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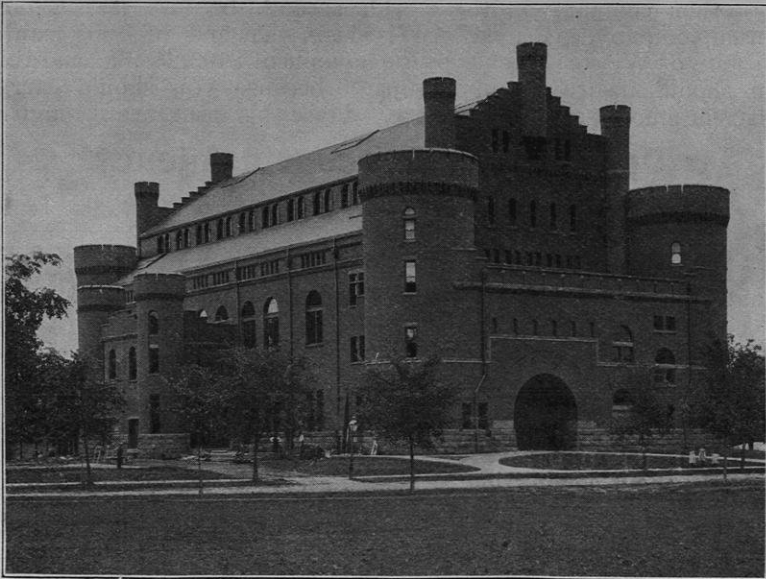
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THE UNIVERSITY AND THE STATE

BY PRESIDENT C. R. VAN HISE, '79

Address Delivered at the Fifty-seventh Commencement of the University

THE strength of the state university lies in its close relations to the state. The state demands of it service; the university feels a peculiar obligation to the state in which it is situated. It is the duty of the state university to instruct young men and women; it is its duty to advance knowledge, and especially those lines of knowledge which concern the development of the state. It is the duty of the staff of the state university to be at the service of the state along all lines in which their expert knowledge will be helpful; it is their duty to assist in carrying knowledge to the people.

These relations between the university and the state bind them closely together. The growth of the university is dependent upon the state. The state owns the university; and every citizen feels himself to be a stockholder in that ownership. But associated with these close relations, which are the strength of the state university, are also its most serious dangers. These are that the university may be politically controlled, and that it may be hampered in its work.

DANGER TO UNIVERSITY OF POLITICAL CONTROL.

To the dangers of political control the state university is especially exposed in its youth. A number of such universities have suffered from politics in their early history; and President Pritchett of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching in his last report mentions the fact that recently the universities of Oklahoma and Florida have had revolutions due to political changes. From these disasters it will be many years before they recover. It speaks well for the democracy of this country that as the states have developed the danger of political interference in university government has steadily become less. At the present time there is no serious danger of political control in any of the older and stronger state universities.

PERIL IN DEMANDING MATERIAL RETURNS.

The other danger of the close association of the university with the state—interference with its work—has two aspects; first, it may be demanded that the teaching which looks toward material ends shall be strong, while the humanities are allowed to remain weak or not properly developed; and second, freedom of teaching and investigation may be interfered with. The former is probably the more imminent danger for the majority of institutions.

It is natural, indeed inevitable, that the people shall demand that effective teaching, research, and extension of knowledge shall be done in agriculture, in engineering, and in other lines from which a financial return may be shown from the investment. These demands are right and should be fully met by the university; but also the people should appreciate that all material gains are for men and women. Why do we wish to produce more wheat and cotton? In order that human beings may be fed and clothed. But "The life is more than meat and the body is more than raiment." Shall the people demand of their university that it provide for their material needs and neglect the people themselves—their intellectual, artistic, moral, and spiritual development? The capacity of a state university to make the man himself, as a subject of study and advancement, maintain a paramount position will be the crucial test of the state university. The university authorities must insist that man shall not become subordinate to material gain, which is for him. If the people will support a state university in which these ideals obtain, then can it be truly said that a democracy is a success.

FREEDOM OF TEACHING ENDANGERED.

The remaining danger of the close association of the state with the university is the possibility of interference with the freedom of teaching and investigation. In general such interference is likely to be indirect rather than direct, and is therefore all the more insidious. A sentiment will be developed or a situation arise in a state such that the professor feels he is not free to teach the truth as he sees it; and to quote a phrase, he may feel that he must "smear the truth a little."

For my own part I have no doubt that in all the states in which the state universities are strongly established the overwhelming majority of the people are in favor of absolute freedom of teaching and investigation. But frequently the deep-seated dominant sentiment does

not express itself, and there are always some who would place limitations upon the field of a university. But a university must insist that the whole domain of physical and human phenomena belong within its scope,—pure science, applied science, conservation, politics, morals, religion, are proper fields of study for a university. No part of the domain of human experience, knowledge, or ideas can be set off as forbidden ground.

METHOD MUST NOT BE DOGMATIC.

In making this statement I do not mean to imply that the state university should dogmatize; but this is no more true of politics and religion than it is of agriculture. In no field should the method of the university be that of dogmatic teaching. The facts concerning any subject should be broadly dealt with; none should be hidden; their bearings should be considered with reference to the principles which flow from them; and always without bias. The attitude of the professor in reference to every subject should be that of a candid judge, not that of an advocate, but an absolutely free and fearless judge who feels heavily the responsibility of his position of trust. The professor should consider the problem before him in the light of pure reason with no thought but to find the truth, wholly uninfluenced by popular sentiment or passion. Shall the university be free to teach that a certain practice in agriculture is wrong and advocate a new and improved practice, and the same principle not apply in politics and in morals? Such a position would be intolerable. No institution which does not handle the humanities in all the amplifications under the same principles that it handles the pure and applied sciences is worthy of the name of a university.

MUST NOT FORCE TEACHINGS ON PEOPLE.

In taking part in the work of advancement of the state the staff of the university should be free from intellectual arrogance and devoid of any attempt to force their ideas upon the people. If the state gives freedom of teaching and investigation to the university staff, also the people of the state should be free to accept or reject as their judgment may dictate.

It is by the free contest of ideas and ideals, often widely diverging, that progress is made. It is self evident that no man or group of men have the right to assume that they have a monopoly of truth. The staff of a university, above most groups of men, should recognize the

complexity of the facts, the impossibility of arriving at the absolute, and so without fear and without bias, with firmness, but with profound humility, present their ideas to the world to be accepted if found good and to be rejected if found inadequate.

UNIVERSITY THE SOUL OF THE STATE.

It has been said that the university should be the soul of the state; this is not my phrase, but I shall be proud of the University of Wisconsin just in proportion as it becomes the soul of the state. Every man of high ideals is a part of the soul. Every institution which works for the upbuilding of humanity, be it church or prison, is a part of the soul of the state. Every school and college is a part of that soul, and it should be the aim of each to be as large a part of that soul as possible. The university, the culmination of the educational system of the state, would be a miserable institution indeed if it could not justly claim to be a segment of the soul of the state.

The state university should not be a follower, but a leader, and in all fields. Says President Pritchett in a recent article in the *Atlantic*, speaking of the state university: "Those who direct the purpose of these great enterprises of the democracy cannot be too often reminded that the highest function of a university is to furnish standards for a democracy." And again, "The rise of these great universities is the most epoch-making feature of our American civilization, and they are to become more and more the leaders, and the makers of our civilization. They are of the people. When a state university has gained solid ground, it means that the people of a whole state have turned their faces toward the light, it means that the whole system of state schools has been welded into an effective agent for civilization."

At the recent inauguration of President Lawrence Lowell, among the many high notes sounded, one clearly stood out above all others. Said James Bryce: "The university should reflect the spirit of the times without yielding to it." That is to say, the university must truly serve present needs, but also it should stand above them and lead to higher ideals.

SHOULD TAKE LEAD IN PROGRESS.

The unrest which has characterized the first decade of this twentieth century has led to many new proposals in all fields. The conservatives have sometimes been disturbed because questions have arisen which in the past have been regarded as settled.

With reference to such questions it has sometimes been said that the university should keep off; that it should take no part in their consideration; that it should let the battle be fought out by others without any attempt at leadership. This position the university authorities and its friends must firmly resist. At times of unrest when new and important issues are arising, when old convictions are being questioned, is a time when the men of learning who know the history of the past, who should know the facts broadly, and who have no purpose but the greatest good of the greatest number, should be absolutely free. If at such times those who should be leaders do not throw their intellect and influence in the right direction, there is danger that demagoguery and passion may lead in wrong directions with resulting disaster. It is because of the present general unrest that I again formulate the principles in reference to a free university, well established for a hundred years, lest by any deviation from them at this critical time the University of Wisconsin shall fail to do its full duty to the state and the nation.

The progress of the nation and the state will continue. The old ideas and ideals will be modified. The human race is ever moving upward and onward; but such movement always involves vexation, strife, dissension, often sincere pain on the part of those who are disturbed in their convictions. No advance has ever been made without suffering; such is the cost of progress. This is alike true of the labor-saving machine and of the forward intellectual or spiritual step. In order that the suffering and pain of advance shall be reduced to a minimum; in order that the benefactions of the advance shall be a maximum and far outweigh the cost, it is incumbent that the universities play their part in leadership. Times of unrest, of changing ideas and ideals, are above all the times when the university should be most active in the guidance of public opinion.

Times of unrest and change are not the times for the university to trim; they are the times to set every sail from the main course to the sky sails so that all may draw. If at a time of stress the university furls its sails, the people will lose confidence in the institution that remains supinely in the harbor when the state is confronted with vital questions in reference to which assistance should be given. The state has a right to demand of the university expert service in valuing a public utility; it has equally the right to demand expert service in politics and sociology.

ALUMNI MUST AID.

Members of the Graduating Class: These fundamental truths as to the relations of the university and state are presented to you because you have been recipients of the benefactions of the state and should, like all privileged persons, feel a special obligation to perform your duty in the amazingly difficult and complex situation which now exists. At times of unrest and change it is indeed difficult to find the path of truth. You having the advantages of a university education should in this search have more than an average degree of success and thus perform a proportionally large part in future advances. But if this result be obtained it must be by adhering firmly to the high ideas and ideals of the university, one of the fundamental teachings of which is the placing of social responsibility before individual advancement. Also to you, who today become alumni, and to the alumni of previous commencements, the university looks to protect it in maintaining the high ground it now occupies, in giving the support which enables it to rise to an even higher level.

ROBINSON MEMORIAL EXERCISES

IN the April issue of THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE Dr. William Snow Miller sketched the life and activity of Dr. Fred Byron Robinson, '78, who died on March 23 after an illness of six months. Dr. Miller's article also described the library of one thousand volumes which the deceased had presented to the University of Wisconsin.

An indication of the great esteem in which Dr. Robinson was held is the memorial meeting which took place at the Whitney Opera House, Chicago, on Sunday afternoon, May 22. It was presided over by President C. R. Van Hise, '79, who in his opening remarks paid this tribute to the great surgeon: "It was my good fortune as a student to know him intimately. We lived in the same hall; we went to the same classes; we participated in the same games and sports. In college he showed the same qualities which later won him such conspicuous success in his chosen profession. He was an indefatigable worker. It was well understood that he was the hardest working man of the class. He combined with that capacity to work absolute sincerity and openness of purpose which won him the respect of all his classmates; and to these qualities he added undying, unbounded enthusiasm."

The invocation was offered by Bishop Samuel Fallows, '59. The memorial address was given by Dr. William A. Evans of Chicago. We quote the following from his scholarly remarks:

"His various writings have gone out over the world, and they had come to be accepted quite generally amongst scientific men as expositions of the truth. I doubt if the medical profession of Chicago has ever held a man in whom there burned such a consuming desire for work.

"It was Byron Robinson's function to chisel a step here and another there that in these men might stand and chisel other steps that in the end the heights might be reached and man might stand with God. This quality came in part from his ancestry, in part it came from the farm, from the starved years of college. It was a complex thing. It demanded a good physique, a capacity for sustained effort, a resistless mental energy, a disregard of the point of view of those around, an incapacity for appreciating the allurements of glamor and acclaim. His inheritance started him right, but see what his experience added. A farmer boy—meagre opportunities, college, started on \$100, continued by working out of hours, a school teacher hoarding pennies for a medical education, a medical education through moneys pieced out by work out of school, a country doctor saving for European study, a banquet table spread with the intellectual luxuries of German universities but with money enough only to buy a dish here and there. Away to the country again for more money to buy more opportunity. A country doctor denying himself that he might get to the city. The plant has started as a seed; it grew a stem and leaves; flowers have come and now the fruit season is at hand. All of these experiences lead logically to—a doctor who cares little for the pleasure of dramatic climaxes or great operations, but whose pleasure comes from diagnosis, pathological study, anatomic and physiologic researches—the hewing of steps that the men who come after may stand higher and stand firmer than stood the men of his day."

Tributes were then paid to Dr. Robinson from forty-nine out-of-town physicians. After a musical selection by Messrs. Eugene Blair and Max Hess, William M. Salter read selections appropriate to the occasion from Stevenson, Tennyson, etc., after which the memorial exercises were brought to a close.

By the bequest of Dr. Robinson, the university receives a large collection of books and pamphlets on anatomy, supplementing the gift of over a thousand volumes on the history of medicine made by him

a short time before his death. The collection is to be known as the Robinson-Waite Library, in honor of the donor and his wife, Dr. Lucy Waite.

