact and judgment with which the retiring Chairmen have carried out their duties is well known."

A number of the new assignments have been delayed, Dr. Wriston explained, because of unsettled wartime conditions, while others are occasioned by the impending retirement of present Chairmen.



PHILIP TAFT

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his own office for the general practice of law at 538 Hospital Trust Building, Providence.

E. R. Granniss is manager of the Eagle, Globe, and Royal Indemnity Companies at 150 William St., New York 8.

New addresses: H. Allen Grimwood, 1163 Westminster St., Providence; Stuart D. Goulding, 1108 Beverly Rd., Brooklyn, N. Y.; Douglas C. Pettigrew, 22 North St., Newton, Mass.

1925

Richard H. Annan has a new business connection in the interior decorating field, as associate of Carl Wright, Inc., at 43 Richmond St., Providence. It was good to see Dick in the Alumni Office recently after his long illness.

Samuel Metzger, Jr., has been appointed Manager of the Insurance Department of American Smelting & Refining Co. He succeeds his father, who has retired. The junior Metzger is now living at 306 Windermere Ave., Interlaken, N. J. Mrs. Metzger, whom he married in January, is the former Meredith Hulick Van Kirk.

Paul D. Higgins' mail has been returned from Wollaston, Mass. Has anyone a good address for him?

New addresses: Chester McLean, 163 6th St., Providence; Dr. Maurice B. Thompson, Box MM, Cristobal, Canal Zone; Warren W. Brown, 215 Overlook Rd., Staunton, Va.; J. S. Hukill, 1769 Brandywine Blvd., Edgewood Hills, Wilmington, Del.; Fred Palmer, So. Main St., Uxbridge, Mass.; E. C. Muhlhausen, 74 Pinewood Rd., Hartsdale, N. Y.

1926

At press-time it appeared that there would be an informal reunion of the Class in addition to the Alumni Dinner Friday night, June 17. Exact details were not available, but the prospect was a dinner Saturday at the University Club.

Kent Godfrey, Falls Church real estate man, will be a candidate for the Virginia House of Delegates from Fairfax County in the Republican primary Aug. 2. He is a member of the County Republican Committee, the Greenway Downs Citizens' Association, the Falls Church Chamber of Commerce and PTA (his daughter is the youngest student in Falls Church High School). His real estate firm is called Providence Realty Co.

R. Franklin Weller has been named a member of Rhode Island's new FEPC commission, to take office July 1 for a three-year term. He has been active in the Rhode Island Conference of Christians and Jews.

Report, unconfirmed as yet by John Hunt, is that he has moved to Summit, N. J., where he is now a neighbor of his classmate and fraternity brother, Dr. John Kinley. The latter has practised in Summit for some time.

New addresses: David L. Stackhouse, 30 Hannah Drive, Gaspee Plateau 5, R. I.; Arthur Hassell, Box 29, Peace Dale, R. I.; Mark Coles, 729 Chestnut Ave., Vineland, N. J.; Dr. L. B. Thompson, 58 Westford St., Gardner, Mass.

1927

Fred Barrows will open his door at 173 Brown St. for an informal reunion of 1928 men before the Alumni Dinner Friday evening, June 17.

New York Psi U's

► ON THE EVENING of April 28th, 1949, at the University Club, the Psi Upsilon Club of New York, Sigma Chapter, was launched amid the trappings of a festive banquet—the first of its kind—as far as Brown fraternities are concerned—in the New York Metropolitan Area. It was resolved to meet twice a year for the purposes of continuing our fraternal friendships; welcoming new brothers into the area and maintaining a closer tie with the active chapter and the Psi Upsilon Club of Providence.

Elected to serve for a term of one year, as President was Norman S. Dike, Jr. '41; as Vice-President, Thomas J. Watson, Jr. '37, and as Corresponding Secretary Joseph H. Farnham '14.

Judge Norman S. Dike, Sr. '85 was elected honorary Banquet Chairman with John W. Fawcett '22, Membership; Charles L. Raymond '42, Banquet; and Irving R. Fisher III '43, Treasurer. Edward T. Richards '27 was guest of honor.

Those present were: C. H. Appleby '23, A. H. Wilkinson '17, J. H. Farnham '14, W. R. Chandler, Jr. '16, C. D. Fisher '46, N. S. Dike, Sr. '85, N. S. Dike, Jr. '41, C. M. Raymond '42, A. L. Raymond '41, F. D. Miller '27, E. T. Richards '27, Maurice A. Wolf '14, W. D. Crecca, Jr. '46, J. W. Fawcett '22, M. C. Gould '41, G. J. Gould, Jr. '42, R. E. Timmerman '43, J. W. Pearson '44, R. R. Chase '33, F. F. Flanagan '40, C. Constable '39, G. H. Simpson '37, T. J. Watson, Jr. '37, K. A. O'Brien '28, P. D. O'Brien '27, T. S. Coons, Jr. '26, E. W. Williams '31, A. R. Hanson '44, H. F. Cluthe '35, D. V. Reed '35, R. B. Dimond '30, R. B. Coons '23. ◀

Edmund Wexler has announced removal of his office for the practice of law to 206 Grosvenor Building, Providence, where his associates are William H. McSoley, Daniel E. Geary, and Quentin J. Geary.

Stuart E. Eddy has been turning up of late at the weekly luncheons of the Brown Club in Los Angeles. He is out at El Monte (522 E. Rauchito).

Edward Harmon is selling for the S. A. Felton Co. of Manchester, N. H. His home address is 33 Emerson Rd., Winchester, Mass.

New addresses: E. G. Rundquist, 33-52 81st St., Jackson Heights, Long Island; Kenneth Hovey, 3022 E. 39th St., Indianapolis, Ind.; Abner Auty, Box 5, Howard, R. I.

1928

A Class Dinner will be held at the University Club Saturday night, June 18, at 6:30.

An article by J. Saunders Redding on "American Negro Literature" is announced by *The American Scholar* as one of the features of its Spring issue. It is spoken of as "a measured and comprehensive view of the progress of the Negro in American Literature." We recall Redding's fine lecture on the subject a few

years ago under the auspices of the Friends of the Brown University Library.

