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"I call on my foster children, the youth I have loved and taught,
To stand by their alma mater in that battle that must be fought,
I call on the myriad toilers whose lives I have made less gray,
That my strength be not abated and my glory pass not away,
I call upon you, Wisconsin, for the faith that is yours to give,
That I may gather my true reward and conquer my foes and LIVE!"

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OFFICIAL NOTICE

By virtue of the new constitution* adopted at the last annual business meeting of the Alumni Association and printed in the June issue of the ALUMNI MAGAZINE, the Alumni Council meets at the time of the home-coming football game. The Chicago-Wisconsin game this year is set for Saturday, October 28th. The Alumni Council will meet, therefore, on that date in the parlors of Lathrop Hall at 10:00 A. M.

The Alumni Council elects the president, vice-president, recording secretary, and two members of the Alumni Board at this meeting. It should also adopt by-laws. It is *vitaly* necessary, therefore, that we have a quorum—a majority of the Council. *See to it* that your club or class is represented either by the secretary or by some one else.

CHARLES B. ROGERS, *President*.

By ROBERT S. CRAWFORD,
General Secretary.

* Section 6—The Alumni Council—The Alumni Council shall consist of the Secretary or other duly chosen representative of each class and of each local alumni association or club, and ten members at large to be elected at the annual meeting.

Each local association and each class shall be entitled to one representative or vote for each hundred regular members of the general association, or fraction thereof. Each local association must file with the general secretary a copy of its constitution, by-laws and annual membership list.

The Alumni Council shall meet on call of the president, and at least twice in each year. The first meeting shall be held at the time of the home-coming football game, and at this meeting the officers of the Association shall be elected. A meeting shall also be held on the day before Alumni Day of Commencement Week. At this meeting the Alumni Council shall elect the alumni members of the Board of Visitors, on the recommendation of the Alumni Board.

NEWS AND COMMENT

UPON returning to Madison, in going over the publications which have accumulated, I find among other things the July number of the **WISCONSIN ALUMNI MAGAZINE**. **I wish to most heartily congratulate the Association on this number.** The material is good from one end to the other.—President Charles R. Van Hise.

The big question mark at the University this year is football. What's in store for the Badgers seems to be a question that everyone is guessing at. To be sure everybody's guessing differently but then everyone's entitled to an individual hazard. One thing is certain. If football isn't successful this year no one can shift the blame on the athletic authorities as has been done in past years for they have gone the limit for successful football.—W. D. R.

The following statistical tables contain valuable information for alumni interested in the growth of special colleges and in the growth of the University, as they form the basis of some interesting opinions as to the relation of increased tuition to the attendance of non-resident students. **Three per cent** The College of Agriculture shows a decrease. The increase of the entire University is but three per cent.

NUMBER AND PER CENT OF RESIDENT AND NON-RESIDENT STUDENTS FIRST SEMESTERS OF 1913-14, 1914-15, 1915-16, AND ON OCTOBER 7, 1916.

Classification of Students	1913-14		1914-15		1915-16		1916-17	
	Number	Per Cent	Number	Per Cent	Number	Per Cent	Number	Per Cent
Resident	3,110	71.56	3,497	71.51	3,483	71.36	3,653	72.77
Non-resident	1,268	28.44	1,393	28.49	1,398	28.64	1,367	27.23
Total	4,458	100.00	4,890	100.00	4,881	100.00	5,020	100.00

COMPARISON BY COLLEGES OF OLD AND NEW STUDENTS AT THE CLOSE OF THE THIRD WEEK OF THE FIRST SEMESTERS OF 1914, 1915 AND 1916.

College	1914			1915			1916			Increase or Decrease of 1916 over 1915		
	Old	New	Total	Old	New	Total	Old	New	Total	Old	New	Total
L. & S. incl.	1,648	1,253	2,901	1,731	1,349	3,080	1,922	1,434	3,356	191	85	276
Music	51	33	84	46	42	88	41	45	86	-5	3	-2
Phar.	22	11	33	17	21	38	17	30	47	0	9	9
Medic.	63	29	92	*50	*47	97	*91	*29	120	*	*	23
Agric., incl.	616	499	1,115	602	374	976	569	307	876	-33	-67	-100
H. Econ.	133	132	265	148	113	261	161	118	279	13	5	18
Engr.	472	260	732	454	210	664	397	233	630	-57	23	-34
Law	93	60	153	*96	*60	156	*112	*46	158	*	*	2
Total	2,829	2,072	4,901	2,883	1,993	4,876	3,000	2,020	5,020	117	27	144

REGISTRATION BY COLLEGES AT THE CLOSE OF THIRD WEEK OF FIRST SEMESTER,
1914, 1915, 1916.

Year	College of L. & S.					College of Agric.			Engr.	Law	All Colleges.
	L. & S.	Med.	Phar.	Music	Total	H. Econ.	Agric.	Total			
1914	2,692	92	33	84	2,901	265	850	1,115	732	153	4,901
1915	2,857	97	38	88	3,080	261	715	976	664	156	4,876
1916	3,103	120	47	86	3,356	279	597	876	630	158	5,020
% of in- cr. or de- cr. of 1916 over 1915	8.61	23.71	23.68	-2.27	8.96	6.9	-16.5	-10.25	-5.12	1.28	2.95
% of in- cr. or de- cr. of 1916 over 1914	15.27	30.43	42.42	2.38	15.68	5.28	-29.76	-21.44	-13.93	3.27	2.43

THE UNIVERSITY

By WILLIAM FOSTER CLIFFORD, '16

THE rapid growth and development of the University of Wisconsin which marked a recent decade of its career have been somewhat halted during the past four years. Reactionary policies in state political and legislative circles have to a large extent been reflected in the administration of the University and are manifest in the direction of a curtailment of building plans and general improvement proposals.

The defeat of the bill to abolish the fraternity system throughout the state educational institutions and the similar fate of several minor bills aimed at the University in particular which had been brought up in the 1913 legislature saved Wisconsin from serious embarrassment four years ago. These attacks however, were only forerunners to the grand assault waged two years ago by the legislature and state officials which resulted in the creation of a Central Board of Education whose powers supersede those of the Board of Regents; the raising of the non-resident's tuition fee to \$124 a year; the repeal of several building appropriations; and the introduction of various measures apparently designed to cut down the growing influence of the University.

The survey of the faculty and students and the educational administration in general which resulted in nothing but ill-feeling and false impressions was probably the most pernicious side-issue of the general reaction against the University.

An examination of the enrollment figures reveals the fact that there were close to 4900 students at the University during the regular terms of the 1915-1916 year and about three per cent increase this fall. The summer session totaled 3120, attracting students from all over the country. The popularity of the summer sessions is attested by this interesting fact, that the 1915 enrollment was larger than the entire total in 1889 and that there were more members on the instructional force last summer than there were students in the 1892 session. It is thought, however, that the increase of the non-resident

tuition fee to \$124 a year seriously affects the attendance of the out-of-state student class.

Building activities have fallen off since 1912 when some \$425,000 were spent for the erection of a Home Economics and University Extension Building, large barns for the Agricultural College, a new wing to the Library, and a Clinical Building. The next two years saw only the completion of the Agricultural Chemistry Buildings and the Wisconsin High School while last year but little further was accomplished. A \$180,000 Physics Building is at present under construction to the southwest of Main Hall. It will also take care of the political economy and commerce course departments. A Soils Physics Building costing \$50,000 is being put up, while the ground has just been broken for a concrete Athletic Stadium which in the course of a few years should rival that of any school in the country. The Dormitories for Men, as well as many other proposed additions to the campus will undoubtedly come as quickly as the authorities are given the necessary building funds by the legislature. The total expenditure of the University for 1915-16 was \$2,631,936.39.

The faculty has suffered but few losses either by the death or departure of prominent professors and has more than gained by the acquisition of many brilliant educators. A general elevation in the standards of class-room instruction and scholarship is evident and in the field of student activities, a steady improvement is being made in journalism, forensics, dramatics and other interests. The subject of athletics is discussed in a separate article by William Richardson.

An alleged attack upon the academic freedom of the University was made by members of the local pastor's association who criticized in particular a course in the philosophy department by Max C. Otto, '06, as containing atheistic and heretical doctrines. The political economy department has also come in at recent times for its share of abuse because of the alleged dissemination of socialistic and un-American teachings.

At the apparent end of these troublous times, the University finds itself not seriously injured and should go forward in a much surer, if not in so meteoric a fashion as before, in maintaining its position as the leading state university of the country. It still retains the confidence of the thinking public and its prestige as a seat of learning and culture is unshaken.

THE VARSITY WELCOME

By An Eastern Girl On Coming to A Western College

"I dreamed in a dream I saw a city
Invincible to the attacks of the whole of
the rest of the earth;
I dreamed that it was the new City of Friends."

Whitman.

SOME of us in the East have dreamed a dream of our new City of Friends where every young heart passionately clamors to bear its share of responsibility and uplift, and every young life burns with the glory of the fight. We have planned, too, how to achieve our dream, and as one step, I came here. For somehow, we have associated the West with our dream—we call it the Land of Promise.

And what do I find?

The University a whole community, openly declaring its dominant purpose one with our dream, aiming to teach "human interest, the brotherhood

of man, the glory of self-sacrifice, the passion of service to mankind;" the professors, a group of men and women great in vision and life, creating the atmosphere known as the "western spirit," which warms the heart of the stranger into feeling at home 'ere he is aware, for he is surrounded by the cordiality of old friends; and a state which trusts wide democracy and places responsibility on each individual citizen, by having its ever more enlightened and efficient social work under government control.

A challenge, oh, West! To your sons and daughters! Make the Land of Promise the Land of Realization!

KATHARINE C. WASHBURN, '18.

PROGRAM

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Music—The American Patrol
By the University Band, Major Saugstad,
conducting

The Varsity Toast, and Prexy's Toast
By the Assemblage, Professor Dykema,
leading

The Welcome, and a Practical Question
By President Charles R. Van Hise

A Serious Song—A Spirit of Devotion
By the Assemblage

A Challenge to the Women of the University
By Louise Patterson, '17

Alma Mater—Wisconsin Marching Song
By the Assemblage

New Ideas in Student Government
By George S. Baldwin, '17

A New Spirit in Athletics
By Dr. Paul Withington, Head Football
Coach

The Peerless Football Song—On, Wisconsin
By the Assemblage

Students in Practical Journalism
By Gerhardt O. Gullickson, '17

Boosting for Forensics
By Herman Zischke, '17

A Rollicking Song—Es leben die Studenten
By the Assemblage

Spiritual Opportunities
By Edward W. Blakeman, Methodist Uni-
versity Pastor

The University Hymn—Light for All
By the Assemblage

Presentation of the Nelson Trophy
By William S. Macfadden, Chairman of the
Committee on Intra-Mural Sports

Acceptance of the Trophy for the College
of Agriculture
By Assistant Dean Daniel H. Otis

Summing Up
By Mrs. Lois K. Mathews, Dean of Women

Such were the feelings roused in me by my first few days at the University culminating in the great jollification, both merry and moving, the house-warming of the University when the Varsity hospitably says "Welcome."

The experiences of the evening are—a crowd, eagerness, anticipation, clamoring feelings finding adequate articulation in never ending sky-rockets, a burst of the band, and "we are off."

After listening to the Varsity Toast and joining in with the delicious nonsense of Prexy's Toast, President Van Hise welcomes us, stirringly, constructively impressing upon us that people with brilliant records in later life have records of high attainment in college. If you would succeed, seek

to excel in the first semester—even the first two weeks!

Then "Varsity" we new ones sing, adding to the perception of the meaning of the words, the anticipation of the fuller concept each word will have for us, after we have lived and worked in this "mighty presence of a cause for truth and right" and after we have come to know the intimate experiences of the "faithful few in the days of doubt and darkness."

One of the young women, Louise Patterson, challenges us to be more than "merely dimples and curls"—to be worthy of the cordial welcome and ever widening possibilities continually being opened to women.

Representative activities of the college all have their spokesman—Stu-

dent Government, Football, Practical Journalism, Forensics—till one is impressed with how rounded a life he ought to lead and wants to “go out” for each and every one.

We have had the joy of familiarity with “On, Wisconsin” but only from a Victrola, and the “shivers” veritably run up and down our spines as we are swept along in the flood of the real thing—Wisconsin men and women singing their song and our song.

A jolly note is added as Professor Julius Olson sings “Es leben die Studenten” and our laughter is coupled with appreciation of all his thought and care in preparing our “Welcome.”

Reverend W. Blakeman brings home to us the reality and primary importance of religion and the hospitality of the various churches here

NOTE—The Varsity Welcome is held annually under the auspices of the Faculty Committee on Public Functions assisted by a committee of students.

with a place for each one of us.

The Nelson Trophy, presented by William S. Macfadden and accepted for the College of Agriculture by Assistant Dean Otis, represents the all important feature of modern college life—athletics for all—and should be a stimulus to all the men of each college to win it.

In “Summing Up” Dean Lois K. Mathews makes us searchingly genuine for five minutes. She speaks of loyalty—that fundamental virtue so appealing to and characteristic of boys and college students—and many a head gives a start of reverent feeling as she probes straight to our hearts with “Be loyal to your family! Remember all they have done to send you here, and all they want you to be!”—K. C. W.

