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Razing South College For Gymnasium Site

FOLLOWING a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees held in Philadelphia on April 9, the work of razing South College, to provide the site for the new gymnasium, began. The rear part of the structure is being taken down first.

A motion passed by the Executive Committee provided for the appointment of a Building Committee, which has been named to consist of L. T. Appold, Judge E. W. Biddle, president of the Board of Trustees; President Morgan, ex officio; Boyd Lee Spahr, and Charles K. Zug. This committee was authorized to arrange for the razing of South College; the preparation of plans and specifications for the gymnasium, and the securing of bids—subject to the approval of the Board of Trustees at the annual meeting at Commencement.

W. W. Emmart, Baltimore architect, met with the committee a week later and discussed the proposed plans. At this later meeting a motion was adopted that the size of the gymnasium floor be 54 x 96 feet and that seating accommodations be provided for 1,500 spectators. Mr. Emmart stated that the best seating arrangement would be to provide tiers of seats at the sides of the floor and with a gallery at one end. This will probably make the main gym floor 80 x 102 feet.

A third weekly meeting was held when members of the committee visited gymnasiums and athletic clubs near Philadelphia to study the architectural treatment of the various problems presented. Mr. Emmart also made a trip to Carlisle to examine the proposed site and its relation to West College as well as to discuss the expected needs with President Morgan and the athletic instructors. One result of this meeting was that there will probably be a room on the first floor which will have a dirt floor and will be devoted to track training during the winter season. This suggestion was made by Prof. F. E. Craver, who outlined the possible use and value of such a room.

The committee is unanimous in the opinion that the new gymnasium should be built of native limestone matching as nearly as possible Old West.

The proposed gymnasium playing floor at 54 x 96 feet will be the same size as that of the new Palestra of the University of Pennsylvania. The Building Committee also adopted a motion that the size of the swimming pool be 25 x 75 feet. The pool, locker and shower rooms will be on the first floor with the gymnasium on the second floor.

While this preparation for the new gymnasium is going forward a financial campaign is under way to secure \$150,000 from alumni. It is expected that twenty alumni will give \$5,000 each to provide \$100,000 while other alumni will contribute to a general fund of \$50,000 and the College will provide the balance necessary. The probable cost will be about \$200,000.

Originally the amount set to be raised was \$100,000, but this was realized to be inadequate to provide the large building which is needed, without a great drain on the finances of the College. It was pointed out in the meeting of the Executive Committee that if the College was required to underwrite a very large share of the cost that a curtailment in the further advancement of the present academic program might result. To avoid this, the desired sum has been set at \$150,000.

From the responses from the alumni who have been seen up to this time, there is every indication that many will avail

themselves of the privilege to make a great contribution to Alma Mater. It is firmly believed that \$150,000 will soon be pledged to this great project.

While the campaign will still be under way, President Morgan has authorized the statement that following the rule of the years there will be no solicitation for this purpose or any other purpose during Commencement.

The building as now planned is larg-

er than the one contemplated before the recent meetings of the committee, and the probable cost is correspondingly greater. At one time it was thought that the gymnasium would cost from \$125,000 to \$150,000. However, the committee has stated the needs to the architect and the desire to build of native limestone. The plans to meet these needs will certainly call for a building costing nearly \$200,000.

Mail Ballots in Annual Council Election

Ballots were mailed at Carlisle on April 30 to 956 members in the General Alumni Association and additional ballots were sent to those qualifying for them at later dates. To receive a ballot in the annual mail election to the Alumni Council, an alumnus must either be a Life Member of the association or have paid the dues of the current fiscal year, which extends from Commencement to Commencement.

The ballot contains the names of the ten alumni placed in nomination by the Nominating Committee, which was composed of Merkel Landis, '96; John M. Rhey, '83 and Lewis M. Bacon, '02. This committee met in Carlisle early in April and selected the ten nominees. Five of this number will be elected to the Alumni Council for the three year term ending in June 1930. The ten nominees follow:

Rev. F. F. Bond, D. D., '83, of Philadelphia, has been the diligent secretary of the '76-'86 Group and has been very largely responsible for the fine showing this delegation has made at recent Commencements. He is working faithfully for even a larger turnout this year.