Earl H. Bradley, Vice-President of Builders Iron Foundry, received a certificate on behalf of his company recently when the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company recognized its record of 305,000 manhours without a "lost-time" accident.

Lyman Avery is with the J. Walter Thompson Co., advertising, in Detroit.

New addresses: Herbert Lamb, 1011 Golden West, Rosemead, Calif.; Andrew Eddy, 77 Miantonomo Drive, Providence.

1929

The 20th will be a good reunion. That assurance was forthcoming to the committee which notified the Class of its plans for two days at the Norwich Inn, June 18 and 19. A Class Dinner and Class Meeting were on the program to supplement the sports and reminiscence.

Dick Rand and Ed Salzberger are lining up the New York contingent for the 20th reunion, they reported to Chairman John Child early in May. Returns have been running better than for any previous reunion, and a good-sized crowd will be on hand.

Bob Shanklin, one of the men at the record turnout of the Northeastern New York Brown Club April 29, sent word back to the committee that he would be back.

Amedeo Ricci is living at 6545 Densmore Ave., Van Nuys, Calif.

1930

At the recent meeting of the Brown Club of Northeastern New York, the alumni of the area sent their greetings to J. Gordon Baxter of Averill Park, who is ill. The Troy lawyer has always been prominent in the activities of this Club.

Bob Uhl has a new address at 71 Arleigh Rd., Great Neck, Long Island. He is working with Batten, Barton, Durstine & Osborn, Inc., New York City advertisers.

C. Richard Blake is Treasurer of the Boston Store in Providence. He lives at 191 Morris Ave.

Robert M. Howard has been co-chairman of the building committee for the new Greenwood Community Church in Rhode Island.

Current addresses: Robert Stetson, 211 Pleasant St., Marblehead, Mass.; William Sohegan, 52 Elton St., Providence.

1931

Thomas J. Sheahan's appointment as Judge of the Second District Court in Rhode Island was confirmed in April by

The Hope in China

► AMERICAN PRESTIGE in China has been seriously damaged, write Amos Landman '35 and his wife, Lynn Chase, who travelled through that land as Communist forces tightened their grip on it. In an article specially written for the *Providence Journal-Bulletin* they observed that the reservoir of good will which America enjoyed in China is dry, and the Chinese are bitter. But the fact that the "great body of Chinese is clearly pro-American in its relations with individuals" provides a basis for reconstructing the former attitude. ◀

the State Senate. Formerly clerk of that court for 11 years, he had been acting as judge since last August and his appointment had been regarded as a matter of course. He took his law degree from Boston College and is a member of the law firm of Harrop, Sheahan and Cochran at 85 Westminster St., Providence. His residence is in Wickford, in the District over which his court has jurisdiction.

Clinton L. White is editor of the *Coos County Democrat* in Lancaster, N. H., published under that name long before the Republican party was formed. F. C. Thompson '01, who recently moved to Lancaster, writes in praise of this excellent newspaper.

James P. Lawton is owner of Lawton's Newport Shop in Newport, R. I. He lives at 203 Brownell St. in New Bedford, Mass.

Maj Edward B. Williams, Jr., USAF, is stationed at Hq., Continental Air Com-

mand, Mitchel Air Base, Long Island. His home address is Anita Ave., Syosset, Long Island.

Joseph Galkin, Executive Director of the Jewish Welfare and Children's Service in Providence participated in a radio panel discussion on parent-child problems, sponsored by the 60th Anniversary Committee of Wheeler School.

Carl Bergstedt is practicing law at 1 Court St., in Boston. His home is in Auburndale, Mass., at 297 Islington Rd.

Our sympathy goes to Francis D. Gurll, whose father died in New Bedford April 24. James W. Gurll was 84.

New addresses: William Walton, Jr., 15 Canterbury Rd., Great Neck, N. Y.; W. Ronald Gill, G. H. Walker and Co., 840 Hospital Trust Co., Providence; Egisto Mori, 199 Bucklin St., Providence; Joseph Perley, 107 Hollis Ave., Quincy, Mass.

1932

This Class yields to no one in spirit and in the continuity of its reunion habits. The Bon Voyage Hotel at Jamestown has been reserved for overnight accommodation, and the program highlights lunch and dinner on Saturday, June 18; the Class Dinner and Meeting Sunday. "Golf and the usual activities" are noted in the prospectus.

Richard A. Ogden is Assistant to the President of The Permutt Company in New York City. He has been with the company since 1940, except for three years' leave of absence during service with the Army Air Force. He's been in his present post since last September.

Dr. Charles Potter, Providence gynecologist, spoke on "The Physical Aspects of Marriage" at an April meeting of the Canterbury Club, composed of Brown students of the Episcopalian denomination. Dr. Potter, who took his M.D. at Columbia in 1935, is a member of the gynecological staff of the Rhode Island Hospital in addition to connection with the Charles V. Chapin Memorial, Providence Lying-In, and Miriam Hospitals. He's a member of the American College of Surgeons.

David Bass is a Biochemist in the Climatic Research Laboratory in Lawrence, Mass. He lives at 59 Hampshire St., Methuen, Mass.

Woodley Wright is Technical Assistant in the John Carter Brown Library. His address is 320 Grove Ave., Warwick Neck, R. I.

Herbert Wensley is in Dover, N. H., where he is with Miller, Hermer, Inc., shoe manufacturers.

Current addresses: Bernard Slater, 3005 Falmouth Rd., Shaker Heights 22, Ohio; John Pappas, 91 Broad St., Pawtucket, R. I.; Daniel Santry, 29 Devereux St., Marblehead, Mass.; Gerald Brown, 1857 Richmond St., Houston, Tex.

1933

John E. Flemming, Jr., is doing personnel work for Colgate-Palmolive-Peet in Jersey City. He lives in Summit, N. J., at 180 Summit Ave.

John Sheasby is Sales Consultant for Booz, Allen & Hamilton in Chicago. His address is 314 So. Hale St., Palatine, Ill.

The attractive leaflet of the East Cleveland Congregational Church testifies to the effective ministry of Rev. Earle C.

Hochwald there. We were interested to see a copy recently.

Norman Warner has been with H. P. Hood & Sons Dairy since 1933 and has advanced from route salesman to Assistant Sales Manager of the Springfield, Mass., branch. He is active in the Springfield Civic Theatre and Sales Managers Club and lives with his wife and two children at 642 Cooley St. there.

