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"It seems unlikely that a college or university can ever render any large and immediate service in political affairs without meeting difficulties and adverse criticism."

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Considerable comment and some criticism have been offered because a group of students failed to secure a lecture room in a University building for an address by Max Eastman, editor of the *Masses*. The following statements relating to the case are taken from President Van Hise's published interview: "There are three regular ways in which University buildings may be obtained for public lectures: First, a department by official action may secure a speaker to give a departmental lecture which lecture may be open to the public if the department desires. Second, the standing committee of the University faculty, known as the lecture committee, has the authority to arrange for public lectures. Third, the President of the University arranges directly for all University convocations. Student organizations have never had authority nor have ever been allowed to arrange to use the University buildings for public lectures. Student organizations having a speaker in mind may request the University committee to consider making arrangements for that speaker. The same policy that has been followed for a dozen years was followed in the case of the recent application of a group of students, known as the Forum. The use of the University buildings for other than University purposes can only be granted by the executive committee of the Regents or by the full board. Thus it has been the custom of the Regents to grant the use of the University Gymnasium once to each political party during the campaign preceding a state or national election, also occasionally public speakers of national reputation have been granted the use of the Gymnasium or Stock Pavilion because of the fact that there is no other auditorium which would accommodate the crowd wishing to hear the speaker."

The *M. A. C. Record*, after presenting statistics from Kansas, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Colorado, South Dakota, North Dakota, and Wisconsin, showing that of 1866 graduates of courses in home economics 532 were married and only two divorced, concludes that "The fact that almost without exception there are no divorcees among graduates in courses in home economics shows these courses have a strong tendency to make happier homes." Other departments are invited to furnish competitive statistics!

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ATTENTION! ALUMNI!

ON February 14, 1917, Speaker Lawrence Whittet, Ex '93, of the assembly, introduced a bill amending the state board of education law. The principal features involved in the amendment are as follows:

1. The state board of education is made to consist of seven members, the Governor, ex officio, four mem-

bers appointed by the Governor, one person appointed by the Regents of the University, and one person appointed by the regents of the normal schools. The secretary of state and the state superintendent of public instruction cease to be members.

2. The board of education instead of having charge of all financial affairs has the duty of preparing all biennial estimates for all parts of the educational system of the state. In the performance of these duties the immediate governing officers or boards submit to the board of education their estimates, which estimates are taken by the state board of education, modified, placed in proportion, and presented to the legislature.

3. The annual budgets made by the immediate governing boards or officers must be submitted to the state board of education in order that that board may ascertain whether or not such budgets are within the available funds; and they will not be put in force until they are approved for that purpose by the state board of education. After such approval, the administration of the budgets of the several classes of schools rests exclusively with the board or officer designated by law as being the immediate governing authority of the said institution or school.

The board of education, as here-

tofore, retains full power and authority in regard to the construction of buildings and the purchase of land.

During the past two years a very unsatisfactory situation has existed because of the overlapping authority of the state board of education and the immediate governing boards. They have gotten along because they have been mutually considerate and neither has insisted upon its full legal authority.

Had this been done on either side it would have led to a disastrous tangle under which the educational system of the state would have greatly suffered. However, as a result of the experience of two years the proper functions of each board have clearly developed. As a matter of fact the state board of education has given its time almost exclusively to the consideration of the biennial estimates, approving the budgets of the various schools in their entirety, and considering questions of land purchase and building construction.

The only irritation which has appeared was when there was an inclination on the part of any member of the state board of education to interfere in the administration of the adopted budgets. As a matter of fact, at least so far as the University is concerned, no such interference has occurred. No regent appointment has been made which the state board of education has refused to confirm; and this applies to the appointments of the Regents made at their meeting January 17, 1917, and the meeting of the executive committee, January 30, 1917.

However, it is essential, in order that there shall not be conflict in the future, that the law shall clearly de-

The State Board of Education

fine the respective powers and duties of the state board of education and the immediate governing boards in such a manner that the two do not overlap, and in order that each shall have duties which appropriately apply. This is very clearly accomplished by the amendments proposed by Speaker Whittet.

President Charles R. Van Hise, '79, when interviewed regarding this bill said:

"If the bill becomes a law it would seem that we shall have in Wisconsin as good a form of government for the educational institutions of the State, if not the best form, in existence for the following reasons: Correlation of the educational needs and the control of the scope of all of the educational institutions of the state are accomplished through a state board of education; and thus there is eliminated before

the legislature the conflict between the various institutions for the largest share of the appropriations. Also the board of education, through the control of the biennial estimates, is able to prevent the institutions from overlapping one another, because any institution that wishes to start a new field of work which would overlap another school must secure funds through the state board of education.

"On the other hand the plan provides for the administration of the University by the Regents of the University and of other schools likewise by their immediate governing authorities. Thus the plan also provides all the immeasurable advantages of immediate governing boards.

"It is hoped that the alumni will give their immediate and cordial support to this bill."

REGENTS, VISITORS, FACULTY, AND ALUMNI

THE annual conference of Regents, Visitors, Faculty, and Alumni was held January 16, 1917, at Lathrop Hall, Honorable Granville D. Jones, president of the Board of Regents, presiding. Those present were: Regents: Van Hise, Buckstaff, Cary, Clark, Faast, Hammond, Jones, Mahoney, Nelson, Notz, Perkins, Seaman, Trottmann, and Vilas; Visitors: Hambrecht, Carpenter, Jones, Pease, Beldon, and Titus; University Committee of the Faculty: Bradley, Cole, Hohlfeld, Mead, and Paxon; Alumni Board: Lord Taylor, Brown, Rogers, Foster, Disque, and Crawford.

The conference took up the first topic on the program, "Dormitories and Union for Men and Methods to Secure Funds." President Van Hise stated the need of the University for both a commons and union and dormitories for men. The subject was discussed by Visitor Pease, Regent Jones, Business Manager Thorkelson, and Messrs. Crawford and Rogers,

representatives of the Alumni Board. On motion of Mr. Rogers, seconded by Mr. Titus, it was voted that "it is the sense of this meeting that there be recommended to the legislature an appropriation for the purpose of constructing a commons and union for men, believing that there is an immediate necessity for such a building."

Regent Vilas read the annual report of the Board of Visitors to the Board of Regents, dated June 1, 1916, the report of the Regent Committee upon the report of the Board of Visitors, adopted by the Regents at their meeting held October 11, 1916, and the report of the Faculty Committee to which was referred recommendations 1, 2, and 3 of the report of the Board of Visitors to the Regents, dated December 12, 1916.

The reading of these reports was followed by general discussion. President Van Hise reported that the Regents had included in their biennial estimates a professorship in fine arts, and stated that whether or not

this can be established depends upon appropriations.

The matter of a course in ethics was discussed by Visitor Carpenter, Regent Jones, President Van Hise, Visitor Pease, and Professor Hohlfeld. Professors Mead, Paxson, and Cole discussed the work now being done along this line in the colleges of Engineering, Letters and Science, and Agriculture.

The conference next took up the matter of the amendment of the law governing nonresident tuition. After considerable discussion the following action was taken: On motion of Regent Nelson, seconded by Professor Mead, it was voted: "that this meeting strongly recommends that it is extremely desirable that Section 388 of the Statutes, relating to nonresident tuition, be amended so that that

section shall read the same as it did in 1913; but, if this does not prove feasible, that the provision, which requires nonresident tuition to be paid for four years in case they are once paid, be repealed, and that the exemptions which are allowed to the Regents be increased from five per cent to ten per cent."

The third topic: "Means of Instructing Students as to the Practical Benefits of a General College Education" was discussed by Mr. Lord, Professors Hohlfeld, and Disque. President Van Hise made a statement concerning the relation of the Board of Regents to the State Board of Education, and also in relation to the biennial estimates which have been submitted to the State Board of Education.

MEETING OF THE ALUMNI BOARD

By LILLIAN TAYLOR, '05

Recording Secretary

THE first meeting of the Alumni Board was called to order by President John S. Lord, '04, at ten A. M., Saturday, November 25, at the Alumni Headquarters, 821 State Street. In answer to the roll call the following responded: President, J. S. Lord, '04, of Chicago; Recording Secretary, Lillian Taylor, '05, of Madison; Treasurer, C. N. Brown, L '81, of Madison; C. B. Rogers, '93, of Ft. Atkinson; G. A. Buckstaff, L '86, of Oshkosh; Mrs. T. E. Brittingham, '89, of Madison; W. A. Foster, '15 (Agric.), of Elkhorn; R. C. Disque, '03 (Engr), of Madison; and J. P. Dean, '11 (Med.), of Madison. Vice-president, Zona Gale, '95, of Portage, was the only member absent.

Motion made by C. B. Rogers that the General Secretary be a member ex officio of all committees was carried unanimously.

At the suggestion of President Lord a motion was made directing the

president to appoint a committee of five or more to assist in securing advertising for the WISCONSIN ALUMNI MAGAZINE.

The activity of the Membership Committee received full approval. Motion made by C. N. Brown that the employment of Robert S. Crawford as General Secretary by the Executive Committee be now confirmed by the new Alumni Board was carried unanimously.

The Living Endowment Fund was discussed. Mr. Disque moved, "that the Alumni Board re-elect Richard Lloyd Jones as a member of the Board of Visitors but that the Alumni Board express to the Board of Visitors disapproval of the Board of Visitor's action in electing an appointee of the Alumni Association after his term had expired." Carried unanimously.

On motion of G. A. Buckstaff, C. B. Rogers was named chairman of the Legislative Committee and empow-

ered to associate with himself whatever other members of the Alumni Association he may desire. On motion of C. B. Rogers, the president was instructed to fill vacancies in the Membership Committee. On motion of C. B. Rogers, the action of the Executive Committee in electing C. N. Brown treasurer received confirmation by the Alumni Board. The non-resident tuition law was discussed.

Unanimous approval was given the following motion offered by C. B.

Rogers and seconded by G. A. Buckstaff, "That the tentative resignation of Zona Gale be declined and that she further be informed and that she be invited to become a member of the General Alumni Association and that if she refuses C. B. Rogers and G. A. Buckstaff will retire from the Woman Suffrage League."

It was agreed that the next meeting should be held some time in February on call of the president. Meeting adjourned at 12:15 P. M.

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL CONGRESS

THE Commercial and Industrial Congress held at the University from the 14th to the 18th of last February was an experiment. For some time the College of Agriculture had been offering annually to the farmers of the state a two weeks' course for the purpose of giving them closer contact with the University than was possible through the publication of bulletins and the holding of institutes, and on several occasions conferences had been held by other departments of the University in the interest of special groups. Since the Course in Commerce, the Department of Political Economy, and several bureaus of the Extension Division were constantly studying matters of vital importance to business men and giving instruction to students concerning them it seemed fair that an opportunity should be given them as well as farmers to profit directly and personally from the University's operations and achievements.

At the closing session of the congress the advisability of repeating the experiment was frankly discussed with the result of a unanimous decision in favor of another congress in February, 1917. The dates from February 20-22 were chosen for the meeting. The program for this

session featured afternoon sectional meetings devoted to such problems as cost finding, systems of cost accounting, practical accounting problems, and the typical problems of commercial secretaries. The morning and evening sessions were of general interest and were devoted to problems of business organization and efficiency, including the development of efficient employees, the factory and the problem of distribution, elimination of the inefficient in advertising and the training of salesmen, the problem of high prices and food control, cooperation and the cost of living and cooperation and marketing in relation to the family budget. Among the speakers were Walter Kohler, President of the Kohler Co. of Kohler, Wisconsin, E. St. Elmo Lewis of Detroit, Professor L. D. Howard of Chicago, A. C. McMahon, Western Manager of the National Cash Register Company, M. Slatery, M. M. J. Meyer and Jos. W. Fisk of Indianapolis, G. F. Finger of Fond du Lac, Charles Jackson of Depere, Stephen D. Balliet of Appleton, Hon. Edw. N. Hurley, Chairman of the Federal Trade Commission, Governor Philipp, Professor John H. Gray of the University of Minnesota, members of the Faculty and others.