WILLIAM D. RICHARDSON

Represents Alumni Association on Athletic Council

THE control of intercollegiate athletics shall continue to be vested in an Athletic Council, which shall remain a sub-committee of the Committee on Student Life and Interests, this Council to consist of seven members to be appointed by the President of the University, at least four of whom shall have the rank of professor; but provision that the business manager of the University shall be one of the seven appointees, the chairman of the (faculty) Committee on Student Life and Interest another, the Alumni Association through its Executive Committee, as a result of securing the sentiment of the local Wisconsin Alumni Associations of the country, nominating to the President one member of the Athletic Council—whether such an alumnus thus nominated shall or shall not be a resident of Madison being left to the Alumni Association and one member of which Athletic Council shall be the president of the Student Athletic Board.—*Regent's report*, March 30, 1916.

Subsequent to the action of the Board of Regents, the Executive Committee of the General Alumni Association unanimously nominated William D. Richardson. Approval of this nomination has been made by President Charles R. Van Hise.

In connection with the selection of Mr. Richardson the following letters have been received from local U. W. Clubs:

No official action on the part of the club can be taken at this time as we have no meeting planned for the near future, but I have referred the letter to our president, Charles M. Wales, 11 Broadway, New York, who will no doubt send you his approval at an early date. So far as I am concerned, Mr. Richardson's appointment is perfectly satisfactory.—Karl M. Mann, *secretary*, U. W. Club of New York.

In reply to your letter regarding the nomination of W. D. Richardson as a member of the Athletic Council, we are very glad to give our support to the selection proposed, and deem Mr. Richardson one of the best men who could be nominated for the place. He is held in high regard by all who know him either personally or



WILLIAM D. RICHARDSON

through his articles, and would make a representative worthy of the new **spirit of cooperation and helpfulness** that is being aroused among the alumni.—E. S. Henningsen, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Schneckady.

Sure, Billy Rich is O. K.—Private George M. Sheets, B. Battery, 1st Iowa Field Artillery, *secretary* Tricity U. W. Club.

We more than approve of W. D. Richardson as a member of the Athletic Council.—La Maude Yule, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Kenosha.

I do not feel that I have any authority in the matter and there will be no official meeting of the Teachers'

Association or Teachers' Club before the meeting in November. I feel, however, that they would give their endorsement to the choice of Mr. Richardson.—Philip A. Kolb, *secretary-treasurer*, Wisconsin Teachers' Association U. W. Club.

I have conferred with our president, Robert T. Herdegen, and several other local U. W. men relative to the appointment of Mr. Richardson as a member of the Athletic Council. While most of us are not so fortunate as to know Mr. Richardson personally, we take it for granted that the Executive Committee have carefully considered the advisability of appointing him to this position. The articles written by Mr. Richardson in the WISCONSIN ALUMNI MAGAZINE appear to us to present the athletic situation clearly and thoroughly and it is, therefore, the unanimous opinion of the U. W. men to whom I have mentioned the matter that we concur heartily in the appointment of Mr. Richardson.

I might add that the local U. W. men feel confident that we will be represented by a better coached and more effective football team this fall than has been the case for many years. We have great faith in Paul Withington and his assistants. Several of us are planning to witness some of the games this fall. We also contemplate the lease of a telegraph line jointly with some of the other local alumni clubs when some of the more important games are being played.—E. J. Stephenson, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Detroit.

We unanimously sanction and approve the nomination of W. D. Richardson. Trusting this new plan may materially benefit the system of athletics in our Alma Mater, I am—Thorwald Beck, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Racine.

It will not be possible to get a meeting of the club as such at this time, but as president of the club for a number of years, I have no hesitancy

in saying that the club does endorse the recommendation of the Executive Committee and requests the appointment of Mr. Richardson. I shall be glad to be of service if I can.—John H. Gabriel, *president*, U. W. Club of Colorado.

We feel that Mr. Richardson will be highly acceptable to each member of our association here.—Helen R. Hennessy, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Sioux City.

In behalf of our local club, we hereby desire to express our sanction and approval of W. D. Richardson as the nominee of the General Alumni Association to the Athletic Council of the University of Wisconsin.—Arthur W. Richter, *president*, and J. H. Warner, *secretary-treasurer*, U. W. Club of Montana.

I have conferred with a number of the local alumni, and although there is no official meeting, we believe that W. D. Richardson would be the unanimous choice of such a meeting.—H. T. Plumb, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Salt Lake City.

I have called a meeting of the officers of the local club as requested, at which time I was instructed to forward to you the hearty support for and endorsement of Mr. Richardson.—H. H. Van Vleck, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Superior.

The officers of the local club approve of the selection of W. D. Richardson

as alumni representative but do not bind themselves to permanent approval. By this I mean that so long as Mr. Richardson's actions truly represent what we think is right, we approve his continuation, but a time might come when other alumni associations, with this one, might disapprove of his actions or might want a stronger man, and in that case we desire to remain free to take such steps. If there is no limit to his term I suggest that it be made for not longer than three years, but I suppose he will be appointed from year to year the same as other members of the Council.

By this paragraph I do not want to cast any reflections on this selection, for Mr. Richardson is certainly well qualified and posted to sit on the Council, and I look for no cause for dissatisfaction and trust there will be none.—W. J. Bollenbeck, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Milwaukee.

The nomination of W. D. Richardson to the Athletic Council was referred to our Board of Directors yesterday noon, and we will be very glad, indeed, to add our endorsement to the endorsement of the Executive Committee and of the other alumni associations.—A. E. Van Hagan, *president*, U. W. Club of Chicago.

There is no organized local club here. I endorse and I am sure all the others will.—W. D. Smith, *secretary*, U. W. Club of Eugene.

The following omission was made in the printed minutes of the annual business meeting as published in the August issue of the ALUMNI MAGAZINE:

A motion was made that the Alumni Association express its appreciation of the support given to the University by the Chicago Herald and the Milwaukee Leader. After some discussion the matter was on motion referred to the Alumni Council.

THE 1916 HOMECOMING

IT would be futile at this early date to predict the outcome of the coming gridiron battles, but with our new coaching system we promise the returning alumni that win or lose the team will show both football and fight.

The big game of the fall is with Chicago on October 28, around which will be grouped the festivities of Home-coming, and the program first and last will be for the benefit of you "grads."

The first and newest attraction that will be offered you is a style of football never before seen in the conference—the Harvard system. This is enough inducement in itself, but the program of entertainment which will be offered in addition should bring every loyal Wisconsin alumnus back to his Alma Mater.

Home-coming will be formally opened on Friday night with a mammoth mass-meeting, where able and prominent speakers will take the stand and tell of football, past and present. This will be followed by a torchlight parade and bonfire, where you grads may once again feel like freshmen.

The Alumni Headquarters and Information Bureau are located at 821 State Street, opposite the library, where we will expect each of you to drop in, register, and see your fellow classmates. Here we will try to fulfill any request that is for your convenience or comfort.

Promptly at ten o'clock Saturday the Alumni Council will meet in the parlors of Lathrop Hall. This first meeting of the Alumni Council pro-

vides representation for every class and every local U. W. club as well as for the General Association. See that your class and your club are represented! Important!

The big game will be called at two o'clock, and you may expect to have the thrills of your life, when the Cardinal eleven gets its foreign tactics underway against the Maroon team.

Between halves the humorous talent of your University will be loosed, and we might almost predict that even the men of Chicago will be forced to smile.

To celebrate our victory the President will hold a reception in Lathrop Hall, where light refreshments will be served to revive the nerves of the more strenuous rooters.

At nine in the evening the festivities of victory will be continued in the Gymnasium. This will be in the form of the Home-coming Ball, an event second only to our Junior prom, where we invite you and your friends to again see the more joyous moments of our University life.

The last unique feature of the 1916 Home-coming will be a concert on Sunday afternoon given by our University Band—an appropriate closing of the festive week-end.

The foregoing is merely an outline of what is to take place at this great carnival of October 28, and it is only by your presence that you will know what you might have missed.

WE INVITE YOU ONE AND ALL.
The Home-coming Committees,

JOHN L. MITCHELL, '17,
General Chairman.



FOOTBALL SCRIMMAGE

ELEVENTH-HOUR VOTE STOPS WESTERN TOUR

By WALLACE MEYER, '16

WISCONSIN alumni are loyal to their University in a material as well as in a sentimental sense, to judge from the splendid support which they gave the Wisconsin Musical Clubs in preparation for a June-July concert tour to the Pacific Coast. The tour was completely

cause of an unavoidable and late change in managers, and partly because the committee late in November removed twenty from the list of forty-two names of men who had "made" the Glee Club, while the Mandolin Club suffered almost as severely. Most of these men were declared in-



WISCONSIN GLEE CLUB—1916

wrecked, however, only eight days before Commencement by unexpected action on the part of the faculty committee on student life and interests.

The forced cancellation of the summer tour was the last and hardest of a series of blows which befell the Musical Clubs last year, but out of which they emerged stronger, better organized, and with a better performance than they have had in many years—an improvement which should bear fruit this year.

The Clubs had voted to forego the usual Christmas trip and to concentrate upon an Eastern tour, partly be-

eligible on a strict and new application to the Musical Clubs of the one year residence and the freshman non-eligibility rules.

During January and February we filled successfully and satisfactorily—so we were assured—engagements in Deerfield, Madison (Prom concert), Monroe, Janesville, Oshkosh, and Madison. Our new style program was everywhere so favorably received that it became easy to get contracts.

Then, as a result of more conditions in the mid-year finals, our tenor sections were wrecked, and we had no substitutes—as a result of the unex-

pected application of the rules already mentioned. We asked for permission to write off the "con" examinations in time to fill our recess engagements, but the committee felt it could not make an exception in favor of the Clubs.

Disappointed, but not discouraged, the men determined to work for a summer vacation tour through the West—in the country which Michigan and Beloit and other clubs invade so often, with the aid of their alumni and encouragement of their faculties. In this case we had the whole-hearted support of our alumni, and returns were so favorable that we early petitioned the faculty committee to endorse our plans. After several weeks of indecision we were advised that the committee was not satisfied with the financial outlook for the trip.

Each man then voluntarily gave \$5 to a fund on which William V. Arvold was sent out as business representative. The men also voted to continue rehearsals. Those with conditions left over went to work in earnest, and in May reported that they were successful in clearing up their scholastic records. Then Mr. Arvold came back with over \$1,500 worth of business under contract, over \$900 pending, and \$300 in sight. (Later several new concerts were offered us, and Butte voluntarily raised its guaranty on the strength of the enthusiasm in that city.) The trip cost was estimated at \$2,600, and Mr. Arvold reported to the clubs that he was certain the tour would be a financial success. Mr. Arvold had had experience as manager of the Varsity band on an extended trip, and knew the western cities well.

Objection to our going then took this form—that the clubs should not borrow money on their contracts. And further objection was raised by Dr. Chas. H. Mills, head of the school of music, who said that he must first be satisfied as to the musical quality of the performance before he would favor the plans.

Meeting these objections with a spirit of patience and fairness, the men then offered each to advance the money to purchase his own round-trip ticket before leaving Madison, and, as regards the musical quality of their work, to give a special performance in Music Hall—notwithstanding that final examinations were then under way—this performance to stand as a test of the clubs' quality.

Dr. Mills and Professor S. H. Goodnight, chairman of the student interests committee, constituted the audience that hot night in Music Hall, and it will always remain a source of great pride to me to remember how those men, who had stood by their organization through every discouragement, who had worked cheerfully when the outlook seemed hopeless, met their final test with the finest performance of the year.

Surprise and pleasure were expressed by both Dr. Mills and Professor Goodnight. Dr. Mills was extremely complimentary, and Professor Goodnight, speaking for Dr. Mills and himself, made a cordial speech in which he assured the men that they would strongly urge the committee to grant final permission for the tour. The railroad representatives were then introduced and the men selected their routes of return, some choosing the Canadian Rockies, others selecting California. We went home that night happier than we had been in weeks, for we saw the goal almost under our feet. But next evening our plans met disaster, for the committee failed to sanction the tour.

Professor Goodnight, advising us of the outcome, expressed his deep personal regret, and I do not believe that any of the men harbor resentment toward him or toward Dr. Mills after their straightforward endorsement after the final test. But they do feel that some of the members of the committee must have been steeped in a spirit of opposition to the tour, regardless of how the men met their demands.

The clubs for 1916-17 ought to rank high, because the ground was broken last year for the new style of entertainment, combining musical quality with the spice of college life and fa-

vorite college melodies. If the alumni will support the clubs again as enthusiastically as they did last year the livelier entertainment will be firmly established.

WISCONSIN ALUMNI CLUBS

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

CHICAGO

By W. H. HAIGHT, '03

DURING the summer months the Friday noon luncheons at the Grand Pacific continued as usual.

The first large meeting this fall was on September 15, when Wisconsin's new coach, Dr. Paul Withington, and Assistant Coach E. W. Soucy were our guests. We were favored with short talks about plans for the development of a football team at Wisconsin. Other speakers were Bishop Samuel Fallows, J. G. Wray, and Lynn A. Williams. Following the suggestions of Dr. Withington, a committee was appointed to try to induce former football players to spend at least a few days during the early part of the season at Madison with the football squad. All present promised to send at least one telegram this fall to the coach or to the team, just before the games, to let the players know that there are a host of loyal alumni back of them.

The alumni in general rejoice with the team in its victories and sorrow with them in defeat. There is a tendency to look upon a victory as a warrant for us to swell up with pride, although no credit is due for anything that we have done or said. A defeat is usually blamed on the coach or the team. Let us change our system of alumni support this year. By the time this is published it will perhaps be too late to do any good by inducing and helping players to return to assist in coaching. Such work must be

done early. It is not too late, however, for alumni individually and as organized clubs to send telegrams and letters to Madison. Let the team know that we are watching them, that we want them to win, and then when victory comes, we can rightfully pat ourselves on the back and say that Wisconsin is all right—"there are no quitters in Wisconsin."