The whole collection, amounting to over fifteen hundred volumes and valued at over \$4,000, gives the university the most complete library on anatomy and the history of medicine of any state institution, and one of the best in any medical school in the country.

Funds for a scholarship in anatomy in the medical school valued at \$550 a year are also provided in the bequest. This will be known as the Byron Robinson scholarship in anatomy, and will be held by both men and women students in medicine. The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage the anatomical, physiological and pathological study of the sympathetic nervous system.

The board of regents, in accepting the bequest, adopted the following resolutions:

“Whereas, by the untimely death of Dr. Byron Robinson, alumnus and friend of the university, there has been devised to the university his splendid collection of anatomical works, an addition which makes the anatomical library the equal of that of any state university, and

“Whereas, through the generosity of Dr. Byron Robinson and of his wife, Dr. Lucy Waite Robinson, a fund has been granted for a scholarship in anatomical investigation,

“Therefore, in deepest gratitude be it resolved by the board of regents that there be established a Robinson-Waite alcove in the library to house the collection;

“That when the funds are available the scholarship be named the Robinson-Waite scholarship for anatomical research;

“Be it further resolved that an expression of gratitude be sent to Dr. Lucy Waite Robinson.”

ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

AT the largest annual meeting of the University of Wisconsin Alumni Association in its history, held on June 21, the association was reorganized and greatly strengthened by the adoption of a new constitution. The officers elected for the ensuing year are:

President—Lynn S. Pease, '86, Wauwatosa.

Vice-president—Mrs. Imogene Hand Carpenter, '87, Racine.

Secretary—Willard G. Bleyer, '96, Madison.

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Louis P. Lochner, '09, was re-elected to the alumni fellowship in journalism, created by an unknown donor and alumnus, and was made editor and business manager for *THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE* for next year.

The adoption of a new constitution consumed most of the morning. The new document, which will be printed in full in a later issue of *THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE*, was framed by a committee, with Lynn S. Pease, '86, as chairman, which was named at last year's meeting and which has made an exhaustive study of a model constitution for the Association. Various amendments were made, after which the constitution and by-laws were adopted without dissenting vote. There are three classes of membership—annual, life and honorary. Annual members shall pay \$1 a year, to include subscription to *THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE*. Life members must pay a fee of \$20. Associate members consist of those persons who have satisfactorily completed two years of work in the university. They may not hold elective office, but have all other rights and privileges.

In the discussions, which waxed warm at times, the following participated: Dr. J. M. Dodson, '80, Chicago; Max Loeb, '05, Chicago; Judge R. G. Siebecker, '78, Madison; C. B. Rogers, '93, Fort Atkinson; James F. Trotman, '84, Milwaukee; Lynn S. Pease, '86, Wauwatosa; Alfred H. Bright, '74, St. Paul; R. M. Bashford, '70, Madison; Dr. T. L. Harrington, '90, Milwaukee; Prof. Geo. C. Comstock, '83, Madison, and others.

Max Loeb, broaching the subject of a general secretaryship, urged that the regents be asked to pay a part of the salary of such officer, which should, he said, be \$2,000 or \$3,000 a year. It was explained by Dr. Ochsner that the regents last year said they had no such power. James S. Thompson, for the class of 1910, then stated that the senior class has raised five per cent of the alumni fund, or \$175. He moved that Mr. Wray be the chairman of a committee which shall be charged with raising \$3,000 annually for a period of years for the support of a general secretaryship. The proposition carried with enthusiasm.

The report of Treasurer M. S. Dudgeon showed receipts of \$556.43 in the trust fund and \$22.67 as interest, a total on hand of \$579.10. In the general fund is the sum of \$58.82. A small sum was netted from THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE this year.

Max Loeb, '05, and T. S. Morris, '00, were named as an auditing committee.

During the progress of the meeting great enthusiasm was caused by the unceremonious entry of the class of 1900, headed by a band and followed by the famous elephant, led by J. S. Lyle in costume of the Far East. Proceedings were suspended until the class' enthusiasm had spent itself and order could be restored.

THE GENERAL SECRETARYSHIP

BY J. G. WRAY, '93

Extract from Address at Alumni Banquet

THERE is great need for a salaried general secretary of the Alumni Association. This position should be relatively high salaried, in the neighborhood of \$2,000 per year, as the work requires a high class man. The Alumni Association has selected me as chairman of a committee to secure pledges from the alumni to provide funds for paying the salary and incidental expenses of this secretary. It is proposed to secure subscriptions of not more than \$25 and not less than \$5 per annum, for a period of five years, with the understanding that at least \$3,000 per annum will be pledged. It is the intention to have this general secretary of the Alumni Association in charge of the management of THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE, to prepare a directory of alumni and former students of the university, to keep in touch with the alumni through the medium of THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE, by correspondence, and by organizing local alumni associations in the different cities where an organization seems feasible.

The splendid record made by the senior class of 1910 in pledging funds which approximated more than seven per cent of the total amount which we desire to raise should prove an inspiration to the alumni generally, and should make it a relatively easy matter for the committee to secure the pledges necessary.

1910 AND THE SECRETARYSHIP

BY JAMES S. THOMPSON, '10

THE opening wedge in the plans for the general secretaryship, as offered by the class of 1910, consists of cash to the amount of nearly \$300, and the promises of twenty-five senior men to pay \$5 per year for three years.

The money was raised as follows: senior play profits, \$275; women's dinner surplus, \$7.50; men's dinner surplus, \$3.50; memorial fund surplus, \$5.

The promise of the twenty-five seniors is: "We, the undersigned, members of the class of 1910, believing that in the establishment of an Alumni Secretaryship at an expense of \$3,000 per year lies the key to the future growth of our athletics; the success of the Wisconsin Union Building propaganda; the trend of legislation affecting the university; and similar conditions and features of university life, do pledge ourselves to pay \$5 October 1, 1910, 1911, and 1912 to the treasurer of the Alumni Association, on condition that the Association provides the remaining funds to make the position assured by May 1, 1911."

The signers of the pledge are J. A. Simpson, H. L. Bickel, C. D. Freeman, W. H. Green, R. L. Rote, W. H. Witt, B. F. Springer, L. E. Gibson, G. H. Mills, R. M. Hoyt, D. S. Hanchett, E. A. Donnelly, L. F. Graber, M. J. Blair, W. I. Spittler, G. S. Falk, E. H. Keator, R. Holverscheid, Ben. Beecher, George G. Bulfin, Fred A. Smith, C. F. Smith, Jr., Monte Appel, and J. S. Thompson.

The alumni committee is working to secure more signers to the pledge. The above names were secured by two seniors in one day as a mere indication to the alumni of the earnest purpose of the class in having the position established.

The cash of \$290 and promise of \$375, distributed over a period of three years, is nearly 8 per cent of the total fund for three years.

The signatures and cash were turned over to J. G. Wray, chairman of the committee to secure the \$3,000, by J. S. Thompson immediately after Commencement.

521 GUESTS AT BANQUET

ECLIPSING anything of its kind yet attempted, the University of Wisconsin dinner in armory hall on June 21 attained a success which far surpassed all anticipations. Five hundred and twenty-one persons, most of them graduates from the university, were gathered about the tables, the arrangement by classes being carried out in the seating. Some fifty alumni had to be turned back because they had failed to reserve places. The number of banqueters was 275 more than at any previous banquet.

Deafening class yells, varsity toasts, locomotives and rahs, with a great many popular college songs followed one another in rapid succession, and kept the assemblage in a state of continual merriment. Everybody was there for a good time, and nothing which would contribute to the informality of the affair was spared. The class of 1900 had the largest representation, 89 places being occupied at their tables. The table plan was that of a hub in the center, with spokes radiating out in all directions. The hub was formed by a large round table, at which were seated the toastmaster, Dr. A. J. Ochsner, '84, retiring president of the Association, President C. R. Van Hise, '79, and the regents. In the character of the attendance, nothing of the kind has been seen since the jubilee of 1904. Men high in the life of the state and city, of whom one was a candidate for governor, and one a former candidate for the presidency of the United States, composed the throng of enthusiastic graduates.

The big stir at the dinner, as at every function during the commencement festivities, was made by the class of 1900, who, with the omnipresent elephant and the band, marched into the hall, paraded about the tables, and finally took seats in the center of the east side. Then the yelling started. It was taken up by nearly all the classes, large and small, the smallest being that of '59, whose yell was given by its sole representative, Judge Elbert O. Hand, Racine.

The class of 1900 and members of old glee clubs led in the singing of college songs, copies of which were at each place. This proved to be one of the most delightful features of the evening.

In Eugene W. Chafin of Waukesha, law '75, who was the Prohibition candidate for president in the last campaign, the Wisconsin spirit was exhibited in a remarkable manner as the well known orator led his classmates in the slogan, "We're alive, we're alive. How we thrive, how we thrive. We're the class of '75." Before leaving to catch a train, Mr. Chafin was called upon by President Ochsner for a few words, and mounting a chair made a felicitous short speech. He said the class of '75 was the noisiest in the university and that it hasn't stopped since it left college halls. If ever elected president, he said, he would find jobs for every alumnus of the university.

Colonel George W. Bird of Madison, '60, the representative of the oldest class present, was another guest of note. Colonel Bird was one of the "boys" and took an active part in the informal celebration. During the course of the banquet he at one time arose and shouted the '60 class yell so that it was heard in every part of the hall. This brought forth a flow of enthusiasm and the colonel was cheered loudly. The guests then arose and sang the varsity toast.

Judge E. O. Hand, the first speaker, was heard with the closest attention. He told of early days in the university, when all the students lived in a dormitory, North hall, and when the institution was satirically called the Madison High school because of the preponderance of Madison boys as students. Chancellor Lathrop was nearly the whole faculty. Board cost \$25 for 13 weeks in North hall. In the class of 1859 were 12 students. (Judge Hand's address will be published in full in the October issue.)

Lynn Williams, '00 booster, was greeted with wild yells. Leading off with "Mr. Centerpiece, Ladies and Gentlemen," he uttered the sentiments of his classmates in their alumni day joys, and asked for loyal support for the university of every alumnus.

James S. Thompson for the class of 1910 told of the accomplishments of the seniors in providing a generous share of the fund necessary to support the new general secretaryship. In the future the class of 1910 will be to the forefront at alumni reunions.

Mrs. Webster E. Brown, '75, paid a tribute to the faculty of the earlier days, when, she said, social unrest was an unknown factor.

Mrs. Florence Griswold Buckstaff, '86, a member of the board of regents, declared the university's ideal is "the truth as it is." The scientist spirit should prevail always. "Character and efficiency are the watchwords of the university," she said.

Thomas E. Lyons, '85, city attorney of Superior, told of the vast influence and great benefits to state and nation given by the university.

Max Loeb, '05, Northern Oratorical winner, pleaded for a university year of eleven months, permitting graduation in three years.

B. H. Meyer, '94, made a plea for the Carl Schurz memorial professorship.

Prof. C. H. Bunting, '96, said Wisconsin needed a better honor system in examinations and other ways.

E. H. Cassels, '95, was facetious with reference to the good-natured President Ochsner, and rejoiced in the university's growing prestige and influence.

Lynn S. Pease, '86, Wauwatosa, the new president of the Alumni Association, attributed much of its growth to Dr. Ochsner, and said that he had great hopes of still greater achievements by the Association.

President Van Hise, '79, rejoiced in the Association's growing power. He spoke of the change of the Association from the weakest part of the university to an organization of constantly increasing unity and power; and bespoke a competition with schools endowed by men of fortune not to the disadvantage of state institutions.

THE NEEDS OF ALMA MATER

“**W**HAT Does Our Alma Mater Most Need?” was a question asked of all those present at the alumni dinner. At every place was to be found a pink piece of paper stating this question and leaving a space for a short, concise answer. While most of the guests preferred to take the paper slip home with them and to give the matter further thought, a number of significant answers was received, which are here republished in full:

“Greater earnestness in its student body and a greater sense of obligation among its alumni.”—Alfred H. Bright, '74.

“More of such reunions as that of 1900 this year, with the later classes in full costume. Also a full attendance of the graduating class at the alumni meeting and banquet. Start 'em right, and they'll stay right. Graduating class to wear a distinctive costume.”—J. M. Dodson, '80.

“Several large electric fans (10) in the armory.”—Mrs. W. J. Morney, '81.

"Continued class and U. W. spirit as was manifested by the reunions during this commencement."—Mrs. H. J. Taylor, '85.

"Bring the U. W. within reach of the people of the state."—C. W. Gilman, '85.

"More money for the college of agriculture and the utmost freedom of thought and speech."—C. L. Allen, '85, L. '90.

"Inspiring teachers, more democratic spirit and to that end dormitories."—G. A. Buckstaff, '86.

"Intelligent cooperation of regents, faculty, alumni, and students for the general welfare of the university."—Lynn S. Pease, '86.

"Graduates who are ready and willing to talk, work, write and give of themselves for the interests of U. W."—Emma Nunns Pease, '86.

"Its social standards should be founded on scholarship and morality."—Mary T. Connor, '86.

"Speakers at alumni banquets who can be heard."—Mrs. J. L. O'Connor, '86.

"More dormitories for women. More emphasis on the spiritual side of education."—Imogene Hand Carpenter, '87.

"More dormitories for women—well chaperoned."—Katharine Allen, '87.