WISCONSIN ALUMNI CLUBS

"Sit together, listen together, sing together, eat together, and talk together and you'll work together."

CHICAGO

By FELIX BOLDENWECK, '02

We are enjoying an unusually interesting series of talks at our regular Friday noon luncheons at the Grand Pacific Hotel. Our president, Bishop S. Fallows, '59, presides at all these gatherings and as it is ever a rare treat to hear him, these meetings are always well attended. On November 10, Major Davis, Illinois N. G. First Regiment Cavalry, spoke on the subject, "On the Border." He dwelt eloquently on the necessity of citizens urging the state and national governments to action for national preparedness. His description of our military unpreparedness of even equipment for the national guardsmen, brought to our minds the dangers into which the lack of cooperation between the war department and our political government might carry this country.

On November 17 we held our regular Song Fest with Fred Silber, '94, presiding.

On November 24 Dr. George H. Thomas, Yale, '95, addressed us.

On December 1 and 8 Mr. Robert Young, of the Illinois Steel Co., spoke on the "Safety" work and plans in use by that company. These two talks were illustrated with lantern slides and moving pictures, showing the causes of accidents and their successful prevention.

On December 15 we bade farewell to our ex-president, A. E. Van Hagan, '06, who has gone to Detroit, where he is assuming new duties in the telephone work of the A. T. & T. Co. Mr. Van Hagan has been a loyal booster of the U. W. interests and mainly to his efforts is due the success of the Wisconsin songbook. It was particularly fitting that his

departure from our Club should be the occasion for a special song festival.

On January 5 Professor Rolland Salisbury, University of Chicago, spoke to us of the "Age of the World."

On January 12 *The Chicago Tribune* cartoonist, Mr. King, gave a chalk talk. Mr. King presented in a very clever way the evolution of the various professions represented by the alumni present on that day. The doctor, minister, lawyer, engineer, merchant, and banker were all able to witness their physical development through the portraiture of Mr. King.

January 19 and 24 were devoted to reminiscences and song fest.

On February 2 the U. W. Club celebrated in fitting manner the anniversary of the birth of our Alma Mater. Judge Philip Stein, '65, Bishop Fallows, '59, and George Waldo, '85, each spoke of his college days. The growth in attendance and the present scope and influence of the University in the educational and civic life of the state were lauded by our speakers. A birthday cake and moving pictures of Commencement days closed this very enjoyable birthday party.

On February 9 Dr. Ralph Kuhns, recently returned from Europe, addressed us on his experiences in East Prussia, where, as surgeon for the American Red Cross at a German base hospital of 1,200 beds, he and his associates performed bone and skin grafting operations and many bone replacements, saving fully 97 per cent of the cases brought into the hospital. Dr. Kuhns brought with him many relics of the war which were passed around for closer inspection.

SPECIAL ALUMNI NOTICE

On Saturday evening, March 3, the Wisconsin-Chicago basketball game will be played here at the Bartlett Gymnasium. In order to make this day a real Wisconsin day we have made reservations for the *matinee performance* of "Hip, Hip, Hooray," at the auditorium theater. John Phillip Sousa will direct his band in "On Wisconsin" and other pro-Wisconsin selections. Arrangements may also be made for a Wisconsin dinner between the theater and the basketball game.

While our reservations were made prior to the publication of the ALUMNI MAGAZINE, alumni who may be in Chicago on that day are invited to attend these functions. Information as to prices of seats and cost of the dinner may be secured from H. D. Wile, '12, 1637 Insurance Exchange Bldg.—2-14-17.

CHICAGO ALUMNAE

By HELEN SEYMOUR, '14

In the absence of Mrs. William Healy, president of the Chicago Association of Wisconsin Alumnae, Dr. Anna E. Blount presided at the banquet which was held Saturday noon at the LaSalle Hotel, and which was attended by fifty-two alumnae and a few distinguished alumni. Mr. John S. Lord, '04, spoke and Bishop Samuel Fallows, '59, gave some interesting reminiscences of early days at the University and the beginnings of co-education there. Mrs. Don Cowan sang a number of songs most charmingly, and with the assistance of Mr. Frederick Silber, '94, at the piano, led some very enthusiastic and successful chorus singing which would by no means have disgraced the Camp Randall grandstand. Miss Frances Gay Perkins, '98, regent from Fond du Lac, gave a comprehensive talk on the achievements and ambitions of the University in its instruction and care of students at Madison and of people through-

out the state who, through the Extension department, are enabled to profit by the opportunities it offers. She spoke especially as a representative of the women's interests at the University, and told of many improvements and developments which were amazing even to very recently graduated alumnae.

All the members of the Association regret the departure of Mrs. Healy from Chicago to Boston (henceforth to be her permanent residence) which deprives Chicago alumnae of her able and generous services as president.

The next meeting will be held at the College Club, in the Stevens Building, on March sixth, at three-thirty o'clock. Tea will be served. The April meeting (on the fourteenth) will be a luncheon at twelve-thirty at the College Club, at which Mrs. Grace H. Keller will speak on "The Housing of University Students." It is hoped that these announcements will attract to the meetings many Chicago alumnae with whom the Association has been unable so far to get in touch.—2-14-17.

DAVENPORT—MOLINE—ROCK ISLAND

By GEORGE M. SHEETS, '08

Returning home after a six months' absence I find the Wisconsin Club exuberantly alive, yelling the old yells and singing the old songs. There's \$7.21 in the treasury due to Brother Clarence Watson's skillful fingering. It's more than we ever had when I was treasurer. The club made \$1.05 on the annual Wisconsin-Michigan Twin Party last summer and had several hundred dollars worth of fun. We reuned January 23 at the Harms' in Rock Island. We send our hearty good wishes for Wisconsin in 1917.

INDIANAPOLIS

By T. N. WYNNE, '14

We were very glad to have the opportunity of entertaining the Wis-

consin Glee and Mandolin Clubs in our city, and feel that the good work they did and splendid showing they made, will do a world of good for the University of Wisconsin, as it has shown people that Wisconsin is "up and doing," and the Wisconsin Alumni Association of Indianapolis hope to have the opportunity of having the boys with us again in the near future.

Wish to announce that the monthly luncheons have been changed from the second Monday of each month to the second *Tuesday*, and any Wisconsin men in town at that time will be more than welcome to join us at the Chamber of Commerce.

LA CROSSE

By H. G. HAYDEN, '02

Our third annual banquet was held Saturday evening, February 3. Seventy-five members were present. The program with C. L. Baldwin, '94, presiding, was as follows: "Invocation," Rev. Wm. White, '73; "The Side Shows and the Main Tent," J. E. McConnell, '87; "The Point of View," Anna Mashek, '04; "Democracy and Higher Education," Dean G. S. Ford, '95. Varsity songs at intervals were led by Alice Keith, '16. Officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

C. H. Schweizer, '87, president; Mrs. Bert Nelson, '02, vice president; Catherine Hayes, '04, secretary-treasurer; R. B. Lowry, '99 and Maud Neprud, '14, directors.

MARSHFIELD

By E. C. KRAEMER, '15

It is with extreme pleasure that the alumni of Marshfield and vicinity can now say that their club has become a reality. On October 15, 1916 a small group of men and women met and organized. Officers were elected and a committee appointed to draw up a Constitution and By-laws. On February 13, 1917 a large booster meeting was held with great success. A short business session, at which time the Constitution and By-laws were ratified and signed, preceded the program

of the evening. Music by several of the members was followed by a most interesting talk by Dean S. H. Good-night of the University. He spoke of the business affairs of the University, of the trials and ordeals that the University has been forced to go through in order to attain the high place in American institutions that she now holds. The talk was timely for it included the University Survey of 1914 and 1915, bills and appropriations, the cost of running the University, its growth, tuition for non-residents. He mentioned the fact that the University has been spoken of as being in politics. He explained the sources of such statements and how it can be shown that such remarks are entirely false. He stated in closing that the alumni of the University of Wisconsin are not asked to contribute to any funds as they are in Eastern colleges. At least, then, the University can expect loyalty from every alumnus. "And we want you to come back to Madison as often as possible and to visit with us, that at least we can break the unseen chains that always hold student and professor apart while at school."

The objects of the club as given in the Constitution and By-laws are as follows: (1) To keep in touch with University affairs. (2) To promote a feeling of good fellowship among the alumni of Marshfield and the vicinity. (3) To encourage prospective college men and women to enter the U. W. (4) To get the University in touch with the people of Marshfield and vicinity by means of community talks and gatherings.

The officers are: Wayne Deming, '12, president; Alice Grover, '09, vice president; E. C. Kraemer, '15, secretary-treasurer. Executive Committee: Mrs. F. R. Pollard, '01, and Dr. W. G. Sexton, '08. 2-7-17.

NEW YORK

Frank Parker Stockbudge, managing editor of the *New York Evening Mail* and author of a series of splendid articles on Wisconsin recently published in the *World's Work*, gave

us a corking talk Tuesday noon January 23. We are developing splendid momentum in the matter of these talks. The next few weeks promise some worth-while men. The interest of the fellows is reflected in the booming attendance. I should like to see you publish short reviews or long copies of these talks in the *MAGAZINE*. Our idea is to carry through them all the threads of thought suggested by our catch phrase, "Democracy in Education." The fellows here have caught up the idea—the alumni association will catch up the idea, and the men who speak will be of such a quality that we can make of the effort the very capital we have been seeking as a stimulus to general alumni activity in the service of the University of Wisconsin and her ideal in education. And she does seem to need that support at this moment. 2-23-17.

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

By F. V. CORNISH, '96

We celebrated Founders Day February 5, at 6:30 in the evening at the Hotel Stewart in our own room and we gave the cook \$1.25 for the special Wisconsin meal that meant plenty of Chicken. Many came with their fixtures and made merry under the Cardinal. We oiled up our throats for the old songs, Cross was yell leader, and every mother's son was called on for a story. The co-eds were the judges of the contest. Resolutions were offered for the good of the absent, especially Baker, now in China. Bolton told the clock story. Fischer proposed a resolution that those attending the dinner be excused from dues.

We have the usual deficit but less formidable than last year. No one offering a dollar for dues will be rejected until the shortage is made up. If you didn't come to the dinner dues should come by mail. The officers are:

J. E. Baker, '05, president; Gertrude Anthony, '01, vice president; F. V. Cornish, '96, secretary-treasurer.

PHILADELPHIA

By DAVID S. HANCHETT, '10

The discovery that there are sixty Wisconsin alumni in Philadelphia and its vicinity was a distinct surprise to some of us and a pleasant one, for we have been able to get together in two meetings which have reawakened the memory of happy days at Wisconsin and the old desire to be of use to the University. I have often thought that the idea of service was the principal thing my Alma Mater taught me, and judging from the temper of the other Wisconsin men in Philadelphia, I believe that they learned the same lesson.

Our first two meetings were preliminary and we have effected a temporary organization, but during the month of January we expect to elect permanent officers. It is our plan to hold monthly meetings—occasionally in the evening and at other times at luncheon—and to entertain, when possible, such representatives of the University as may be in the vicinity.

At one of our early meetings we had letters from President Van Hise, Dr. Charles McCarthy, and Hon. Joseph E. Davies, which aroused in us the keenest interest in the present situation at the University.