We, in Chicago, hereby challenge the rest of the alumni to outdo us in putting the team psychologically right.

On September 22, began a series of three talks on "Your House in Order." Mr. Darby Day, a prominent insurance man of this city, spoke on "Your Insurance."

The speaker, scheduled for September 29, disappointed us, but no one regretted it when President Van Hagan filled in by telling us of the work of the citizen soldiers at Plattsburg.

On October 6 Israel Shrimski, '88, gave the second of the series of talks, his subject being "Your Will."

The annual football dinner will be held on October 26 at the Great Northern Hotel.

DETROIT

By E. J. STEPHENSON, '04

Our local club resumed activities for the college year with a dinner September 21st, at which time new officers were elected. We hope to be able to cooperate with you more effectively this coming year in helping to promote the welfare of the General Alumni Association.

NEW YORK

By KARL M. MANN, '11

At a downtown luncheon September 26, some forty Wisconsin men gathered at 22 Dey Street for what is planned to be a weekly luncheon,—12:15 on Tuesday.

New York Alumni are looking for Wisconsin to win the Conference Championship this fall, and sent a telegram to Coach Withington, to that effect. An All-Conference Dinner is being planned for the night of November 25, the day when the championship will no doubt be decided. All of the big teams have games on that day.

SCHENECTADY

By E. S. HENNINGSEN, '12

The local alumni went down to de-

feat at the hands of a skillful bunch of Illinois alumni baseball players on August 26. Previously Illinois had gained a reputation by beating Purdue 17 to 2. Undaunted by the reports of Illinois' prowess, the Wisconsin men decided not to allow Illinois to claim the big nine championship without a struggle, and thereupon sent a challenge daring them to do their worst, which they promptly proceeded to do to the tune of 13 to 3. We should have played Purdue.

At the monthly luncheon, September 7, the alumni went on record as being very much in favor of the nomination of Mr. Richardson to be one of the members of the Athletic Council. Mr. Richardson is particularly fitted for the place and deserves the hearty support of all the alumni.

REGISTRATION DAZE

By J. H. DOYLE, '12

WHEN James spoke of sensation
As sensed by infant eyes,
Plus ears and nose and taste and
touch

All mixed with vocal cries,
And christened it "confusion
Big round, buzzing, blooming,"
He little dreamed the world unknown,
The world that goes a looming
Before the freshman candidate
First dumped into the haze
That storms his glance at ev'ry turn
During registration daze!

Hardly has the infant freshman
Set foot on these new shores
When a world of strange sensations
About his senses roars;
A buzz, a blur, a baffle,
A planet draped in pennants,
And even a sky itself
That's lined with placard remnants;
A whiz, a whirr, a whirl—
Atmosphere of strangest birds,
An air filled up with printers' ink
On the wings of flying words!

"Join now!" leads off one placard
A half a mile away,
Else lines the streets with circ'lars
Like waves on Bengal bay;
"You don't have to join" 's another
In flaming letters burned
Whichever way the freshman
His weary eyes has turned;
"Hand in your name," reads still another,
Or else "I want your laundry,"
Or even "Run by students"—
But chiefly runs the quandry!

Then "Get your discount now"
Or "Six and a half for five"—
Oh, blessed world unknown,
Get a license to remain alive!
There, there! There goes a wagon,
Hurry up and "Buy a ticket"
Or else "Become a member,"
Chirps on the patient cricket;
Yes, chirps from painted canvas,
From placards moored on high,
From banners and from streamers,
As rigs go dashing by!

But bruised is the poor freshman,
Sense-sore, bewildered, dazed—
Long ere he strikes the campus
He knows that he's been hazed;
No longer can his eyes make out
That "17" paid last year,
While "Owned by faculty members"
Is Greek in a leaden ear;
From "Freshmen, get your caps"
To do "Subscribe today,"—
From these the freshman turns
But he cannot get away!

Then dear old registration daze
And the freshman's infant world,
Where the sphinx and all its riddles
Are on canvas signs unfurled;
Where an infinity of stimulus
O'erwhelms all freshman eyes,
In the form of paint and printing,
In the form of truth and lies!
Where James' "Confusion" would be
order,
Where "buzzing-blooming" would be
tame,
'Tis here that real confusion
Is more than a "blooming" name!

FACULTY CHANGES

College of Letters and Science

By DEAN E. A. BIRGE

I SEND you the following changes in the faculty which occurred at the opening of the present semester: Leaves of absence—T. K. Urdahl, J. B. Overton, and W. E. Leonard.

College of Law

By DEAN H. S. RICHARDS

Professor Wm. H. Page was elected to a professorship in law here. He is a man of unusual ability and reputation in his line, and will be a very distinct addition to our faculty.

College of Engineering

By DEAN F. E. TURNEAURE

No Report.

Graduate School

By DEAN GEO. C. COMSTOCK

There are no changes to report in the graduate faculty since this faculty is made up wholly of persons appointed through the Undergraduate Colleges.

College of Agriculture

By DEAN H. L. RUSSELL, '88

The new college year begins with a lesser number of changes in the College of Agriculture than has heretofore been the case. Some of the more important appointments have been occasioned in large measure by resignations, and are as follows:

E. L. Luther, State Supervisor of the County Agricultural Representatives, assumed additional responsibilities on his appointment as Superintendent of Farmers' Institute in place of C. P. Norgord, who resigned

to accept the position as State Commissioner of Agriculture.

A. C. Baer, instructor in dairying, has resigned to accept the head of the department of dairying in the University of Oklahoma. His position has not yet been filled. A. C. Dahlberg of the University of Minnesota has been appointed as instructor in this department in place of C. A. Day.

D. S. Bullock, formerly in charge of the agricultural work at the Marinette County Agricultural School replaces F. H. Scribner as extension representative in animal husbandry.

F. D. Lewis, a graduate of the University of Illinois, has been made assistant to the dean of the College.

R. F. Murray, formerly in charge of the extension activities connected with the Northern Pacific Railway, has been appointed assistant field supervisor in connection with agricultural extension activities.

F. E. Mussehl, a former graduate of this institution, but more recently connected with the Kansas Agricultural College, has become an instructor in the poultry department.

L. G. Gentner, formerly connected with the Oregon Agricultural College, was appointed instructor in economic entomology during the second semester last year.

Four new county representatives have been appointed, as follows: C. P. West, Sawyer; J. M. Coyner, Portage; G. M. Householder, Rusk; and G. M. Briggs, Burnett.

W. H. Wright, who has been on leave of absence during the last year pursuing graduate work at Cornell, returns to the agricultural bacteriology department, as an assistant professor.

Professor Tottingham of the agricultural chemistry department has

been given leave of absence this year to continue post graduate work at Johns Hopkins University, as is also the case with George Potter of the horticultural department, who is given a leave of absence to pursue work at Cornell.

Among the promotions to professorial positions during the last year may be mentioned the promotion of Dr. W. D. Frost of the agricultural bacteriology department from the position of associate to full professor.

Professor J. G. Moore, in charge of the horticultural department, has

been promoted from associate to full professor.

Miss C. L. Schmit of the home economics department from assistant to associate professor.

Miss C. E. Binzel in home economics; Harry Steenbock in agricultural chemistry; C. D. Livingston in agricultural engineering; B. D. Leith and L. F. Graber in agronomy; Frank Kleinheinz in animal husbandry; and Emil Truog and W. W. Weir in soils, have been promoted to assistant professorships.

List of New Professors and Instructors

Furnished by M. E. McCaffrey

Physical Education—Paul Withington, assistant professor; Louisa C. Lippett, Mary McKee, Howard Buck, John Doherty, and E. W. Soucy, instructors.

Letters and Science—Davis S. Hill, acting professor of education; W. H. Twenhofel, associate professor of geology; J. C. Gaylord, acting associate professor in public speaking; instructors, Laurence Johnson, Harold G. Files, Wm. F. DeMoss, Charles K. Trueblood, Ray M. Verrill, Walter E. Johnson, Lewis N. Chase, Stewart Mitchell, English, Phil C. Bing, journalism, R. W. Babcock, mathematics, Arthur Hamilton, romance languages.

Agriculture—Instructors, A. C. Dahlberg, dairy husbandry; W. L. Bevan, economic entomology; Frank E. Mussehl, poultry husbandry.

Engineering—Charles Hecker, as-

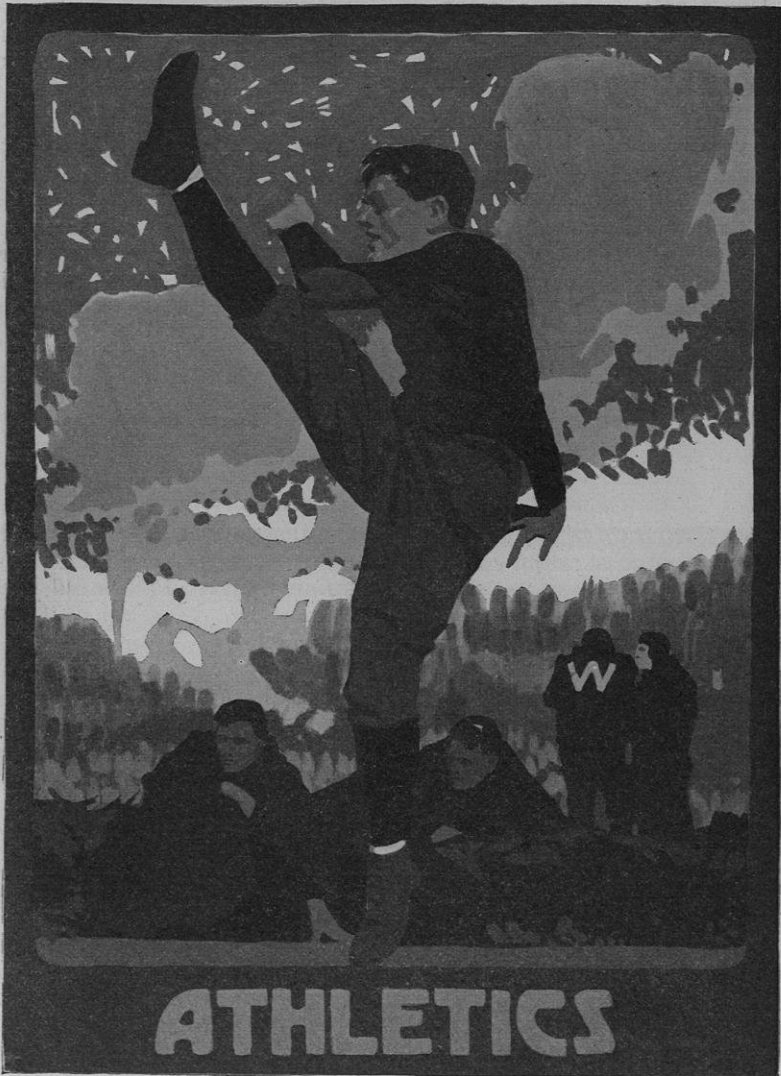
sistant professor in chemical engineering; instructors, E. C. Bain, chemical engineering, O. E. Lange, electrical engineering, C. P. Conrad, hydraulic engineering, A. O. Schmidt, mechanical practice.

Medical School—Instructors, E. K. Hirsh, anatomy, J. H. Skavlem, anatomy, M. F. Haralson, pathology and bacteriology, Hilmar G. Martin, pharmacology.

School of Music—Doris Carter, Alice W. Crane, Jean Currie, instructors.

University Extension—Emma Conley, home economics; Lyle C. Clark, field instructor; H. L. Goughnour, assistant in community center work; assistant and field organizers, Milo K. Swanton, Wausau, Norma C. Lucas, Milwaukee, W. R. Mackinnon, Milwaukee, Fred Hall, La Crosse.





By W. D. RICHARDSON

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

AT MADISON

Oct. 7—Lawrence 0; Wis. 20.
 Oct. 14—South Dakota 3; Wis. 28.
 Oct. 21—Haskell Indians ...; Wis.
 Oct. 28—Chicago ...; Wis. ...
 Nov. 25—Illinois ...; Wis. ...

OTHER GAMES

Nov. 4—Ohio State at Columbus.
 Nov. 18—Minnesota at Minneapolis.

THE HARVARD SYSTEM

AFTER nearly one month's trial, the new coaching regime at Wisconsin—the so-called Harvard system as everyone seems prone to call it—has made good unqualifiedly. I say that with the score of one game before me, that with Law-

rence College, and I say that after watching the practice every night, after talking with the players, with the old football men who have been back; and I will say it regardless of the outcome of the Chicago game, or the Minnesota game, or the Illinois game. The Harvard system has MADE GOOD.

And, after all, what is this Harvard system anyway? Is it anything different from other systems? Yes and no. No, because it is nothing that any other coach could not follow be he from Yale, Chicago, Cornell, or Podunk. Yes, because it is the application of scientific principles to the job of coaching.

The Harvard system simply means, in its final analysis, EFFICIENCY and, in order to bring this about, requires specialized coaching, individual coaching and thorough coaching.

When Dr. Withington came here and took hold of the reins on September 20, he brought with him two assistants, Soucy, former Harvard center and end, and Dougherty, one of the Harvard quarterbacks. He enlisted from the Wisconsin ranks Cub Buck, probably the greatest Wisconsin lineman of recent years. And, shortly afterward, Dick King, who was honored with a position on Walter Camp's mythical but nevertheless much sought-after All-American eleven, arrived upon the scene and was added to the staff. The final assistant, whose duties this year involve not so much coaching as scouting, was Earl Driver. With this staff, Dr. Withington started in to work.