"More of the spirit of the class of '00."—A. T. Chapman, '90.

"Better architecture and the use of Madison stone."—Anonymous, '90.

"Men of broad sympathies who will lead and direct the individuality of youth and not repress it."—A. J. Myrland, '90.

"The unobstructed continuance of its present broad educational policy."—Francis E. McGovern, '90.

"A number of alumni with the enthusiasm of Dr. Ochsner."—L. Durand, '91.

"More class reunions like that held by class of 1900."—H. S. Siggelko, '93, L. '00.

"As much democracy among its students as we find in American life."—J. E. Messerschmidt, '93, L. '96.

"The interest and support, moral and financial, of its alumni individually and as an organization."—J. G. Wray, '93.

"More classes like '93."—Prof. E. B. McGilvary.

"President Van Hise."—E. H. Cassels, '95.

"More enthusiasm among alumni."—H. H. Ross, '96.

"Dormitories for men."—Calla P. Westover, '96.

"An art museum and a professorship in the fine art."—Grant Showerman, '96.

- "A body of alumni more actively interested and accurately informed as to present university conditions."—Nellie I. Nash Scott, '97.
- "Many more years to President Van Hise."—Minnie C. Chase, '99.
- "More exemplary ethical teaching."—W. G. Jones, '99.
- "More class reunions like 1900."—Adeline Brown Bassett, '00.
- "More class reunions like that of 1900."—H. A. Adams, '00.
- "More class reunions like 1900. Permanent class organizations to hold reunions regularly. Some interesting event like big ball game to draw the alumni back at commencement."—Luther E. Brown, '00.
- "More class reunions like those of 1900. A great event, e. g., a ball game with Chicago or Minnesota. Permanent class organization after graduation, and reunion at 1, 3 and 5 years."—A. R. Anderson, '00.
- "A real song."—H. G. Smith, '00.
- "A central building similar to Reynolds Hall, Chicago, or Houston Hall, Pennsylvania."—J. F. Stuart Lyle, '00.
- "More broad loyalty and patriotism from its students and alumni. The classes need to know their members better."—Blanche Harper, '00.
- "Religious tone."—A. J. McCartney, '00.
- "Less faculty interference with athletics."—John M. Niven, '00.
- "Better athletic government and spirit."—Louise C. Bell, '00.
- "A continuance of spirit and conditions none less democratic than they have ever been."—Fred M. Emerson, '00.
- "Student dormitories."—Anonymous, '00.
- "More alumni like Judge Hand, '59, and Lynn Williams, '00."—H. M. Hobbins, '00.
- "A live, active, energetic alumni association in every city of our state."—H. E. G. Kemp, '02.
- "Student Union. More room at banquets."—L. R. Davies, '04.
- "More support for glee club."—H. K. Weld, '05.
- "Less interference with athletics on the part of the faculty."—Mabel D. Inbusch, '06.
- "To have commencement earlier, before under classmen have gone home, giving the undergraduate a better idea of how the love of his Alma Mater lives in the alumnus, and making the varsity look less deserted and lonesome."—R. H. W. Baily, '07.
- "Change in entrance requirements, making language optional, and requiring some science."—Paul H. Neystrom, '09.
- "Freedom of teaching."—Edward M. McMahon, '09.

"More room at banquet. A student Union."—W. E. Morris, '09.

"More soup for 'Coots' Cunningham."—Anonymous, '09.

"Botanical equipment."—Vivian Mowry, '10.

"More real university spirit, especially among the alumni. To foster this spirit commencement week should be made more attractive and interesting for the alumni."—Anonymous.

"Better ventilation facilities in Main Hall."—Anonymous.

"More alumni among the country editors, so that we may never have a repetition of the insane childishness of the Goldman incident."—Anonymous.

"Why not have the boat races at commencement?"—Anonymous.

"More room at the banquets. *No more tickets sold than places provided for.* A dozen senior men turned out when they try to come does not create interest and warm feeling toward the dinner."—Anonymous.

ALUMNI REUNIONS

'75.

THE thirty-fifth anniversary of the graduation of the class of 1875 was celebrated by a reunion of the class at luncheon at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday, June 21, in the green room of Lathrop hall. The following members of the class were present: Mrs. William H. Baily, Des Moines, Ia.; Mrs. Webster E. Brown, Rhinelander; Mrs. Charles L. Harper, Madison; Mrs. Perry Williams, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Harding, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Pickard, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Clinton H. Lewis, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Isaac S. Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. James Melville, Madison; Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Luhman, Manitowoc; Percy F. Stone, Rockford, Ill.; William Street, Chicago; Eugene Chafin, Waukesha; and William P. Gundry, Mineral Point.

In addition to a few invited guests, the following members of the faculty of 1875 were present: Prof. and Mrs. J. B. Parkinson, Prof. and Mrs. W. W. Daniells, Prof. Alexander Kerr and Mrs. D. E. Carson.

'80.

The class of 1880 celebrated their thirtieth anniversary by gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Swenson, both of whom are members of this class. Luncheon was served on the veranda overlook-

ing Lake Mendota. Reminiscences of college days, the reading of the class prophecy written by Henry Goodwin of Milwaukee thirty years ago, and plans for the future occupied the time until three o'clock. At that hour the members of the university faculty of thirty years ago, still resident in Madison, had been invited to meet the class. Professor J. C. Freeman, Professor Alexander Kerr, Professor and Mrs. J. B. Parkinson, Mrs. D. E. Carson and Professor W. W. Daniells responded to the invitation. A letter of greeting and appreciation signed by all the members of the class was sent to Dr. and Mrs. John Bascom. In the evening the class attended the alumni banquet. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hutchison, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hoyt, Mr. and Mrs. Magnus Swenson, all of Madison; Dr. Charles Sterling, Indianapolis, Ind.; Jay W. Hicks, Phillips, Wis.; Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Desmond, Milwaukee; Dr. John M. Dodson, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Fisher, Alton, Ill.; Frank B. Brundage, Dawson, N. D.

'85.

Varsity '85ers to the number of thirty or more, some with wives, others with husbands and not a few with so-called "samples" in the form of offspring,—the whole party numbering about forty—had luncheon in Lathrop hall as the central incident of their quarter-century reunion, and reminisced, sang and faithfully endeavored to appear formal while transacting the little business essential to the maintenance of class solidarity. Dr. A. J. Ochsner of Chicago provided American beauty roses in liberal quantity to embellish the various tables and the function, which was given by the Madison members, swung off in the merriest manner imaginable.

Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Ochsner of Chicago, and their son, Albert, a junior; Professor and Mrs. F. C. Sharp (Bertha Pitman) of Madison, and their son, Malcolm, to be a varsity boy a few years hence; Mrs. F. K. Conover of Madison, and son, just ready to enter the U.; Mrs. H. J. Taylor (Rose Schuster) of Sioux City, Iowa, and her daughter, a senior who appeared in the class play; Ex-Senator J. C. Gaveney of Arcadia, and his daughter, a former student; Ex-Speaker George A. Buckstaff and wife (Florence Griswold) of Oshkosh, and son, who will be ready for college in ten years or less; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Stone of Reedsburg, and their daughter, an alumna; Mrs. Mina Stone Gabriel of Denver; Ex-Assemblyman and Mrs. C. W. Gilman of Mondovi, and daughter; Charles I. Brigham, Blue Mounds;

George E. Waldo and wife of Chicago—Waldo famous behind the bat in the mid-'80s; former Assistant Attorney General John L. Erdall and wife, Minneapolis; A. C. Briggs, St. Paul; C. L. Allen and wife, Eau Claire; Miss Anna B. Moseley, Madison; Miss Elizabeth Waters of Fond du Lac, who won the Lewis prize for oratory at graduation over seventeen competitors; O. D. Brandenburg and wife (Arabelle Sarles), Madison; Thomas E. Lyons, Superior; August Lindemann, Milwaukee; G. W. Baldwin and wife of Crete, Nebraska.

At a business meeting Charles I. Brigham was chosen class historian and George E. Waldo elected secretary. Volumes of class letters were distributed—the letters written every five years—and it was voted to send a telegraphic greeting to Former President John Bascom, at his home in Williamstown, Mass. The telegram read as follows: "The class of '85 on its twenty-fifth anniversary sends you greetings. Your teachings and their influence are with us still. We are grateful to you.—Class of '85, U. W."

A group picture was taken and the class prophecy, written twenty-five years ago, was read.

At the alumni banquet in the evening the members sat together.

'90.

With an attendance of forty-two out of seventy surviving members present at its twentieth reunion, the class of '90 enjoyed a boat party to Bernard's park on Alumni Day, where a picnic lunch was served. Clever and original "stunts" were planned by the committee in charge, Mrs. Zilpha Vernon Showerman, Ben C. Parkinson, and W. N. Parker. Twenty years ago Mr. Parkinson was president of the class and Mr. Parker secretary. The following were present: W. D. Tarrant, F. E. McGovern, T. L. Harrington, W. C. Brumder, D. E. Webster, all of Milwaukee; A. A. Bruce, Grand Forks, N. D.; Rodney H. True, Glendale, Md.; D. E. Kiser, Durand; Martin Feeney, Marinette; Eleanor C. Austin, Bloomington; Mary F. Rockwell, Elkhorn; William T. Lathrop, Plankinton, S. D.; E. A. Wigdale, Fort Atkinson; F. J. Bolender, Monroe; W. C. Bonnett, Oregon; A. J. Myrland, Grantsburg; Loyal Durand, Milwaukee; C. E. Lamb, Cobb; R. C. Burdick, Madison; John S. Baker, Evansville; Edward F. Wieman, Watertown; H. H. Moe, Woodford; H. G. Parkinson, Mazomanie; Anna Chapman, Williamsburg, Va.; Mrs. Frances A. Burr, W. B. Cairns, F. I. Drake, Mrs. Charles Giddings, Harriet Merrill, Flora Moseley, B. C. Parkinson, James B. Ramsey, Mrs. Grant Showerman, Walter M.

Smith, Sam T. Swansen, E. R. Maurer, L. S. Smith, and W. N. Parker, Madison; R. B. Hart, Cumberland; Clara Abbott Folsom, Syracuse, N. Y.; B. J. Castle, Madison; and D. L. Fairchild, Duluth, Minn.

'95.

The class of '95 spent a pleasant afternoon in reunion at Elmside. About forty members of the class attended, among them M. T. Warner, Charles F. Burgess, Sadie Connor Kenney, Mrs. N. J. Cramton, Florence Vernon Steensland, John Main, Vroman Mason, all of Madison; Jessie M. Shepherd, Chicago; H. A. Vaughn, Milwaukee; E. R. Buckley, Rolla, Mo.; A. E. Van Hagen, Chicago; Margaret McGregor Harrington, Milwaukee; Arthur H. Ford, Iowa City, Ia.; Franck B. Welles, Milwaukee; Clara Manda Dow, Stoughton; Nellie MacGregor Ellis, Mazomanie; Edwin H. Cassels, Chicago; and H. S. Steensland, Syracuse, N. Y.

'00.

The alumni of the class of 1900 made the biggest splurge in years in the Commencement Week's doings. The Chicago committee organized the members and published a paper to boom the reunion. This paper was called *The Reveille*, "Ten-Year Alarm Clock of the Class of 1900," and contained songs, editorials to boom the reunion, letters from President Van Hise and other distinguished alumni, and a 1900 class directory.

As a result over fifty of the old grads were on hand and held high carnival. The headquarters were the Mahoney apartments at State and Lake streets, gaily decorated in class colors, white and green. Socks in these colors hanging on the line on the porch, white and green parasols which every member carried, neckties and even hosiery were emblematic of the return of the naughty-naughts.

On Class Day the grads formed a procession and with a "German" band at the head marched to the upper campus for the ivy exercises. A paper elephant carried by four graduates reminded many of the real elephant that once was a mascot of this class. They finally ended their promenade in front of Main Hall, where a group picture was taken.

In the afternoon an exciting baseball game was held with the members of 1905. The contest was productive of a great deal of amusement for the large crowd of spectators as well as the players. It ter-

minated in an easy victory for the older class, the score being about 13 to 7. The teams lined up as follows:

1900—Bartlett, Schreiber, Walton, Neckerman, Cronk, Bolte, Weld, and Goodnea and Storey, the last two being non-members of the class.

1900—Lyle, Metzler, Emerson, Tannig, Minch, Granke, Von Briesen, Whomes and Seaman.

The invasion of the annual business meeting of the Alumni Association by 1900 is elsewhere described. At 12 o'clock the members met at the university pier and there boarded one of the large boats for a lake party. This event proved a jolly affair and was thoroughly enjoyed by all. A reunion luncheon was served at the Maple Bluff golf club.

The class also edited a special edition of the *Daily Cardinal* on Alumni Day. The paper was filled with live news from the alumni and commencement activities. They also put on some interesting entertainments during the glee club reunion. In the evening they were present at the banquet in a body. During the three commencement days over 125 members of the class registered.

'05.

A steamer trip around Lake Mendota was enjoyed by the class of 1905 on Alumni Day. A jolly time was had by the members on their trip to Bernard park. College songs and class yells were given with great frequency. Some members of the class composed an original class parody on one of the popular songs. Over 40 members of the class took part. Preparations were begun for a big reunion of the class in 1913. From now until that time the project will be worked up by a large number of the class, and it is expected that a gathering which shall surpass all records will result.