Our temporary secretary is Mr. Ernest F. Rice, 1114 Witherspoon Bldg., Philadelphia, and it is desired that any alumni who live in Philadelphia and vicinity and see this article shall communicate their names to Mr. Rice, providing they have received from him no notices of our meetings.

Philadelphia has a reputation for being America's most somnolent metropolis. Those of us who have been here for some time, especially if we have visited Milwaukee, are doubtful of this. At all events fifteen or twenty of the members of our Philadelphia Wisconsin Club are young alumni, who are now studying in the professional or graduate departments of the University of Pennsylvania,

and they are sure to inject into the life of our organization some of the spirit of Western activity. Our meetings are being held, moreover, in the City Club, which promises to become increasingly an organization devoted to progressive civic movements. In such an atmosphere our Wisconsin Club should feel at home.

By E. F. RICE, '08

Our third meeting, held on January 11, at the City Club, was the most successful gathering of the Wisconsin alumni held in Philadelphia. We had a turn-out of 28—nearly half of the available Wisconsin men. We have on our list 64 names at present, and have hopes of unearthing more long lost Brothers. In view of the fact that we have 15 alumni pursuing medical and other advanced courses at the University of Pennsylvania and other colleges in Philadelphia, we have decided to make the local dues for them and for those alumni out of college only one year \$1 and \$2 for all the rest of us. The committee is now working on a series of dinners, and promises to produce a lot of real live speakers. We are keeping in touch with University matters as best we can, and you can put us all down as 100 per cent boosters. The following officers were elected:

D. S. Hanchett, '10, president; C. E. Gape, '09, vice president; E. F. Rice, '08, secretary-treasurer. Executive Committee: Class officers, ex officio; Dr. G. P. Katzenstein, '96; Rev. Clarence McCartney, '01; Dr. S. S. Huebner, '02; Clifford Granger, '16. 2-7-17.

RACINE

By H. E. BILKEY, '12

Foundation Day of the University of Wisconsin, which was the first Monday in February, 1850, was appropriately celebrated Saturday night at a banquet given in the hall of the Racine Commercial club. There were some 80 persons present, including guests of the alumni members. Dis-

trict Attorney Vilas H. Whaley, '12, presided.

Professor Carl Russell Fish, of the American history department of the University, was the principal speaker of the evening. He dwelt at some length on the question of the proper attitude the alumni should take toward their alma mater, its president, and faculty in the face of criticism as voiced from time to time through the press. He referred to the criticism given President Van Hise in denying to a certain speaker the use of a University building for the delivery of a speech to students. He said the University could have speakers every day free of all cost if the University indiscriminately accepted all lecturers who sought to obtain an audience of students. Professor Fish said that many of these propagandists would gladly pay for the privilege of addressing the student body in one of the University buildings. The speaker further stated that although the critical eye of the press was always focused on the University for the purpose of pointing out to the public any mistakes that might be made, nothing of a serious nature had yet come to light.

Other speakers were Judge E. B. Belden, '86 of the Racine county circuit court; Judge Max W. Heck, '92, Judge William Smieding, Jr., '91, of the municipal court; and Judge D. H. Flett. Judge Flett, '80, was the oldest alumnus present. These speakers related many interesting reminiscences pertaining to their University days.

Mrs. W. G. Hyde, '13, sang a number of solos during the course of the evening's program. Gillman's orchestra furnished music during the serving of the dinner. Snappy college songs, some old stand-bys and others composed for the occasion, were lustily sung by all the alumni and their guests. H. E. Bilkey, '12, and Arthur Schroeder, '01, accompanied the singers on a mandolin and eukelele.

Following the banquet, the floor was cleared and dancing enjoyed until midnight.

There are 150 alumni members in Racine. The officers are:

A. R. Janecky, '07, president; Helen Flett, '15, vice president; H. E. Bilkey, '12, secretary-treasurer.

A song prepared especially for the occasion made a big hit. It gives a good idea of what the Racine Alumni association has done. The words follow:

On the banks of Lake Mendota
Sixty-seven years ago,
They built a University
That everyone should know.

As we think of Lake Mendota,
Where the boys and girls canoe,
How we wish that we were back there
At the dear old W. U.

In this same old Lake Mendota
There are fish and fishes too,
But the "livest" fish that's ere been caught,
Carl Russell Fish, that's you.

On the banks of old Lake Michigan,
There's a city called Racine,
And there dwells the livest alumni bunch
That ever you have seen.

This bunch has furnished a regent,
A business manager, too,
And it also has a visitor,
What more can alumni do!

SIoux CITY

By HELEN R. HENNESSY, '11

The Sioux City Alumni of the University of Wisconsin held an annual "get-together" meeting Thursday evening, December 28, at the home of Mrs. H. J. Taylor, '85. Her home was attractively decorated in the Wisconsin colors, and as each alumnus or former student arrived, he was given a small "W" bearing the name of the family into which he had been adopted for the evening. There was the Lake family, including Mother and Father Lake, Mendota, Monona, Kegonsa, and Baby Wingra Lake; the Hall family was also there with their offspring, Main and Aggie. And the Class family was there with Senior, Junior, Soph, and Freshie. When everyone had succeeded in becoming acquainted with his mother and father and sisters and brothers, the parents of the various families were told to bring the dinner to the children. Mrs. Tay-

lor served a delicious two-course tray supper. During the meal each family was warned to be prepared with a stunt to be given directly afterwards. The stunts were clever and afforded much amusement. Later toasts were responded to by J. A. Williams, '85, Walter Webb, Mrs. H. J. Taylor, '85, W. L. Frost, '85, Mrs. Shuster, and H. R. Lichtenberg, '13. The election of officers resulted as follows: William Derthick, '10, president, Wm. Bertke, '03, vice president, and Helen Hennessy, '11, secretary and treasurer. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.

WISCONSIN TEACHERS CLUB

By P. A. KOLB, '01

I was sorry that it was not possible for me to respond to your request for a report of the meeting at Milwaukee so that you could get it into the last issue of the MAGAZINE.

I think we had the best meeting this year that I have ever attended. We had a luncheon in the Badger Room of the Wisconsin Hotel. Luncheon was served about 12:15 and the festivities were continued until about 1:30. There was a fine spirit manifest. Everybody was happy, which added considerable to the meeting. One of the nice features was the meeting of the Beloit and the Wisconsin Alumni for their luncheon in the same room, and Dr. Van Hise directed his remarks as much to the Beloit Alumni as to the Wisconsin Alumni, and Dr. Eaton of Beloit responded in like manner. It almost approached a love feast. We have demonstrated the fact that a luncheon is much more successful than a banquet. There were over a hundred in attendance at the luncheon, and we feel that with a little better advertising another year, we can increase this number to two hundred, as is indicated on the card which I am enclosing. I was re-elected secretary—why, I cannot tell. Mr. Burto of Watertown was elected president for the ensuing year.

ATHLETICS

By W. D. RICHARDSON

BASKETBALL

Two victories and one defeat has been the history of the Wisconsin basketball team since the last issue of the MAGAZINE. Illinois, regarded by many as the undisputed claimant of the championship at the opening of the season, and Northwestern, runners-up last year, were the teams that succumbed to the Wisconsinites, while Chicago, a team hopelessly out of the running, succeeded in upsetting all the "dope" by downing the Badgers on their own floor.

The Chicago defeat was unexpected and disastrous for it dropped the Badgers from a glorious chance to "cop" once more. There is still a chance but had Wisconsin defeated the Maroons they would be up at the top of the heap this very minute—with an excellent chance again to win the title. As it now stands, Minnesota and Purdue lead the race with only one defeat each, while Wisconsin and Illinois have been defeated twice. The end of the first semester brought a change in the team for Levis, the sensational forward and captain of the team, finished his scholastic work and played his last game against the Maroons. His loss, however, is offset by the fact that Chandler, star center last year, has regained his standing and has rejoined the team. His value was demonstrated in his first game against Northwestern for he won it single-handed for Wisconsin.

Wisconsin's best game of the season was that played against Illinois. With a veteran team, fears were entertained that the Illinoisans would sweep Wisconsin out of the running but the Badgers were primed for the battle and after the first tip-off, Coach Ralph Jones' men never had a

chance. The Badgers had little difficulty in scoring, Captain Levis caging five baskets and Olsen, three, while the guarding of the Badgers—Meyers and Carlson—was so good that it was not until the closing minutes of the game that Illinois scored a field-goal. Meyers guarded Ralf Woods so closely that the Illinois sensation got nary a field goal—the first time in his career that he has been blanked. The victory was clean cut and it gave the rooters hopes for another championship. The game was one of the fiercest ever played on a Wisconsin floor and the crowd, which taxed the gymnasium to the limit, was kept in intense excitement throughout. The line-up and summary:

Wisconsin (25)		Illinois (14)	
Levis	L. F.	McKay, Haas	
Meyers	R. F.	Ralf Woods,	
		Schneider	
McIntosh	C	Alwood	
Olsen	L. G.	Ray Woods	
Carlson	R. G.	Halas	
Field goals—Levis, 5; Olsen, 3; McIntosh, 1; Schneider, 1; Haas, 1.			
Free throws—Levis, 7; Woods, 10.			

Before the Chicago game, which came immediately before the examinations, the Badgers were a big favorite over "Pat" Page's team. When the game started, however, it was clearly evident that the big red team was off color and although they finished the first half with a one-point lead fears were expressed as to the final outcome. These fears were justified when the teams appeared for the final half for the Badgers were unable to locate the basket. Toward the middle of the half, Chicago, playing a long shot game, began popping in baskets from all angles and long before the close the game was tucked away. Wisconsin had enough chances at the basket to win all their games for the remainder of the season but they were unable to utilize their op-

portunities. Levis was far off color in his free-throwing for he managed to cage only one out of seven tried. It was the poorest exhibition that Wisconsin had made in the years Dr. Meanwell has been here. The line-up and summary:

Wisconsin (13)		Chicago (22)
Levis	L. F.	Bent
Meyers	R. F.	Clark, Parker
McIntosh,		
Hemming	C.	Gorgas
Olsen	L. G.	Rothemel
Carlson	R. G.	Townley
Field goals—Olsen, 3; Carlson, 2; Levis, 1; Clark 3; Gorgas, 3; Townley, 2; Bent, 1.		
Free throws—Levis, 1; Bent, 3.		

With Captain-elect Olson and Meyers out of the game, the Badgers had an uphill fight against Northwestern but they managed to squeeze out a victory by virtue of the playing of "Bill" Chandler who rejoined the team after a semester of inactivity. The game was close throughout but toward the close they managed to get a lead which Northwestern could not overcome. Dr. Meanwell used three men who had never before represented Wisconsin and there



was no team-work, the game resolving itself into a contest of individuals against a team. Northwestern missed many opportunities and these misses gave Wisconsin a victory. The line-up and summary:

Wisconsin (23)		Northwestern (21)
Chandler	R. F.	Underhill
Carroll, Bauer		
McIntosh	L. F.	Bennett, Bellows
Hemming	C	Marquardt
Simpson Edler	R. G.	Gessler
Carlson	L. G.	Ellingwood
Field goals—Chandler, 3; Carroll, Bauer Hemming, McIntosh, Carlson; Underhill, 2; Bennett, 2; Marquardt, 2; Ellingwood, Bellows.		
Free throws—Chandler, 7; Underhill, 5.		

FOOTBALL

The complete schedule follows:

- Oct. 6—Lawrence at Madison.
- Oct. 13—Notre Dame at Madison.
- Oct. 20—Illinois at Urbana.
- Oct. 27—Iowa at Madison.
- Nov. 3—Minnesota at Madison.
- Nov. 17—Ohio State at Madison.
- Nov. 24—Chicago at Chicago.

The Minnesota game will be the home-coming attraction.