He called for two hundred men, knowing that he was over estimating the possibilities. Eighty-five reported and they were perhaps eighty-five of the greenest men Dr. Withington had ever seen because at Harvard a great majority of the candidates have already received good preparatory training whereas at Wisconsin the majority of candidates have received no preparatory training or, if they

have, the training has been decidedly mediocre.

There was a nucleus from last year, to be sure, but even these were little further advanced than the others for it is a well known fact that little attention has been paid in the past to individual drill at Wisconsin. This is not because previous coaches have overlooked this important item for they have all realized its importance. But this is the first year that Wisconsin has had a competent and well-rounded staff of coaches and, to go into rudimentary details in one short season, requires a large staff.

For a considerable length of time, the coaches kept the entire squad intact but, about one week before the Lawrence game, the squad was divided into Squads "A" and "B"—"A" being composed of the eligibles and more likely candidates; and "B" the ineligibles and less advanced candidates.

After this major operation things began to happen and they have been happening ever since.

The thing that impresses one most of all is the clock-work precision with which the practices are run off. When the men appear on the field there is something definite for the linemen to do and they are coached individually by Dr. Withington and Buck; the ends have something definite to do and Soucy is in charge; the backs work under King and the quarters under Dougherty. Each day sees some change—some new thing to be mastered. It is a gradual development and in this development fundamentals are never forgotten by the coaches.

The work has been made interesting because the men feel that they are accomplishing something—that they are learning something new every minute. The practices are short and snappy. There is no loafing. The men follow the coaches and the coaches work as hard as the men, if not harder. And, as a result, the Varsity is generally

through work at 5 o'clock in the afternoon—something new and unheard of.

And, can you imagine or can't you, how much can be accomplished when coaches don their football togger and actually scrimmage against and with their own men? On several occasions Dr. Withington has appeared at left guard; Buck at left tackle; Soucy at left end; King at fullback and Dougherty at halfback. They make a pretty formidable array of talent and there are few turns of the game which they do not know. To scrimmage against them teaches the Varsity a number of new tricks but it has another value—the INSPIRATIONAL VALUE I'll call it for want of a better phrase.

The other afternoon two of the varsity linemen, playing against Dr. Withington, decided to stop him from making all the tackles he was getting. As a result he emerged with a bleeding nose, and he was glad of it, because it showed him that the men were playing hard football—not dirty, mind you, but HARD.

Soucy was playing left end and was spilling the varsity backs every time they tried his position. Finally the backs got together and devised a play. It worked, and Taylor, the quarterback, scored. What did that mean? Didn't it mean resourcefulness? That's just what it meant.

Now, from the foregoing, I don't want any reader to think that Wisconsin is going to win any championships this year. The odds are all against that and it would not be right to expect it. Four teams have better chances than we have—Minnesota, Chicago, Illinois, and Ohio State—because they have experienced men and an established system. But I do want you to get this idea. The men are learning how to play football. They are learning something far more valuable to them than the ability to play football—they are learning why certain methods are right and why certain methods are wrong. They are learning to USE THEIR HEADS, the

talents they have, be they great or little.

And so, when you come back for the home-coming game against Chicago on the 28th don't base your criticism on the final outcome—the score. See if the men do not play harder football, better football and more intelligent football than teams which have gone before them.

If they do that YOU ought to vote the system a success.

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As I stated in the foregoing article, there are now approximately thirty-five men on the Varsity squad and that is the size that Dr. Withington wishes to keep because it is all he cares to handle.

For the center position the candidates are Kieckhefer and Carpenter, both of them members of the 1919 freshman team. Kieckhefer led the race for the position until he was put out with an injured knee, and Carpenter has played the Lawrence and the South Dakota games. The former, however, will have the call on the position because of his weight and his ability to stand the pounding that a center gets.

For the guard positions there are four men who stand above the others, Hancock, Gunderson, Gardner, and Hipke. Hancock was a regular last year and he has the right guard position spiked unless he slumps—and right here let me say that men are not wedded to any position; they stick until some one comes along who can play it better—then they give up their place. Gunderson has appeared at left guard where he played last season. In a pinch, however, he can step into the center berth at which he has had considerable experience. Gardner was a regular two years ago; he was ineligible last season and, until a few days ago, this year. Hipke is a new man who played on the freshman team last year.

Thus far two men have led in the race for the tackle positions—"Polly"

Koch, who alternated for Buck last season; and Dick Gray, a former Milwaukee Normal player who was ineligible last year on account of the one year rule. But both are being pushed by two men who won their letters in 1915—"Swede" Filtzer and "Moose" Wenzel. They constitute a quartet of capable tackles.

Captain Meyers is at one of the end positions and his wing will be well taken care of. Cramer, a star on the 1918 freshman team, was at the other end until an injury put him out for two weeks and his place has been filled by "Red" Kelley, a regular end two years ago but who was not in the University during the season of 1915. There are three other candidates for end positions—Fladoes, captain of last year's freshmen; Guernsey, a new man who has been showing up well in the practices; and Schrank, who is making his initial bow as a football man.

Glen Taylor, last year's quarter after Simpson was shifted to a half, is at quarterback and it would not be surprising to see him there all season unless he is injured. He is playing up to the expectations of Dr. Withington whose expectations in regard to the quarter position are exacting. McCrory, sub-half last year, is being groomed as Taylor's understudy while Heyman, a brother of "Wally" Heyman, and Byron Nelson, the former Madison high school star, are awaiting their chance.

Four men are showing up well at the halfback positions—Simpson, a regular last season, and Olson, the basketball captain-elect who although this is his first year in football, has been playing a brand that has warranted the coaches in keeping him in despite the fact that he has never played Varsity football before. Edler, a former Beloit college star, is also doing good work at a half, as is Clark, former Michigan All-State high school halfback, who was not eligible last season.

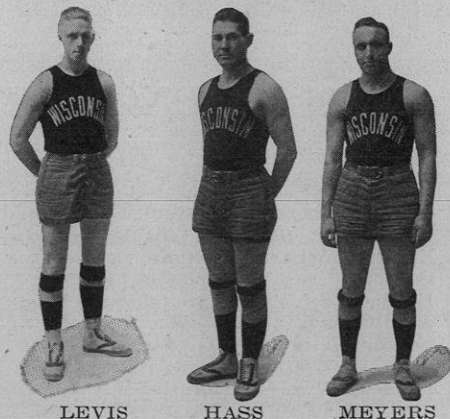
Berg has been the regular fullback

to date but, now that Kreuz, fullback for the last two seasons, has recovered from his early season injuries, the competition should be keen. Berg was a regular last year, especially after his brilliant showing in the Illinois game. Stark, Mueller, and Wall are other men who show backfield possibilities.

Team "B" has several men of promise and they are getting good coaching under the direction of Assistant Coach Driver who is using them to demonstrate Minnesota and Illinois plays while the freshmen are impersonating the University of Chicago.

BASKETBALL

While basketball is, at the present time, quite remote from immediate interest, the Badgers are already drawing up plans for the season which will open directly after football has had its annual eclipse. The Badgers have



inaugurated a new system this season—that of having two captains. Levis, the sensational forward of the last two years, has been elected captain for the first semester, while Harold Olson, the veteran guard, will captain the team during the second semester. This has been made possible because of the fact that Levis will be here only during the first semester when he will receive his degree. Dr. Meanwell, whose record at Wisconsin of four victories out of five seasons

stands unique in the annals of basketball, will have only two veterans this season—Levis and Olson during the first semester, and Olson and Chandler during the second semester. Chandler will be ineligible during the first half of the season and his loss will hit the Badgers hard as he is one of the best centers in the conference and last season was an important cog in the scoring machine. His loss, coming on top of the loss of Captain Hass and Smith, both of whom were graduated in June, will mean an uphill fight. The men that Dr. Meanwell are counting on to fill the vacant places are Meyers, the football captain who has had one year's experience as an alternate at forward; McIntosh, who subbed last year; and several members of the 1915-16 reserves and freshman teams.

CROSS COUNTRY

The cross country team is at work under the direction of Irv White, for-

mer Badger track and cross country star, getting into condition for the two meets of the year one with Minnesota at Madison on November 4, and the conference meet which will be held at LaFayette, Ind., on November 25. Of last year's team which established a new record in winning the conference title only two men remain, Captain Arlie Schardt, who placed third last year, and Golden. With these men as a nucleus, Coach White is hopeful of a team which will make a creditable showing. Illinois and Minnesota have lost their two individual stars, Mike Mason and Watson, but Purdue and Ames have been credited with powerful teams this year. Four members of last year's freshman team are showing up strong in the fight for places—Burr, Dayton, Elsom, and Gibson. Others who look promising are Johnson and Brann and Crothers, a senior. He has never run before but has made good time in the trials held thus far.

1916-17 TEACHING APPOINTMENTS

Furnished by Thomas Lloyd-Jones, '96

1916—Mamie E. Anderson, Peshtigo; Margaret F. Axon, Woodstock, Illinois; Dorothy A. Bannen, Teaching Fellow, History, Wausau; Ethel E. Bechtel, Barron; Isabelle Bodden, Hillsboro; Ellida Breidablik, Stoughton; Emily A. Budd, Training School, Richland Center; Lois A. Burlingame, Horicon; Irma H. Beard, Donora, Pa.; Ethel E. Barneby, Westby; Dorothy B. Christensen, Marion, Ohio; Grace Colby, Sparta; Dora L. Coleman, Stoughton; Harold F. Connors, Principal, Hurley; Grant D. Cook, Principal, Eagle River; Justine G. Dahm, Mosinee; Ada A. Dittmar, Lake Mills; Mabel Dooley, English Dept. U. W.; Ann E. Edwards, Hillsboro; Martha L. Edwards, Prof. of History, Lake Erie College, Painesville, Ohio; Norma A. Eitelgeorge, Neillsville; William H. Eller, German, Vanderbilt University of Nashville, Nashville, Tenn.; Mary F. Elwell, 7th and 8th grades, Ellsader, Iowa; Arthur Euler, New London; Riah Fagan, Stoughton; Florence Fleming, Darlington; Mary L. Fowler, Teaching Fellow, English, La Crosse; Holmes D. Ferris,

Oak Park, Illinois; Robert A. C. Graewin, Kewaunee; Mathilde A. Gullander, Ashland; Clara M. Gapen, Sparta; Bernadette I. Hahn, Omro; Anne S. Haines, Salem, N. J.; Helen Haner, Iron River; Alma C. Hanson, Randolph; Rose E. Hargrave, Hibbing, Minnesota; Agnes M. Hayes, Mukwonago; Elizabeth Helm, Rockford, Illinois; Irene Higgins, Teaching Fellow, Wausau; Helen M. Hohlfeld, Grades, Milwaukee; Alfred A. Holman, Bloomington; Margaret A. Howe, Mt. Horeb; Mary Hemenway, New Mexico; Harley V. Houseman, Wabash College, Crawfordsville, Indiana; Flossie E. Jackman, Nachez, Mississippi; Edna L. Johnson, Hartley, Iowa; Selma J. Johnson, Macgregor, Iowa; Kathryn J. Jones, Albia, Iowa; Verna E. Judson, Boscobel; Mrs. Kate W. Jameson, Dean of Women, Univ. of Montana, Helena, Montana; E. Cornelia Karow, Grand Rapids; Alice Keith, La Crosse; C. Elizabeth Kelley, Peoria, Illinois; Elizabeth M. Kelly, South Milwaukee; Marie R. Kleb, 4th grade, Hibbing, Minnesota; Temperance W. Knight, Sheboygan.

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ALUMNI NEWS

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BIRTHS

- 1892 To Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dudley, 1909 Regent St., a daughter, on September 25. Mr. Dudley, '92, is assistant librarian at the University.
- 1898 To Prof. and Mrs. Paul S. Reinsch, 1900 a son, in Pekin, China. Mrs. Reinsch was Alma M. Moser, '00.
- 1900 To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Koffend, Jr., a son, Joseph Sidney, on June 27. Mr. Koffend, '00, is with Joseph Koffend & Son, Aetna Insurance Agents at Appleton.
- 1901 To Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Harvey, a son, Edward J. Harvey, Jr., at Racine on October 10. Mrs. Harvey was Julia F. Smith.
- 1904 To Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brooke, of Ontario, Oregon, a son, Richard Olney, on July 25.
- 1904 To Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson of Des Moines, a daughter, Virginia, on May 11. Mrs. Johnson was Evangeline Fryette, '13.
- 1904 To Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lord, a daughter, Jane, on August 21. Mr. Lord, '04, is a member of the law firm of Richberg, Ickies, Davies & Lord, Chicago.
- 1905 To Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Schmidley, a daughter, Lois Mary, on July 10. Mr. Schmidley, '05, is with the department of engineering, State Railroad Commission, and resides at 329 West Wilson St.
- 1906 To Mr. and Mrs. A. E. James, a daughter, Helen Muriel, on May 10. Mr. James, '06, is director for the Tax Payers' Association of New Mexico with headquarters at Santa Fe.
- 1907 To Mr. and Mrs. Webster A. Brown, a son, on September 8. Mr. Brown, '07, is head of the Brown Land & Lumber Co., Rhinelander.
- 1907 To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Goedjen, of Green Bay, a son, Gene, on May 28.
- 1910 To Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hammond, a daughter, Katherine Merrick, at Provo, Utah, on August 4. Mr. Hammond, '10, is an engineer in the government service.

- 1911 To Mr. and Mrs. Byron Sears Potter of Webster City, Iowa, a son, Richard Gordon, on July 24.
- 1914 To Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boardman, a son, on June 27. Mr. Boardman is with the Ohio Agricultural Experiment Station, at Wooster. Mrs. Boardman was Edna K. Oakey.
- 1914 To Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Rannenberg of New York City, a daughter. Mrs. Rannenberg was Margaret Martin, '15.
- 1915 To Mr. and Mrs. W. R. McCann, Springfield, Ill., a son, Walter Ray, on August 3.