Preparations for the reunion are to be formulated by a committee consisting of Max Loeb, chairman; Rex Welton, Cecil Schreiber, Ella Schmidt and Mrs. Cora Norsman Neckerman.

Among those present were: Herbert S. Inbusch, Milwaukee; Harold K. Weld, Oak Park, Ill.; G. Stanley Barber, Lawton, Okla.; E. B. Bartlett, Milwaukee; Ellis Walker, Fond du Lac; Martha E. Sell, Milwaukee; C. S. Reed, New York City; J. A. Playter, Eau Claire; Ruth Allen, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; A. H. Milton, Madison; John D. Jarvis, La Fayette, Ind.; Max Loeb, Chicago; Perry C. Ramsey, Elkhorn, Wis.; Cora Norsman Neckerman, Cecil E. Schreiber, Rex Milton, R. E. Bolte, F. B. Cronk, Jessie Morse Cronk, Esther R. Conklin, H. V.

Cowles, all of Madison; Amy Bronsky, Chippewa Falls, Wis.; Elleda Veal, Stoughton; Dagmar Hansen Veal, Stoughton; Ella Schmidt, Green Bay; W. N. Jones, Kaukauna; R. G. Walter, Madison; Alice E. Green, Fond du Lac; Ralph T. Craigo, Madison; Julia A. Cole, Milwaukee; Lillian E. Taylor, August C. Lorch, Helga Ekern, all of Madison; Ray L. Hankinson, Wilmington, Del.; Chas. H. Stone, Reedsburg; Albert B. Dean, Oak Park, Ill.; Alfred W. Homberger, Champaign, Ill.; Anna A. Krause, Sauk City; L. E. Broenniman, New York City.

'10.

"Naughty Naught" will have the class of 1910 as their rivals in future commencement reunions, according to plans laid by the permanent committee of the graduating class. D. S. Hanchett was elected chairman and Agnes Challoner was elected secretary of the reunion committee, which commenced active service by soliciting subscriptions for THE ALUMNI MAGAZINE and alumni secretaryship.

Each of the six committeemen has about 100 members of the class on his list. He will keep a card index and keep up a correspondence with the members of his college, urging them to remember the first reunion of the class in 1912.

Because the class of 1900 has the same colors as were originally adopted for 1910—green and white—the committee voted, subject to the approval of the class, to change the colors to green and red. This was felt to be necessary because the reunion of 1900 and 1910 will naturally occur at the same time.

The committee is made up as follows: Coeds—Agnes Challoner and Grace Griffin; Law—Emmet Donnelly; Engineering—"Bill" Witt; Agric—Larry Graber; Hill—D. S. Hanchett.

The class feels deeply disappointed at the refusal of the regents to permit the class to embed a memorial bronze tablet, containing an extract from the investigating committee's report to the regents in the case against Professor Richard T. Ely in 1894, in the wall of Main Hall. The regents' refusal was unanimous on the ground that they do not favor the plan of making a "graveyard" out of the university grounds, and that they hesitate to establish a precedent which would lead to the mutilation of the buildings.

GLEE CLUBS

About 50 old glee club men participated in the concert reunion by the glee clubs on the campus at 4:30 in the afternoon of Alumni Day. The Chicago alumni had prepared about 600 song sheets, which were passed about among the large crowd which had assembled to hear the music. Many old college songs were sung. In the evening the glee clubs sat together at the banquet and partly led the singing, partly sang four-part selections.

TURNER GRADUATES

A reception in honor of Professor Frederick Jackson Turner, who is about to leave the university to take up his new work at Harvard, was held at the residence of Professor Carl Russell Fish on June 20. A large number of his former graduate students gathered from many distant universities to do him honor, presenting him with a silver tea service. Of no less value to him will be the bound volume of letters from those unable to be present, testifying to the inspiration they received from him. The letters include those of many alumni who have attained distinction in different fields of activity throughout the country. With it was a map, presented by Dr. Turner's students at present at the university, which shows the widespread influence of his teaching, since it locates the institutions where his former students are teaching, from Constantinople to the Philippine Islands, and from the University of Texas to the University of Maine.

The letters included those of A. L. Anderson, Wisconsin state insurance commission; James Duff Barnett, Ph. D., '05, University of Oregon; Carl Becker, '96, University of Kansas; Miss Emma Blair, honorary M. A., '09, editor of the History of the Philippines; S. J. Buck, '04, University of Illinois; C. L. Carlton, '06, Illinois State College; R. C. Clarke, '09, University of Oregon; Fred Duncalf, Ph. D. '10, University of Texas; Miss Julia Flisch, M. A. '09, Augusta, Ga.; Guy S. Ford, '95, University of Illinois; Homer C. Hockett, '03, Ohio State University; L. M. Larson, Ph. D. '00, University of Illinois; E. S. Meany, Ph. D. '01, University of Washington; U. B. Phillips, Tulane university, La.; Joseph Schafer, '94, University of Oregon; J. A. James, '88, Northwestern university; G. D. Hancock, Ph. D. '09, Amherst; A. G. Fradenburgh, Ph. D. '94, Adelphi college; B. H. Meyer, '94, state railroad rate commission; E. W. Pahlow, '99, Princeton; R. V. Phelan, Ph. D. '08, University of Minnesota.

All present joined in expressing their appreciation of the service which he has performed in raising the level of scholarship in the university and firmly implanting a belief in the necessity of research as a vital element in university life. His loss to the university was realized by all as being irreparable, but it was also felt that his services already performed were of enduring influence.

ALUMNI RECEPTION AND BALL

THE annual alumni reception and ball was attended by more university men and women than ever before in the history of commencement weeks. The event took place in the new Lathrop Hall, and proved the excellent adaptability of the new structure for occasions of this kind. In the receiving line were President and Mrs. C. R. Van Hise, '79, President and Mrs. Lynn S. Pease, '86, of the Alumni Association, Prof. and Mrs. William Daniells, and Prof. and Mrs. J. B. Parkinson, '60. Music was furnished by Bach's orchestra, Milwaukee. A system of admission by card only was inaugurated this year, which proved eminently satisfactory, as it kept out many not entitled to take part in an affair intended for university men and women.

THE ALUMNI REGISTER

ACCORDING to the alumni register maintained throughout Commencement Week in the alumni headquarters, four hundred alumni returned to Alma Mater to be present at the festivities of the week. This number, of course, falls far short of the actual number present, as many alumni failed to register. The class of 1900, for instance, was represented by about 125 members, while only 50 registered. The alumni register is here reprinted in full:

'59.—Elbert O. Hand, Racine, Wis.

'60.—J. B. Parkinson, Madison; Geo. W. Bird, Madison.

'65.—C. H. Vilas, Madison; Mrs. H. C. Noyes (Annie E. Taylor), Madison.

'70.—R. M. Bashford, Madison.

'74.—William Street, Chicago; Allan D. Conover, Madison.

'75.—C. E. Pickard, Chicago; William Street, Chicago; C. H. Lewis.

Milwaukee; Alice C. Baily, Des Moines, Ia.; I. S. Bradley, Madison; Eugene Chafin, Waukesha; Mrs. Webster E. Brown, Rhinelander; Mrs. Chas. L. Harper, Madison; Mrs. Perry Williams, Milwaukee; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Harding, Chicago; Clinton H. Lewis, Milwaukee; James Melville, Madison; Fred. S. Luhman, Manitowoc; Percy F. Stone, Rockford, Ill.; and Wm. P. Gundry, Mineral Point, Wis. Total: 16.

'76.—Mrs. C. H. Lewis, Milwaukee; Albert S. Ritchie, Omaha, Neb.

'77.—B. Goldenberger, Madison.

'78.—C. E. Buell, Madison.

'79.—C. R. Van Hise, Madison; J. B. Simpson.

'80.—W. J. E. Hoyt, Madison; Waldo Fisher, Alton, Ill.; J. W. Hicks, Prentice, Wis.; F. B. Brundage, Dawson, N. D.; H. J. Desmond, Milwaukee; C. F. Lamb, Madison. Total: 6.

'81.—W. J. Moroney, Dallas, Tex.; C. N. Brown, Madison.

'82.—J. A. T. Bjornson, Kulm, N. D.; J. L. O'Connor, Milwaukee; Howard Teasdale, Sparta; W. J. Mutch, Ripon. Total: 4.

'83.—Geo. C. Comstock, Madison; Therese S. Favill, Madison; M. A. Hoyt, Milwaukee; G. W. Baldwin, Crete, Neb.; Byron B. Castle, Hinsdale, Ill.; Mrs. B. B. Castle, Hinsdale, Ill. Total: 6.

'84.—A. J. Ochsner, Chicago; W. L. Miner, Menasha, Wis.; W. F. Mason, Aberdeen, S. D.; Mary Howe Shelton, Rhinelander, Wis.; Rose Fitch Briggs, East Grand Forks, N. D.; F. A. Vaughn, Milwaukee. Total: 6.

'85.—A. J. Ochsner, Chicago; Bertha Pitman Sharp, Madison; Grace Clark Conover, Madison; Rose Schuster Taylor, Sioux City, Ia.; J. C. Gaveney, Arcadia, Wis.; Geo. A. Buckstaff, Oshkosh; James A. Stone, Reedsburg, Wis.; Mrs. Mina Stone Gabriel, Denver, Colo.; C. W. Gilman, Mondovi, Wis.; C. I. Brigham, Blue Mounds, Wis.; G. E. Waldo, Chicago; J. L. Erdall, Minneapolis; A. G. Briggs, St. Paul, Minn.; C. L. Allen, Eau Claire, Wis.; Anna B. Moseley, Madison; Elizabeth Waters, Fond du Lac, Wis.; Thos. E. Lyons, Superior, Wis.; Aug. H. Lindemann, Milwaukee; Arabelle Sarles Brandenburg, Madison; G. W. Baldwin, Crete, Neb. Total: 20.

'86.—Lynn S. Pease, Milwaukee; Mrs. Lynn S. Pease, Milwaukee; Mary F. Conover, Windsor, Wis. Total: 3.

'87.—Imogene Hand Carpenter, Racine.

'90.—W. D. Tarrant, F. E. McGovern, T. L. Harrington, W. C. Brumder, D. E. Webster, all of Milwaukee; A. A. Bruce, Grand Forks, N. D.; Rodney H. True, Glendale, Md.; D. E. Kiser, Durand; Martin Feeney, Marinette; Eleanor C. Austin, Bloomington; Mary F. Rock-

well, Elkhorn; William T. Lathrop, Plankinton, S. D.; E. A. Wigdale, Fort Atkinson; F. J. Bolender, Monroe; W. C. Bonnett, Oregon; A. J. Myrland, Grantsburg; Loyal Durand, Milwaukee; C. E. Lamb, Cobb; R. C. Burdick, Madison; John S. Baker, Evansville; Edward F. Wieman, Watertown; H. H. Moe, Woodford; H. G. Parkinson, Mazomanie; Anna Chapman, Williamsburg, Va.; Mrs. Frances A. Burr, W. B. Cairns, F. I. Drake, Mrs. Charles Giddings, Harriet Merrill, Flora Moseley, B. C. Parkinson, James B. Ramsey, Mrs. Grant Showerman, Walter M. Smith, Sam T. Swansen, E. R. Maurer, L. S. Smith, and W. N. Parker, Madison; R. B. Hart, Cumberland; Clara Abbott Folsom, Syracuse, N. Y.; B. J. Castle, Madison; and D. L. Fairchild, Duluth, Minn. Total: 42.

'91.—Fred T. Kelly, Madison.

'92.—L. Kahlenberg, Madison.

'93.—E. Ray Stevens, Madison; J. G. Wray, Chicago; J. E. Messerschmidt, Madison; H. H. Jacobs, Milwaukee; Belle Austin Jacobs, Milwaukee; Jessie Griffith Katz, Milwaukee; Daisy C. Bolender, Monroe, Wis.; Giles M. Turner, Madison; George H. Katz, Milwaukee; Kate Sabin Stevens. Total: 10.

'94.—Helen Julia Kellogg, S. Weidman, S. R. Sheldon, Anna Strong Parkinson, all of Madison; Dena Lindley, Waunakee; Wilhelmina Enteman Key, Galesburg, Ill.; Margaret Stiles, Columbus, Wis. Total: 7.

'95.—Jessie M. Shepherd, Chicago; M. F. Warner, Chas. F. Burgess, Therese S. Favill, Sadie Connor Kenney, Mrs. N. J. Cramton, Vroman Mason, all of Madison; F. A. Vaughn, Milwaukee; E. R. Buckley, Rolla, Mo.; A. E. Van Hagan, Chicago; Margaret McGregor Harrington, Milwaukee; A. H. Ford, Iowa City, Ia.; Frances B. Welles, Milwaukee; Clara Mandt Dow, Stoughton, Wis.; Nellie MacGregor Ellis, Mazomanie, Wis.; Florence Vernon Steensland and H. S. Steensland, Syracuse, N. Y.; Edwin H. Cassels, Chicago. Total: 18.

'96.—Willard G. Bleyer, Madison; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Lloyd Jones, Madison; E. A. Iverson, Chicago; Charlotte Freeman Leonard, Walter H. Sheldon, Madison; Elizabeth C. Smith, Pasadena, Cal., A. R. Hager, Shanghai, China; H. H. Ross, Cleveland, O.; Mabel McCoy Parkinson, Madison. Total: 10.