Harry Goldstein's current address is 1011 Union Trust Bldg., Providence.

1934

At this writing responses have been rolling in for 1934's fifteenth reunion, over Commencement week end, at the Cold Spring House in Wickford. A group of members of the Class are planning to attend the Alumni Dinner in Andrews Hall, Friday evening, June 17, and the Class Night Dance thereafter. Hugh Welshman, Jr., has invited any 1934 golfers who would like to play golf Friday afternoon with him at the Rhode Island Country Club to write him at 337 Rumstick Point Road, Barrington, or telephone WARREN 1-1266-J. The Reunion will officially get under way at the Cold Spring House Saturday before lunch at one o'clock. Golf, soft-ball, tennis in the afternoon will be followed by a brief class meeting at 5:45 p. m. and dinner at 7:00 p. m. After further activities Sunday morning, the affair will formally end Sunday afternoon after midday dinner.

We are already assured of much the largest gathering since 1934, and all indications point to a gala opportunity to visit with many old friends and classmates.

Joseph D. Cronan is now in the National Advertising Department of the *New York Times*. The *Bulletin* of the Collegiate School in New York reports him and his brother Bob '31 as active in its alumni affairs, as they are in Brown's.

John Akin is Treasurer of the Hudson Wire Co. in Ossining, N. Y. His home is on Elm Rd., Briarcliff Manor, N. Y.

Jack Wiren writes from Wilkes-Barre that he hopes to return for the reunion. A second son was born in April, but Jack will try to break away long enough to come to Rhode Island.

New addresses: Alphonse C. Votolato, 773 Charles St., Providence; Zenas Kevorkian, 1 Jillion St., Providence; John Harriman, 231 Chestnut St., North Andover, Mass.; Lt. Comdr. William H. Dane, 516 Chapala Drive, Pacific Palisades, Calif.

1935

Rev. Harold C. Johns, recently Pastor of the First Baptist Church of Fulton, N. Y., transferred his ministry May 1 after accepting a call to the First Baptist Church of Watertown, N. Y. Ordained in the Warwick Central Baptist Church in Rhode Island while his father was Pastor there, Mr. Johns has served churches in Harrow, Ont., Akron, N. Y., and since 1944 in Fulton. He is a member of the New York State Council of Churches as Baptist representative, a member of the Convention's pastoral education commission, and director of a camping program for young people. He has been active in community, denominational, and inter-denominational affairs.

Joel H. Wright, Jr., is with the Nebraska-Iowa Grain Company in Omaha, Neb., to judge from the letterhead of a recent communication.



BACK OF THE ARTICLE by Stewart Anderson '36 in the June issue of the *National Geographic Magazine* are 35,000 miles of rugged camping experiences in the West. The *Geographic* became interested in him shortly after the war when, after months of hospitalization as a veteran, Anderson took his wife on a camping tour of the United States for purposes of rest and change. The "rest" turned out to be plenty of activity, and the Society encouraged him to repeat his adventure, rewarding him by accepting 24 pages of pictures for publication with his article.

Anderson is lecturing under the management of the Open Forum Speakers Bureau of 80 Boylston St., Boston 16. His primary program is "15,000 Miles in a Modern Covered Wagon," to which he has now added a sequel, "Westward with New England Eyes." Another talk, "Going to the Sun," is the result of special study, exploration, and mountain climbing in Glacier National Park. His own color pictures are part of the program.

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George S. Daugherty, Jr., is living in Poughkeepsie at 818 Vermont Ave. He is with the George S. Daugherty Co. there.

Current addresses: Rev. Edwin Tuller, The Connecticut Baptist Convention, 455 Main St., Hartford 3; Louis Stein, 125 Standish Ave., Plymouth, Mass.; Tilden Mason, 24 Lafayette St., Pawtucket.

1936

Pavton Moss's current address is 120 Waverly Place, New York 20, N. Y. He is with the Appellate Division of the District Attorney's Office in New York.

Conrad Green, Providence architect, is serving as a consultant with the Natural History Society of Rhode Island, which plans as its initial project the establishment of a Children's Zoo at Roger Williams Park. He has spent considerable time in New York scouting the Bronx Park Children's Zoo.

Donald Sherman is selling for the General Building Products Co. of Worcester, Mass. He lives in Providence at 39 California Ave.

John R. Davis of Alhambra, Calif., has been added to the group of regulars at the weekly luncheons of the Brown Club in Los Angeles.

Current addresses: Wm. H. Benton, Jr., 1912 Spencer Ave., Marion, Ind.; Albert Dykes, Bryant Ave., Roslyn, Long Island; Raymond Parlin, 59 Highland Place, Fall River, Mass.; Irving Strasmich, 178 Wayland Ave., Providence.

1937

Martin Tarpy reports plans for a Class Dinner June 13 at the Biltmore Hotel, 7:30 p. m. The price should not exceed

\$3. and entertainment will include colored movies of the 10th Reunion. (Note that the date is slightly in advance of the general Commencement activities. It seemed to work out better that way for most of us.)

Richard D. Messinger has a new home address—276 S. El Molino Ave., Pasadena 5, Calif. The Los Angeles Brown Club stationery bears his business address: Room 702, 122 East Seventh St., Los Angeles 14.

Eugene Primm is District Sales Manager for E. W. Peek and Co., Publishers, in Knoxville, Tenn. He lives in University City, Mo., at 7016 Kingsbury Blvd.

Walter Davol is Superintendent for the Aetna Casualty and Surety Co. in Portland, Ore. He lives there at the University Club at 1225 S. W. 6th St.

Laurence Tingley is Branch Manager for the Automobile Mutual Insurance Company and the Factory Mutual Liability Co. in Portland, Me. His home address is Main St., South Windham.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Tarpy of Pawtucket announce the arrival of Susan Lyster Tarpy, born Aug. 16, 1948.

New addresses: Robert Macdonald, 16 Cleveland Rd., Waltham, Mass.; Dr. James Beale, 225 West Ashley St., Jacksonville 2, Fla.; Ralph Kramer, 234 Ashley St., Hartford, Conn.; Evans Rand, Metro, N. Y. District Sales, American Can Co., 230 Park Ave., New York; James Warren, 159 Lloyd Ave., Providence; J. D. Crocker, 491 State St., Albany.