Since the last number of the Wisconsin Alumni Magazine, Howard J. Hancock, '18, has been elected football captain for next year. Hancock, whose home is in Shullsburg, Wis., is enrolled in the College of Agriculture. He has played two years at guard and was the most dependable man in the line last season. He is optimistic over the Badger prospects for the coming season for most of this year's squad



HANCOCK, '18

will be back and several promising players will be recruited from the freshman team and from the ranks of the "All-Americans" as the ineligible squad was called last fall.

Dr. Withington has been reappointed by the Regents as head coach for next season. He will come to Madison early in the fall and remain here throughout the year. He was given the title of professor of physical education and instructor in medicine. It is not known as yet who his assistants will be but possibly Doherty, quarterback coach, will be re-engaged as will "Cub" Buck, who had charge of the line work. Neither Soucy nor King will return, the former having gone into the woolen business in Cambridge, Mass., while King has embarked in business in South America.

Swimming Team. Gym Squad

Coach Harry Hindman of the swimming team and Coach McChesney of the gymnastic squad are working hard to get their men in condition for the coming season. The swimming prospects are better than they have been for years while Coach McChesney is optimistic over his chances of again winning the championship.

ALUMNI NEWS

Alumni please keep in touch with the MAGAZINE and with your Class Secretary!

BIRTHS

- 1900 To Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bachhuber, a son, Gregory Joseph, on January 23. Mr. Bachhuber is principal of the Port Washington High School.
- 1902 To Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Faville (Ella Esch) a daughter, Phoebe Louise, on January 14.
- 1904 To Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McEldowney
1906 (Ella Sutherland), a son, Quincy Sutherland, on December 30.
- 1905 To Mr. and Mrs. David Bogue
1915 (George Margaret Lyle), a son, David Lyle, at Portage on January 15.
- 1909 To Mr. and Mrs. Ray L. Baker (Emily Holmes), a son, on December 2, at Winnetka.
- 1909 To Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Robertson
1911 (Arlie Mae McComb), a daughter, Beatrice, at Allegan, Mich., on November 4.
- 1911 To Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Theobald, a daughter, at Leadville, Colo., on January 14.

ENGAGEMENTS

- 1909 Miss Mary C. Warring to Lieut. E. B. Colladay of the United States Coast Artillery.
- 1912 Miss Anne Benson to Walter Scoville, who is a member of the Board of Trade at Riverside, Ill.
- 1912 Anna Richards to Eugene Bird.
1915 Miss Richards is dietitian at the Madison General Hospital and Mr. Bird is engaged in agricultural work at Armour, S. D.
- 1914 Miss Margaret Roberts of Oak Park to Howard Drew of Evanston.
- 1916 Miss Jeanette Pollworth of Milwaukee to LeRoy S. Burroughs, who is attending the Episcopal seminary at Nashotah.
- 1916 Anita Pleuss of Madison to Byron C. Nelson, a senior in the College of Letters and Science.
- 1917 Edna Purtell of Madison to Russell Hicks of Chicago, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania.
- home at 1701 Portland Ave., Minneapolis, where Mr. Craig is assistant principal of the Dunwoody Industrial Institute, endowed for \$5,000,000.
- 1907 Miss Josephine Cudahy of Milwaukee to Lansing Hoyt of Chicago, February 17, at Milwaukee.
- 1910 Miss Nellie L. Howlett to James Wall, January 29, at Green Bay.
- 1911 Fern Esther Boll to O. E. Supple. Their address is 404 S. Ashland Blvd., Chicago.
- 1912 Miss Wilna Marie Jones of Janesville to G. R. Cunningham, on January 13. At home after March 1 at Janesville.
- 1913 Miss Laura Schultze to W. F. Haase, at Marinette on January 24. They reside at Marinette, where Mr. Haase is practicing law.
- 1914 Miss Anna Schiereck of Sheboygan Falls to H. C. Chaplin of Plymouth, on December 1, 1916. They will reside at Plymouth, where Mr. Chaplin is proprietor of Chaplin's Light Shop.
- 1914 Mildred Louise Harrington to W. S. Thompson, at Chicago. H. C. Marks, '13, acted as best man. Mr. Thompson is with the Universal Portland Cement Co. in Chicago.
- 1916 Veda Giles to S. DeWitt Stephens, November 25, at Chicago. At home at 545 S. Main St., Canton, Ill., where Mr. Stephens teaches Latin in the high school.
- 1916 Miss Wilma Herbert of San Diego, Cal., to A. C. Brown, on January 7. Mr. Brown is with the McCormick Lumber Co., and they will reside in Mission Hills, San Diego.
- 1916 Miss Harriet A. Davenport to E. G. Hanson, January 4, at Dennison, Minn. They will be at home at Hitterdal, Minn., where Mr. Hanson is cashier of the Clay County State Bank.
- 1916 Miss Elsie Suhr of Madison to Ed. J. Suhr of Chicago, on February 10. They will be at home at Laurel, Miss.

DEATHS

- 1896 Miss Olga Charlotte Cowan to C. A. Phelps, February 3, at Claremont, California.
- 1903 Vera Eastman to W. C. Cartwright,
1915 at Lancaster on January 27. They will be at home after March 1 at 1626 Madison St.
- 1905 Miss Gertrude Engell of Minneapolis to R. T. Craig, early in 1916. At
- MRS. WILLIAM T. STONE (MARTHA MANN, '78), died January 23 at Park Rapids, Minn., at the age of fifty-nine years. Death was due to a stroke of apoplexy. The immediate relatives surviving are the husband, two sons, and two sisters. The remains were taken to Windsor for burial.
- KENNETH D. McINTOSH, an engineering freshman from Bradford, Pa., died at the general hospital February 3, of pneumonia.

CLASSES

CLASS REUNIONS

"Seven's" and "two's" are reminded that it is time to plan for the reunion to be held next June.

We shall be glad to hear from class officers or committees on reunion from the classes of 1912, 1907, 1902, 1897, 1892, 1887, 1882, 1877, 1872, 1867, 1862.

1872

By HENRY W. HOYT, '72

The class will have a reunion in June. Responses from members assure us that a large percentage will attend.

R. F. SCHUCHARDT, Pres.
72 W. Adams St.,
Chicago, Ill.

F. H. CLAUSEN, Treas.
Van Brunt Mfg. Co.
Horicon, Wis.

Miss L. P. KELLOGG, Sec'y
Wisconsin Historical Library
Madison, Wis.

THE MIGHTY '97 UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN

Notice is hereby given of our projected reunion and that the general committee on arrangements is made up of Professor Murray C. Beebe, chairman, Mrs. Helen Pray Sheldon, and William H. Kirchoffer. They will appoint the sub-committee and start the ball rolling.—Louise Kellogg, *secretary*.

1902

ANNIVERSARY

1902

The following have already written to F. O. Leiser, chairman, executive committee, 515 Gay Bldg., Madison, Wisconsin, that they are coming:

R. K. Coe, Whitewater; R. A. Nestos, Minot, N. D.; Wm. Campbell, 8148 Kimbark Ave., Chicago; W. C. Wehe, First Nat'l Bank Bldg., Milwaukee; T. F. Frawley, Eau Claire; Geo. B. Vinson, 3220 Chestnut St., Milwaukee; Mrs. Vinson (Freda Stolte); Mrs. D. B. Barton (Louise Foote), Mason City, Ia.; P. M. Binzel, First Nat'l Bank Bldg., Milwaukee; F. G. Swoboda, Antigo, Wis.

Mr. F. O. Leiser desires addresses of the following:

W. R. Mengel, Harriet W. Kerns, Charlotte E. Shedd (Mrs. W. R. McKee) G. A. Anderson, L. C. Alexander, A. D. Ehrnbeck, Anna E. Ackerman.

REUNION COMMITTEE

CLASS OF 1907

694 BROADWAY
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Alva Cook
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Green Bay, Wis.

Lewis Sherman
487 E. North Ave., Milwaukee
Wm. K. Winkler
410 Irving Place, Milwaukee
Hubert Wolfe
1st Nat. Bank Bldg., Milwaukee

1912

By HAROLD ECKHART, '12, President.

The famous class of 1912 fires its first broadside in the battle for supremacy at the reunion of classes in June. Others will follow, and when the smoke has cleared away 1912 will be declared the winner. Uneasiness has been expressed by some members of the class over the fact that as yet no guns have been fired. Our answer is in the immortal words of Paul Jones—"We have only begun to fight." The putting on of a successful class reunion is a good deal like getting up in the morning—it doesn't matter so much *when* you get up as *what* you do after you get up. The unequalled class of 1912 is now *up*, and from now on it is going to be heard from in no uncertain terms.

In order to recruit our forces to full strength it has been deemed advisable to call upon certain members located at various points in the universe to do their share in the great work, and they have orders from headquarters to let no member within their reach rest until such member promises under oath to be present in Madison for the reunion. Bill Aberg, Gay Building, Madison, has been selected to take general charge of affairs and will see that each one does his or her part in maintaining the prestige of the class. B. E. Ramsdell, 321 Wisconsin Avenue, Madison, will be keeper of the exchequer. Committees to look after the various details will be announced soon. The following list shows who will be held primarily responsible in the localities set opposite their names.

We're off! All together now! Pull!!

New York: Lawrence Washington, Henrietta A. Kirch, Henry R. Foerster. **Chicago:** Edwin C. Austin, Alice M. Farquhar, A. W. Torbet, Richard E. Branstad, Walter Scoville. **Milwaukee:** Harry V. Meissner, Roland F. Coerper, Harold W. Story. **Detroit:** Geo. D. Bailey. **Portland, Ore.:** Stuart O. Blythe, Glenn E. Miller. **Los Angeles:** Leo B. George. **Cincinnati:** Helen D. Graves. **Denver:** Edna Howard. **Washington, D. C.:** Katherine F. Lenroot. **Minneapolis:** Morris B. Mitchell, Chas. M. Pollock. **St. Paul:** James H. Weir. **Salt Lake City:** Thos H. Morgan. **Menominee:** Frank E. Stoppenbach. **St. Louis:** Harry J. Wiedenbeck. **Dayton:** Stewart H. Ankeney. **Schenectady:** Chas. B. Bradish. **Niagara Falls:** Herbert M. Doerschuk. **Huron, S. D.:** Verne C. Bonesteel. **Dallas, Texas:** Henry P. Edwards. **Fargo:** Harold P. Thomson. **Athens, Ga.:** Gifford Bigford. **Muncie, Ind.:** Edward A. Seaton. **Menasha:** Rae F. Bell. **Sheboygan:** Wm. K. Braasch. **Janesville:** Roger G. Cunningham. **Marshfield:** Wayne E. Deming. **Sturgeon Bay:** Mrs. M. B. Goff. **Racine:** Anna L. Neitzel. **Merrill:** Grace I. Smith. **Green Bay:** Helen I. Platten. **Shullsburg:** Olive M. Simpson. **Rhineland:** Ernest L. Luther. **Eau Claire:** Oscar A. Richter. **Superior:** John A. Cadigan. **Honolulu:** Kim Tong Ho. **Columbo, Ceylon:** Fritz Kunz. **Chungking:** Carl A. Neprud. **Shanghai:** Wen-Shion Tsu. **Pekin:** Lily K. Haas, Treusinn Zoen Zee. **Habana:** Mariano R. Lora. **Tokio:** Kosuki Kurata.

1866

Sec'y—W. H. SPENCER, Meadville, Pa.

1868

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Leavitt (Florence Pennock, '74) are spending the winter at Seminole Apts., Los Angeles.

1872

Sec'y—H. W. HOYT, Detroit
179 E. Grand Blvd.

1873

James Quirk has recently financed a concrete road through the Imperial Valley. Mr. and Mrs. Quirk (Lillian Park, '74) reside at 4030 Alexander Drive, San Diego, Cal.