ENGAGEMENTS

- 1908 Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Brown of Rhinelander announce the engagement of their daughter, Edna, '08, to Mr. B. M. Powers of Kansas City, Mo.
- 1908 Mrs. F. H. Bardeen of North Pinckney St. has announced the engagement of her daughter, Florence Catherine, to Frank La Motte, '08, of Baltimore.
- 1910 Marjorie Strong, '10, to C. C. Waters of Brown University, Providence, R. I.
- 1911 Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gausewitz announce the engagement of their daughter, Eleanor, to J. C. Meiners, ex '11.
- 1911 Capt. and Mrs. J. G. Berry announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Dorothy Berry, to L. L. Heberd, '11.
- 1912 Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Leeden of Kewanee, Ill., announce the engagement of their daughter, Hebe, to W. J. P. Aberg, '12, attorney with Sanborn & Blake, Madison.
- 1913 Mr. and Mrs. George A. Buckstaff, '86, of Oshkosh, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Florence, ex '13, to F. S. Lamb of Madison. Since his graduation in 1913 Mr. Lamb has become secretary of the State Board of Education.
- 1916 Mrs. E. D. Ziesel of Elkhart, Ind., 1919 announces the engagement of her daughter, Lora, '19, to A. S. Jackson, '16, a graduate medical student.

MARRIAGES

- 1902 Miss Selma Alvina Steinfors to E. C. Griess, of Grand Forks, N. D.
- 1904 Miss Lydia Runkle of Tacoma, Wash., to Ralph Brown, '04, on June 27. They will reside at Seattle, where Mr. Brown is engaged in the lumber business.
- 1905 Margaret Jane Walker, ex '17, to
1917 E. R. Jones, '05, at North Yakima, Wash., June 28. They are at home at Madison, where Mr. Jones is assistant professor of soils at the college of agriculture.
- 1907 Miss Gladys B. Ittner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ittner of St. Louis, to O. C. Orr, '07. Mr. Orr is manager of the General Roofing Manufacturing Co., York, Pa.
- 1907 Ruth Eaton Davies, '16, to R. W.
1916 Wilson, ex '08, at Grace Episcopal church of Madison. They reside at Racine.
- 1907 May Luella Holmes, '07, to R. P. Richardson, both of Evansville, on September 2. They are at home at 484 Rideout St., London, Ontario, where Mr. Richardson is salesman for the N. K. Fairbank Co., Ltd., of Montreal.
- 1908 Miss Jean Schroeder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Schroeder of New Holstein, to E. W. Krauthoefer, '08, of Milwaukee. The ceremony was performed at New Holstein June 17. They are at home at 241 Tenth St., Milwaukee.
- 1908 Deborah May Jenkins, '08, to J. A. Cochrane of St. Paul, at Superior, September 21. Mr. Cochrane is superintendent of safety for the Great Northern. They will reside at St. Paul.
- 1909 Frances Eleanor Withington, '13,
1913 daughter of Mrs. A. E. Withington of Baraboo, and Dr. W. W. Bissell, '09, at Baraboo. Dr. Bissell is now a member of the staff of the Mayo Brothers' Hospital at Rochester, Minn.
- 1910 Katherine Donovan, '10, to J. D. Alcorn, on June 24. They will be at home at Porterville, Cal.
- 1910 Miss Vermillion A. Armstrong to F. C. Thiessen, '10, at Madison on August 5.
- 1910 Miss Mary England to B. O. Severson, '10, on June 21. Mr. Severson is associate professor of animal industry at Pennsylvania State College, State College.
- 1910 Mary Lucy Jamieson, ex '10, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Jamieson of Poynette, to Arthur Berry, at Chicago. They will reside at Chicago.
- 1910 Miss Iona Helmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Helmer of Schenectady, N. Y., to H. L. Budd, '10, on October 7. They will be at home at 6358 Marchand St., Pittsburg.
- 1910 Helen Sullivan, ex '10, and E. J.
1913 Samp, '13, September 21, at St. Patrick's Church at Madison. Mr. Samp is secretary of the Madison Board of Commerce.
- 1911 Doris Lovice Tyler, '11, to T. M. Reynolds, '12, at Joliet, Ill., September 23. At home after November 1 at La Crosse.
- 1911 Vivian Bewick, ex '16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Bewick of Windsor, to R. E. Warner, ex '11. They will reside at Windsor.
- 1912 Kadelia Gilbert Jevne, '12, to R. C.
1913 Hanchette, '13. They will reside on a ranch near Nashua, Mont.
- 1912 Luella Mae Scovill, '12, to E. L.
1914 Harrison, '14, at Rockford, September 13. They will be at home after October 1 at 389 South Upper St., Lexington, Ky.
- 1912 Miss Gertrude Hendricks to James Sherman, on August 3. Mr. Sherman, '12, is assistant professor at Pennsylvania State college.
- 1913 Chloe Siner, '13, to W. T. Morgan, on August 9. Mr. Morgan is a member of the history faculty at Columbia University.
- 1913 Susan May Anderson, ex '13, to Virgil Poston of Waukesha. They will be at home after November 1 at Waukesha, where Mr. Poston is engaged as chief engineer for the gas and electric company.
- 1913 Miss Florence E. Gittins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John S. Gittins, to J. M. Parmentier, '13, both of Green Bay.
- 1914 Grace Elizabeth Gaines of Topeka, Kansas, to K. A. Menninger, '14, on September 1. Their present address is 25 Falmouth St., Belmont, Mass.
- 1914 Miss Zora R. Roberts of San Rafael, Cal., to S. H. Small, ex '14, at San Francisco on June 12. They reside in Apartment 45, 79 Haven Ave., New York City.
- 1914 Miss Mabel Gertrude Byrne of La Crosse to L. T. Reid, ex '14, at La

- Crosse, September 30. They reside at 1316 State St., La Crosse.
- 1914 Miss Ruth Florence Williams, daughter of D. L. Williams of Waukesha, to W. A. Freehoff, '14, on August 15.
- 1914 Miss Gertrude A. Lunberg of Fish Creek to R. L. Cuff of Manawa, on September 5. Mr. Cuff, '14, is county agricultural agent for Barron county. They will reside at Barron.
- 1914 Miss Myrtle Wilmanns to A. C. Kootz, '14, at Milwaukee. Mr. and Mrs. Kootz are at home at 540 Lake Drive.
- 1914 Hazel Marian Caldwell, ex '16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Caldwell of Lodi, to A. W. Powell, '14, of Bowman, N. D. Mr. and Mrs. Powell are at home at Bowman.
- 1915 Miss Elizabeth Van Denberg to G. W. Vergeront, '15, at Big Rapids, Mich., on August 9. They are at home at Wonewoc.
- 1916 Miss Elizabeth Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Tucker of Kewanee, Ill., to M. R. Benedict, '16, of Neillsville, at Kewanee, August 16. They are at home at Aurora, Minn.
- 1916 Rose Lynn Arnovitz, '16, to Harry Hersh, at Marinette on August 15. At home after October 1 at Milwaukee.
- 1916 Rosalind Moerke, '12, to Alfred Schmidt, '16, on August 3. They are living at Crandon, where Mr. Schmidt is engaged in farming.
- 1916 Beatrice Marguerite Howard to H. W. Rieger, at Greenwood, September 1. Mr. Rieger, who played full-back on the 1915 varsity eleven, is in the land valuation department of the Chicago & Northwestern line. They are at home at 1438 Hollywood Ave., Chicago.
- 1916 Miss Alice Oliver of Northfield, Mass., to Henry Barnbrock, ex '16, at Madison.
- 1916 Charlotte M. Bodman, '16, to C. B. Neal, on October 4 at Kansas City, Mo. They will be at home after November 15 at 2041 Ward Ave., Kansas City.
- 1916 Eloise Seavert, '16, to Leonard Eager of the commerce school of Woodstock, Ill.

DEATHS

MRS. L. W. COLBY (Clara Bewick), '69, died September 7 at Palo Alto, Cal. She attended the International Woman

Suffrage Alliance at Budapest and the International Peace Congress at The Hague in 1913, having been appointed delegate by the Governor of Oregon.

DR. W. A. FRANKLIN, '72, died at his home at 3419 N. Harding Ave., Chicago, in July. He was graduated from the medical department of the University of Michigan in 1878. His wife and two sons survive him.

W. M. POND, '81, a former principal of Madison High School, died March 4 at the age of sixty-six years.

F. W. STECHER, '87, president of the Pompeian Manufacturing Co. of Cleveland and vice-president of the American Multigraph Co., died of heart trouble September 27 at Watkins Glen, N. Y.

E. S. BISHOP, '03, died at Chicago. Professor Bishop, who was a son of former State Senator I. T. Bishop of Somers, received his master's degree in Physics at Wisconsin in 1904, and his Ph. D. at the University of Chicago *cum laude* in



E. S. BISHOP

1909. He had been teaching in the School of Education at Chicago for the last seven years, and last June was elected head of the department of Physics at Lake Forest University. He leaves a wife (Florence Spence, '02) and two sons, aged six and two. He was a member of Sigma Phi.

A. C. GREAVES, '03, was drowned while swimming in Sturgeon Bay on Thursday, July 13. Mr. Greaves was city engineer of Sturgeon Bay for a number of years, and also a prominent fruit grower of that region. He left a wife and two sons, aged nine and six years.

F. S. BREWER, ex '10, died of acute pneumonia in Detroit, August 4. He entered the University as a freshman in 1906 and withdrew in his junior year to go into business. He was a member of Phi Kappa Psi. He is survived by his wife, one son and one daughter.

CHU-TUNG TSAI, '10, late director of the Peking-Kalgan Railway, China, died at Asheville, N. C., in December, 1914.

A. W. CASE, '15, was fatally injured while at work on the Hell Gate bridge over the East River at New York, and died twenty-six hours later on August 24.

He was born at Portland, Oregon, November 17, 1893. His father, Major James Frank Case, was a member of the class of 1890, and his mother, who was Helen M. Smith of Janesville, was graduated in 1889.

Case received his preparatory education at the Washington, D. C., High School and Phillips Exeter Academy. He received the degree of Bachelor of Science, civil engineering course, from Wisconsin in 1915. He was a member of the Phi Kappa Psi.

Since graduation Case had been employed upon the construction of the Hell Gate bridge, and had made an excellent record. A brilliant future seemed to lie before him.

His death was due, in a measure to the thoughtfulness for others that characterized him. On the day he was injured a high wind was blowing. He was stationed on a platform, high in the air. He left his protected station to lend a hand to two other engineers who seemed to be in danger from the wind. As he stood between them, a box used for hoisting stone, blew loose somewhere above and fell, striking him down between the two men who were left uninjured. All efforts to save his life were futile and he died without regaining consciousness. His loss will be felt keenly by all who had the privilege of knowing him personally. Wisconsin has lost a son of much promise.—L. F. Van H.

L. R. WHEELER, '15, died August thirtieth, following an operation for appendicitis.

Leo Richard Wheeler was born at Chicago in 1893. His father, John Wheeler, is president of the John Wheeler Construction Co., of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He was graduated from the High School at Geneva, Illinois, in 1910, and from the civil engineering course of the University of Wisconsin in 1915.

After finishing his school work, Wheeler secured a position with the Illinois Highway Commission and remained in the service until his death, at which time he was located at Maywood. He was stricken on August 26th and died four days later at his home in Geneva.—L. F. Van H.

MRS. ARTHUR GELATT (Aikyn Hektoen), ex '15, took her own life and that of her child, about a week previous to September 25. At that date the bodies were found in their home on Mills St., Madison.

THE CLASSES

1866

Sec'y—W. H. SPENCER, Meadville, Pa.

The four surviving graduates of the class of 1866 are Mrs. Ellen Byrne Merrill, William H. Spencer, Mrs. Agnes Sawyer Ferguson, and Mrs. Margaret Spears Visconti.

1872

Sec'y—H. W. HOYT, 179 E. Grand Blvd., Detroit 1879

Robert M. La Follette defeated Malcolm G. Jeffris of Janesville for the Republican nomination for United States Senator, at the September primaries.

1874

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

1875

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

1881

Sec'y—EMMA GATTIKER, Baraboo

William G. Thwaites is chairman of the fire and police commission of Milwaukee, for a term of one year.

1882

Rev. Florence Kollock Crooker, Universalist minister, is at 26 Conway St., Roslindale, Boston.

1883

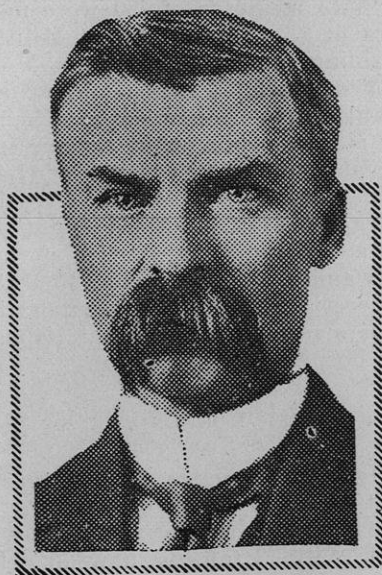
Sec'y—A. C. UMBREIT, 597 Frederick Ave., Milwaukee

Edmund G. McGilton of Omaha was elected president of the Commercial Law League of America at the annual meeting at Atlantic City in July.