1938

Robert Hutchinson is Purchasing Agent for the Wells Lamont Corporation in Chi-

cago. He lives in Highland Park, Ill., at 603 Glenview Ave.

Earle Tilton is R. I. Field Representative for McGraw Hill Co. He lives at 321 Diamond Hill Rd., R. F. D. Manville, R. I.

State Senator Frank Licht served as a counselor to high school students in Rhode Island who took over the operation of the State Government for a day recently. He was advisor to the "legislators."

James W. Gurll, father of our classmate and two other Brunonians, died in New Bedford April 24, 1949, after a short illness. He was in his 85th year. In addition to Jim, there are three sons, Francis D. Gurll '31, Nelson J. Gurll '36, and Charles W. Gurll.

Lt. Miles M. Young USN reports a change of address from California to BOQ D-1 Room 106, USNTS, Newport, R. I.

Current addresses: Francis Hope, 5501 Wayne Ave., Philadelphia 44; John Harley, 66 Wilklow Ave., Hempstead, Long Island; Perry Shor, 906 Strand C, Redondo Beach, Calif.; Irving Murphy, 15338 1/2 Wyandotte St., Van Nuys, Calif.; William E. Chichester, 116 Jefferson St., Bakersfield, Calif.; Ralph MacMillan, 32 Law St., Hoxie P.O., Warwick, R. I.

1939

The largest reunion attendance of any Brown Class in history is expected when 1939 g ts together this month. Although the program has been well advertised, the outline follows: Friday night, June 17—cocktails at Foster Davis' home, 163 Bowen St., convenient to the Alumni Dinner, which the Class will attend. The scene then shifts to Newport, with headquarters in the Viking Hotel commencing with lunch on Saturday. Dinner and the Class Meeting will be held at the Hotel that night. Sunday's feature is the shore dinner at the Surf Club, near Easton's Beach. Throughout the weekend the 1939 men will take advantage of facilities for swimming, sea-fishing, sight-seeing, and sailing, particularly to see the start of the Newport-Annapolis Yacht Race.

Lt. Comdr. James E. McPhillips is located at the Portsmouth Shipyard. His home address is 136 State Rd., Kittery, Me.

Kenneth Conn is Flight Test Engineer for North American Aviation, Inc., in Los Angeles. He lives at 81 W. Arbor St., Long Beach.

Lawrence Burwell is Advertising Manager for Steuben Courier in Bath, N. Y.

A Report after 10 Years ◀ ◀

▶▶ "THE FIRST 10 YEARS are the hardest," says the headline in a fine reunion folder for the Class of 1939. But the report shows that 143 men "are definitely coming or hope to return for the 10th reunion." And they are coming from as far as Oklahoma, Wisconsin, New Mexico, Missouri, Virginia, Illinois, and Arizona. A questionnaire revealed the following facts of general interest (based on the first 52% of replies):

Of the 178 men who returned questionnaires, 154 are married, with 218 children (120 boys and 98 girls). The oldest is the 11-year-old of Shine Hall, but the oldest boy is Art Crosbie's, who is nine. Each family averages 1.4 children to date, with three in 15 families.

During the war there were 73% of the men in military service. The casualties were: Lester Bacharach, Edward D. Bowen, William N. Donaldson, James E. Fraser, Irving G. Gibbs, Thomas J. Hanley, James M. Millard, and Thomas M. J. Boyle.

Professionally, the engineers lead the tally with 21. Other classifications: medicine 14, insurance 13, law 11, retail business 8, chemists 7, professors 6, accountants 5, ministers 4, advertising men 4. Among the unusual the editor (Stuart Sherman) lists two motion picture executives, an assistant district attorney, a livestock broker, a free-lance writer, librarian, funeral director, dean of admission, a raw-skin examiner, and a carillon importer.

Forty-four per cent own their own house. Voting preferences are: Republi-

can 68, Democrat 15, Independent 50, "None of your business" 36. Where do they live? Rhode Island 49, Massachusetts 32, New York 24, Connecticut 20, New Jersey 10, California 8, Pennsylvania 7, Illinois 6, Virginia 4, Michigan 2, Wisconsin 2, Missouri 2, Maine 2, and one each in Maryland, Oklahoma, Mississippi, New Mexico, Vermont, Florida, Ohio, Arizona, and Puerto Rico.

Most beneficial college activity? Fraternity, sports, and Brown Christian Association received the most support. Other heavy choices were *Herald*, Brownbrokers, Sock and Buskin, bull sessions, debating, and Brown band. Pastimes with one or two advocates: evenings on the Seckonk, Saturday nights, working nights in the Chem. Lab, beer, chasing books in the John Hay, Brown Yacht Club, loafing, study, and "Visiting Penbrooke—I married the gal!"

High spots of four years at Brown? Over 40 named Commencement as the most memorable of all. Other noteworthy moments were: Senior Class Dance, Freshman flag rush, 1938 hurricane, last year, last football game (Brown 35, Columbia 27), kidnapping Sophomore Class Marshal. Other special occasions: being tapped Owl and Ring, making Final Highest Honors, Kappy's novel course, election as track captain, dinghy races, Junior year in Paris, election to Sigma Xi, "I should tell you!" first drunk, discovery that Wheaton is only one gallon of gas away, getting out the *Herald* by candlelight during the 1938 hurricane.

The Life of Cap'n West

▶ STUART C. SHERMAN '39, has been collaborating in the biography of Cap'n Ellsworth L. West, Martha's Vineyard's last whaling skipper. It was half-finished in April when the 89-year-old skipper died in Chilmark, Mass. Sherman, however, plans to continue the book with the help of a relative of Captain West.

Captain West began whale-hunting at 17 and was master of his own vessel at 25, making many voyages to the Arctic. He carried gold-seekers from California to Alaska during the '98 rush and is credited with making the first charts of the inside Alaska passage and also with opening the first coal mine in Alaska.

His address there is 31 Colonial Lawn Apts.

Herbert Glickman is the Proprietor of King's Shoes in Marlboro, Mass. His home is at 175 Kent St., Brookline 46, Mass.