1874

Sec'y—A. D. CONOVER, Madison
608 E. Gorham St.

Mrs. W. A. Lyman (Henrietta L. Crane) is living at Kenwood Ave., Chicago.—The wife of C. W. Bunn, attorney for the Great Northern at St. Paul, passed away last summer.—Mrs. Charles Burnham (Mary McCoy) is residing with her daughter, Mrs. James Thompson, at Nepera Park, N. Y.—Mrs. Thomas Morgan (Kate McGonegal) has gone from Madison to Chicago to reside with her daughter.

1875

Sec'y—Mrs. F. W. WILLIAMS, Milwaukee
117 Farwell Ave.

1879

Mrs. R. M. La Follette (Belle Case) was the guest of honor at the open meeting of the Sun Prairie Woman's club on December 28.—Judge J. B. Simpson of Shullsburg, president of the county judges' organization, recommended the creation of a law directing all appeals from the county courts to be taken to the supreme court without first going to the circuit court. The judges held a two-day session at Hotel Wisconsin, Milwaukee, in December.

1880

"Milwaukee's premier essayist is Humphrey J. Desmond. For several years he has brought out 'just before Christmas' a volume of discourses on topics of universal appeal whose contents would not have done discredit to Addison or Montaigne. Thousands of readers in all parts of the country who enjoyed *The Glad Hand* and *Larger Values* and *Little Uplifts* will welcome the latest addition to the series, "*The Way to Easy Street*," which comes to hand with the imprint of A. C. McClurg and Company, Chicago. Mr. Desmond has a wide outlook. He is a lawyer and an editor who has served in the legislature and has had experience in business. He possesses scholarly tastes. He knows books as well as men and is familiar with affairs. There is no taint of pessimism in his philosophy. He is fertile in illustration, happy in phraseology, and practical in his conclusions." (From the *Evening Wisconsin*, Milwaukee.)

1881

Sec'y—EMMA GATTIKER, Baraboo

1883

Sec'y—A. C. UMBREIT, Milwaukee
912 Shepherd Ave.

R. B. Steele of the faculty of Vanderbilt University is the author of articles on Plutarch's "Alexander" and Arrian's "Anabasis," in a recent number of *Classical Philology*, and on "Roman Literary Characterization"

in the *Classical Weekly* of November 13.

1884

Sec'y—MRS. A. W. SHELTON, Rhinelander

Mrs. Milton Updegraff (Alice M. Lamb) has returned to her home at Mare Island, Cal., after a visit in Madison.—Mrs. C. N. Tibbetts (Merrial L. Park) is living at New Orleans.—A. J. Vinje is spending a few weeks on the gulf coast with his family.—C. J. Hicks is executive assistant to the president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Co., and wishes "as a loyal resident of Denver vigorously to protest against being removed to Cleveland without my knowledge or consent," as was announced in the December *Alumni Magazine*.

1885

Sec'y—F. C. ROGERS, Oconomowoc

1886

Sec'y—MRS. L. S. PEASE, Wauwatosa

Millie C. Forsythe is teaching in the high school at Fresno, Cal.—Dr. and Mrs. Fremont Chandler (Mary R. Saxe) of Waupaca announce the marriage of their daughter, Louise, to A. L. Fletchers of Minneapolis, on December 28.—Else L. Bristol, teacher in the boys' school at Talas, near Caesarea, Turkey, is in the war zone. The school has been closed by Turkish authority, the pupils deported, and the building converted into a hospital.

1887

Sec'y—MRS. IDA J. FISK, Madison

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B. S.**

Kramer, William E., Physician, 1422 Cedar St., Milwaukee.

Noer, Peter J., Physician, Wabeno.

Smith, Horace J., atty., 306 Wilner Bldg., Green Bay, Wis.

Strickland, William W., Loans & Investments, 515 I Ave., Superior.

B. Met. E.

Thompson, James R., mine mgr., American Boston Mining Co., Diorite, Mich.

B. I.

Allen, Katherine, asst. prof. of Latin, U. W., 228 Langdon St., Madison.

Brown, Ada M., 25 E. Frederick St., Rhinelander.

Bruce, John A., lumberman, Hammond, La.

Gabriel, John H., atty., 712 Kittredge Bldg., Denver, Colo.

Hand, Imogene F. (Carpenter, Mrs. Chas. L.), 1324 Main St., Racine.

Knox, Mary E. (Kreutzer, Mrs. A. L.), 508 Franklin St., Wausau.

McConnell, John E., atty., Batavian Bldg., La Crosse.

Richmond, Robert M., atty., 6 N. Madison St., Evansville.

Seeber, Claude V., 293 College Ave., Houghton, Mich.

Tenney, Mary S. (Healy, Mrs. William), Winnetka, Ill.

Winter, Frederick W., atty., 1344 Oliver Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa.

Youmans, Laurel E., physician, Mukwonago.

B. A.

Hallam, Oscar, asso. justice, Supreme Court of Minn., 743 Goodrich Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

Morris, Charles M., atty., 333 Summit Ave., Milwaukee.

Winston, Ambrose P., Pearre, Md.

B. M. E.

Parmley, Walter C., 45 E. 17th St., New York City.

LL. B.

Remington, Arthur, reporter, Temple of Justice, Olympia, Wash.

Schweizer, Charles H., atty., Batavian Bank Bldg., La Crosse.

PH. G.

Bierbach, Otto A., pharmacist, P. O. Box 325, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Ellsworth, Albert, Jr., druggist, 701 Ludington St., Escanaba, Mich.

Frederick, Harry H. F., physician, Westfield.

N. B.—Total number living, 74; members of Alumni Association 26; percentage 35+.

1888

Sec'y—P. H. MCGOVERN, Milwaukee
1201 Majestic Bldg

Walter Rogers, secretary to Charles R. Crane, visited at Madison in January on his way to Japan, where he will study economic and industrial developments for the next few months.—“The MAGAZINE is steadily growing in interest to the alumnus by supplying the matter which is of especial importance to us. We most want to know about the progress of the University. I assure you the association has my very best wishes and interest for continued growth and progress.” J. R. Wise, superintendent of Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kan.

1889

Sec'y—B. D. SHEAR, Oklahoma City
904 Concord Bldg

H. L. Butler has again been elected president of the Dane County Bar Association, which will entertain the state bar convention in June.—R. B. Steele of Vanderbilt University, read a paper on “The Historians of Alexander the Great” at the meeting of

the American Philological Association in St. Louis during the holidays.—Mayor Hiram Gill of Seattle was one of several high city officials named in a federal grand jury indictment charging conspiracy, January 27.—Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Brittingham (Mary L. Clark) went to California in January for the winter.—Mrs. E. N. Warner (Lillian D. Baker) presided over the open meeting of the Woman's Club (Madison) February 1.

1890

Sec'y—W. N. PARKER, Madison

On January 1 Justice A. A. Bruce became chief justice of the supreme court of North Dakota, after serving several years as an associate justice.—Dr. W. C. Bennett, formerly a member of the State Board of Health, is president of the Oneida-Forest-Vilas County Medical Society.

1891

Sec'y—MRS. F. S. BALDWIN, West Allis

O. T. Erhart is president of the Commercial Club of Birchwood.—Attorney General W. C. Owen is a candidate for justice of the supreme court of the State of Wisconsin, opposing Justice R. D. Marshall for reelection.—Isabel C. Loomis resides at 217 W. Franklin St., Portage.—“What there is left of me is what the doctors have left. They have been carving me for about three years now but have finally got things O. K. and I went to work Dec. 23—first since 1912.”—E. E. Williams, Leadville, Colo.

1892

Sec'y—MRS. EDWARD L. BUCHWALTER,
Springfield, O., 805 E. High St.

1893

Sec'y—MARY S. SWENSON, Madison
149 E. Gilman St.

Mrs. E. D. Goodyear is recording secretary of the Dane County Equal Suffrage league.—Mrs. Louis Kahlenberg (Lillian B. Heald) is chairman of the committee on legislation, of the

Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs.

1894

Sec'y—H. L. EKERN, Madison

M. L. Lueck is a candidate for reelection as circuit judge at Juneau.

1895

Sec'y—G. A. CARHART, Milwaukee
774 Summit Ave.

C. W. Jones is editor of the *Alaska Railroad Record*, the official organ of the Alaskan Engineering Commission published weekly at Anchorage, Alaska.—Zona Gale and her mother have left Portage to spend the winter in California.—Charles Heberd was recently voted an honorary life membership in the Chamber of Commerce of Spokane, in recognition of his splendid record in public fund-raising campaigns in Spokane in recent years.

1896

Sec'y—G. F. THOMPSON, Chicago,
3826 Van Buren St.

G. M. Dahl, formerly vice president of the Electric Bond & Share Co., has been elected vice president of the Chase National Bank of New York City.

1897

Sec'y—LOUISE P. KELLOGG, Madison

Mrs. Charles McCarthy (Lucile Schreiber) is a member of the committee on civil service reform for the Wisconsin Federation of Women's Clubs.

1898

Sec'y—J. P. RIORDAN, Mayville

William Dawson has offices at 560 Hackett Ave., Milwaukee, as field secretary of the university commission of the Episcopal church in Wisconsin.—J. E. Davies, member of the federal trade commission, in an address before 100 publishers and paper manufacturers at Chicago, intimated that the paper manufacturers faced prosecution under the antitrust laws.

1899

Sec'y—Mrs. J. N. McMILLAN, Milwaukee,
740 Frederick Ave.

F. H. Kurtz has established offices for the practice of law at 740 Security

Bldg., Minneapolis.—W. S. Kies, vice president of the National City Bank of New York, delivered an address on "Training for World Service," January 12, before the annual meeting of the Association of American Colleges, at Chicago.—S. W. Gilman, professor of business administration, lectured on practical problems in retail credit administration, at the Tri-state Merchants' short course at Sioux Falls, S. D., late in January.

1900

Sec'y—J. N. KOFFEND, Jr., Appleton,
690 Narris St.

H. M. Silber entered the judicial campaign in Milwaukee, in January, as candidate for judge of the civil court.—Senator Husting's nomination of A. C. Wolfe of La Crosse as United States District Attorney for the western district of Wisconsin, to succeed his brother, the late William F. Wolfe, has been confirmed by the United States Senate.—Judge A. C. Backus of Milwaukee addressed a Father and Son meeting recently.

1901

Sec'y—MRS. R. B. HARTMAN, Milwaukee,
4001 Highland Blvd.

E. J. Reynolds is vice president of the Dane County Bar Association.

1902

Sec'y—Mrs. M. S. STEVENS, Eau Claire,
606 Second Ave.

Mrs. L. C. Sleeper (Florence E. Weissert) resides at Quitman, Miss.—Rev. F. R. Wedge, pastor of a Rhineland church, has organized a regularly incorporated boxing club among the boys of his church and will enter some of his charges in the western amateur athletic meets.—F. O. Leiser addressed the students of the "4C" college January 12, on the subject, "Put It to a Test."—F. A. Vogel of Milwaukee has about recovered from a recent severe operation, and left for China early in February for an extended trip. He expects to return in June, in time for the fifteenth anniversary of 1902.

1903

Sec'y—W. H. HEIN, Bloomington, Ill.
Normal School

Dr. N. C. Gilbert's address is 5201
Woodlawn Ave., Chicago.

1904

Sec'y—MRS. W. B. BENNETT, Madison
322 S. Hamilton St.