'97.—Louise Phelps Kellogg and L. M. Shearer, Madison; H. H. Ross, Cleveland, O.; Walter Alexander, Milwaukee; Katharine McVicar, Waukesha; Sadie E. Gallagher, Madison; R. H. Denniston, Madison. Total: 7.

'98.—Grace A. Wright, Janesville, Wis.; Arlene Grover, Madison; Wm. W. Moore, Monroe, Wis. Total: 3.

'99.—C. E. Allen, Bessie G. Brand, Carl Hambuechen, N. H. Dodge, Katharine MacDonald Jones, all of Madison; W. Sieker, Milwaukee; H. Grace Andrews, Portage; Guy A. Meeker, Vancouver, B. C.; Ernst von Briesen and Helen G. Verplanck, Milwaukee; Warren G. Jones, Freeport, Ill.; S. C. Stuntz, Washington, D. C.; W. A. Richards, Chicago. Total: 13.

'00.—Florence E. Allen, Madison; Joseph Koffend, Jr., Appleton; Oliver S. Anderson, Duluth, Minn.; Harry M. Hobbins, Oak Park, Ill.; Otto Wasmansdorff, Lewiston, Mont.; Mary Louise Wasmansdorff, Lewiston, Mont.; William S. Kies, Chicago; Lynn A. Williams, Chicago; Kenelm J. Lee, Minneapolis, Minn.; Emma J. Ochsner, Chicago; Andrew R. Anderson, Evanston, Ill.; Luther E. Brown, Rhinelander; John Osborne, Milwaukee; W. A. Hoyt, Chicago; C. L. Burnham, Milwaukee; J. E. Dixon, Orange, N. J.; Paul S. Warner, Madison; H. H. Seaman, Milwaukee; Arba B. Marvin, Jr., Chicago; Gertrude Sherman, Milwaukee; Louise Hinkley, Green Bay; J. T. Stuart Lyle, Tacoma, Wash.; Edna C. Adams, Madison; Walter B. Minch, Chicago; Grace Challoner Burnham, Milwaukee; A. J. McCartney, Sharon, Pa.; M. P. Potter, Chicago; Bertha H. Preuss, Shawano; Mrs. Marie Sprague Potter, Chicago; R. M. Austin, Monroe; Mary Fries Seymour, Urbana, Ill.; F. M. Emerson, Milwaukee; A. N. Tandvig, Madison; M. M. Fowler, Chicago; Frank Hoffman, Manitowoc; L. E. Granke, Chicago; Frank C. Schroeder, Chicago; Arba B. Marvin, Chicago; Adeline Brown Bassett, Madison; Thos. Willett, West Allis, Wis.; Harry G. Smith, Madison; Frances Slatter, Sun Prairie, Wis.; J. A. Moldstad, Chicago; Irving P. Robinson, Milwaukee; D. A. Whelan, Mondovi; Norman O. Nelson, Madison; J. H. McNeel, Marquette, Mich.; Eunice W. Welsh, Madison; Mildred A. Castle, Madison. Total: 50.

'01.—E. J. B. Schubring, Madison; J. B. Nash, Grand Rapids, Wis.; Thos. H. Ryan, Appleton; Allan S. Neelson, Madison; Grace R. Hastie, Poynette, Wis.; Marie C. Kohler, Sheboygan, Wis.; Flora N. Davidson, Madison; Albin G. Michelson, Mt. Horeb, Wis.; Henry E. Bradley, Milwaukee; Margaret E. Cummings, Madison; Annie Caulkins Fish, Ames, Ia.; Zach. A. Chandler, Howe, Ind. Total: 12.

'02.—Hal Murley, Belmont; Lelia Bascom, Madison; Ada Lloyd Beach, Chicago; Alice Chamberlain Faber, North Dakota; H. E. Kemp, Oshkosh, Wis.; Avis E. Hughes, Fond du Lac, Wis.; A. E. Ruhoff, Madison. Total: 7.

'03.—S. E. Washburn, Chicago; R. S. Crawford, Mineral Point; Alletta F. Dean, Madison; Jessie Pelton Smith, Madison; Mae Telford, Mason City, Ia.; Chas. H. Stone, Reedsburg, Wis.; John F. Graber, Milwaukee; H. L. Lea, Moline, Ill. Total: 8.

'04.—Katherine Hall, Watertown, Wis.; Anna M. Mashek, La Crosse, Wis.; F. H. Murphy, Des Moines, Ia.; Mabel J. Bradley, Marie G. Miller, Regina E. Grover, Ruth Mary Phillips, L. R. Davies, William T. Kelsey, all of Madison; H. E. Shiels, Chicago. Total: 10.

'05.—Herbert S. Inbusch, Milwaukee; Harold K. Weld, Oak Park, Ill.; G. Stanley Barber, Lawton, Okla.; E. B. Bartlett, Milwaukee; Ellis Walker, Fond du Lac; Martha E. Sell, Milwaukee; C. S. Reed, New York City; J. A. Playter, Eau Claire; Ruth Allen, Sturgeon Bay, Wis.; A. H. Miller, Madison; John D. Jarvis, La Fayette, Ind.; Max Loeb, Chicago; Perry C. Ramsey, Elkhorn, Wis.; Cora Norsman Neckerman, Cecil E. Schreiber, Rex Welton, R. E. Bolte, F. B. Cronk, Jessie Morse Cronk, Esther R. Conklin, H. V. Cowles, all of Madison; Amy Bronsky, Chippewa Falls, Wis.; Elleda Vea, Stoughton; Dagmar Hansen Vea, Stoughton; Ella Schmidt, Green Bay; W. N. Jones, Kaukauna; R. G. Walter, Madison; Alice E. Green, Fond du Lac; Ralph T. Craigo, Madison; Julia A. Cole, Milwaukee; Lillian E. Taylor, Augusta C. Lorch, Helga Ekern, all of Madison; Ray L. Hankinson, Wilmington, Del.; Chas. H. Stone, Reedsburg; Albert B. Dean, Oak Park, Ill.; Alfred W. Homberger, Champaign, Ill.; Anne A. Krause, Sauk City; L. E. Broenniman, New York City. Total: 38.

'06.—Hally D. M. Jolivette, La Crosse; L. W. Bridgman, Madison; S. G. Dunwiddie, Janesville; Anne L. Stone, Reedsburg; Gertrude Hunter, Racine; Maude Watrous, Milwaukee; Adelaide Miller, Chippewa Falls; Ben E. Adams, Madison; Helen Rosenstengel, Manitowoc; C. S. Dean, Madison; A. R. Johnson, Stoughton, H. M. Potter, East Lansing, Mich.; G. W. Blanchard, Colby. Total: 13.

'07.—Selma L. Schubring, May O. Dunn, E. L. Leasman, Alice M. Carey, Helen L. Gilman, A. H. Bushnell, Frank T. H'Doubler, Carolyn E. Blackburn, Emma O. Lundberg, Susie Desmond, Paul D. Potter, all of Madison; Mrs. N. S. Marshall, Duluth, Minn.; Elsie A. Bell, Eau Claire; Chas. S. Jahr, Middleton; Elsie Adams, Neopit; Matilda E. Blied Roderick, Juda; Robt. W. Baily, Des Moines, Ia.; Clarence F. Ellefson, Sonomish, Wash.; Joseph Eder, Milwaukee; W. H. Cooper, Whitewater. Total: 20.

'08.—M. D. Cooper, Cleveland, O.; John C. Blankenagel, H. B. Myers, C. F. Smith, Jr., Nellie Wakeman, C. A. Halbert, Emily M.

Bresee, G. L. Gross, Adeline Schlafer Messerschmidt, all of Madison; E. E. Robinson, Oconomowoc; Lent D. Upton, Rockford, Ill.; E. G. Gesell, Tomahawk; Mattie Whitman, Baraboo; Marie Kasten, Milwaukee; Velma Husey Vinal, Appleton; F. F. Cardenas, Saltillo, Mex.; Caroline D. Retelstorf, Menomonie; H. H. Holt, Delafield; Chester N. Johnson, Chicago; Helen Steenbock Brinsmade, Morgantown, W. Va.; Hans D. Gaebler, Watertown; A. A. Beath, Verona; Gordon Fox, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Julius O. Roehl, Milwaukee. Total: 25.

'09.—E. B. Colloday, Louis P. Lochner, Dorothy M. Burnham, Robt. W. Bridgman, W. E. Morris, Glenn E. Pelton, Alice Grover, Clara M. Cronin, Kate Trainor, John Swenholt, C. E. Rightor, all of Madison; C. J. Cunningham, Chippewa Falls; R. V. Luce, Chicago; Amy Comstock, Milwaukee; M. W. Richards, La Fayette, Ind.; Paul H. Neystrom, Oshkosh; Mary E. Moffatt, Davenport, Ia.; E. F. Baley, Wonewoe; Elva Caradine, Monroe; John A. Conley, Duluth, Minn.; Helen Fairfield Fitch, Mason City, Ia.; B. V. Edwards, Chicago; M. S. Slade, Tacoma, Wash.; Lillian Perkins, Dodgeville; Theo. H. Schoenwetter, Juneau; R. C. Oosterhuis, Sheboygan Falls; F. E. Bates, Mason City, Ia.; H. S. Rankin, Chisholm, Minn. Total: 29.

U. W. ENGINEERS AT ST. LOUIS

BY J. B. EMERSON, '99

THE annual convention of the National Electric Light association was held in St. Louis during the week of May, and a large number of Wisconsin alumni took an active part in the proceedings.

Among those present from out of town were: Harry B. Elverson, '93, Buffalo, N. Y.; George H. Jones, '97, Chicago, Ill.; Llewellyn Owen, '97, Peoria, Ill.; F. A. Vaughn, '95, Milwaukee, Wis.; J. H. Perkins, '96, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.; Philip Bertrand, '95, Jefferson City, Mo.; Gordon Fox, '08, Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Leonard G. Van Ness, '96, Memphis, Tenn.

An informal dinner was given by the University of Wisconsin St. Louis Association at Lippe's Restaurant, Thursday, the 26th, in honor of the visiting alumni. F. A. Vaughn, '95, made a strong plea for the cooperation of Wisconsin engineering alumni in the work of reorganizing the engineering courses and keeping them strictly up to date with present engineering practice.

After the dinner, the Wisconsin alumni adjourned to Delmar Garden, and a very enjoyable evening was spent in retrospection of college days.

EDITORIAL

THE NEW ALUMNI SPIRIT

NO better culmination could have been devised to the record-breaking administration of Dr. A. J. Ochsner, '84, than the 1910 Commencement Week. The 1910 Alumni Day marks the climax of two years of alumni awakening never before heard of in the history of Alma Mater. A registration of 400 names in the alumni bureau over against 200 in 1909, the presence of 521 guests at the dinner compared with the 280 of last year who had then broken all previous records, the new pace set by the class of 1900 by its wonderful demonstration of class spirit and its loyal devotion to the U. W., the unqualified success of the reunions of the anniversary classes (over half of the surviving members of the class of 1890, for instance, returning to Madison), the strengthening of the Association by a carefully worded constitution and the promise of a general secretaryship by May, 1911, the enthusiasm and spirit of cooperation shown at the annual business meeting, the presence of a former candidate for the United States presidency, a present candidate for governor, and of alumni from Texas, California, Colorado, Canada, Mexico, yes, even China,—all these facts combined to make the 1910 Commencement Week one of unusual moment in the history of the Association. It is with a feeling of regret that the Association accepts the resignation of President Ochsner, who is largely responsible for this alumni awakening. At the same time nothing but ground for congratulation and rejoicing can be found in the choice of his successor, Lynn S. Pease, '86, whose devotion and love for his Alma Mater are known to every one who has been able to observe the workings of the executive committee of which he has been a member. The good work is bound to continue. "Let us have more reunions like 1900" was the consensus of opinion of those present at Madison. Already the reunion committees for 1911 are organizing. On every hand there are indications that the new alumni spirit will increase rather than diminish, that it will soon permeate the entire alumni body, and every graduate will put a shoulder to the wheel—for Alma Mater.

AS OTHERS SEE US

[Dallas, Tex., *Times-Herald*, April 28.]
AN APOSTLE OF CONSERVATION.

Charles R. Van Hise, president of the University of Wisconsin, is an apostle of conservation. He was a pioneer in that field long before Theodore Roosevelt sounded the alarm. His first lectures on conservation were given before the coming of Gifford Pinchot, the conversion of Theodore Roosevelt or the falling in line of Charles W. Eliot and a long line of distinguished champions of the old-new idea.

He was one of the men summoned to Washington by Theodore Roosevelt and was an active participant in that memorable conference which launched the great conservation of natural resources movement. He is an international authority on conservation and his book, now in the hands of the printer, will be the first and most graphic as well as the most comprehensive treatise, covering the entire range of conservation topics.

Prof. Van Hise was the luncheon guest of the Critic Club yesterday and his address was a revelation to those who have given little thought to the conservation movement. When he declared that "conservation means the greatest

good to the greatest number for the longest time" he sounded the keynote of the campaign.

Four million acres now under cultivation in this country are already depleted in fertility, due to erosion and the loss of valuable elements. "Every farmer is responsible," declared Dr. Van Hise, "and each is responsible to the nation for the trust which he holds."

This apostle of conservation urged that the export of phosphate be absolutely prohibited and that the vast beds in Montana, Wyoming and Idaho shall not be permitted to pass into the clutches of private monopoly. And he is right—absolutely right.