Hon. E. M. Biddle, Jr., '86, following a brilliant career as an attorney, has been an outstanding judge on the bench of Cumberland County for several years. He was a member of the Council for a three year term which expired in 1926 and after a year's absence is eligible for re-election. His activity

as a member of Council during his term won his nomination.

Harry L. Price, '96, is an attorney of Baltimore where he has been interested in the welfare of the Dickinson Club.

Rev. Edgar R. Heckman, D. D., '97, is a member of the Central Pennsylvania Conference and pastor of the M. E. Church at Clearfield, Pa. He is heading 1897's 30th Reunion to be staged at Commencement.

George W. Cisney, '01, is a realtor in Brooklyn and Jamaica, New York. He is the father of Lenore Cisney, a member of the present College Freshmen class.

Harry L. Dress, '02, is a prominent attorney of Steelton, Pa., and an active member of the Dickinson Club of Harrisburg.

Henry F. Wile, '06, is associated with the Bell Telephone Company with offices in Philadelphia, until recently editor of the Bell Telephone News.

Elbert R. Nuttle, '09, is a Vice-president of the U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Company of Baltimore, Md.

F. E. Masland, Jr., '18, is General Manager of C. H. Masland & Sons, carpet and rug manufacturers of Carlisle. He is serving his third year as a member of the Alumni Day Committee.

Paul E. Beaver, '19, '21L, is an attorney of Altoona, Pa., where at present he is striving for the organization of a new club, the Dickinson Club of Altoona.

Come Back for Commencement

144th Commencement Program

JUNE 2—6, 1927

Reunion of all classes prior to '76; '76-'86; '87; '92; '97; '02; '07; '12; '17; '22; '25 and '26.

Social Day, Thursday, June 2

- 10.15 A. M. — Chapel
8-12 P. M. — Fraternities "At Home"

Class Day, Friday, June 3

- 10.15 A. M. — Chapel
2.00 P. M. — Senior Class Day Exercises
7.30 P. M. — Trustees Meeting
8.00 P. M. — Commencement Play—Dramatic Club

Alumni Day, Saturday, June 4

- 8.30 A. M. — Meeting of Phi Beta Kappa Society, Memorial Hall
10.00 A. M. — ANNUAL MEETING OF GENERAL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION IN OLD WEST
11.15 A. M. — Presentation of Gifts
11.45 A. M. — Induction of Senior Class
12.00 M. — ALUMNI LUNCHEON ON CAMPUS
1.30 P. M. — Student Assembly in Bosler Hall
1.45 P. M. — Alumni Parade Formation with Band at Old West
2.00 P. M. — ALUMNI PARADE
3.00 P. M. — Baseball—Dickinson vs. Gettysburg
5.30 P. M. — Fraternity and Class Banquets
8.30 P. M. — ALUMNI SING AT THE OLD STONE STEPS

Baccalaureate Day, Sunday, June 5

- 11.00 A. M. — Baccalaureate Services
Sermon by Rev. Edmund Davison Soper, D. D.,
of the Class of 1898, Vice-President of
Duke University
6.30 P. M. — Vesper Song Service—Old Stone Steps

Commencement Day, Monday, June 6

- 9.00 A. M. — Chapel Services and Class Advancements
10.00 A. M. — Commencement Exercises—Address by Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Assistant United States Attorney General

Predict Largest Attendance at Commencement

WITH reunion generals predicting large attendances by classes, and many other alumni sending the word "I'm Coming," there is every indication that the 144th Commencement will surpass those of recent years. The program will begin on the night of Thursday, June 2 and extend to noon of Monday, June 6, with Alumni Day on Saturday, June 4.

Alumni Day will be brimful of events with the alumni on the go every minute from early morning until late at night. The day will open for some with a meeting of Phi Beta Kappa at 8.30, but for all at 10 o'clock when the annual meeting of the General Alumni Association and the Alumni Council will be held in the Social Rooms of Old West. Immediately following this meeting, the College Band will give a concert on the campus, and then two class gifts will be presented by 1902 and 1907.