1940

Valley Ledge Club, new and superlative, will be the scene of a big off-year reunion for 1940. The golf tournament will start at 2. Dinner is scheduled for 6:30.



JACK PAUL SCHWARTZ was four months old when this snapshot was taken. He is the son of Daniel Schwartz '40 of Lynn and nephew of Leon E. Rogers '40.

Bruce R. Crooks has been named Vice Consul at Lourenco Marques. Bruce has been a Foreign Service Officer since 1946 and was previously to his present appointment Second Secretary and Vice Consul at Kabul.

Kenneth Clapp is Advertising and Sales Production Manager for Town and Country Homes, Inc., in Boston. He lives in Canton, Mass., at 7 Hillcrest Rd.

Henderson Stern is in the retail jewelry business in Lynn, Mass. He is living in Marblehead at 89 Tedesco St.

Bernard Sabean is with the Chance Vought Aircraft Corporation in Dallas. His address there is 2622 Grayson Drive.

Jacques Cousin is Assistant Director of the Harper Hospital in Detroit.

Current addresses: Arthur Cooper, 7 Ledgewood Rd., West Roxbury, Mass.; Franklin W. Palmer, 201 Locust St., Attleboro; Henry J. Buckowski, 16 Evalene St., Central Falls; Capt. Benjamin Riley, 35 Manson Ave., Norwood 7, R. I.

1941

A. J. Jefferson is Assistant Production Manager of the Brooklyn Plant of the Beech-Nut Packing Co. to which he was transferred after three years in the home plant at Canajoharie, N. Y. His home address is 80 Locust St., Floral Park, Long Island.

John Gosnell has gone with the Paul Revere Life Insurance Company in Worcester. He's in the Investment Department, apparently work similar to that he did with the Massachusetts Protective Association.

Walter LeBlanc is a Graduate Fellow in the Math Dept. at A & M College in Stillwater, Okla.

William Minton is a Captain in the

Signal Corps and sends this address: Co. B, 71st Sig. Bn, CHQ, Far East Command, APO 500, c/o PM, San Francisco.

Rev. Miles W. Renear is Chaplain of the Navy Family Chapel at Long Beach, Calif. His address: 451 W. Ocean Blvd., Long Beach 2.

William A. Sheehan, Jr., is employed in the Purchasing Dept. of the Brown & Sharpe Mfg. Co. in Providence. His home address is 75 Comstock Ave., Providence.

Bob Lord is Field Accountant with the Stone and Webster Engineering Corporation. He is now in Rockford, Ill., but gives his mailing address as 59 Pomeroy Ave., Pittsfield, Mass.

New addresses: Wallace Allen, Monroe News, Monroe, Mich.; Stewart Ashton, Box 152, Mapleville, R. I.; 1st Lt. Gordon Colley, Mather A.F.B., Sacramento, Calif.; Lewis Schwartz, 29 Kipling St., Providence; Emile LeGros, 217 N. Oak Park Ave., Oak Park, Ill.; Ray Wakeman, 539 Post Rd., Lakewood, R. I.; Alfred Gobeille, c/o Dawn Fabrics, West-erly, R. I.; Edward Keenan, 163 Camden Ave., Providence.

1942

William Potter is Sales Manager for the Dixon Lubricating Saddle Co. in Bristol, R. I. He lives at 280 Irving Ave. in Providence.

Rev. John R. Orpen, Jr., was advanced to the priesthood of the Episcopal Church at St. Stephen's Church in Providence in April.

Clyde Mayo is in Rochester, N. Y., where he is Development Engineer with The Haloid Co.

Al Marshall, who gets his mail at 970 Wilshire Blvd., has been turning up of late at the weekly Brown Club luncheons in Los Angeles.

George W. Richardson is a Designer at the Steuben Division of the Corning Glass Works. His address is 38 Pine St., Corning, N. Y.

Charles S. Cameron is Vice-President and Sales Manager of The House for Men, Inc., in Chicago. After July, his address will be 887 Forest Glen Drive East, Winnetka, Ill.

Desmond L. Simmons is working for the George A. Fuller Co., Building Constructors of Troy, N. Y. His mailing address is Apt. 12A, 29 Plaza St., Brooklyn 17, N. Y.

New addresses: Harvey Spear, 236 Freeman Parkway, Providence; Cyril Bellavance, Peters House, R. I. Hospital, Providence; Everett O. White, 172 Calaman Rd., Cranston, R. I.

1943

Donald M. Henderson will go to the University of Illinois in September as an instructor in Geology in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences. He expects to receive his Ph.D. this month from Harvard, where he received his Master's degree in 1946 and is a teaching Fellow. He also had a year of practical experience in field work with the U. S. Geological Survey, carrying on strategic minerals investigations.

Dave Murphy is Factory Sales Representative for the Eastern Marine Products Co., which deals in small boats. He is living at 201 Franklin Rd., Hamden, Conn.

Jim Gregory is a Public Account with Allen, Abt, and Company in Buffalo. His home is at 437 Fillmore Ave., East Aurora,

N. Y.

Robert J. Hagelin of 220 Fifth Ave., Iron River, Mich., is employed by the Ford Motor Company, having received his degree from Michigan State College. He was a member of the C Unit of the AAF Pie-Metes at Brown during the war and asks to be kept posted on all Brown affairs.

Richard B. Fletcher opened his General Insurance Underwriters office in Providence at the beginning of the year. The address is 623 Industrial Trust Bldg.

New addresses: Howard Holmes, 98 Burlington St., Providence; Duncan Colley, 75 Mathewson Rd., Barrington, R. I.; Lt. Harold Ratush, 47 Thackery St., Providence; Jim Whitney, 317 Stegman Parkway, Jersey City 5, N. J.; Bob Traill, 35 McKinley St., Providence; Ken Ballou, 209 Chestnut St., Norwood 7, R. I.

1944

First major reunion for 1944 will center in the Chopmist Inn on Saturday, June 18, where an afternoon of sports will precede the dinner. The campus events of Friday are attracting many: the All-Alumni Dinner and the Campus Dance. Dormitory accommodation is available on campus.

Sherwood Moe is now in Paris with the E.C.A. Mission to France.