1884

Sec'y—MRS. A. W. SHELTON, Rhinelander

Mrs. A. F. Rote, who was formerly Mary W. Krueger of Neenah, resides at 505 Emerson St., Monroe.—C. J. Hicks is executive assistant to the president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Co., with headquarters at the Boston Building, Denver, Colo.—T. J. Walsh, United States Senator from Montana, is managing the campaign



T. J. WALSH

of President Wilson in the West, with headquarters in the Karpen Building, 900 Michigan Ave., Chicago.

1885

Sec'y—F. C. ROGERS, Oconomowoc

1886

Sec'y—MRS. E. N. PEASE, Wauwatosa

1887

Sec'y—MRS. I. E. FISK, Madison

Mrs. C. A. Copeland, formerly Anna Palfrey, is supervisor of English in the Wauwatosa high school.

1888

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

Rev. J. M. Bach, who was pastor of the St. Bernard's Catholic church on Atwood Ave. for the last eight years, has been transferred by Archbishop S. G. Messmer from Madison to Racine, where he has taken charge of St. Joseph's parish.

1889

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

C. A. Harper, state health officer for Wisconsin, was called to Washington in August for a conference

of state and territorial health authorities with the United States Public Health Service to consider the infantile paralysis situation.—W. S. Smith will be at Park Farm, R. 9, Waukesha, for the next year.

1890

Sec'y—W. N. PARKER, Madison

F. E. McGovern was defeated at the September primaries when he opposed Governor Philipp and William H. Hatton for the Republican nomination for governor.—When Mary A. Smith was unanimously re-elected librarian of the Madison Free Library the board adopted a resolution of appreciation for her efficient services.—W. F. Seymour's present address is Polo, Ill.

1891

Sec'y—MRS. L. C. BALDWIN, West Allis

1892

Sec'y—MRS. L. M. F. LIETZE, 350 W. 115th St., New York

Ruth Marshall will teach zoology this year in the junior college of the Lane Technical School, Chicago.—P. S. Reinsch, American minister to China, marched in the funeral procession of Yuan Shih-Kai, the route of the procession extending behind the walls of the forbidden Tartar or inner city of Pekin.

1893

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

H. S. Siggelko has established law offices in Suite 1, Boyd Bldg., 2 S. Carroll St.—Anne I. Oakey is at the head of the department of English in the Rhinelander high school.—J. G. Wray has resigned as chief engineer of the central group of Bell Telephone companies, to become associated with the firm of Hagenah & Erickson, public utility engineers, First National Bank Bldg., Chicago, specializing in appraisals, cost analyses and rate investigations.

1894

Sec'y—H. L. EKERN, Madison

Robert E. Rienow is dean of men at the University of Iowa.—Prof. S.

R. Sheldon, '94, and Mrs. Sheldon went from Shanghai, China, to Japan for the summer.

1895

Sec'y—ARTHUR CARHART, 774 Summit Ave., Milwaukee

1896

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

W. G. Bleyer of the school of journalism addressed the Wisconsin City Editors' association, at their semi-annual meeting at Madison the latter part of July.—H. F. DeBower is vice-president of Alexander Hamilton Institute, New York.—C. W. Hart and C. W. Parr are president and secretary, respectively, of the Hart-Parr Co. of Charles City, Iowa. They invented, perfected, and are now demonstrating a new type of farm tractor which is considered one of the greatest of recent additions to modern farm machinery.

1897

Sec'y—LOUISE KELLOGG, Historical Library, Madison

A. R. Hager's present address is Box 552, U. S. Postal Agency, Shanghai, China.—W. F. Hase has been promoted to the rank of major in the coast artillery corps, and is on duty as an assistant to the chief of coast artillery at Washington, D. C. Major Hase recently delivered a series of lectures on Coast Defenses in several eastern cities.—The Harvey Spring Co. of Racine, of which W. T. Harvey is secretary and treasurer, has recently adopted a profit-sharing plan which will benefit 200 employes.

1898

Sec'y—J. P. RIORDAN, Mayville

A. J. Chandler is civil engineer with the Alaskan Engineering Commission, at Nenana.—M. W. Zabel is practicing patent and trade-mark law at 1336 Monadnock Building, Chicago.

1899

Sec'y—MRS. L. H. McMILLAN, 740 Frederick Ave., Milwaukee

“Two members of '99 were members of the United States Military Training camp at Plattsburg, N. Y., this summer, Edwin Pahlow and Frank Kurtz of Milwaukee. The latter is now professor of history in a private college for boys at Lawrenceville, N. J.”—L. H. M.—Mrs. Margaret Hutton Abels spent the summer doing social service work in Milwaukee.—Mrs. John McMillan (Lucretia Hinkley) is recuperating after a serious operation at Milwaukee hospital.

1900

Sec'y—JOSEPH KOFFEND, Jr., 726 North St., Appleton

Mary L. Strong is teaching in the high school at Joliet, Ill.—George H. Short, mining engineer, formerly of Park City, Utah, is now at 1424 Emerson Ave., Salt Lake City.

1901

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

Le Roy Salsich is the general superintendent of the Canisteo District of the Oliver Iron Mining Co., Coleraine, Minn.—Rachel M. Kelsey has removed from Baraboo to 803 Frederick Ave., Milwaukee.—Prof. L. B. Wolfenson, of the department of Semetics and Hellenistic Greek, has been appointed state representative to the national convention of humane societies in Cincinnati, October 16 to 19.—The Harvey Spring and Forging Co., of which Edward J. Harvey of Racine is an officer, has installed a system whereby its 200 employes share in the profits.—Mrs. R. B. Hartman (Clara L. Stillman) is Regent of the Milwaukee Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, which chapter entertains the state conference this fall.

1902

Sec'y—MRS. MERLE S. STEVENS, 606 2nd Ave., Eau Claire

The present address of Mrs. H. Foster Bain (Mary Wright) is in care of J. H. Ruffin, Esq., 22 Museum Road, Shanghai, China.

1903

Sec'y—WILLARD HEIN, Normal School,
Bloomington, Ill.

Homer C. Hockett has removed from Columbus to Worthington, Ohio.—A. E. Anderson has removed from Laramie, Wyo., to 406 Boston Building, Denver, Colo.

1904

Sec'y—MRS. F. F. MOFFAT BENNETT,
322 S. Hamilton St., Madison

D. S. Law is a member of the law firm of George H. Gordon, Law & Gordon, La Crosse.—A. G. DuMez has a fellowship in pharmacy at the university.—W. H. Brooke was a delegate from Ontario, Ore., to the Republican convention at Chicago in June, and represented Oregon on the platform committee.

1905

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

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hawkins are now stationed at Newchwang, South Manchuria.—Harry Gardner, formerly with the college of engineering of the University of Illinois, is now an instructor in civil engineering at Cooper Union, New York city.—Tilda Eliza Nelson is engaged in missionary work at Guntur, India.—Goro Nakayama is in the Sumitomo bank at Osaka, Japan.—R. B. Anthony is residing at 1525 E. Marquette Road, Chicago.—A. B. Dean is engineer of methods at the Minneapolis plant of the Northwestern Knitting Co.—W. D. McGraw travels for the Rankin Benedict Underwriting Co., Lathrop Building, Kansas City, Mo.

1906

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

Fred V. Larkin resigned as assistant professor of mechanical engineering at Lehigh University, to continue in the employ of the Harrisburg Pipe and Pipe Bending Company as assistant superintendent.—Agnes I. Roberts has removed from Milwaukee to West Bend, where her

address is R. F. D. No. 1, Box 8.—Fred L. Holmes, Associated Press correspondent at Madison, was one of the leading speakers at the Wisconsin City Editors' semi-annual meeting at Madison late in July.—F. G. Emerson has removed from Seattle to Minneapolis, where his address is 90 Montrose Apt., 1821 First Ave., South.—Mrs. W. F. McEldowney (Ella Sutherland) now resides at Chicago Heights, Ill.

1907

Sec'y—R. G. GUGLER, 587 Frederick Ave.,
Milwaukee

1907—REUNION—1917

The first full meeting of the committee appointed by President A. J. Goedjen was held on October 10 at the University Club in Milwaukee. Announcement of a programme of campaign for a large and enthusiastic reunion will appear shortly. The Committee will have well known representatives in various of the larger cities so that cooperation by "all of us" will be better possible.

Edwin C. Jones, formerly business manager of the Daily Cardinal and now of the Portage Daily Democrat, is the Democratic nominee for secretary of state.—H. E. Swensen is teaching in the high school at Fresno, Cal.—E. F. Hacker's new address is 217 Waugh St., Columbia, Mo.—Albert Goedjen has removed to Green Bay, where he has accepted the position of assistant general manager of the Wisconsin Public Service Co.—Dr. F. E. Williams of Cambridge, Mass., has been appointed by the governor of that state as a member of the advisory prison board.—D. R. Lee has removed from Chattanooga to 1717 Yale Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.—Mr. Courtland Smith, president of the American Press association, sent the following telegram to Richard Lloyd-Jones on October 10: "Reported old Main Hall burning down. In my day we saved a little of the capitol. Can you save at least a little of the old building?"

1908

Sec'y—F. H. ELWELL, Madison

E. M. McMahon, secretary of the St. Paul Association of Commerce, was one of the speakers at the Wisconsin Retail Grocers' and General Merchants' convention at Kenosha, August 14 to 16.—F. R. Brownlee is the superintendent of the Wisconsin Cement Construction Co., 982 Humboldt Ave., Milwaukee.—H. A. Losse is a member of the faculty of the German-English Academy, 558 Broadway, Milwaukee.—W. J. Copp is at 2867 Palmer St., Chicago, where he is engaged as safety inspector.—C. E. Billings has taken a position as general manager of a 10,000 acre plantation at Roundaway, Miss.—M. T. Slade is cashier of the Philadelphia branch of the Aetna Life Insurance Co. and the Aetna Accident and Liability Co.—Harry Steenbock is assistant professor of agricultural chemistry at the agricultural college.—J. E. Gillespie has been placed in charge of the newly created Division No. 2 of the State Highway commission, at Milwaukee.—T. T. Worthington is with the Milwaukee Gas & Coke Co.

1909

Sec'y—C. A. MANN, Ashland Apartments, Ames, Ia.

J. Hugo Johnson is chief electrician of the Brush (Colo.) factory of the Great Western Sugar Co.—Hazel Linkfield is teaching Latin and German at Wauwatosa this year.—E. C. Stocker is assistant engineer, Whangpoo River Conservancy, Shanghai, China.—E. E. Witte has returned to Madison where his address is 405 North Francis St.—S. C. Haskell's address is 1228 Hinman Ave., Evanston.—E. O. Steihm, formerly head coach at Nebraska and now director of athletics at the University of Indiana, has been elected president of the Conference basketball association.—H. V. Harvey of Racine is with the Harvey Spring and Forging Co., which has adopted a profit-sharing plan for the benefit

of its force of employes.—C. A. Mann, instructor in chemistry and director of the University orchestra for several years, has accepted a position as head of the department of chemical engineering at Iowa State college, at Ames.

1910

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

“The Whamskizzle, the semi-annual wheeze of the Great an' Glorious Class of Nynteenten, will next be issued by Kerr, Morris, and Thompson, nynteenteners of New York. Hereafter the editorship of this unique publication will be rotated among the various organizations of the class situated in the different centers. This new policy will insure a continuation of the pet idea with which the publication was started in 1915. All news items of interest to the class should be sent at once to The Whamskizzle, 20 Gramercy Park, New York, N. Y. Do it now!”—W. M.—Henry Bucher is with Sloan, Huddle, Feustel & Freeman, consulting engineers of Madison.—Dr. C. H. Tearnan is associated with Dr. William Barnes in practice at Suite 319-24 Millikin Bldg., Decatur, Ill.—H. E. Pulver is professor of civil engineering at the Government Institute of Technology (formerly Nanyang College), Shanghai, China.—A. J. King is a commission merchant with Henry W. Dooley & Co., 5 Tetriam St., San Juan, Porto Rico.—A. L. Luedtke, who was recently transferred to Division 2 of the State Highway Commission, has resigned after five years with the Commission to accept a position in the U. S. Office of Public Roads at Washington, D. C.—Walter Timm is with the railroad commission of New Hampshire, with headquarters at Concord.—O. W. Baird has been appointed teacher of science in the Wisconsin High School at Madison.—W. F. Meggers is a spectroscopist at the U. S. Bureau of Standards at Washington.—D. S. Hanchett will

continue in his work as general secretary of the Christian Association of the University of Pennsylvania.—Pearl C. Padley has removed from Lodi to Edgeley, N. D.—G. O. Plamondon is structural engineer for the Austin Co., 40 Maplewood Ave., Bridgeport, Conn.—Sarah E. Thrasher is teacher of piano, voice, and organ, at Waterman hall, Sycamore, Ill.—Lau-Chi Chang is a member of the Board of Finance at Peking.—C. E. Davey is salesman for the Star Peerless Wall Paper Co. of Joliet, Ill.—Margaret Shelton is teaching English in Lander College, Greenwood, S. C.—P. W. Boutwell is instructor in chemistry at Delaware College, Newark.—Irving Goldfein's address is 1314 Fifth Ave., Marion, Iowa.

1911

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

Florence V. Hargrave is a teacher in the Madison High School.—P. J. Weaver is assistant supervisor of music in the schools of St. Louis, his address being 410 De Baliviere.—W. R. McCann, after serving for a year as private secretary to Commissioner Walter A. Shaw of the Illinois State Public Utilities Commission, has been appointed valuation engineer for the commission.—K. K. Borsack is studying medicine at the university, and his Madison address is 615 Lake St.—W. D. Kemp has been transferred to the Michigan State Telephone Co. as assistant traffic engineer, and has headquarters in Room 301, Michigan State Telephone Bldg., Detroit.—Winifred Van Vleck's address is 905 39th St., Milwaukee.