The impressive service of the induction of the Senior Class into the alumni ranks will take place about the flag pole on the campus at 11.45 and then the Alumni Luncheon will be staged. The Alumni Day Committee plans to hold this luncheon on the campus as was planned last year when rain forced the party indoors. A box luncheon, similar to last year's, is planned with added thrills and stunts.

There will be a student assembly at 1.30 in Bosler Hall and preparations for the Alumni Parade will begin at the same time.

With reunion classes in their new regalia and alumni decked out in the symbols of their class, bands playing and banners waving, the Pee-Rade will get under way from Old West at 2 o'clock. It will lead to Biddle Field where the alumni will watch the annual baseball game with Gettysburg.

Fraternity banquets will be held from 5.30 to 8 o'clock with the Alumni Sing on the Old Stone Steps at 8.30. A

1907 TO PRESENT GATE

During April, the College built a new stone wall along the campus on College Street. The wall was erected from the 1906 gate, presented at the last Commencement to the 1907 gate to be presented on Alumni Day at the forthcoming Commencement.

The foundations for the 1907 gate have been laid at the end of the pathway running from the William Lambert Gooding Gate presented by 1905 before East College and Old West to College Street. The 1907 gate will be completed by Commencement, it is intended, and it should be one of the most ornate of the memorial gateways.

committee is working out the features of the Sing and another delightful evening on the campus is predicted.

The plans and program for Alumni Day are in the hands of the Alumni Day Committee consisting of Merkel Landis, '96, chairman; Philip S. Moyer, '06; James H. Hargis, '13, and Frank E. Masland, Jr., '17. Dean Josephine B. Meredith will be in command of the Alumni Luncheon.

Rev. Edmund Davison Soper, D. D., '98, Vice-President of Duke University, will deliver the sermon at the Baccalaureate Services in the Allison M. E. Church on Sunday morning, June 5, at 11 o'clock. Vesper services will be held, weather permitting, at the Old Stone Steps in the evening at 6.30 o'clock, half an hour later than formerly.

There will be a chapel service for the student body on Monday morning, June 6 at 9.30 with class advancements announced at that time and the Commencement Exercises will open at 10 o'clock. This will permit alumni to

catch the 12.40 train from Carlisle for Harrisburg.

Mrs. Mabel Walker Willebrandt, Assistant United States Attorney General, will deliver the Commencement address at these Exercises.

Commencement will open officially on the evening of Thursday, June 2, when the fraternities will have "open house" with a dance in full swing at each chapter home.

Senior Class Day Exercises will take place Friday afternoon, June 3, and the Trustees of the College will hold their meeting at 7.30 o'clock in the evening. The Dramatic Club, under the direction of Prof. Wilbur H. Norcross, will present the Commencement play Leo Dietrichstein's three act farce comedy "Are You A Mason?" in Bosler Hall at 8 o'clock that evening.

Efforts are being made to round up a large representation of the living alumni prior to '76, and the '76-'86 Group is only waiting for the days of June to head for Carlisle. Dr. J. Fred Mohler says that 1887 will be on hand, and a number are expected from 1892. Rev. E. R. Heckman is rounding up '97.

Dean Hoffman doesn't lay many claims in advance except to say that 1902 will win the center of the stage from the opening gun and never lose it even though 1907 will be in full blast with a new gate to celebrate its 20th Reunion. The '02 gang famed for their noise, will surely be worth watching and should provide plenty to entertain the outside world.

With a large committee '07 has been making careful plans and may prove "the dark horse" and even show the way for '02. Paul Renn appointed a local 1912 Committee which will see to the events of the 15th Reunion and George Hering promises to round up his '17 warriors while '22 has a committee saying "We're five years old."

The Class of 1925 delighted with the success of its first reunion last year adopted a policy of holding a reunion every year and an effort will be made to

REGISTER IN OLD WEST

Your first duty on arriving in Carlisle for Commencement is to register in Old West. As in recent years, the registration room on the first floor will be Commencement headquarters.