John A. Kilbourne is a sales trainee with Cappel, MacDonald and Co. in Dayton, Ohio. His Dayton address is 420 Ridgewood Ave.

E. Bruce Remic is teaching and coaching at the Marblehead, Mass., High School. His address there is 27 Shepard St.

Richard Seaver is Repairman for New England Tel. and Tel. in New Bedford, Mass. His home address is Norcroft St., South Dartmouth.

James Ham is Company Engineer for the Automatic Screw Machine Products Co. in Chicago. He is living at 24 W. Ogden Ave., Hinsdale, Ill.

John Turnbull, Jr., is a Driver-Salesman for the Denver Coca-Cola Co. He is living at 4995 So. Santa Fe Drive, Littleton, Col.

C. Howard Nold is selling in the Floor Division of the Armstrong Cork Co. His address: University Club, 546 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

New addresses: Robert Lynch, 105 Bluff Ave., Edgewood, R. I.; Dr. David H. Solomon, 3502 Glen Ave., Baltimore 15, Md.

1945

The widely-scattered wartime class of 1945 will meet at dinner in Providence on June 18, 1949, the Saturday of Commencement weekend. On the agenda are the discussion of plans for their next year's FIFTH REUNION IN 1950 and an informal talk by Bill Jewett '41, University Recorder. The time and place: 7 p. m. at the University Club, 219 Benefit Street; the price: \$3.50. Class members who have not received cards from the Reunion Committee may make reservations for the dinner by sending a note and a check to: "Brown '45 Reunion Committee, 1109 Hospital Trust Bldg., Providence 3, R. I." The Committee urges all class members to attend the dinner, which has been timed to coincide with Commencement weekend in the hope that many out-of-town '45-ers will make it.

Class members have been polled by post-card as to their preferences for the

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1950 meeting. A committee is already working on plans, and will report to the class at this year's dinner.

Jim Starkweather, Class Secretary, and several Providence alumni, including Sam Arnold, Al Chick, Knight Edwards, and Hank Sharpe comprise the Reunion Committee nucleus.

The engagement of Miss Anne Richardson of Winchester, Mass., to R. Harper Brown of Oak Park, Ill., was announced April 18 by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard P. Richardson. Miss Richardson is a graduate of Randolph-Macon Woman's College, Lynchburg, Va.

Vernon B. Baker is working in the industrial relationship department of Merck and Co., Inc., in Rahway, N. J. His home is at 21 Patterson Rd., Fanwood, N. J.

Chipman Ela is living at 4306 Childress St., Houston 5, Tex.; where he operates the Ela Construction Co.

New addresses: Robert McGhee, Cotswold, Byrne Lane, Tenafly, N. J.; Walter Palmer, 200 Sweet Ave., Pawtucket, R. I.; Jonathan P. Brookes, 4636 41st St., N. E., Seattle 5, Wash.; George H. Main, 2922A North Newhall St., Milwaukee 11, Wisc.; William Dailey, 11083 Cloverlawn, Detroit 4, Mich.

1916

Nick Velles has gone into the wholesale fruit business in his home town of New London.

Lt. (jg) Myron Gordon, USNR, will be interning at the Metropolitan Hospital, Welfare Island, N. Y., until July. His address is 8211 20th Ave., Brooklyn 14, N. Y.

Harry H. Meyer, Jr., is doing industrial engineering with the Maytag Company in Newton, Iowa. He lives at 1103 W. 9th St. S., RFD 4, Newton.

Jim Zora is Office Manager for the Bond Stores, Inc., in Washington, D. C. He lives at Vassa Circle and University Ave., Glen Echo, Md.

Bob Conley is an Adjuster for the Factory Mutual Liability Insurance Co., in Hartford. He is living at 38 Westfield Rd., W. Hartford.

Jim Van Epp is a Research Chemist with the DuPont Co. in Fairfield, Conn. His home address is 320 Colorado Ave., Bridgeport.

Richard De Carolis is selling for General Mills, Inc., in Leominster, Mass. He lives there at 128 Colburn St.

New addresses: Bob Hallock, 52 Howe St., New Haven 11, Conn.; Sylvester Brown, Jr., 65 Gordon St., Allston 34, Mass.; Frederick E. Cole, 26 Chauncey Ave., Rumford 16, R. I.; R. Taber Jenkins, c/o Atomic Bomb Casualty Commission, Chugoku Military Govt. Region, APO 248, c/o Postmaster, San Francisco.

1917

Richard D. Blakley is at the Chrysler Institute of Engineering in Detroit.

John H. Dawson, Jr., is studying at Northwestern Medical School and is concurrently an externe evenings at the Swedish Covenant Hospital in Chicago. His Chicago address is 5145 No. California Ave. John has been spending the past three summers with the Park Rangers in Zion National Park and Yosemite.

Bob Oberg is doing engineering at the Boeing Aircraft Co. in Seattle. His address there is 6649 Ellis Ave.

Reeves Lukens got out of the Navy in February and is now training as a group

The Brown Album

► HAVE YOU A COPY of "Music at Brown?" If not, Commencement will make a convenient time for you to stop and buy an album. The large first edition is half-sold, and the response has been enthusiastic.

The album includes three 10-inch Vinylite records (six sides) and offers eight Brown songs, supplemented by hits from the Glee Clubs' repertory. It all makes a rousing half-hour concert, recorded on the campus, by the Brown University Band, the Brown Glee Club, the Pembroke Glee Club and the combined Brown-Pembroke Chorus. The price is \$4.50, including delivery if you don't take it with you.

When you go to the Alumni Dinner June 17, you'll hear the records. Then if you go back to the Brown campus, you'll find the University Book Store open that night. You can buy them at the Book Store during the day Friday, Saturday, and Monday, of course, or order them at the Alumni Office.

field service representative for the Travelers Insurance Co. in Hartford. He is living with his wife, the former Margaret E. Sykes of Philadelphia, at 197 Sigourney St. in Hartford.

Bill Stone has a new address: RFD 1, Keene, N. H. He is still studying at Andover-Newton Theological School with several years to go before receiving his B.D. degree. Meanwhile however he has been chosen pastor of the First Congregational Church of Swanzy, N. H., and writes enthusiastically of his work there.