Dr. Van Hise is for the Roosevelt policies, the Pinchot policies, the policies which will result in the greatest good to the greatest number for the longest time and he is opposed to Ballinger and Ballingerism and the whole tribe of commercial pirates and golden fleece looters who would grab, if permitted, the natural resources of the nation now held by the federal government for the people, who rightfully own the heritage of their fathers.

Dr. Van Hise's visit to Texas and his addresses will give an im-

petus to the conservation movement. A big, broad, brainy and patriotic American is Charles Richard Van Hise, of the University of Wisconsin.

[New York Times, May 19.]

ATYPICAL COLLEGE MEN.

College students who cheat in their work are physically deficient. That is the inference drawn from a table prepared by Dr. J. C. Elsom, medical examiner of the 8,000 students in the University of Wisconsin. Taking a list of fifty students who within two years have been disciplined by the faculty for various acts of dishonesty in their university work, Dr. Elsom found that, in height, weight, girth of head, breadth of shoulders, depth of chest, strength of arms, legs, and back, the disciplined students were inferior to the average student at Wisconsin. Notably they were deficient in girth of head and strength of back. They lacked "backbone" in the physical sense.

These figures, taken by themselves, are too slim to meet proper statistical demands for basing conclusions on the physique of dishonest college students. But in the public schools and in the children's courts of this and other cities like comparisons have been made, and it has been determined pretty conclusively that moral delinquents are as a class

inferior in physique. Our jails and prisons, too, are filled with badly nourished and poorly developed adult prisoners. The saying that cleanliness is next to godliness is true chiefly, perhaps, because cleanliness is conducive to health. The physically weak are a prey to temptation.

[Life, June 9.]

In support of Uncle Joe Cannon's opinion that a college is a place which an extra clever boy may go through and still amount to something there are the facts that he and Mr. Aldrich learned what they know out of school, and that the president and every man in his cabinet, and nearly all the the leading insurgents, are more or less college taught. Nearly all of them are college graduates. The nest in which the first insurgent eggs were hatched was the University of Wisconsin. Wherever you see an enthusiastic person running nowadays with a torch to commit arson on the Temple of Privilege go back on his trail, and, ten to one, you come up against a college. No wonder Uncle Joe was comminatory in his words about the colleges. They used to have some standing as depositaries of conservatism, but nowadays they are great breeding places of defiant innovation. Old or new, rich or poor, they

seem all to have caught more or less of the prevailing epidemic.

[*Collier's Weekly*, June 11.]

The other day Wisconsin gave a successful and an attractive dance for the purpose of raising money with which to send her 'varsity crew east for the usual college regatta at Poughkeepsie. Splendid spirit, but why not direct it to the development of home rowing? Wisconsin is the only college in the Middle West supporting a varsity eight, although last spring rumors reached me that Minnesota, Michigan, Chicago, and Illinois were going in for boating; rumors seem to have been about all there was to it. There is no reason why there should not be a popular and first-class regatta in the Middle West among these universities; there is plenty of good water, there is the very best of material, there are loyalty and esprit—every reason indeed for such an event and none against it.

Always it has seemed to me such a waste of energy and money and valor, as well as neglect of home opportunity, for Wisconsin every year to make her journey to the Hudson River instead of building a regatta on Western waters.

[Oregon, Wis., *Observer*, June 13.]

UNIVERSITY TALENT BEST.

According to the state university press bulletin sixteen professors of the university have been engaged in numerous places of the state to give addresses at the commencement exercises in about 100 cities and villages of the state. This is a move in the right direction. Local committees make a grave mistake in paying the lyceum bureaus from fifty to two hundred dollars for an evening's entertainment on this occasion, when at much less expenditure they can get a more satisfactory entertainment by applying to the university. The state pays these professors a regular salary and they can afford to give their extra time to its citizens at little above their actual expense. Many cities and villages have awakened to the fact that there is as good talent among university professors as one can obtain from bureaus for their regular winter lecture courses and many of these men are engaged on next season's courses. The local committee in charge of next winter's court to be given here has selected its numbers from talent offered by the university.

UNIVERSITY LEGISLATION

REGENTS

Important appointments to the faculty were made by the regents at the commencement meeting.

A professorship of manual arts in the course for the training of teachers was established with a view to preparing teachers of manual training for public schools, and Prof. F. D. Crawshaw of the University of Illinois was elected to the new chair. Prof. Crawshaw, who has been assistant dean in the college of engineering at Illinois, has had practical experience in teaching manual training in the Minneapolis high schools, the schools of Peoria, Ill. and the Bradley Polytechnic institute. The work for teachers of manual training will begin next fall.

Dr. J. A. E. Eyster of the University of Virginia was made professor of physiology to succeed Dr. Joseph Erlanger, who resigned to accept the position of the head of the department of physiology in the medical school of Washington university, St. Louis, Mo. Dr. Eyster is a graduate of the medical department of Johns Hopkins university in the class of 1905, and for the past two years has been professor of pharmacology at Virginia.

Prof. W. W. Cook of the law school presented his resignation in order to accept a professorship in the University of Chicago law school. Prof. Robert B. Scott of the department of political science in the college of letters and science was transferred to the college of law to fill the vacancy thus created.

F. B. Hadley of Ohio State university was appointed assistant professor of veterinary science.

Edward J. Ward, now supervisor of social centers and playgrounds in the city of Rochester, N. Y., was appointed acting secretary of the welfare department of the university extension division, to begin work on July 1. Mr. Ward, who is a graduate of Hamilton college, has successfully established and developed a municipal system of civic work involving cooperation between various social, racial, political and religious groups in Rochester. One-half of Mr. Ward's time will be devoted to carrying on similar work in the city of Milwaukee.

Coach E. H. Ten Eyck was reappointed instructor in physical training for men.

Sedley L. Ware of Stanford university was made lecturer in history in place of W. E. Lunt, resigned.

The resignation of Dr. Ernest C. Meyer as assistant professor of political science was accepted, and M. S. Dudgeon and S. G. Lowry were appointed instructors in the department.

The following new instructors were appointed: E. E. Moots, mathematics; Arnold B. Hall, political science; E. M. Gilbert, botany; L. J. Mercier, romance languages; O. Butler, horticulture; S. E. Johnson, mechanics; Dr. Robert Van Valzah, medicine; W. C. Rowse, steam and gas engineering.

Thirty-four new assistants were elected.

PROGRESS OF THE UNIVERSITY

FACULTY

SPEAK AT COMMENCEMENT.

Fifty-two of the high schools in Wisconsin cities secured their commencement speakers this year through the extension department, which maintains a bureau to supply such assistance.

Half again as many requests for commencement speakers were received but could not be accommodated on account of conflicting dates.

The sixteen university professors and lecturers who addressed the high school seniors are as follows: Professors D. C. Munro, F. C. Sharp, T. H. Dickinson, W. H. Lighty, A. H. Johnstone, Silas Evans, R. L. Lyman, G. A. Gesell, Irwin Billman, H. K. Bassett, M. V. O'Shea, E. C. Elliott, Grant Showerman, W. L. Bailey, W. A. Scott, S. W. Gilman and E. L. Eaton.

SPEAK IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Dr. H. L. Russell, dean of the college of agriculture, addressed the State Agricultural Rally at Clarksburg, W. Va., May 28, on "Carrying Scientific Agriculture to the Farmer."

AT IDAHO COMMENCEMENT.

Dr. E. C. Elliott, professor of education and director of the course for the training of teachers, delivered the commencement convocation address at the University of Idaho June 14, his subject being "The University and the State."

OFF FOR ALASKA.

Professor Lawrence Martin of the geology department has left to pass the summer in research work in Alaska. He was accompanied by F. E. Williams of Madison, a senior in the geology class, just named as inspector in that depart-

ment for the coming year, and E. F. Bean of Zeiring, Iowa, recently appointed assistant in geology.

SUMMER IN FRANCE.

Professor and Mrs. B. W. Snow will pass the summer in France.

MCCARTHY RETURNS.

Dr. Chas. McCarthy returned from his European trip on May 24. Dr. McCarthy was elected an honorary member of the National Liberal club of London and witnessed the recent debate on the budget.

TAYLOR GOES SOUTH.

Professor H. C. Taylor has left for a trip through the southern states to study the tenant conditions among the negroes and the relation of these conditions to the breaking up of the old plantations.

RETURN FROM FLORIDA.

Professor and Mrs. W. W. Daniells, who spent the winter at their temporary residence in Florida, have returned to Madison. Professor Daniells purchased a tract of land in Florida and has erected a splendid winter home upon it. The family expects to spend the summer in Madison.

MEET IN MADISON.

The Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education, consisting of professors and teachers in colleges of engineering and technical schools, held its annual convention at the University of Wisconsin June 23-5.

President Van Hise delivered the principal address, on "The Conservation of Natural Resources."

STUDENTS

PYTHIA ELECTS.

Pythia literary society has elected the following officers for next year: Gretchen Schoenleber, president; Arlie McCombe, vice-president; Maude Barrett, secretary; Anna Neitzel, treasurer; Oline Simpson, keeper of archives; and Loretta Hannan, censor.

ENGINEERS ELECT.

At the annual banquet of the U. W. Engineers' club R. S. Hoyt was elected president; G. L. Cowan, vice-president; R. W. Simons, secretary-treasurer, F. C. Ruhloff, censor; and T. C. Ritchie, assistant censor.

ORGANIZE NEW SOCIETY.

Hammer and Tongs, a senior society, was recently organized. The following men are charter members: R. P. Bean, A. J. MacArthur, H. H. Veerhusen, R. K. Mitchell, J. P. Dean, W. H. Buchen, E. F. Bunker, W. H. Spohn, A. H. Ochser and Ben Jelinek.

NU ALPHA ELECTS.

Nu Alpha medical fraternity has elected the following officers: J. C. Hartman, president; Otto Hanson, vice-president; F. R. Nuzen, secretary and treasurer.

BLAKE COLONEL OF CADETS.

H. D. Blake, '11, of Madison, captain of the winning Company E in the compet, will be the colonel of the university regiment next year. Blake's average on the examination and on the compet was 98.

Patrick H. Martin, '11, of Fond du Lac, received an average of 96.4 and will be lieutenant colonel. Martin beat out Carl W. Esau, '11, by two-tenths per cent. Esau will be one of the ba-

tallion commanders. G. W. Esau, '11, and C. J. Moritz, '11, will be the other majors. Karl M. Mann received the sixth highest award and will be the adjutant next year.

EXTENSION STUDENTS BANQUET.

An informal banquet of the Milwaukee students in the extension division of the university was recently held at the Republican house. This is the first banquet of this kind ever attempted by the division. The speakers for the evening were Dr. Reber, director of university extension, and Dr. Rastall of the business department of the university.

CARDINAL VOTING CONTEST.

In a voting contest conducted by the *Daily Cardinal* during the last week of May and the first week of June, "Red" Parker won out as the most popular man; Gertrude Kennedy as the most popular girl; Verna Gillen as the most fussed coed; Jack Wilce as the best athlete; and Haskell Noyes as the best dressed man.

GIVE MAY POLE DANCE.

"Women's Campus Day" was celebrated Wednesday, June 1, at 6:30 o'clock in the evening. The program was as follows: Grand March; Grand May Pole; Waltz Weaving Dance; Folk Dance—(a) Danish Dance of Greeting, (b) Ace of Diamond (Swiss), (c) German Hopping Dance, (d) Peasants Weaving Dance, Spring Dance, Milkmaid Frolic; Floral Dance; Pageant.

LATIN PRIZES AWARDED.

The annual verse translation contest of sophomores in Horace has resulted in the awarding of first place to Jeanette L. Knudson, and second to Mabelle E.

Stevens. It is the custom in the department of Latin to require of all students a metrical translation of an ode of Horace, and to submit the best examples to a committee of judges.

PHILO'S SEMI-PUBLIC PICKED.

Philomathia's Semi-public debaters for next year were selected as follows: Reis and Martin, closers; Kessler, Cloupeck, Meyers, and Schaltschneider.

JOINT DEBATE SELECTED.

The faculty committee consisting of President C. R. Van Mise, Dr. C. McCarthy, and F. A. Hutchins, of the extension department, decided upon the question of the modification of the injunction as submitted by Athenæ Literary society for the joint debate.

Philomathia originally submitted the question of women's suffrage for Wisconsin. Athenæ, however, refused to accept the question and in turn submitted the question of the injunction. Philomathia refused to accept Athenæ's question and, according to a previous agreement between the teams, the matter was submitted to the faculty committee. Philomathia will select its side of the question.

The exact wording of the question is, "Resolved, that in labor disputes no injunction shall be granted other than for intimidation or acts of violence directed against physical property."

GERMANISTISCHE GESELLSCHAFT.

At the last meeting of the Germanistische Gesellschaft Dr. Kind presented again, with the assistance of members of the German department, the famous puppet play of "Doktor Faustus." Aside from its interest as a public performance, this play has a certain literary-historical interest, owing to its connection, more or less remote, with cer-

tain well-known works of German literature. On May 25 Mrs. Amalia von Ende of New York City delivered a lecture on "Modern German Drama" under the auspices of the Gesellschaft.

ON 1912 BADGER BOARD.

Eight tentative appointments were made to the 1912 Badger board by the supervisory committee of upperclassmen. The contestants awarded tentative positions were: Literary committee, Elizabeth D. Perry, Harold H. Barker and Roger K. Ballard; illustrating committee, William L. McKillop, Frank Jenks and Flint H. Jones; art committee, John G. Floyd and Hattie J. Wakeman.