You will find out what you want to know there.

Hotel or other accommodations will be listed there.

Tickets, when required, will be available there.

Your class headquarters will be known there.

When you register you will receive your Commencement button and the official program. Register first!

bring the gang back. The Class of 1926 will hold its first reunion with a lot to tell after battling the world a year.

Appoint Charles K. Zug to Council

Upon the resignation of Robert H. Richards, '95, from the Alumni Council recently, the Executive Committee of the General Alumni Association appointed Charles K. Zug, '80, banker of Philadelphia, to fill the vacancy. Mr. Zug will serve the unexpired term of Mr. Richards' which runs until June 1929.

Because of his inability to actively cooperate in the work of the Alumni Council, Mr. Richards tendered his resignation. The By-Laws of the Association provide in such cases that the Executive Committee appoint a successor.

Mr. Zug is an active member of the Board of Trustees, and serves on the Investment Committee and Building Committee for the new gymnasium. He is one of the enthusiastic supporters of '76-'86 and is usually present at Dickinson athletic contests in or near Philadelphia. His son, Richard is a student at the College.



LEMUEL TOWERS APPOLD, '82
President of the General Alumni Association of Dickinson College

President Appold Retires From Council in June

LEMUEL T. APPOLD, '82, who has been president of the General Alumni Association since its reorganization in 1923 will retire from the Alumni Council and the presidency of the association at the Commencement meeting on Alumni Day.

His retirement makes the election of Councilmen now under way very important for from the fifteen members of the Council as it will stand on Alumni Day, there will be elected his successor. The officers of the Association are elected by the Alumni Council following the meeting of the General Alumni Association.

Mr. Appold, who has been the man responsible for the development of the Alumni Association since its rebirth four years ago, finds it necessary to give up some activities outside of his business occupation. In withdrawing from the presidency, he will not lose interest in the welfare of the alumni association though the association will lose his active direction, but not his inspiration.

At an alumni meeting in 1922, Mr. Appold was elected "president of the alumni association" and afterward upon looking about he could not find what he had been elected to. In his usual thorough way, he at once decided that he was either going to be president of something or he wouldn't be president at all. He laid new foundations and proceeded to build up the General Alumni Association to its present strength.

Realizing that Dickinson needed an alumni magazine, upon his election in 1922 he asked for this first. Following conferences with the present editors and President J. H. Morgan, and a conference in which Carlyle R. Earp, '14, of Baltimore, had a part, it was concluded that the alumni would welcome a magazine and the present form of magazine, then proposed, was approved and the name designated as THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS. So firm was his conviction

that the magazine would mean much to the alumni association and the College, Mr. Appold agreed with President Morgan that he would pay half the cost of publishing the magazine the first year, if the College would pay the other half, the receipts from subscriptions and advertising to be deducted. Upon this basis the first number of THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS appeared in May, 1923, and while the Board of Trustees ratified the agreement at its June meeting of that year, the magazine quickly landed on its own feet through the fine response of the alumni.

With the future of the magazine bright, Mr. Appold then turned his attention to the formation of the General Alumni Association. At his call in November, 1923, a group of alumni met in Harrisburg and the first Alumni Council was formed and the Constitution and By-Laws were adopted. Since then, there has been a development of the alumni plan, imperfections have been ironed out, and the roster of the association has been increased while many have taken out Life Memberships. At the head of every plan and through every detail Mr. Appold has been the leader and active head.

Through his leadership, Alumni Day has been carefully planned and Commencement at Dickinson has held greater pleasures and more benefits to the alumni than ever before.

Early in his term as president, Mr. Appold advocated the Life Membership plan and he personally wrote many letters to increase the number of Lifers. As this number goes to press, there are 48 Life Members with the assurance that many more will sign up before Commencement and that a much higher total will be announced at the annual meeting of the Association. Mr. Appold also directed the members of the Alumni Council each year in writing to members of their classes and former college asso-

ciates who had not become members of the alumni association. In this way, he has directed the effort which has brought the total membership to more than 1,000.