William Ryan is secretary of the Dane County Bar Association.—M. W. Moe, accompanied by six student debaters from the Appleton High School, recently spent several days at Madison securing material for a state interscholastic league debate.—G. A. Works has accepted a professorship in rural education in Teachers' College, Columbia University.—I. J. Dahle as Milwaukee agency manager for the Equitable Life Insurance Co. has been active in establishing several new records in insurance, particularly in the line of group life insurance policies.—Fola La Follette with her husband, George Middleton, visited Madison early in February.

1905

Sec'y—LILLIAN E. TAYLOR, Madison
352 W. Wilson St.

Justice R. D. Marshall is a candidate for reelection to the supreme court of the State of Wisconsin.—Elizabeth Buehler attended a meeting of the examining board of the Wisconsin State Teachers' Association at Milwaukee late in January.—Lester Creutz teaches in the state normal school at Eau Claire.—J. E. Thomas, municipal judge of the eastern district, Waukesha, is a candidate for reelection.—An appreciation of Elias Tobenkin, author of *Witte Arrives*, appeared in the *Book News Monthly* for January.

1906

Sec'y—MRS. JAMES B. ROBERTSON
Eccleston, Md.

A. L. B. Moser has removed from Denver to Livermore, Colo.—H. J. Hunt's Madison address is 2146 Keyes Ave.

1907

Sec'y—RALPH GUGLER, Milwaukee
694 Broadway

Alva Cook is publisher of the *Northwestern Confectioner*, a trade journal which he started last spring, and his address is 503 Free Press Bldg., Milwaukee.—Mrs. Ben Reynolds (Ethel Pearl Clough) will reside in Madison after the first of March.—C. S. Knight, dean of agriculture at the University of Nevada, had a leading part in the farmers' week program at Reno the last week of January.—The wife of B. F. Adams of Barron died from burns last November.

1908

Sec'y—F. H. ELWELL, Madison

Herbert Lothe of the firm of Downing & Lothe, Milwaukee veterinarians, was recently elected president of the Wisconsin Veterinarian Association.—Lydia E. Fadner is physical director in the city schools of Albuquerque, N. Mex.—N. W. Evans of Oconomowoc has been elected president of the Waukesha County Bar Association.

1909

Sec'y—C. A. MANN, Ames, Iowa
Ashland Apts.

G. C. Bailey is research chemist with Barrett Co., 17 Battery Place, New York, and resides at 112 29th St.—L. P. Tiefenthaler spoke on "Modern Tendencies in Municipal Government," before the Woman's School Alliance at Madison January 25.—B. S. Reynolds of Milwaukee has accepted a position with the Charles F. Burgess Co. at Madison.—O. F. Gayton is waterworks engineer with the Utilities Eng. Co., 1247 Webster Bldg., Chicago.—L. P. Lochner recently visited President Wilson to discuss the peace situation.—"I enjoy the MAGAZINE very much and always look forward to its coming with increasing interest." Elsie M. Baumgarth.

1910

Sec'y—M. J. BLAIR, St. Paul
514 Merchants' National Bank Bldg

W. I. King has resigned from the political economy department to begin work in February in the health service of the U. S. department of the treasury.—G. O. Plamondon has removed from Cleveland to 716 S. Kildare, Chicago.—M. J. Atwood, who is devoting himself to graduate work in political science and American history, prepared a study on "The Sources of the Mexican Acta Constitutiva," published in the *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*.—L. T. Richardson, engineer in the insulation department of the Cutler-Hammer Mfg. Co. resides at 322 20th St., Milwaukee.—W. C. F. Rohde's new address is 1425 Vine Place, Minneapolis.—J. C. Beebe is located at Clearmont, Wyo.—"With the inclosed check I wish to state how much I enjoy the ALUMNI MAGAZINE. I heartily endorse the sentiments expressed by W. V. Kaltenborn, and certainly wish it were possible for every alumnus to read his letter. I predict a steady decrease in the ranks of the 73 per cent party." G. J. Mueller, principal of the Riverside-Brookfield (Ill.) High School.

1911

Sec'y—E. D. STEINHAGEN, Milwaukee
20 Mack Block

Mrs. H. H. Stewart (Nora Buell) resides at 5230 19th Ave. N. E., Seattle, Wash.—Irving Brown is a teacher at Union College, Schenectady, N. Y.—Christmas Kelley is bacteriologist for the Board of Health of Milwaukee.—Mrs. E. J. Prucha (Katharine Schladweiler) resides at River Falls.

1912

Sec'y—H. J. WIEDENBECK, St. Louis
6807 Michigan Ave.

Classmates of 1912:

For the love of Mike, what is the matter with 1912? Here it is February and not one word said about our Fifth Reunion. Can't we add? 5 and

12 makes 17, and unless my calendar is wrong, next June we should celebrate our first real reunion.

I do not know where the fault lies or what machinery is needed to start our reunion going. The other LIVE classes have been working for months. If we do not get busy, we had better postpone our reunion on account of wet grounds.

Let us get started. I sincerely hope that our once active and "peppy" class can come to life and show that we are HELL, instead of merely dead ones.

Very truly yours,
HAROLD D. WILE, E. E. '12.

J. L. Slade is with the Ingersoll-Rand Co., 1505 People's Gas Bldg., Chicago.—J. E. Davis is assistant professor of mathematics at Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pa.—A. C. Runzler, who is taking his degree in architecture at the University of Pennsylvania, writes: "It was indeed a pleasure to attend the Alumni dinner at the City Club, at which the Philadelphia chapter was formed."

MR. HAROLD ECKHART,
President of the Class of 1912.

DEAR SIR: June, 1917, is but four months away, and although '97, 1902, and 1907 have already commenced their plans for reunion, 1912, which you and I may well admit to be the best class which ever graduated from the University, has taken no steps towards advertising its reunion. Perhaps plans are under way of which I know nothing; in which event I trust you will accept my apologies for what may seem too great haste. In this age of agitation for preparedness, however, the members of the Class of 1912 ought to be organizing for the purpose and with the idea of outdoing all of the other classes in every respect at the coming reunion. You are the fountain head of authority in the class, and, therefore, having assumed the floor with-

out being given permission, I hereby move you that a committee be appointed for the purpose of arranging for the festivities, and that subcommittees be appointed by you or by the committee, so that members of our class may be at work in each city, town, or hamlet to which our classmates are scattered; that financial and other arrangements, and a real advertising campaign, including liberal use of the excellent ALUMNI MAGAZINE, be made; and since I have no right to second my own motion, I request that you pass it on to any member of our class who happens to be in your vicinity, and see whether a second will not be spontaneously offered.

With kindest regards to you, and the hope for a splendid reunion, I am

Very truly yours,

EDWIN C. AUSTIN, '12.

1913

Sec'y—RAY SWEETMAN, N. D.
Agricultural College

Mrs. K. D. Rose (Mabelle H. Rogers) resides at 3969 De Tonty Ave., St. Louis.—E. A. Polley is principal of the Racine Agricultural School.—Hazel Gray is expert bacteriologist for Dr. Rosenow at the Mayo Brothers' Clinic at Rochester, Minn.—G. F. Vivian is chief clerk in the statistical department of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway Co. at Chicago.—Mrs. J. I. Etheridge (Irma Gautschi) resides at 128 N. Charter St., Madison.—C. W. Tomlinson is in the department of geology and mining engineering in the Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical College at Agricultural College, Miss.—“As usual I am singing my foolish life away.” Mrs. W. G. Hyde, (Jessie Post) 2405 Washington Ave., Racine.—J. J. Garland has resigned his position in the Agronomy department of the University, to accept a position with the Holmes Letherman Seed Co. of Canton, O.—Julia Grace Wales is expected to return to the University next fall. H. P. Wood is with the

bridge department of the New York Central lines west of Buffalo.

1914

Sec'y—J. A. BECKER, Madison
610 State St.

Ruth Minturn is research chemist for the Fairbanks Co., Chicago.—D. T. Sullivan is in charge of livestock for the Tallahatchie Lumber Co. at Philipp, Miss.—Ada Rundell is teaching home economics in the high school at Carlton, Minn.—Leo Bachhuber has been chosen leader of the First Wisconsin Infantry band.—Cora V. Bradley is instructor in home economics in the high school at Barron.—A. A. Gelatt is with the Gundlach Advertising Co., 122 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago.—Edna Morley is instructor in home economics in the high school at Kendallville, Ind.—Mrs. R. B. Cooley (Jennie Koehler) resides at Kingston, R. I.—Kathleen Calkins is *Farm Home* demonstration agent in Cheshire Co., Keene, N. H.—Clayton Douglas, who is farming near Payette, Idaho, spent several weeks in Wisconsin recently, and attended the Junior Prom.—Bernice Crosby is teaching high school home economics at Chisholm, Minn.—Josephine Glidden is supervisor of home economics in the Rockford (Ill.) High School.—“THE WISCONSIN ALUMNI MAGAZINE is better than a visit to Madison, because through it you learn of the people you are most interested in. Enclosed find my check for alumni dues and subscription.” “Walt” Powell, athletic director at Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio.—Jane Cape is instructor in home economics in the Kansas State Agricultural College at Manhattan.—Stella Baskerville is with the children's department of the public library at Cleveland, and her address is 8403 Linwood Ave., N. E.—Valeria Coldwell is teaching home economics in the high school at Pueblo, Colo.—Martha Gaffron is teaching home economics in the high school at Plymouth.—Gladys Gill is a member of the home

economics faculty of Randolph-Macon College, Lynchburg, Va.—“Every outlook this year so far seems very favorable, for the farmer, at least, notwithstanding the high price of machinery and all other imports. American capitalists will do well by investing some of their surplus dollars in South Africa, especially in the opening up of mines. With all good wishes to my Alma Mater and the compliments of the season to all my friends.” D. S. M. Potgeiter, Zandsprint, Transvaal, South Africa.

1915

Sec'y—E. O. A. LANGE, Madison
1001 Regent St.

J. F. Machotka is now county Y. M. C. A. secretary for St. Joseph County, Mich., and may be addressed at 209 W. West St., Sturgis.—A. C. Burrill is an instructor in the agricultural college at Moscow, Idaho.—Walter Knobel sailed December 23 for Guayaquil, Ecuador, where he will be the accountant in charge of the interests of W. R. Grace & Co. of New York.—G. C. Brandenburg is an assistant in the department of education at Purdue University.—P. G. Brann is with the Milwaukee Coke & Gas Co., and resides at 597 Cass St., Milwaukee.—A. H. Hansen is an assistant in economics at Brown University, Providence, R. I.—J. H. Reed is with the *Southern Ruralist* at Atlanta, Ga.—Ben Schwendener is engaged in extension work for the Universal Portland Cement Co.—Mrs. Frank L. Bellows (Marguerite Black) resides at 659 W. 33rd St., Des Moines, Ia.—Paul Brown is principal of the high school at Patch Grove.—D. F. Schindler has removed from Strafford, Vt., to San Ignacio 25, Havana, Cuba. E. J. Prucha is teaching agriculture in the state normal school at River Falls.

1916

Sec'y—RUTH DILLMAN, Milwaukee
731 Shephard Ave.

S. B. Olson is studying interior decoration at Teachers' College, Co-

lumbia University, and he writes from 587 Riverside Drive: “If there is any magazine I enjoy getting, it is the WISCONSIN ALUMNI MAGAZINE.”