CARDINAL AWARDS PRIZES.

The Daily Cardinal has awarded the following prizes for the best work in reporting during the second half of this year: \$10 each to Chester C. Wells, Freeport, Ill.; Alvin H. Kessler, Evansville, Ind.; and Stuart O. Blythe, Washington, D. C.; \$7.50 each to T. R. Hoyer, Winneconne, Wis., and W. D. Little, Geneva, Ill.; and \$5 to L. G. Castle, Milwaukee.

CARDINAL STAFF SELECTED.

The editorial staff for *The Daily Cardinal* has been named for next year, with John L. Childs, '11, Eau Claire, as editor-in-chief.

The managing editor will be David Hanchett, '10, Chicago, Ill.; intercollegiate editor, Arthur B. Doe, '11, Milwaukee; news editor, Stuart O. Blythe, '12, Washington, D. C.; university editor, Chester C. Wells, '13, Freeport, Ill.; assistant university editor, Alvin Kessler, '13, Evansville, Ind.; athletic editor, Theodore R. Hoyer, '12, Winneconne; assistant editor, W. D. Little, '12, Geneva, Ill.; business manager, W. J. Goldschmidt, '11, Milwaukee.

ORGANIZE A SORORITY.

Senior and junior "hill" coeds have organized a journalism sorority, Theta Sigma Phi, which will be a chapter of the national coed journalism sorority which is being pushed by Washington and Missouri universities. The sorority will consist of ten juniors and ten seniors.

WELL KNOWN EDITORS SPEAK.

"The Opportunities of Agricultural Journalism" was the subject of an address by Herbert Quick, editor of *Farm and Fireside*, given at a joint meeting of the University Press club, the Cubs' club, the journalistic fraternity of Delta Alpha, and the Hoard Press club.

The field of trade journalism was presented at the same meeting by B. B. Herbert, editor of the *National Printer-Journalist*. The other speakers were R. R. Hiestand, *Wisconsin State Journal*, who spoke on "The Cub Reporter on the Metropolitan Daily;" Frank E. McGovern, Milwaukee, "The Newspaper and Politics;" R. E. Knoff, *Wisconsin State Journal*; Paul Watrous, formerly of the *Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin*; and F. W. McKenzie, *La Follette's Weekly*.

RECORD SALE OF BADGER.

The two thousand chocolate Badgers were sold before noon of the day of sale. Five hundred copies went in twenty minutes. Harlow Bradley, '13, received the free copy which is awarded to the man first appearing at the sale.

MANY FOREIGN STUDENTS.

Of the 550 seniors at the university this year, 10 are from 7 different foreign countries. Three are from China, Guok-Tsai Chao and Chutung Tsai from Shanghai, and Yet C. Owyang from

Canton. Two are from Russia, Abraham Merkim, and Selig Perlman, Bealystock, who entered from the University of Naples. The others are: Bernard Berssenbrugge, Rotterdam, Holland; Frederick H. Linley, Nottingham, Eng.; Oscar Sevilla Soriano, Malabon, Philippine Islands; Alejandro S. Lescano, Cajabamba, Peru; and Marius S. Peterson, Norway.

Among the candidates for higher degrees are 4 Chinese and 2 Japanese, Ying Yueh Yang, Imperial Polytechnic institute, Wusik; Lau Chi Chang, Queen's College, Hong Kong; Kung Chau Chu, Nanking, China; Ye Tsung Tsur, Shanghai, China; Shigeru Tomimoto, and Shiji Okami, both graduates of Waseda university, Tokio.

PRIZES FOR AGRIC WRITING.

The prize winners in the John Clay competition in agricultural writing in the college of agriculture have been announced.

First prize was won by F. B. Morrison, Marshfield, who entered an article entitled "More Wisconsin Pork." Second prize, \$30, was won by L. F. Graber of Mineral Point, who submitted an article on "The Beef Steer in Wisconsin." The third prize, \$20, was won by G. C. Morris, Madison, who prepared an article on "The Economical Beef Production in the Northwest."

ARON GETS FELLOWSHIP.

Albert W. Aron, a graduate student in German, has been awarded the Ottendorfer memorial fellowship established at New York university in honor of the late Oswald Ottendorfer, editor of the *New York Staatszeitung*.

The fellowship provides an income of \$800, with \$100 for books, and permits the holder to study at any institution of Leipzig.

This is the third time that a graduate student in the University of Wisconsin has won this distinguished honor, the other two having been Ernst O. Eckelmann, '98, Milwaukee, and John Whyte, '06, Watertown.

HEADS STUDENT COURT.

C. O. Bickelhaupt, chairman of the 1911 Badger board, has been elected chief justice of the new student court. Morris B. Mitchell was elected secretary. The others members are K. F. Burgess, '11, E. J. Dohmen, '11, Leroy Johnson, '11, Walter Scoville, '12, Sam Groom, '12, W. Buchen, '11, and B. F. Stiles, '11.

1910 UNION BOARD IN CONTROL.

Next year's campaign for the new Union building was the chief subject of discussion at the final meeting of the Union board for the year. The board proposes to carry forward the same plan as that started by the present committee, and the need of a new Union building will be one of the big issues before the student body.

It was decided that former members of the board may be elected ex-officio members when remaining in school after receiving a degree.

Annual reports were received and officers elected for next year as follows: President, Walter Buchen, '11; treasurer, L. E. Voyer, '11; secretary, Chester C. Wells, '13. The other members are E. J. Ryan, C. O. Bickelhaupt and H. L. Kadish.

FACULTY vs. SENIORS.

Before a crowd of 800 enthusiastic rooters who aided the Union building fund to the extent of \$80 by buying "tags" given to the spectators, the faculty baseball team triumphed over the senior aggregation on May 27 on the

lower campus by the score of 12 to 4. Led by the undowned Dr. Haussmann, of big league fame, and giving Sanders excellent support, the faculty completely outclassed the seniors. Harnden, who occupied the box for the fourth-year ball tossers, was in trouble every inning.

FRESHMAN CREW WINS.

The first freshman eight won the interclass crew race by half a length on June 4. The sophomores finished second, juniors third.

WIN CANOE RACE.

William Elmore, '11, and H. Schranck, '11, won the canoe race from D. Imboden, '12, and R. Kellogg, '12, by three feet on June 4. Six teams entered the race.

ATHLETIC COUNCIL.

Officers for the Athletic Council of the University of Wisconsin for next year have been elected by the student body as follows:

President, E. J. Dohmen, Milwaukee; vice-president, S. W. Anderson, White-water; "W" men—A. T. Dean, Gresham, Ore., football; A. Bird, Fargo, N. D., basketball; M. F. Timbers, Mauston, baseball; W. D. Richardson, Milwaukee, crew; J. R. Adams, Appleton, track; Non-"W" men—C. O. Bickelhaupt, Aberdeen, S. D.; J. D. Mercer, Chicago; F. E. Stoppenbach, Jefferson; Leroy Johnson, Wausau; L. E. Voyer, Grand Rapids.

OFF FOR POUGHKEEPSIE.

Coach E. H. Ten Eyck, engineer Loren Hebbard, Commodore Henry Johns and twenty-three members of the varsity and freshman crews left over the Northwestern on June 11 for Poughkeepsie, where they will row in the re-

gatta June 25. A rousing send-off was given.

Members of the varsity crew who made the trip are: Captain Trane, Wilce, Kraatz, Hare, Mackmiller, Voyer, Kerr, Sunnicht, and Richardson. Bowen, stroke, and Terry, starboard, were taken as substitutes. The freshman oarsmen are Bright, Schmidt, Kelm, Sjoblom, Lamp, Templeton, Hendrickson, McGill and Corley. The substitutes are McKernen, coxswain, Baker, starboard, and Lamson, port.

CONFERENCE MEET.

Members of the team chosen by Coach C. P. Hutchins to represent Wisconsin at the Conference at Champaign June 4 were as follows: Captain Dohmen, mile; Richards, dashes; Mitchell and Sanders, quarter; Cleveland, two mile; Rohn, hurdles; Adams, jumps; Wiskocil and Gillette, broad jump; Banker, hammer; Dacy, discus. Lake, with three other members of the team, made up the relay team.

Notre Dame, a non-conference college, won first place with 29 points; Leland Stanford with 17 points came second, and Wisconsin eighth. Wisconsin won no points, but in the 220-yard dash and in the high jump secured second.

U. W. IS TRACK CHAMPION.

Wisconsin, by defeating Chicago, is now undisputed dual champion of the west. The easy manner with which the Badgers downed the Maroons with a score of 80 to 46 puts Wisconsin far ahead of any other conference team in track.

Adams of Wisconsin took the individual scoring honors, winning the high jump, high hurdles and broad jump. Dohmen of Wisconsin took both the mile

and two mile runs, and Davenport of Chicago won the quarter and half mile.

The Maroons had all the best of it in the dashes, Straube capturing both races. He was ahead all the way in both events, breaking the tape in 0:10 2-5 in the century, with Richards and Lake of the visitors in the money. In the 220 yard sprint, Earle of Chicago, with a strong finish, nosed out Lake of Wisconsin for a second place.

Dohmen of Wisconsin had little trouble in taking the mile run in 4:55 2-5. Lampert of Wisconsin paced the field for the first three laps and Dohmen took the lead on the last lap, finishing three yards ahead of his team mate, Lampert, with Long of Chicago third.

The Badgers piled up points early in the field and weight events. Dacey of Wisconsin got the honors in the discus throw at 117 feet 4 1-2 inches. Worthwine of Chicago took the hammer throw with a mark of 126 feet 3 inches, but Banker and Storri of Wisconsin raked in the remaining points.

THIRD IN BASE BALL.

Wisconsin ended third in the conference baseball league, with a percentage of .444, having won 4 games and lost 5. Illinois ended first with 13 victories and no defeats, Purdue second and Chicago ties with Wisconsin for third.

U. W. WINS W-W RACE.

Though the Washington men were slightly heavier and a little taller than the Badger athletes, Wisconsin won the crew race on June 4 by three lengths, doing two miles in 10:03. The students lost no time in celebrating this and the baseball victory over Minnesota.

ALUMNI NEWS

BIRTHS

'92.

Born—To Prof. and Mrs. J. F. A Pyre, a son, on May 27. Mrs. Pyre was Marcia Jackman, '00.

'97.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nash, a son, Willis, in October, 1909.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Schuehardt of Chicago, a boy on June 4.

'99.

Born—To Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Donovan, a son, on April 24. Mrs. Donovan was Edith Nelson.

Born—To Dr. and Mrs. T. W. Torrey, a son on June 21.

Born—To Dr. and Mrs. S. H. Chase, a daughter on April 3. Mrs. Chase was Minnie Westover.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jackson of Madison, on May 26, a son. Mr. Jackson is deputy state attorney general.

'00.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Smith, in October, 1909, a son. Mrs. Smith was Jennie Pelton, '03.

Born—A baby boy on May 3 to Mr. and Mrs. Gilson G. Glasir, 1919 Jefferson St., Madison.

'01.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nash, a daughter, Elizabeth, on September 20, 1909.

'02.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Olbrich of Madison, a son, in the early part of June.

'03.

Born—To Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Briggs of Beaver Dam, in June, a son. Mrs. Briggs was Delia Pengra, '04.

'05.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Pengra of Stockton, Ill., a son, in June.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Rogers, on June 5, a daughter.

ENGAGEMENTS

FAIRBANKS—DOUGLAS, '03.

The engagement of Henrietta Fairbanks of Jamestown, N. Y., to Courtney C. Douglas, '03, has been announced. Mr. Douglas is connected with the Boston office of the General Electric Co. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Tau Beta Pi fraternities.

TITUS—KOWALKE, '06.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Titus of Oshkosh announce the engagement of their daughter, Winifred, to Otto L. Kowalke of Madison. Mr. Kowalke is instructor in chemical engineering at the university.

FUSCH—SPENCER, '08.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Fusch of Madison announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura B., to Fred L. Spencer of Pittsburg, Pa.

BUNNELL, '12—LAMB, '10.

The engagement of Mary Bunnell, a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority, to Lloyd Lamb of La Crosse has been announced.

MARRIAGES

DAVIS—LUCAS, '96.

At the home of her sister, Mrs. Ella Goodyear, Miss Jennie Davis was united in marriage with Frank W. Lucas at Tomah, Wis., on June 9. Mr. Lucas is

a lawyer at Madison. Rev. J. G. Smith performed the ceremony, the ring service being used. Among the wedding guests were John S. Main, '98, and C. E. Buell, '78.

LAPLANT—HARVEY, '00.

John L. Harvey was married last autumn to Pearl LaPlant of Sturgeon Bay, Wis. Address: 764 Fortieth St., Milwaukee.

RIPLEY—FOX, '04.

A romance which had its inception at the university culminated in Chicago on June 4 in the marriage of Morris Fuller Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Fox of Madison, to Miss Lucy Ripley. The marriage took place at the home of the bride's aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Dau. Mr. Fox is secretary of the Interstate Light and Power Co., and is located at Galena, Ill.

BEMIS, '06—REED, '05.

Miss Florence Bemis of Oshkosh, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bemis, and Carl S. Reed of New York were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on June 22. Rev. E. H. Smith officiated. The bride taught in the Oshkosh High school for a time previous to her marriage. Mr. Reed is manager of the New York branch of the Atlantic Equipment Co.