1912

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

A. Conn Klinger is with the department of history and political science at Simpson College.—The Alumni association is anxious to get in touch with Einar Graff.—J. B. Hubbard's address is 54 Perkins

Hall, Cambridge, Mass.—V. P. Rumely is with the factory production department of the Hudson Motor Car Co., Detroit.—Carl Nep-rud is at Chungking, in the customs service.—O. A. Reinking is assistant professor of plant pathology at the University of the Philippines, Los Banos, P. I.—L. A. Henke is in charge of the agricultural work of the College of Hawaii.—W. H. Damon is with the engineering department of the State Railroad Commission.—Robert Linde Bowen of Oshkosh has sailed for Berlin, at the head of a unit of American surgeons going to the German capital on war duty. Bowen will probably study in Europe for some time.—W. E. Leonard is professor of economics at Whitman College, Walla Walla, Wash.—Byron S. Potter is manufacturing superintendent at the London plant of Armour & Co., Ltd.—Dr. J. H. Doyle is superintendent of the public schools at Independence, Ia.—Mary Swain Routzahn is treasurer of the Civic Club of New York city, an organization of the city club type for both men and women.—E. H. Horstkotte, who is in the Power and Mining Engineering department of the General Electric Co. at Schenectady, has left to spend six months on the Pacific coast studying the problem of the adaptation of electrical equipment to sawmills.

1913

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

Roy D. Young is attending the University this year, residing at 121 Prospect Ave.—Aleda M. Bowman is a member of the faculty of the Butte (Mont.) High School.—F. F. Householder is in the department of physics, Iowa State College, at Ames.—T. M. Beck, who is an attorney at Racine, has been busy with arrangements for the Racine alumni to attend the Chicago-Wisconsin game in a body, the plan being to have one or two special cars from Racine on the Milwaukee train, bound for the

Homecoming celebration. — John Wattawa is secretary to Hon. Thomas J. Walsh, United States Senator from Montana, who is manager of the western headquarters of the Democratic National Committee.—C. A. Hendee's address is 1131 Columbine St., Denver, Colo.—B. D. Burhoe's present address is Valdez, Alaska, in care of the Cube Mines Co.—P. E. Baker is with the Peabody Hardware & Lumber Co. at Peabody, Kan.—Bonnie Scholes is instructor in home economics in the normal school at Santa Barbara, Cal.—Kathleen Calkins of Evansville, who is county representative in home economics at Cheshire county, N. H., taught in the summer session at the University.—Florence Schofield of La Crosse is doing extension work for the Tennessee Iron and Coal company of Alabama.—Frances Ellman is teacher of French at the Madison High school.—Carl Schauer mann is connected with the German-English Academy of Milwaukee, as a faculty member.—C. M. Petterson is now at Mukden, Manchuria, studying the Chinese language.—E. D. Reynolds is a graduate student at Harvard.—W. A. Harlin is with the South Bend Watch Co., and resides at 609 Riverside Drive, South Bend, Ind.—Soong-Dau Lee is registrar at Tsing Hua College, Peking.—Vive Hall Young is assistant professor of Botany in the University of Iowa.—S. N. Miner is in the brokerage business, 618 Cotton Exchange Building, Memphis.—C. F. G. Wernicke is director of service for the Grand Rapids (Mich.) Furniture Record.

1914

Sec'y—J. A. BECKER, 1104 W. Johnson St., Madison

Laura Towne's address is care of Hiram College, Hiram, Ohio.—C. H. Getts, is with Conklin & Reid, attorneys, 31 Nassau St., New York.—M. H. Knutsen is instructor in bacteriology at the State College of Washington, and his address is Box

72, College Station, Pullman.—F. A. Sewall's address is 931 Grand Ave., Racine.—Norman Quale is with Grotophorst & Thomas, attorneys at Baraboo.—M. C. Bruce has been appointed instructor of commercial correspondence in the new business courses which the University of Washington extension division is offering.—H. M. Jones has been appointed head of the English department of the University of Texas.—Katherine Martindale of La Crosse has joined the instructional force in home economics at the University of Washington.—Ruth Minturn of Milwaukee is doing research food work in Chicago.—Ruth Peck of Evansville, Ind., is director of the department of home economics at the University of Arkansas.—Gladys Gill of Mauston is at the Maykon and Roanoke College for girls, in Virginia.—Mary Oliver is instructor in home economics at the University of West Virginia.—Mrs. Ella Richards Spoor is doing educational work in home economics in Burma, where her husband is doing agricultural work.—W. S. Thompson resides at 6017 Calumet Ave., Chicago.—Mary A. Gedney is a chemist for Sears, Roebuck & Co., Chicago.—J. A. Thiel is on the faculty of the German-English Academy, Milwaukee.—John Wong sailed August 10 for Tientsin, China, where he planned to enter the leather business and live at the Y. M. C. A.—Norma Davis of Madison has been engaged in extension work for the home economics department of the University of Nevada.—Madeline Fess of Madison has accepted a position with the Woman's Industrial College of Texas.—G. M. Householder is now county agricultural representative for Rusk county, with headquarters at Ladysmith.—N. F. Howard was employed this summer by the United States Bureau of Entomology, on special demonstrational work in Wisconsin, Michigan, and Indiana.—"Bob" Wahl is so impressed with the future of cherry

growing on the Door peninsula that he is building a home in his orchard at Fish Creek.—A. S. Alexander is continuing his studies at Harvard, preparing himself for landscape architectural work.—C. F. Kleck is with the Badger Packard Machinery Co., Milwaukee.—L. L. McLaren is foreman of the by-products coke plant of the Illinois Steel Co., at Gary, Ind.—H. N. Hart is civic secretary for the Milwaukee City club.—S. H. Phinney is draftsman in the bridge department of the New York Central road at Cleveland.—W. H. Kemp, Jr., is at Box 151, Missouri Valley, Iowa.—O. P. Peterson was on temporary geological examination work in Canada during the summer of 1916.—J. C. Fehlandt is in the advertising department of Marshall Field & Co., Chicago.—W. B. Webster is delegate of the American Embassy at Petrograd, in charge of relief for civilian prisoners of war in Siberia.—L. V. Cowin is sales correspondent for the Westinghouse Electrical Export Co., East Pittsburgh.—S. T. Suen is with the Huai River Conservancy in China.—J. F. Kunesh is junior hydraulic engineer for the United States Geological Survey, water resources branch, at San Francisco.—B. R. Brindley is with the National Surety Co., 421 The Rookery, Chicago.—Archibald Taylor and Mrs. Taylor (Janet Vinje), are now residing at Sedalia, Missouri.—Margaret Coon is teaching freshman English in the Rhinelander High School.—J. L. Dohr and Lester F. Brumm are doing graduate work in the school of business, Columbia University, this year. Their address is 210 Hartley Hall.

1915

Sec'y—ERNEST O. LANGE, 315 N. Mills St.
Madison

Cecelia Murray of Madison and Helene Hanson of Neenah are instructors in home economics at Ames Agricultural college in Iowa.—Esther English has begun her second

year in the Rhinelander High school as teacher of mathematics.—C. K. Harris' address is 104 East Woodruff St., Toledo.—The name of R. S. Crowl was included in the honor roll of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. at the annual meeting at Milwaukee, among the newer agents who made remarkable records.—E. L. Goldsmith is with Miller and Chindahl, patent attorneys, 1515 Monadnock Block, Chicago.—M. C. Lobdell is a general merchant at Mukwonago.—Katherine Faville's present address is 2155 Pierce Ave., Chicago.—Frank Robotka is assistant in agricultural economics and marketing at the Minnesota Agricultural College, St. Paul.—R. D. Longyear, geologist, is located at 710 Security Building, Minneapolis.—The present address of W. H. Loerpabel is Carlota Mine, Cumaneyagua, via Cienfuegos, Cuba.—W. S. Jensen is special fruit inspector in the Potomac valley peach country, for the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, in the employ of the Moorhead Inspection bureau.—Marie Schmidt has removed from Freeport, Ill., to Highland.—C. H. Sanderson is with John S. Main & Co., real estate, 610 State St.—R. Gilman Smith is with the Milwaukee Electric Railway & Light Co., and lives in Room 626, Y. M. C. A. Building.—Asher Hobson is instructor in economics at the University of Washington.—R. W. Uphoff is principal of the Moweaqua (Ill.) High school.—J. H. Dance is residing at Brookfield.—I. G. Schulte, who is with the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, has been transferred to the newly-formed Retail Service Bureau; Room 606, Merchants' Bank Bldg., Indianapolis.—Helen G. Hadden is a student at Columbia University, and her address is 430 West 118th St., New York City.—Hattie Engsborg is living at Association House, 2150 West North Ave., Chicago.—Mary A. McMahon is doing general reporting and feature writing for the Lafay-

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'The Homecoming and Chicago game will be October 28th. When you come home for the game you'll find all Fifteeners at the 1915 Headquarters on the first floor of the building occupied by the Alumni Association at 821 State Street. You are not obliged to call but your college friends will be there to see you.

W. A. Foster, President.



'I, The Alumni Association, represent 4,000 living graduates.

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'When I plead for your support you ignore me;

'You say, 'Let the other fellow do it.'

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(The upper half of the above letter, reproduced herewith, was sent by President Foster to all members of the 1915 class. The entire letter, both upper and lower sections, was sent to all '15 graduates who are not yet members of the Wisconsin Alumni Association.)

ette (Ind.) Journal, and her address is 904 Columbia St.—Leo Schoepf's Madison address is 15 East Gorham St.

1916

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

S. B. Olson, formerly of Calumet, Mich., now resides at 587 Riverside Drive, New York.—Howard Buck, captain of the 1915 varsity eleven, is a member of the university coaching staff this season.—Frank Thayer is instructor in journalism at the University of Kansas.—G. L. Simpson is head of the department of geography and coach of athletics at the new Eau Claire Normal school.—H. D. Simmons has commenced a two-year commercial art course at the Chicago Academy of Fine Arts.—W. J. Landry is principal of schools at Gilmanston.—H. E. Benedict is with the National City bank and is residing at 169 Clinton St., Brooklyn.—M. M. Kloser, who is engaged in city health department work, resides at 15 St. Mary's St., Dayton, O.—F. L. Ayer resides at 1648 North La Salle Ave., Chicago.—A. W. Prussing is with the J. Walter Thompson Co. at New York.—B. H. Peck is an electrical engineer with the Illinois Public Service Commission at Springfield.—A. C. DeBolt is the manager of the service department of the Omaha branch of the Goodyear Tire & Repair Co.—L. F. Nelson is engineer inspector for the Milwaukee Sewerage Commission.—H. B. Merrill is taking graduate work at the university.—G. G. Bothum's address is 610 Corn Exchange National Bank building, Chicago.—K. C. Spayde is with the MeClintic-Marshall Construction Co., Braddock, Pa.—Rose E. Hargrave is teaching in the high school at Hibbing, Minn.—Mildred J. Cozzens is teacher of English, dramatics, and music at Mineral Point.—W. H. Davis is professor of agriculture at the Iowa State Teachers' College.—Frank Ambler's Madison address is 217 South Hamilton St.—H. F. Jan-

da is instructor in civil engineering at the University of Cincinnati.—H. A. Doeringsfeld is employed as mining engineer by the Oliver Iron Mining Co., Hibbing, Minn.—J. K. Bowman is director of vocational school work at Avondale, Pa.—Elizabeth C. Kelley is teacher of physical education at Mitchell, S. D.—Leonard J. Ostlund is with the Scheldrup Pharmacy at Stoughton.—DeWitt O. Jones is a chemist with the Thompson Malted Food Co., at Waukesha.—Nellie M. Larson is teaching high school history at Shawano.—K. R. Burke is employed as chemical engineer for the American Tar Products Co., at Carrollville.—Elta A. Goodrich is teaching at Havelock, Iowa.—George Andrae's mailing address is 408 Whitney Ave., Wilkesburg, Pa.—Mary G. Powers is teaching at Ellison Bay.—A. G. Canar is chemical engineer for the American Creosoting Co., at its Kansas City (Mo.) plant.—L. G. Merriam is farming at Darlington.—O. T. Sadler's address is 6024 Ellis Ave., Chicago.—G. L. Ramsdell is engaged in credit work at Chicago.—J. E. Richardson, Jr., is a student at Cornell University.—R. H. Mahre is engaged as a pharmacist at Amery, Polk county.—E. S. Prouty is farming at Sandusky.—C. R. Bodenbach is manager of the Georgia Carolina Dairy Products Co., Augusta, Ga.—Doris Lucille McFadden is playground instructor at Minneapolis.—W. S. Smith will spend the year on Park farm, near Waukesha.—N. A. Eitelgoerge will be at Neillsville until next June.—H. F. Chapin is with the industrial department of the St. Paul Association of Commerce.—R. W. Leslie's address is 1425 Kensington Ave., Youngstown, Ohio.—W. F. Meggers is spectroscopist at the bureau of standards at Washington, D. C.—Margaret Forrest Axon is a high school teacher at Woodstock, Ill.—N. D. Barnett is with William A. Baehr, consulting engineer, Chicago.—H. D. Bassett is head of the department of geography at Western Illinois State Normal