—R. N. Falge's address is 79 Belmore Road, E. Cleveland, O.—Alice Keith, supervisor of public school music at La Crosse, visited in Madison late in January.—Margaret Frances Deutsch is teaching in the high school at New Holstein.—G. H. Watzke's address is 460 Hanover St., Milwaukee.—Forest Black, inter-collegiate debater and orator, has been retained by the Anti-Saloon League to stump the State of Ohio next summer on behalf of state-wide prohibition.—C. A. Crosser, who is with the *Toledo Blade*, resides at 229 14th St.—Grace Reed of Sparta visited in Madison early in February.—R. F. Brown has left the *Automobile Bluebook* to take a position in the advertising department of the *New York Journal*.—“I hear good reports from Madison and I feel confident that the rejuvenated Alumni Association is blazing the right kind of a trail.” A. E. MacQuarrie, principal of Sumner School, Minneapolis.—Leon B. Hook, ex '16, who graduated from Harvard last June, is with the National City Bank of New York.—Joseph Carson's permanent address is 1812 10th Ave. S., Birmingham, Ala.—H. S. Quigley is instructor in politics and history at Princeton University.—Henrietta Wood is teaching English and history in the Seymour (Wis.) High School.—J. R. Swetting has entered the production department of the Pfaudler Co. of Rochester (N. Y.) and resides at 98 Thorndale Terrace.—W. S. Smith is teaching agriculture and manual training at Wapello, Ia.—F. A. Chandler of Waupaca is director of athletics at the high school at Grand Rapids.—C. A. Nicholson is located at the Y. M. C. A. at Appleton, as Wisconsin representative of the General Roofing Mfg. Co.—Wallace Meyer, assistant advertising manager for the Automatic Electric Co. of Chicago, was in Madison Febru-

ary 5-9 with an exhibit of automatic telephones.—“I have enjoyed the numbers of the MAGAZINE very much. After helping to prepare the MAGAZINE for four years, I was afraid lest that it should bore me; but I am delighted to find it most interesting to me. Unfortunately I am so far uptown that it is impossible for me to get down to the luncheons, but I hope to get away some noon in the near future.” L. C. Ward, 134 W. 75th St., N. Y.—J. A. Shad is with the Wisconsin Highway Commission and is stationed at La Crosse.—H. P. Haberla is practicing law with Carl H. Juergens '09 at 431 12th St., Milwaukee.—T. L. Hoeverler is assistant to the auditor of the Gisholt Machine Co., Madison.—H. B. Merrill received a fellowship in chemistry at the University. Ralph Bohn received an instructorship in chemistry and is also working for his Master's degree.—Frederick Sandborn is with the Central Loan and Trust Co., Great Falls, Montana.—K. R. Burk is a chemist with the American Tar Products Co., South Milwaukee.—N. C. Lucas is with the Cleveland Press at Cleveland, Ohio.—E. J. Hanser is assistant in the Poultry Department at the University.—C. L. Henry is with the Henry Lumber Co., at Michigan City, Indiana.—E. E. Meyer is employed as auditor and accountant with J. S. Matteson, Certified Public Accountant, Duluth, Minn.—John Frazee is with the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Co. at Indianapolis, and his address is Suite 704, Fletcher Trust Bldg.—F. W. Benedict is managing his father's farm at Beloit.—Edward Toomey is practicing law with his father in Montana.—Dora Christensen returned from Marion, O., to spend the holidays in Madison.—Leah Elizabeth Sutherland was elected county superintendent of schools for Beaverhead County,

Mont., last November, and went into office the first of the year, with headquarters at Dillon.—H. H. Huston is testing for the Pugallup Valley Cow Testing Association of Tacoma, Wash.—R. J. Cooper is a member of the faculty of the Marshfield (Wis.) High School.—Doris L. McFadden has taken up her work as assistant in physical education and assistant matron at the dormitory of the State Normal School at Minot, N. D.—A. Brill is assistant city engineer at Green Bay.—R. P. Petersen is with the La Crosse Steel and Construction Co.—Howard Thwaites, J. W. Tanghe, L. F. Nelson, and Walter Swietlik are all with the Milwaukee Sewerage Commission.—R. E. Williams is with the Albert Trostel & Sons Co., and his address is 612 Commerce St., Milwaukee.—Ralph and Frank Stone are farming near Lancaster.—A. D. Burke is making a campaign for better milk at Huntington, W. Va., where he is milk and food inspector.—R. M. Beckwith is salesman with the Huron Milling Co. at Harbor Beach, Mich.—L. J. Cummings is teaching agriculture in the high school at Ripon.—Mrs. Dora R. Barnes' address is 519 E. Orange St., Lakeland, Fla., where she is county agent.—Lillian Eastlund is teaching in the Superior public schools.—Irene Frederick and Helen Brooks are at home in Madison.—Eleanor Sime is instructor in home economics in the high school at Marion, Va.—Ingeborg Iverson is taking graduate work at the University.—Alice Whitney is assistant custodian in the Historical Museum at Madison.—Margaret Whitehead is with Marshall Field & Co. at Chicago.—Martha Stanley is student dietitian in the Massachusetts general hospital at Boston.—Inez Willson is assistant in home economics at the University.

CAMPUS NOTES

Wisconsin's negative team goes to Minneapolis and the affirmative team opposes Iowa at Madison, March 2, in the inter-state debate on the question: Resolved, that the president of the United States should be empowered to appoint a commission which shall have the power to fix prices on staple articles.

More than 150 men completed the regular twelve-weeks' winter dairy course, January 31.

President Van Hise is a member of the committee of university heads appointed by President Wilson to act as a board of visitors to confer annually with officials of the Naval Academy regarding the curriculum.

J. S. Hipple, expert instrument maker for the medical department, has completed a string galvanometer for registering heart pulsations, the second instrument of its kind manufactured in this country.

Dr. W. A. Evans, hygienist and health editor of the *Chicago Tribune*, addressed the Sunday Evening Assembly January 28 on "How to Keep Well."

An agreement has been entered into by the Wisconsin musical clubs and Haresfoot whereby the musical clubs were to suspend operations from Prom time until after the Haresfoot show, to avoid conflicts and encourage members of one club to try out for the other.

Between semesters, the University offered a short course in home economics for women.

R. F. Seybolt has been promoted from instructor to assistant professor of education.

Distinguished class for the University Military Department resulted in an opportunity to name four students for appointments as

officers in the United States marine corps.

Three graduate fellowships of \$400 each and two scholarships of \$200 each for students in the German department, for five-year periods, have been given by the following Milwaukee people: Fred Vogel Jr., A. F. Gallun, Gustave Pabst, A. C. Elser, and Mrs. Emilie Nunne-macher.

Mrs. Florence G. Buckstaff of Oshkosh and A. P. Nelson of Grantsburg have been reappointed to the Board of Regents, by Governor Philipp, for terms extending until 1923.

A chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi has been installed at the University, raising the list to thirteen sororities at Wisconsin.

Glen E. McHugh of Milwaukee won a \$100 prize and I. W. Mendelsohn of Madison an award of \$50, for essays submitted in the National Trade council competition.

Governor Philipp addressed the members of the Scoops and the Cubs, journalistic societies, January 25, on the subject of "The Government and Newspapers."

Miss Rosa F. Briggs, a senior in home economics, led the junior prom at the University of Minnesota on February 16. The Wisconsin student was the partner of Frank Mayer, prom chairman.

William Jennings Bryan addressed an audience of over 5,000 people at the Stock Pavilion on the evening of January 22.

G. R. Clements resigned recently as instructor in mathematics to accept a position in the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

Professor and Mrs. H. H. Houghton recently entertained the Madison alumni of the University of In-

diana at their home to celebrate Foundation day of that university. Dr. F. C. Krauskopf was elected president and George Teter secretary of the organization.

Dean H. S. Richards of the Law School lectured at Ripon College February 1.

J. I. Hambleton has been appointed instructor in economic entomology in the College of Agriculture for the remainder of the academic year to take the place of W. L. Evan, who went south with the national guard.

A "farmers' week," featuring swine industry, was conducted from February 5-10. A special course for operators and managers of creameries and cheese factories was also given.

Professor A. H. Sanders of the University of Michigan lectured on "Miniatures and Bible Texts of an Early Commentary on Revelations" at University Hall on February 1.

W. H. Page, new member of the Law School faculty, will reside at 10 Vista road.

Kappa Alpha Theta won the cup in the inter-sorority bowling league, and Alpha Phi beat Pi Beta Phi after a tie for second honors.

Honorary recognition in agriculture was recommended by the faculty of the College of Agriculture, during Farmers' Week in February, for Henry Krumrey of Sheboygan, J. Q. Emery of Edgerton, and Joseph Gordon of Mineral Point.

Professor Daniel Mead talked on modern methods of flood prevention, January 17, in the auditorium of the Engineering building.

The Extension Division has announced a course in road building and maintenance, to embrace all phases of road construction.

Lewis Chase, instructor in English, lectured at Milwaukee February 2 on the subject of "Another Approach to the New Poetry."

Red Domino and Twelfth Night gave a dinner at the Candy Shop in

honor of Miss Gertrude E. Johnson, assistant professor of public speaking, who left for New York to study new plays and methods of production.

Willard Sumner, a freshman in the College of Letters and Science, was awarded the prize of \$15 for the Prom one-step.

J. G. Halpin, associate professor of poultry husbandry, addressed the Greater Milwaukee Poultry Association on January 24.

F. B. Hadley, associate professor of veterinary science, addressed the farmers of Dunn County December 16 on the subject of "The Control of Hog Cholera."

The Alpha Phi and Delta Delta Delta sororities entertained groups of Madison children at Christmas parties shortly before the close of school for the holidays.

Colored etchings by George Senesey, president of the Chicago Society of Etchers, were recently added to the exhibits in the State Historical Museum.

A sand table has been installed in the Scabbard and Blade room of the Armory by Major Crain and Lieutenant Fitzmaurice where they illustrate many moves incident to the war game before the sophomore classes in military science.

J. C. Elsom of the department of physical education gave the closing lecture in connection with the Pure Food show, January 6.

The 1916 Summer Session was the largest summer session on record, and it cost the state the least per student, according to the report of the director. The average cost per student has been reduced from \$8 in 1912 to \$3.40 in 1916.

The fifteenth annual vocational conference for women was held February 15 and 16.

An otter skin medicine cap and pouch have recently been procured for the State Historical Museum. The pouch was used for many years

by a band of Winnebago Indians near Black River Falls.

A. H. Melville and other members of the bureau of civic commercial, and community development of the Extension department prepared an attractive program for the second annual Wisconsin Commercial and Industrial Congress held at Madison under University auspices February 20-22.

The tenth anniversary number of the *Country Magazine* of the University was issued in January. Some of the members of the original staff of what was in 1907 known as the *Student Farmer* held a reunion just before the holidays to commemorate the anniversary.

E. B. Chamberlain, instructor in music, gave an illustrated lecture on the "Evolution of Musical Instruments" before the Men's Club of St. Andrews church, Wingra Park, December 11.

Professor E. A. Ross of the department of sociology addressed the American Sociological society at Cleveland December 28, on the subject of "Folk Depletion as a Cause of Rural Decline."

Hesperia defeated Philomathia in the annual inter-society debate December 15. S. L. Wheeler, E. L. Potter, and Guy Black composed the winning team, their opponents being H. A. Bullis, Hymen Rosenblatt, and Leroy Burlingame.

The **Sophomore pipe committee**, of which Harry Scott is chairman, is offering a choice of three pipes to the second-year men. The "1W9" numerals will be inlaid in German silver.

Wisconsin women students have sent a questionnaire to the athletic associations of twenty-three western colleges and universities, concerning the nature and methods of various organizations. The last question concerned the holding of a convention of women's athletic organizations, and the first replies received were unanimously in the affirmative.

The mid-winter concert trip of the First Regimental band was taken February 7 to 11, the cities selected being Reedsburg, Duluth, Superior, Odanah, Oshkosh, Fond du Lac, and Milwaukee.

The **University Y. M. C. A.** has inaugurated a Big Brother movement for the benefit of small boys in Madison. The association cooperates with Judge A. C. Hoppmann of the juvenile court.