Albert Schmid, Jr., is working as Electrical Engineer at the Naval Ordnance Lab. at Silver Spring, Md. His address is Rt. 1, Brookeville, Md.

Wilson Remick, another Electrical Engineer, is with the Simplex Wire and Cable Co. in Cambridge, Mass. He lives in Allston at 43 Linden St.

Richard Fischer is doing teacher training at the San Diego State College. His address: 669 S. Orange Ave., El Cajon, Calif.

New addresses: Ens. Joseph Towne, U.S.S. Albany, CA 123, FPO, New York City; Bob Reynolds, 903 Pizarro St., Coral Gables 34, Fla.; J. E. R. Henningson, 106 Richard St., Cranston, R. I.; Hugh Quinn, 230 Atlantic Ave., Providence; Stephen Prager, 230 Linden Ave., Ithaca, N. Y.; Albert Kenney, 864 County St., New Bedford, Mass.

1948

Robert Allrich is a Commercial Artist with Feldkamp-Malloy, Inc., in Chicago. He lives at 5444 W. Huron St. there.

George Watts is Hydraulic Engineer for the U. S. Geological Survey and is also attending graduate school at the University of Minnesota. His address is Apt. 10, 1600 Ford Parkway, St. Paul, Minn.

M. Leonard Lewis is working with the Bon Ton Curtain Mfg. Co. in Boston. His home address is 21 Hammond St., Chestnut Hill, Mass.

New addresses: Don Mathewson, 295 Phenix Ave., Cranston, R. I.; John Whitmore, 337 East Oak Rd., Vineland, N. J.;

Emery MacFarlane, 203 Forbes St., RFD 242, Barrington, R. I.; John Wilson, 90 Ivy Lane, Apt. 12A, Englewood, N. J.; Harley Latson, 502 N. Milton St., Whittier, Calif.; R. P. Gaunt, 2000 N. Highland Ave., Hollywood, Calif.; Ray Carmichael, 233 Whitford Ave., Providence; Kenneth Wiles, 96 South 19th St., Kansas City, Kans.

1949

Ray Hindersinn has joined the staff of the research and development division of Merck & Co., Inc., manufacturing chemists in Rahway, N. J.

Bob Bennett has been appointed Assistant Track Coach at West Point. He greeted his former coach and teammates when Brown journeyed to the Military Academy for a meet this spring.

William E. Costello is doing graduate work at Brown and is living at 1051 Broad St. in Providence.

Arthur Zaumscil is an operations trainee for the Shell Oil Co. in East Hartford, Conn.

Robert Brown is a control chemist for Grinnell Co. and is living at 104 Crown Ave., East Providence.

Kenneth Nanian is working as a Fuller Brush man until he enters Tufts Medical School in the fall.

Stanley Fuehrer has a new address at 452 Union Ave., S. E., Grand Rapids, Mich.

Warren Martin and John Matthesen are working for the Conn. General Life Ins. Co.

Horace Megathlin is a senior draftsman for Jackson & Moreland in Boston, and has a new address at 46 Goss Ave., Melrose 76.

William Mulgrew is an engineer for the Woonsocket firm of Dauray & Bardsley Inc.

Earl Noblet is a research chemist at the American Cyanamid Corporation's Stamford, Conn. plant.

William O'Brien is a student at the Wharton School of Finance.

William Peek is working as an engineer for General Electric in Schenectady.

Thomas Peirce is an experimental engineer for Brown & Sharpe.

Joseph Pridmore is a salesman for Cluett, Peabody Co., Inc., 800 Peachtree St., N. E., Atlanta 9, Ga. He has asked to receive his mail there.

Better Than Streptomycin?

► SCIENTISTS are watching eagerly the further testing of what appears to be a new "wonder drug," and so far neomycin has not disappointed them. It seems to be better than streptomycin, which was the first effective drug that doctors had found in their fight against tuberculosis. It is another achievement of Dr. Selman Abraham Waksman of the New Jersey Agricultural Experiment Station, specialist in research on antibiotics.

When the *New York Sun* recently described the development of neomycin, it cited Jack W. Frankel '46 as one who had done the initial work on the preparation. He is working with Dr. Waksman in his Department of Microbiology, at the New Brunswick Experiment Station, aiming at his Ph.D. He and Mrs. Frankel are living at 539 Davidson Road, New Brunswick, N. J. ◀

Francis Rich is an estimator for the Rich Bros. Const. Co. in Boston.

Stanley Robbenburg is a grad student at Penn in the John Harrison Lab. He is living at 3713 Locust St., Philadelphia 4.

Edward Hendrick is an apprentice with Advertising Associates in Boston.

John Hoerle is a junior engineer with the International Resistance Co.

Matthew Holiday is a process engineer for the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corp., Braddock, Pa. He is living at 427 Franklin Ave., Wilkesburg, Pa.

Richard Horton is a research chemist at the Seamless Rubber Co. of New Haven where he is living at 52 Howe St.

Norman Iacuele is an agent for the Equitable Life Assurance Society in Providence.

Robert Kelsey is in the sales department at Builders Iron Foundry in Providence.

Robert Koelb has a new address in Dearborn, Mich., at 5426 Williamson. He is a trainee with the Ford Motor Co.

Carlton Lowenburg is manager of the Trade Book Dept. in Brown's own Book Store.

Kenneth Macdonald is an accountant for General Electric in Schenectady and is living at 103 Catherine St., Scotia, N. Y.

Ralph Magoon is a clerk for H. W. Peabody & Co. Assoc. in Boston where he lives at 451 Park Drive, Boston 16.

Daniel Mahoney is studying under the business training program of General Electric's Wire and Cable Cost Dept. in Bridgeport where his home is at 291 Burna Vista Rd.

Wright Bolton is working in the textile business at the Soule Mill in New Bedford.

Conrad Brown has been ski instructor at Mad River Glen, Vt.

Burr Benedict is an estimator for Jeremiah Burns, Inc., metal furring company of New York City.

Fred Brown has a new address in Melrose, Mass., at 18 No. High St. He is a test engineer for General Electric.

Ernest Campagna is studying at Boston College Law School and has a temporary address at 7 Wigglesworth St., Boston.