While active in the affairs of the alumni association, Mr. Appold has been one of the most active members of the Board of Trustees of the College. He is a member of the Investment Committee, and also of the Building Committee for the new gymnasium for which he has been one of the leading sponsors. Early in the campaign for funds for this project when twenty men were sought to give \$5,000 each, the announcement was made that Mr. Appold would give \$20,000. His benefactions to the College in a monetary way have been great and it will be remembered that he presented Memorial Hall and McCauley Room, both in Old West.

Mr. Appold was born in Baltimore, Md., the son of Samuel and Susan C. Appold, January 27, 1862. He prepared for College at Stewart Hall, Baltimore. Entering in 1879, he was graduated with degree Ph.B. in 1882. He is a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity,

in which he has always maintained an active interest.

He entered the Law Department of the University of Maryland was graduated with the Class of 1885, and he was admitted to the Bar the same year. He practiced law until 1900, when he went to the Colonial Trust Company, of Baltimore, as vice-president and he still holds that position.

In 1900, Mr. Appold was appointed by the Governor of Maryland a director of the Rosewood State Training School and he is still a member of that Board. He is also a director of the Maryland Institute Art School and of the Baltimore General Dispensary. He is a trustee of the College, a trustee of the Baltimore Museum of Art and a member of the Baltimore Art Commission, and of the Board of Trustees of the Y. M. C. A. of Baltimore. He is a member of the Board of Managers of the Family Welfare Association of Baltimore.

Mr. Appold is active in the Dickinson Club of Baltimore and is a member of the University Club of that city and the Baltimore Country Club.

Form Dickinson Club in Nation's Capitol

Twelve Dickinsonians met in the Central Y. M. C. A. Building in Washington, D. C. on April 19 and formed the Dickinson Club of Washington, while another dozen wrote William R. Schmucker, '01, regretting their inability to be present.

Plans were laid for a meeting at 8 o'clock on May 24 when a buffet supper will be served. Alumni in or near Washington who will attend this meeting should communicate with Mr. Schmucker, 1736 G Street, Washington, D. C.

Brig. General Frank R. Keefer, '85, was elected President of Dickinson's youngest alumni club while Mr. Schmucker was named Secretary-Treasurer.

The following attended the organiza-

tion meeting: Jay W. Awl, '93; Russell T. Boswell, '84; Howison E. Hoover, '96; General Keefer, '85; W. R. Schmucker, '01; Fred L. Mohler, '14; Dr. W. F. Shenton, '07; Merle D. Protzman, '18; F. Estol Simmons, '23; E. H. Hamilton, '25; T. J. Frailey, '18L, and F. Leslie Hart, '26.

Many others will doubtless attend the meeting on May 24. Among those who were unable to attend the organization meeting and wrote the secretary were Rev. M. E. Swartz, '89; Hon. J. Banks Kurtz, '93; Frederick S. Stitt, '95; F. C. Daniel, '01; General James G. Steese, '02; Mrs. C. O. Appleman, '02; R. Y. Stuart, '03; C. O. Appleman, '03; Wm. H. Cheesman, '04; W. M. Hoffman, '07; Rev. F. B. Harris, '09 and Frank Steelman, '10.

Mrs. J. H. Morgan Dies Suddenly on Train

Mrs. Mary Curran Morgan, '88, wife of President J. H. Morgan, '11; and mother of Dr. Julia Morgan, '11; Mrs. Margaret McElfish, '14 and Rev. Hugh C. Morgan, '15, died suddenly aboard the morning train just after it left Carlisle on April 22. With Dr. Morgan she was seated in the train bound for Harrisburg where she was to attend a meeting of the Trustees of the Methodist Children's Home of which she was First Vice-president.

For several months, Mrs. Morgan had not been well and had suffered heart attacks. She seemed to have regained much of her strength just prior to her death and while she had greatly curtailed her activities, she devoted her energy to the things in which she was most interested. She had been greatly wrapped up in the work of the Children's Home and had proven to be an executive of unusual ability while possessed of rare knowledge of child welfare. As Chairman of the Committee on Admissions and Dismissals she had carried on a great part of the work of the Home. Her service to this institution brought the eulogy at her funeral from Rev. Dr. Morris E. Swartz, '89, that "she was a living sacrifice to the Children's Home."