STOCKMAN, '05—JOHNSON.

Ruth Chafin Stockman and Edward A. Johnson were married at Mason City, Ia., on June 22. At home after August 15 at Fort Dodge, Ia.

KUSSEL, '06—GRIGGS, '05.

Irma Kussel of Milwaukee and Victor Griggs of Havre, Mont., are to be married in Milwaukee on July 4.

DODGE—DISTELHORST, '06.

Feye E. Dodge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Dodge of Wauwatosa, Wis.,

and Walter L. Distelhorst were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents on June 25, the Rev. C. H. Beale officiating. Mr. Distelhorst is on the editorial staff of the Milwaukee *Journal*.

HICKISCH, '06—PICK.

Tessie Hickisch of La Crosse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hickisch, and E. Edwin Pick of West Bend, Wis., were married on June 8, the ceremony being marked by the celebration of high mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral, La Crosse.

FRANKE—SEALMAN, '07.

Elsie Franke and Ernest Sealman, both of Milwaukee, were married early in June.

WHYTE, '07—WATT.

The marriage of Effie M. Whyte of Watertown to Homer A. Watt of Madison took place June 23 at the home of the bride's parents in Watertown. Miss Whyte is a graduate of the university with the class of 1907, and a daughter of Dr. William F. Whyte, president of the state board of health, while Mr. Watt is instructor in the English department at the university. A number of young women from the Gamma Phi Beta sorority, of which Miss Whyte is a member, attended the wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Watt left after the ceremony for a vacation in the east, including Mackinac Island, Buffalo and New York, spending the major part of the summer at the cottage of Mr. Watt's father at Lake Cary, Pa. They will return in the fall to the university, but their housekeeping plans are not yet definite.

DRYER—RILEY, '07.

Marguerite Dryer and Edmund Burke Riley were married at Tacoma, Wash., on June 29.

HUTSON, '08—CROCKER.

Harriet May Hutson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Hutson of Madison, and Arthur G. Crocker of Frontera, Tobasco, Mexico, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Madison on June 15. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Wm. Rowe of Muscoda, an old time family friend. The couple has not yet definitely decided upon the Mexican city in which it intends to settle down. Mr. Crocker is engaged in mechanical engineering in Mexico.

TRAGSDORF, '08—FITCH.

Clara Tragsdorf of Neillsville and Roy Fitch, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hawley of Madison, were married at the home of the bride's parents at Neillsville on June 20. Mr. Fitch took his bride to Montana, where an unimproved ranch awaited the couple.

FLEMMING—WADSWORTH, '08.

On June 11 occurred the marriage of Etta Flemming, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Flemming of Madison, to William J. Wadsworth of Crivitz, Wis., the Rev. E. G. Updike of the Congregational church of Madison officiating. Mr. Wadsworth is connected with the Northern Hydro-Electric Power Co. at Crivitz.

STEVENS, '08—HILL.

Velma Stevens and Charles Hill were married at Montfort, Wis., on June 22. The bride was a member of Chi Omega sorority.

DUNN, '09—SHOREY, '08.

The marriage of Anna Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn of Madison, and E. Roy Shorey, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shorey of Oshkosh, was solemnized on June 21 at Madison. Mr. Shorey is employed by the Vinegar Hill Lead and Zinc Mining Co. at Galena, Ill.

CONFER, '09—DEBOOS, '09.

Edna Confer of Madison and Frank A. DeBoos of Cincinnati were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. F. M. Confer of Madison, on June 14, Rev. Vernon Phillips of the Baptist church officiating. The young couple left for Louisville, Ky., where some time was passed before going on to Cincinnati, where the groom is in business. Mrs. DeBoos is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and Mr. DeBoos of Phi Delta Theta fraternity.

MURPHY, '09—VINSON, '05.

The marriage of Nellie C. Murphy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew C. Murphy of Evanston, Ill., and Albert C. Vinson of San Francisco, Cal., took place February 17 at the residence of the bride's parents. Pauline Murphy, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Riley Harvey, '05, of Oak Park, acted as best man. The six bridesmaids were students or alumni of the university: Isabelle Menzies, '07, Bess Flett, '07, Louise Jahns, '07, Gretchen Schoenleber, '11, Irma Hackendahl, '11 and Helen Hosmer, '09. Mr. Vinson is a member of the Delta Upsilon fraternity. The young couple are residing in Berkeley, Cal., where Mr. Vinson is engaged in mercantile business.

DEATHS

'90.

Eldon J. Cassoday, aged 45, a prominent lawyer of Chicago and son of the late Chief Justice J. B. Cassoday of the Wisconsin supreme court, suffered a sunstroke at his summer cottage on Lake Mendota on June 23 and died ten minutes later.

He was mowing grass on the lawn when stricken, and fell to the ground unconscious. Members of the family carried him into the cottage, applied re-

storatives and hastily summoned Dr. Walter C. Sheldon, but he died before the physician arrived.

Attorney Cassoday was graduated from the college of letters and science of the university in 1890, and from the college of law in 1892. He practiced in Madison for several years and then moved to Chicago, where he became prominent at the bar. He was the senior member of the firm of Cassoday & Butler, with offices at 314 Monadnock building, Chicago.

'00.

When the brave spirit of Sarah L. McGilvra flitted away on January 26, 1910, a host of friends mourned the loss of a young woman of strong influence.

After her graduation from the university in 1900, she taught for one year and a half in the West De Pere High school, finally resigning to go to Colorado in search of health. There she spent the greater part of six years. Two years ago she returned to Wisconsin to be with her mother at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Carow. Last summer she devoted herself to an invalid sister in Minnesota, thus overtaxing her strength and hastening the end.

No better tribute can be paid to her than the dedication of a little book made by the patients in a Denver sanitorium and presented to her upon her departure from there.

"To Sarah L. McGilvra, who is just and kind to all."

'00.

Ethel Dean Niven, wife of John M. Niven, died at Milwaukee on June 4, 1910, of typhoid fever.

'05.

Charles Gross Gratiot died at his home in Shullsburg, Wis., on May 20 after a brief illness with appendicitis. He was

engaged in the drug business at Shullsburg. He is survived by his wife, to whom he was married in 1909, and his parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. Gratiot. He was a prominent member of the Masonic, Eastern Star and Odd Fellows lodges. Interment was held in the family lot in Galena, Ill., on May 23, the Rev. Vischer officiating.

THE CLASSES

'73.

E. W. Hulse is a partner in the firm of Hulse and Hopkins, real estate, insurance and loans, Boulder, Colo. His residence is at 2427 Seventh St., Boulder.

George H. Noyes is counsel for the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Co. at Milwaukee.

'75.

A. J. Schmitz is a grandpa.

'80.

H. J. Desmond is counsellor-at-law at Milwaukee, his office being located at 846 Wells Bldg.

'82.

David F. Simpson has been nominated at the Minnesota Republican State convention for associate justice of the supreme court. He has been a circuit judge in Minneapolis for a dozen years or more.

'84.

Mrs. J. D. Rowland, Racine, is slowly recovering from a long and serious illness.

'86.

Carrie Morgan is superintendent of schools at Appleton, Wis.

Edwin H. Park is attorney and counsellor-at-law in Denver, Colo., his offices being located in the Ernest & Cranmer Bldg.

'87.

Mrs. Anna Palfry Copeland, '87, is teacher of English in the Wauwatosa, Wis., high school.

'89.

Annie A. Nunns, assistant librarian in the State Historical library, will spend the summer in England.

'90.

A. J. Hoskin, Boulder, Colo., could not attend the reunion of his class, but sent his sixteen-year-old daughter to represent his family.

'91.

Andrews Allen, consulting engineer for the Milwaukee Bridge & Iron Works, was recently elected an alumni member of Tau Beta Pi honorary engineering fraternity.

Prof. J. F. A. Pyre of the English department has been appointed assistant timer for the Poughkeepsie regatta. He has been granted a leave of absence from the university for the year 1910-11.

'93.

J. G. Wray, chief engineer of the Chicago Telephone Co., was recently elected an alumnus member of Tau Beta Pi honorary engineering fraternity.

'94.

Stephen A. Madigan of Madison is a candidate for the Republican nomination for county treasurer. He is at present engaged in the real estate business, and has had several years of experience in the banking business and as employe in the state treasury. He has resided in Madison since 1887.

Herman L. Ekern is senior partner in the law firm of Ekern and Eggum, Whitehall, Wis. The other partner is Ols J. Eggum, '04, ex-law '08.

'95.

Charles R. Frazier will be superintendent of schools at Everett, Wash., next year.

Farlin H. Ball is secretary of the Chicago Bar association.

'96.

Frank T. Tucker has announced his candidacy for the nomination to the office of attorney general at the primary election in September. His affiliations are with the Republican party. Mr. Tucker practiced law at Neillsville, was a member of the assembly in 1893-7, three years later state law examiner, and for the past four years has been assistant attorney general. He was secretary of the Republican state central committee in 1902-04.

'00.

T. S. Lyle saved the life of the coxswain of the Stanford crew at its recent race with Washington. Lyle was riding in one of the launches which was following the crews. When the Stanford boat swamped a mile from the start the coxswain was thrown in the water. Lyle plunged into the water with his clothes on and reached the drowning man as he was going down the third time.

Grace Dillingham, for nearly five years head of the English department of the Sheboygan High school, will go to Korea as a missionary in August under the auspices of the Cincinnati branch of the Women's Foreign Missionary society and will be a teacher in the native girl's high school at Seoul. She will spend the summer at her home in Passaic, N. J.

H. W. Adams is city attorney of Beloit, Wis.

Carl E. Fischer is in the lumber business at Springfield, Ore.

John Clarence Taylor is at present district manager for the territory tribu-

tary to Salt Lake of the Denver Rock Drill and Machinery Co.

E. F. Westmore, dean of the Spokane, Wash., College since its inception, has been nominated for president of the college.

'03.

Herbert D. Laube, for two years principal of the high school at Brodhead, Wis., has given up teaching to take up graduate work in political science in the University of Michigan.

Maurice Nichols is a member of the high school faculty at Oakland, Cal., his special field being botany. He recently paid a visit to a number of friends and relatives in Wisconsin, especially at Superior, Wis.

Emma Gertrude Jaeck received her Ph. D. degree at the University of Illinois on June 15. Miss Jaeck will be assistant in German during the summer session of the University of Illinois.

Francis Bray, principal of the Spring Green, Wis., high school, has accepted the position of superintendent of schools of Tomah, Wis.

W. J. Hagenah of Madison, statistician of the Wisconsin railroad commission for the past three years, has been named as the expert to assist the Chicago council committee on gas, oil and electric light in checking up the recent report of the Chicago Telephone company and in drawing up the new schedule of rates which the committee will present to the council.

Mr. Hagenah's selection was made by a subcommittee composed of Aldermen Pringle, Merriam and Long, delegated by the committee to secure expert help. Although only 30 years old Mr. Hagenah has had experience in public utility matters for ten years. Previous to taking a position with the Wisconsin railroad commission he was assistant commissioner of labor for the state, and

went to the railroad commission primarily to install a new accounting system of his own invention.

Because of his work with the railroad commission he recently was offered a position in Milwaukee, the work being to install a new accounting system for the city. He began his work in Chicago on June 20.

'04.

Willis Brindley has just been promoted to the position of manager of the Pacific Telegraph and Telephone Co. for the state of Washington, with headquarters at Seattle, at a salary of \$4,000 a year. For several years Mr. Brindley has been assistant manager of the same company at San Francisco.

Asa M. Royce of Superior was elected vice-president of the Superior and Duluth alumni association of Delta Tau Delta fraternity at a recent banquet and election of that organization.

Fola La Follette is touring the northwest, especially Minnesota and the Dakotas, making speeches in behalf of equal suffrage.

William F. Luebke has been awarded a fellowship in German at the University of Chicago for next year.

Mary and Lillian Evans left on June 30 on the steamer Saturnia for Europe. They are members of a party of high school teachers who intend to spend the summer abroad. They will visit chiefly the British Isles, and if possible will include also some traveling on the continent. They will return the latter part of the summer via New York.

Ole J. Eggum is junior partner in the law firm of Ekern and Eggum, Whitehall, Wis. The senior partner is Herman L. Ekern, '94.

NOTE.

Lack of space prevents our printing the news for the classes '05-'10 in this issue.—Ed.

A. B. CHASE

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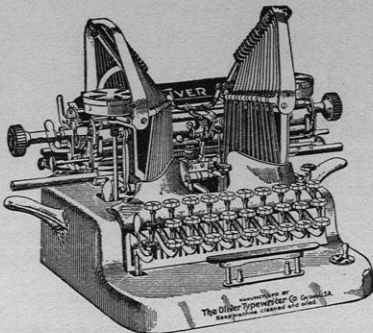
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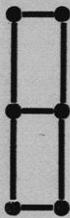
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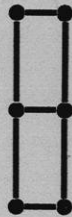
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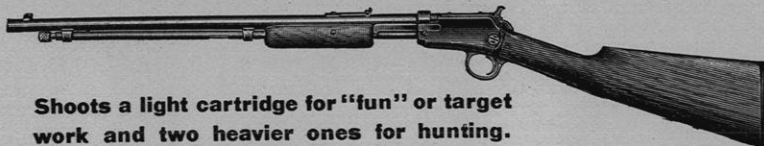
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