Donald Davidson is an assistant to the Supervisor of Products at Grinnell Corp. Solomon Elmasian is now a chemist for the Plastic Film Corp., Plainfield, Conn.

Paul Gaffney is a salesman for the Trigon Latex Corp. of Fall River, Mass.

Stephen Garrati is living at Rainsford House, 208 E. 16th St., New York City where he is working in the personnel department of the Home Life Ins. Co.

Vincent Hall has a new address at 1515 VFW Pkwy, West Roxbury, Mass. He is working for the National Research Corp. in Cambridge.

Joseph Rosa is now Capt. USAF, stationed at the 509th Air Refueling Sq., Walker Air Force Base, Roswell, N. M., where his home is at 309 E. Bland St.

William Rose is a technician in Brown's Dept. of Engineering.

Robert Rothstein is an administrative assistant at J. & P. B. Myers Inc. in Brooklyn.

Wilbert Sanger is selling for Okonite Co. of Passaic, N. J.

Frederick Schultz is living at 16 Knowles St., Pawtucket and working at Brown & Sharpe.

Vincent Scimone is a customer engineer for IBM.

Norman Silk is an assistant in Political Science at Brown.

Richard Slattery is a student teacher at Springfield College.

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Appleton Club Plans

▶ The 1949 meeting of the Appleton Club will bring Brown University chemists together to pay their respects to the memory of the Club's namesake and also to the presence of Prof. Charles Kraus. At the affair on Thursday, June 9, the speaker will be Prof. E. Bright Wilson, Jr., making "Some Remarks on the Methods of Science." The place for the dinner on the same date had not been determined at press-time. ◀

▶ ▶ Very Vital Statistics

MARRIAGES

▶▶ 1936—Irring H. Strasmich and Miss Harriet L. Johnston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. V. V. Johnston of Greenville, Tenn., in Providence April 14, 1949.

1943—Walter Lister, Jr., and Miss Gloria Joyce Kaufman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis M. Kaufman of New York City, April 12, 1949.

1944—Allan D. Gulliver and Miss Porter Jeanne Hogan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Porter S. Hogan of Ennis, Tex., in New York City, April 23, 1949.

1946—John William Bach and Miss Eileen Cecilia Henry, daughter of Mrs. James L. Henry at Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Brooklyn, N. Y., April 23, 1949.

1947—George William Conley, Jr., and Miss Janice M. Kepplinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kleppinger of Macungie, Pa., in St. Andrew's Church, Wellesey, Mass., April 2, 1949. Frederick Wilson '49 was the best man.

1949—William M. Fowler and Miss Suzanne Herbert, daughter of Mrs. Helen J. Herbert of San Bernardino, Calif., by Chaplain Robbins in the First Baptist Church, Providence. Arvid Antonson '49 was an usher on March 12, 1949.

1949—James Russell Longstreet, Jr., and Miss Carolyn Marion Swanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. F. Swanson of Rehoboth, Mass., in the Rehoboth Congregational Church, April 2, 1949. John Kistler '46 and Jeffrey Boll '49 were among the ushers.

1949—Peirce B. Smith and Miss Elizabeth Montali, Pembroke '48, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Armando Montali of New London, Conn., in the Universalist-Unitarian Church, New London, April 2, 1949. Fred Cofer '48 was the best man. ◀

BIRTHS

▶▶ 1931—To Mr. and Mrs. John W. Lane of Kenilworth, Ill., a fourth son, Richard, March 17, 1949.

1932—To Mr. and Mrs. John E. Baldwin of Mount Hermon, Mass., their second son, James Frederic, April 23, 1949.

1932—To Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Mantell of Stamford, Conn., a son, George Edward Michael, Feb. 8, 1949.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Lowenthal of Rochester, N. Y., their second child, a son, Robert, Jr., April 5, 1949.

1934—To Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wiren of Wilkesbarre, Pa., a second son, Robert Flint, April 11, 1949. Mrs. Wiren was the former Mary Coy, Pembroke '32.

1938—To Mr. and Mrs. T. Brenton Bullock of Providence, a third child,

Richard Wastecoat, April 22, 1949.

1938—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Snell of Hingham, Mass., a second son, Stephen Farnham, April 7, 1949.

1938—To Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Stevenson, Jr., of Gaspee Plateau, R. I., a second son, Frank Budlong, March 29, 1949.

1938—To Mr. and Mrs. John W. Tingley, Jr., of Pawtucket, a second child, Jean Barbara, March 24, 1949.

1939—To Mr. and Mrs. Grant B. Bursley of Hoxsie, R. I., twin daughters, Sue Ellen and Jeanne Lynn, March 20, 1949.

1939—To Mr. and Mrs. George G. Slade of Rochester, N. Y., their third child, a daughter, Sally Elizabeth, April 16, 1949.

1941—To Mr. and Mrs. John W. James, III, of New York City, a son, John Wells, IV, April 28, 1949.

1942—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard M. Arnold, Jr., of North Scituate, R. I., a son, Craig Manchester, April 2, 1949.

1942—To Dr. and Mrs. Leonard B. Bellin of Providence, a son, Steven Marvin, Feb. 18, 1949.

1942—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael M. Cooper of Brookline, Mass., a daughter, Miriam Jean, April 29, 1949.

1943—To Mr. and Mrs. Earl F. Cerjanec of Central Falls, R. I., a son, Nicholas Wade, March 22, 1949.

1943—To Mr. and Mrs. David Curtis of East Greenwich, R. I., a second son, John Wakeman, March 26, 1949.

1943—To Mr. and Mrs. Dwight R. Ladd of Lexington, Mass., a daughter, Katherine Elizabeth, March 15, 1949.

1943—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Radway of Providence, a son, Frederick Stanton, March 22, 1949.

1943—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard E. Russell, Jr., of Cranston, R. I., a daughter, Sally Arline, April 1, 1949.

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1945—To Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Lees, Jr., of Peoria, Ill., a son, Nelson Charles, Nov. 1, 1948.

1945—To Mr. and Mrs. Howard Rosenberg of Pawtucket, a son, Robert David, March 29, 1949.

1946—To Mr. and Mrs. Roland C. Casperson of Baltimore, Md., a daughter, Lee, April 4, 1949.

1952—To Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Wottitz of Providence, a son, David Francis, March 20, 1949. ◀

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