M. F. Guyer, professor of zoology, and B. Q. Morgan, assistant professor of German, have been granted leave of absence for the second semester.

Professor R. DeC. Ward of Harvard will deliver a series of five or six lectures on geology at the University during the coming semester.

Alf E. Saxlund, a graduate of the University of Christiania, Norway, who practiced law in the Norwegian capital for two years, has enrolled in the Law School for a few months for the purpose of acquainting himself with American legal proceedings.

A percentage of the receipts of the December concert of the First Regimental band was donated to the fund for William T. Purdy, composer of "On Wisconsin," who was seriously ill at a sanitarium at Gabriels, N. Y.

Professor F. D. Crawshaw of the manual arts department delivered an address before the Minneapolis Manual Arts association, in December.

Professor R. W. Aigler of the College of Law of the University of Michigan visited the University December 12, on a trip which took him also to Missouri and Cornell Universities.

Professor D. S. Hill of the department of education spoke on "The Gary School System" at the Physical Education luncheon in December.

A chart on communicable diseases among school children, prepared by the health instruction bureau in cooperation with the Wisconsin Anti-

Tuberculosis Association, has been issued in bulletin form by the Extension Division.

R. H. Hess of the department of political economy and Paul Voelker of the Extension Division were speakers at the Pure Food show in Madison in January.

A new fox trot, "Love Me When Night Shades Fall," is to be published by Carlisle Stevenson and James Rathbun, members of the regimental band. It has been a big hit at Madison dances this season.

Professor P. W. Dykema of the School of Music left for California shortly before Christmas to lecture and conduct community singing in a number of California cities.

Maj. C. F. Crain has been granted the rank and title of professor of military science and tactics at Wisconsin, and Lieut. W. J. Fitzmaurice has been made an assistant professor.

Archie Hood, ex '17, is studying medicine at the University of Pennsylvania.

F. M. White, assistant professor of agricultural engineering delivered the president's address, December 27, at the tenth annual meeting of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers, at Hotel Sherman, Chicago.

A special bulletin has been published by the Extension Division on "Nursing as a Vocation for Women," by Katherine M. Olmsted, R. N., supervising nurse, Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association, Milwaukee.

F. A. Ogg, associate professor of political science, acted as chairman of the committee which arranged the program for the American Political Science Association's conference at Cincinnati, December 27-30.

The state board of education has recommended a total budget of \$3,927,527 for the coming biennium, of which \$1,932,931 is for 1917 and \$1,994,596 for 1918. The original request of the Regents was cut by

\$118,270, and the amount finally determined upon is \$386,157 more than for the two years past.

Dean L. E. Reber conducted a conference of extension workers in the University December 29 and 30, about 125 being in attendance.

Frank Kleinheinz, assistant professor of animal husbandry, lectured at agricultural colleges in Pennsylvania and Kentucky, and before the sheep breeders' association at Lafayette, Ind.

The old wooden toboggan slide may soon be a thing of history. University authorities consider it unsafe, and organizations which are willing to put it in repair do not wish to be responsible for accidents. The athletic board has appointed a committee to investigate the cost and practicability of a concrete slide.

According to a recent ruling of the Regents, all students will have to have library deposit cards for taking books from the Library, beginning the second semester. The deposit fee has been reduced from two dollars to one, this deposit to be held for payment of fines for violation of library rules.

President and Mrs. Charles R. Van Hise issued invitations for their annual reception to the Regents of the University, Tuesday evening, January 16, from 8 to 11, at their residence at 772 Langdon St.

A student in journalism has investigated and determined that twenty-eight professors in the University are authors of text books in use in the various classes. One professor-author is said to receive an average royalty of but \$23.93 a year from the sale of his book.

The University won forty-five premiums, including fourteen firsts and six championships, on its exhibits of sheep entered in the recent International Live Stock Exposition.

Professor F. D. Crawshaw lectured on "Manual Arts in Education" before the Art Institute at Milwaukee, January 6.

Miss Nellie Walker gave a stereopticon lecture on "Recent Work of Chicago Sculptors," January 10, at University Hall, appearing under auspices of the Madison Art Association.

The following faculty men attended the convention of the American Economics Association at Columbus, O., during the mid-winter recess: H. C. Taylor, Richard T. Ely, John R. Commons, C. H. Hibbard, W. H. Kiekhofer, W. I. King, F. H. Elwell, C. J. Galpin, D. W. Sawtelle, and H. Jerome. Professors Ely, Hibbard, Commons, and King were on the program.

G. W. Keitt, assistant professor of plant pathology, spent the holidays at Newberry, S. C., and also attended the Scientific American Association convention in New York City.

The board of trustees of the proposed union religious center at the University, for which several religious organizations are raising funds, has issued an illustrated booklet giving details of proposed cost and appearance.

The following members of the history department attended the conference of the American Historical Society at Cincinnati, December 27-30, the first three taking part in the program: W. L. Westermann, F. L. Paxson, E. M. Coulter, C. R. Fish, Dean Lois K. Mathews, E. H. Byrne, W. T. Root, and E. N. Curtis.

Miss Rose Perel, a senior in the College of Letters and Science, and

R. D. Jameson, a graduate student in German, were married at Menominee (Mich.) and returned to the University to complete their respective courses.

Red Domino and Edwin Booth presented three plays at the Fuller Opera house on the evening of January 19.

A charter of **Phi Sigma Kappa**, national fraternity, was given to the local fraternity formerly known as Kappa Phi Gamma, on January 12.

Tom Hefferan, '18, is the author of the poem "On the Rialto—Chicago," published in the February issue of *The Masses*.

There are fifteen former University students in the 1917 Legislature, seven in the Senate and eight in the Assembly. The state senators who formerly attended the University are Charles Mulberger, '94, of Watertown, H. A. Huber, '96, of Stoughton, Frank Hanson, '07, of Mauston, Theodore Benfey, '95, of Sheboygan, Platt Whitman, '95, of Highland, Isaac Witter, Ex '96, of Grand Rapids, and Timothy Burke, Ex '99, of Green Bay. The former students in the lower house are Charles D. Rosa, '03, of Beloit, Glenn Turner, '16, of Milwaukee, William T. Evjue, Ex '06, of Madison, John Donnelly, Ex '10, of Milwaukee, William Schroeder, Ex '14, of Wauwatosa, L. C. Whittet, Ex '92, of Edgerton, John Buckley, Ex '15, of Waukesha, and F. M. Clark, Ex '07, of Wild Rose.

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BOOK NOTES

Professor Alexander Kerr has greatly pleased the circle of his intimate friends by sending them a privately printed and very attractive little souvenir volume of his youthful poems, entitled *Atlantis Found and Other Verse*. The title poem was delivered at Beloit College Commencement in June, 1855. Besides "Atlantis Found," the volume contains "In War Time," "College Days," "The Lost Class-mate," and a variety of shorter compositions, some of them displaying their author's well-known bent toward humor, and does the veteran translator of Euripides and Plato much credit. A remarkable thing about the poems, aside from their surprising excellence as the product of a college boy and the entertaining glimpse they afford into the collegiate and national thought of an interesting period, is that they now for the first time see the light as a collection more than sixty years after their writing. A most excellent portrait of Professor Kerr makes the volume still more precious to his friends.—J. G. S.

Caribbean Interests of the United States (D. Appleton and Co., New York, \$2.50 net) by Chester Lloyd Jones, professor of political science.

This is one of the most important and interesting books of the year. It deals with an important region and it deals with it from the way in which it stands related to ourselves. It is thoughtful, carefully developed, and well presented. It recognizes the seriousness of the problems it uncovers and is free from hypocrisy. The Caribbean region is more closely connected with us than with any other part of the world and its concerns nearly affect us. It includes colonies of three European nations; it includes our island, Porto Rico; it

includes Cuba, in the shaping of whose policies we have had an active share; it includes the negro republics of Santo Domingo and Haiti; to it belong those vast areas known as Venezuela and Colombia; Panama and the five Central American republics form a part of it; so does Yucatan, which for various reasons just now gives us concern. Throughout this vast region, life and language, blood and attitude differ fundamentally from our own. Yet our interests there are very large and are found to increase.

Geographically united to us, it is a region of great potential wealth, where exploitation is sure of large return. Professor Jones shows how military, political, and commercial reasons unite in making it of vital significance to us. We have been driven to assume some degree of oversight of its various national elements. Either we must abandon our Monroe Doctrine or must continue the career of interference upon which we have embarked. Few realize how much we have already interfered in Caribbean affairs. We own Porto Rico; we freed Cuba and have intervened in her matters and claim legal right to intervene at any time we please; we have negotiated for the purchase of the Danish islands. So much everyone knows. Not everyone knows so well how much we have intervened in Santo Domingo, in Haiti, in Panama, in Nicaragua. Mr. Jones mentions the fact, amply illustrated in his book, that "during the last five years the United States has been in active negotiation for the creation of protectorates. . . ." What is the actual status of Santo Domingo today? Is she an independent, a sovereign nation? How about Panama and Nicaragua? And how long

will Colombia and Venezuela and Mexico be granted a legal right to manage their own affairs? After all, this is not a local question. We are blinded to the bearings of conditions by our vast financial interests, by "manifest destiny," and we cloak our performances under the title of the Monroe Doctrine. But the question is, however, the same upon which we express ourselves so readily and so nobly as to Europe. How about Holland and what area in square miles must she own to have a right to national existence? Is Mexico more dependent upon us than Holland on Germany? Just how much dependence warrants interference? Mr. Jones wastes no time on ultimate questions. His facts are important and are finely marshalled; he does not shut his eyes to problems, but he is not called upon to discuss rights; he no doubt forecasts the future.

Some Economic Factors Which Influence Rural Education in Wisconsin (Bulletin 40) by Eugene Merritt and K. L. Hatch, '09. Mr. Merritt is assistant in agricultural education, States Relations Service, U. S. department of agriculture. Mr. Hatch is professor of agricultural education and assistant director of agricultural extension at the University of Wisconsin. Their study shows that the average size of farms in the developed portion of Wisconsin is increasing, that the average size of the farm family is decreasing, that the average enrollment in the one-room rural school is decreasing, that the rural school of less than twenty pupils is economically inefficient, and that, aside from the one-room rural schools, state graded and high schools can most economically and most completely meet the needs of rural education.

Types of News Writing (Houghton Mifflin Co., Boston) by Willard G. Bleyer, '96, professor of journalism. The volume presents a large collection of typical news stories, designed not

so much to be used as models, as for purposes of analysis. The selections are from daily newspapers in all parts of the country.

The Origin of the Earth (The University of Chicago Press, Chicago) by Thomas Chrowder Chamberlin, president of the University of Wisconsin from 1887 to 1892, present head of the department of geology of the University of Chicago. Concerning this work, *Science* comments: "This volume represents an advance in thought on this subject so great that the names of Chamberlin and Moulton must rank high among those scientists who have dealt constructively with that vast, vague, and remote problem—the origin of the earth."

Commencement Days (The Macmillan Company, New York) by Washington Gladden, LL. D. '81. The book is a souvenir of the associations of two generations of college and university graduates. "It contains what I have found it in my heart to say in various Commencement Addresses and Baccalaureate Sermons," says the author. "No one could get the consent of his own conscience to bring anything other than his best thought to such an occasion."

Property and Society (A. C. McClurg & Co., Chicago, 50c) by Andrew Alexander Bruce, '90, Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of North Dakota. Justice Bruce, in this work, conducts an examination and study of the private property right from the social viewpoint, showing that it must always be subject to the public welfare which is the highest law of our social system.

The Independence of the South American Republics (Ferris & Leach, Philadelphia) by Frederick L. Paxson, professor of American history. The second edition of this study in recognition and foreign policy was prepared in response to a demand extending over a period of twelve years.

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