school.—H. D. Fowler is farming near Superior.—A. F. Zache's address is Franksville.—F. M. Distelhorst resides at 2018 East Sixty-Fifth St., Cleveland.—C. H. Greenleaf is instructor in romance languages at Wisconsin.—Mabelle Paulson is music supervisor and piano instructor at the Wheeler college, Madison.—T. E. Bennett is employed in the engineering department of the Dayton (Ohio) Power & Light Co.—Emily A. Budd is teaching in the Richland County Training school at Richland Center.—J. U. Heuser is with the Cutler-Hammer Manufacturing Co., People's Gas Building, Chicago.—H. M. Van Auken is secretary of the Algoma Commercial club, Algoma, Iowa.—F. E. Peterson is teaching at Park Region College, Fergus Falls, Minn.—J. L. Williams is assistant agriculturist for the Great Western Sugar Co., Fort Collins, Colo.—T. A. Hoeveler's Madison address is 435 Hawthorne Court.—H. C. Pollak is with the Western Union Telegraph Co. at New York city, and his address is 1320 Glenwood Road, Brooklyn.—Mary Frances Elwell resides at Elkader, Iowa.—Martha L. Edwards is head of the history department at Lake Erie College, Painesville, Ohio.—Mrs. Edmund Harder (Charlotte Beverly Harpel) resides at Washington, D. C.—Mrs. Dora Russell Barnes of Madison is a county representative in home economics in Florida.—Gladys Meloche is doing extension work in home economics in Rhode Island.—Vera Spinney of Madison will be instructor in Household Sciences in the Lillian Massey College of Home Economics at the University of Toronto.—Mrs. Dora Miller Osterheld (Dora May Miller) resides at Stoughton.—Sarah Porter of River Falls, Ill., has been engaged for the faculty of Milwaukee-Downer college.—E. C. Dexheimer is a chemical engineer at Fort Atkinson.—Tsung-Hai Cheng and Kan Su are taking post-graduate work at the university.—The following are on the instruc-

tional forces of the various colleges and departments: George H. Gray, John K. Bonnell, Helen T. Parsons, and John H. Skavlem.—Mrs. Harry Jerome (Gladys W. Solomon) resides at 930 Clymer Place, Madison. M. J. Steere is at 405 Fifth Ave. East, Kalispell, Mont.—Rose Hargrave is teaching at Hibbing, Minn.—V. G. Foshinbauer's address is 2051 North Kedzie Ave., Chicago.—G. C. Robinson is instructor in history and coach of debating in the Jefferson High School.—A. J. Mertzke is instructor in economics and sociology in Pomona College, Claremont, Cal.—Grace Godfrey of Whitewater will teach home economics in Missouri.—Lulu Morris of Dodgeville will teach home economics in a high school at Jacksonville, Fla.—S. H. Smith is with the Pennsylvania Steel Co., Steelton.—Mrs. Ralph W. Wilson (Ruth E. Davis) resides at 1432 Main St., Racine.—Laura Mills is teaching child psychology in Boston University.—Elizabeth Kelley is director of physical education in a new high school at Peoria, Ill.—Imogene Kriskey is director of physical education in the schools of Minneapolis.—G. Rodney Swetting is in the efficiency engineering department of the Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Akron, Ohio.—John Brayles' address is 143 Fourth St., Milwaukee.—Abraham Eder is attending the Law school, and is residing at 536 State St.—Gus Bohstedt's present address is 125 Campus Ave., Ames, Iowa.—C. H. Maurer is with Edward W. Bemis, consulting engineer, 1606 City Hall Square Building, Chicago.—Lillian E. Lawson is at the Normal Institute at Grandview, Tenn.—George H. Andrea is with the Westinghouse Electrical Manufacturing Co., East Pittsburg.—H. F. Miller is with the department of health of the city of Kenosha.—Flossie E. Jackman is teacher of Spanish and French at Natchez (Miss.) Institute.—R. M. Rutledge is an instructor at the Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst.

CAMPUS NOTES

FIRE of an unknown origin destroyed the dome of Main Hall, on Tuesday, October 10. The damage is estimated by University officials to be between \$25,000 and \$35,000. Plans were immediately made for a temporary roof to cover the building over winter, pending plans for rebuilding the dome. The fire, it is thought, started in the old dome, above which the new dome had been built some sixteen years ago. When the alarm was given, the students filed out of the building in perfect order. The students rendered invaluable service in fighting the fire from the roof.

The Wisconsin Union has no home at present, the alterations in the Y. M. C. A. building on Langdon street last summer having left the Union out of consideration. The Union board, of which George Baldwin is president, has appointed upperclass advisors to a large number of first year men.

The 1918 Badger staff, headed by Frank Birch of Fond du Lac as editor, has made an early start on the year-book, which is to be published by Cantwells of Madison.

A filter for the swimming tank in the Gymnasium has been provided, to meet a long-felt want. The water is to be filtered through blue quartz.

Alpha Sigma Tau is the name of the newest Greek letter organization at the University. This chapter, of twenty-nine members, has taken a house at 625 North Frances St.

The student senate plan, in a referendum post-card vote, was carried by a majority of 20 to 1. A student senate of seventeen members will be elected November 10.

Phi Beta Kappa, honorary scholastic fraternity, honored Dean E. A. Birge of the College of Letters and Science with the office of vice-president, at the national meeting at Philadelphia in September.

The new staff of the Daily Cardinal is headed by J. F. Moore as edit-



or-in-chief, G. O. Gullickson as business manager, George L. Service as advertising manager, and Miss Margaret Jenison as editor of the Woman's page. A special athletic page and an enlarged theatrical section are commendable features of the current volume.

The history of automobile industry, with pictures of early experiments, old licenses and license tags, and pages from old periodicals bearing on the subject, is depicted in an exhibit recently installed in the state historical museum.

Dr. E. G. Senn has presented the State Historical Museum with a bronze bust of his father, the late Dr. Nicholas Senn, '87, whose death occurred in 1908. The Museum has a number of instruments and other articles, the gifts of members of the family of the celebrated Wisconsin surgeon.

Courses in engineering and astronomy "by mail" are innovations in

the activities of the University Extension Division, this year.

President Charles R. Van Hise addressed the Wayfarers' Club of Chicago October 3 on the subject of the recently threatened railroad strike.

The annual bag rush was held on Lower Campus on the afternoon of October 6. The 1919 class, defeated a year ago, surprised the "frosh" and the student body at large by winning 8 of the 15 bags. The lower-class encounter was marked by unusual activity on the part of the student police force, headed by "Chief" Arlie Mucks.

Professor H. W. Ballantine of the College of Law has accepted the position of Dean of the Law School of the University of Illinois.

A series of twenty-five musical concerts has been announced by the school of music for this year, to include a musical exposition at the Gymnasium on January 20, a series of three concerts by the Chicago Symphony Orchestra, a Yuletide Festival, the Madison Choral Union's spring concert, and faculty and student recitals.

Dr. Mary Wetmore is engaged in extension work in home economics at the University of Minnesota.

Dean C. R. Bardeen of the Medical School lectured August 31 before the Graduate School in Medical Sciences at the University of Illinois, his subject being "Study of the Anatomy of the Heart in the Living by Use of the 'X-Ray.'"

The Sigma Nu fraternity has built a new lodge at 625 North Henry Street. Zeta Psi occupies the former residence of Judge Barnes at 104 Langdon Street, and the Chi Phi's have taken the former home of the Zeta Psi's at the corner of Lake and State. The agricultural fraternity, Alpha Gamma Rho, is lodged at 1530 University Avenue.

Engineering students have organized a boarding and lodging club, and "Engineers' Lodge" now occupies the former home of the Sigma Nu fraternity on North Murray Street.

The University's accredited list has been increased by twenty-two Wisconsin high schools and academies, making a total of 335 schools which conform to the specified requirements. The additions to the list are Holy Rosary Academy at Corliss, Dunn County Agricultural School at Menomonie, La Crosse County Agricultural School at Onalaska, and high schools at Alma Center, Benton, Birchwood, Bruce, Butternut, Clear Lake, Elmwood, Hartland, Hollandale, Holmen, Juda, Mountain, Nekeosa, Neshkora, Norwalk, Ontario, Owen, Rewey and Sextenville.

Three of the social sororities are occupying new quarters. Alpha Gamma Delta is at 418 North Frances Street, Alpha Chi Omega has its new home in the old Tenney residence at 146 Langdon Street, and Achoth, the Eastern Star sorority, has rented a home on North Brooks Street.

The enrollment in the health and disease course, dealing with personal and public hygiene, has been so large this year that the medical faculty has had to deny admittance to the lectures to all persons not regularly enrolled for the course.

The Spanish department has experienced a phenomenal growth the last two years, during which time the enrollment has nearly doubled. This year more than 700 are enrolled for Spanish, as compared to less than 500 a year ago.

The Wisconsin Magazine has been renamed The Wisconsin Literary Magazine, and its staff has been reorganized with J. J. Smertenko of Brooklyn as managing editor.

The social fraternities and sororities on the campus engaged in a strenuous rushing season under somewhat revised rules. Correspondence with prospective freshmen had been freely allowed during the summer, and the University offered further aid by maintaining a desk at Main Hall during the matriculation period, to furnish names and addresses of freshmen. Under a ruling adopted last year, freshmen may now live at fraternity houses after completing a single semester of University work with a clean record.

Professor Scott H. Goodnight is actively engaged in his new duties as dean of men. In the "Frosh Bible"



issued by the Y. M. C. A. the dean's advice to freshmen was published, in a form that practically every new student was sure to read.

President Charles R. Van Hise and his family spent the summer on a motor trip through eastern states. They left Madison June 27, taking a boat trip to Buffalo, from which point their motor tour commenced.

Excuses from military drill are being granted in fewer numbers year after year, nevertheless since the outbreak of the war in Europe and the complications in the Mexican situation, Captain P. G. Wrightston has offered drill credit to the freshman and sophomores who went to the Mexican front with the National Guard. Commissions in the campus regiments are being held for officers who are in Texas on guard duty. The commandant hopes to give the student regiments a short period of actual encampment at Camp Douglas in June.

Thirty-two women students occupy the three cooperative cottages, Mortar Board cottage, Blue Dragon Inn, and the Associate Collegiate Alumnae (Madison) cottage. Seven of the occupants are from outside the state. Blue Dragon Inn was furnished by the women of '16.

The Y. M. C. A. has again arranged for a series of Sunday evening assemblies throughout the school year, bringing leading men and women here to address the students on practical problems of life. The assemblies are opened at 6:40 and closed at 7:25, and practically the entire forty-five minutes are given to the speaker.

Building operations at the University this fall include work on the new Stadium at Camp Randall, progress on the Physics Building, an addition to the Soils building, reconstruction of the studio portion of Music hall, a new Pump house, and changes in the Boathouse. At Camp Randall, six new tennis courts, a girls' hockey field, a women's field house, and the sodding of the new athletic field are among the improvements. During the summer, the Gymnasium was repainted and new lighting installed, and the Hog Cholera Serum building completed.

BOOK NOTES

Educational Measurements (The MacMillan Co., New York, \$1.25), by Daniel Starch, Ph. D., of the University of Wisconsin. The work is one of the pioneers in the current movement for measuring school products, its tests and scales being based upon the progress of the last few years, and the standardized measurements set forth in its pages make Professor Starch's book a notable addition to the list of recent works along this line.

Tables from the Mathematical Theory of Investment, by Ernest Brown Skinner, associate professor of mathematics (Ginn and Company, Boston, 36 cents.) This book is made up of tables which form a part of the larger book by Mr. Skinner, *The Mathematical Theory of Investment*.

Elizabeth F. Corbett, '10, is the author of a recent novel entitled *Cecily and the Wide World*, with which the author "has made a meteoric bid for a place among the elect." The scenes of the novel are laid in three middle-western cities, Chicago, "Jefferson," and "a lakeside city a few hours' ride from Chicago." Miss Corbett is a product of a Milwaukee high school and the University, where she won literary laurels of note. She is a daughter of Maj. R. W. Corbett, 643½ Mineral St., Milwaukee. Newspaper critics are inclined to place Miss Corbett in a class with the most conspicuous of Wisconsin writers, on the strength of her first novel.

Ruskin's Sesame and Lilies (Ecclectic English Classics, American Book Co.), by C. R. Rounds, '01, presents three of John Ruskin's lec-

tures in a very convenient form for classroom use. The lectures "Of Kings' Treasuries," "Of Queens' Gardens," and "The Mystery of Life and its Arts" are accompanied by series of explanatory notes by the editor.

Wisconsin in Story and Song (Parker Educational Co., Madison), by Charles Ralph Rounds, '01, and Henry Sherman Hippensteel, contains selections from the prose and poetry of Badger state writers. The first part of the edition is made up of selections from the works of the following "general Wisconsin writers:" Hamlin Garland, Gen. Charles King, John Muir, LL. D. '97, Ella Wheeler Wilcox, Ray Stannard Baker, Zona Gale, '95, Eben Eugene Rexford, Carl Schurz, Honore Willsie (Honore Bryant McCue, '02), Edna Ferber, George L. Teeple, George Byron Merrick, Hattie Tyng Griswold, Albert H. Sanford, '91, Charles D. Stewart, Elliott Flower, Jenkin Lloyd Jones, LL. D. '09, and Everett McNeil. The second section is from the pens of the "university group," President Charles R. Van Hise, Dean E. A. Birge, Rasmus B. Anderson, Reuben Gold Thwaites, Frederick J. Turner, Paul S. Reinsch, George C. Comstock, J. F. A. Pyre, Edward A. Ross, Grant Showerman, William E. Leonard, Thomas H. Dickinson, William J. Neidig, Braley Winslow-Jones, and Joseph P. Webster. Among writers of local distinction who are quoted are Mary M. Adams, wife of former President Charles Kendall Adams, Wilfrid Earl Chase, '99, and Neal Brown, '80. The final pages are devoted to the humorists Lute A. Taylor, "Bill" Nye, George W. Peck, and William F. Kirk.