Entering the train with their morning mail, Dr. and Mrs. Morgan sat together reading the letters they had received. Dr. Morgan gave his wife a letter to read and turning, he saw her head drop back. A physician was called and Dr. J. B. McCreary, of the Pennsylvania Health Department, a fellow passenger, responded. He pronounced her dead and her body was taken from the train at Mechanicsburg to an undertaking establishment.

Mrs. Morgan was born in Williamsport, Pa., April 28, 1867, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Hugh Asbury Curran. Her father was head of the Bloomsburg Normal School where she prepared for



MRS. J. H. MORGAN

College, which she entered in 1886. Two years later, she was graduated with the Class of 1888 and in 1891 she received the degree of Master of Arts.

On December 30, 1890, Dr. and Mrs. Morgan were married when he was Professor of Greek, and she graced his home as the wife of professor, dean and president of the College. Two daughters and a son, all Dickinsonians, survive their mother.

Dr. Julia Morgan, '11, the eldest, a medical missionary to China, had just gone through the war torn area of that country to a seaport when her mother died. She had cabled her father asking if her mother's health was such as would permit her to return home by way of

Europe instead of crossing the Pacific and he had replied in the affirmative when a few days later her mother died. Then Dr. Morgan did not know his daughter's whereabouts and could not advise her of what had happened.

Mrs. Margaret Morgan McElfish, wife of Russell C. McElfish, both of the class of 1914, was at her home in Edgewood, Pa., and came to Carlisle the day of her mother's death.

Rev. Hugh C. Morgan, '15, was attending classes in education at Columbia University where he is a student during his period of furlough from his own missionary work in China, when the word reached him. His wife, who has just returned with him and their two children from the foreign field, had been stopping at the President's home for several weeks and plans now to be there for some time.

While Mrs. Morgan had held many positions in the church, civic and educational circles of Carlisle, she was president of the Carlisle Chapter of the American Association of University Women, secretary of the Fortnightly Club, a member of the Civic Club, and a trustee of the Methodist Children's Home at the time of her death.

The various social and athletic events scheduled for the week-end were immediately cancelled by the students upon hearing of Mrs. Morgan's death. The College and Law School closed at noon on April 25 when in the afternoon funeral services were held in the Allison M. E. Church and interment was made in Ashland Cemetery.

Rev. J. W. Skillington, '08, pastor of the Allison Church, was in charge of the service there. Rev. J. E. Skillington, '05, offered the prayer, while the scripture lesson was read by the Rev. J. Howard Ake, Superintendent of the Sunbury District. Rev. M. E. Swartz, '89, a colleague of Mrs. Morgan's, and president of the Board of Trustees of the Children's Home, delivered the message while Dean Mervin G. Filler made an address in behalf of the faculty.

Phi Beta Kappa Dinner

The Faculty of the College tendered a dinner at the Molly Pitcher Hotel on April 13 in honor of three seniors elected a short time previously to Phi Beta Kappa and in recognition of the Fortieth Anniversary of the Alpha (Dickinson) Chapter of the Society in Pennsylvania. Twenty-three students who received the grade of "A" in the First Semester were guests at the dinner.

President J. H. Morgan acted as toastmaster and presented the golden Phi Beta Kappa Keys to the three seniors. They were Helen M. Bowser, Altoona; Mary A. Brightbill, Harrisburg, and Paul D. McNamee, Steelton.

The Alpha Chapter of the Phi Beta Kappa Society of Pennsylvania was founded on April 13, 1887, and the dinner was held on the fortieth anniversary. A feature of the dinner was that Lahman F. Bower, the only survivor of the three charter members, was one of the speakers. Two members of the class of 1887, the Reverend J. B. Stine, Secretary of the Board of Philanthropies of the Central Pennsylvania Conference, and Professor J. Fred Mohler were speakers. Dean Mervin G. Filler, vice-president of the chapter, also delivered an address.

Wins \$3,000 Travel Fellowship

Dr. Helen L. Witmer, '19, was recently awarded a \$3,000 fellowship by the Council for Research in the Social Subjects of Columbia University to study the effects of social insurance on pauperism in England. She intends to sail for England about the middle of July.

Following her graduation in 1919, Dr. Witmer taught for two years and received her Master's and Doctor's degrees in 1923 and 1925 respectively from the University of Wisconsin. During the past winter she has been at the University of Minnesota where she did research work under the Rockefeller Foundation and the University.

Carnegie Corporation Gives Art Collection to College

The Carnegie Corporation of New York has awarded an art collection to the College of considerable value, according to an announcement recently received by President Morgan. It is not known exactly what form the award will take and the full value of it cannot now be set in dollars.

For some years, the Carnegie Corporation has carried on two enterprises in the field of the arts designed to relieve, first, the shortage in adequately prepared teachers of art, and, second, the inadequacy of teaching material. It is to provide teaching material that the award has been made to Dickinson College.

The only conditions are that we make use of it for teaching, and that a well-lit room be provided for the collection and also serve as an art center.

While each set may consist of the following, it has not yet been stated what will comprise the collection awarded to the College:

"About 1,800 photographic reproductions of architecture, sculpture, and painting, of which more than one-fourth are in color.

"Two small collections of original material, one of prints and one of textiles.

"A collection of books, about 400 volumes in all, intended to provide instructors and undergraduates with a small, well-balanced library for the study of the fine arts, supplementing the work of the class-room and furnishing an opportunity to follow up personal interests.

"An annotated catalogue which, from the point of view of printing and preparation, is in itself an admirable example of the graphic arts."

The value of the collection is indicated in the statement of the Carnegie Corporation: "Today 97 of the 146 liberal arts colleges on the list of the Association of American Universities offer courses in art, but in very few of them is the equipment comparable in range, quality, or selection, to that used in teaching the other subjects of the undergraduate curriculum. The present collections are far from perfect, as none know better than those who made the selection, but at least they are based upon competent group judgment and have had the benefit of special services upon which no single institution could call, and it is believed that they have demonstrated that a representative collection of material can be brought together at a moderate cost."

To Seek Republican Nomination

Prof. Fred S. Reese, of the Law School faculty, and Clarence D. MacGregor, '09, Carlisle attorney, have announced that they will be candidates for the office of District Attorney of Cumberland County. John E. Myers, '12, '13L, the present incumbent who was elected on the Democratic ticket, has stated that he will not be a candidate.

Prof. Reese practices law and is associated with A. M. Bowman, '06L in the firm of Bowman and Reese. Mr. MacGregor was a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace of Carlisle a few years ago.

Becomes Railroad Counsel

W. Alfred Valentine, '01L, of Wilkes-Barre, Pa., has been appointed general counsel for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the district including Luzerne and Lackawanna counties, according to an announcement made by the Board of Directors of the railroad.

While a comparatively young man, Mr. Valentine has made great strides in the profession of the law and is now looked upon as one of the leading attorneys in Northeastern Pennsylvania. He is on the Board of Incorporators of the Dickinson Law School.

Scholarship And Lifers Announced By Baltimore Club

THE establishment of a Baltimore Club Scholarship and the fact that six Baltimore alumni had become Life members in appreciation of the untiring work of L. T. Appold, '82, in the interest of the alumni, were announced at the annual reunion and dinner of the Dickinson Club of Baltimore held in Emerson Hotel on the evening of April 1. Sixty-two alumni and friends were present from Baltimore, points in Maryland, Washington and New York City.

The morning following the dinner the Baltimore Sun carried an advertisement announcing the scholarship of \$350 to send a deserving young man from Baltimore to Dickinson every year and stating the conditions of the grant. By a peculiar coincidence, an identical advertisement appeared in the same column of the newspaper offering a \$250 scholarship at Harvard University by the Harvard Club of Baltimore. Seven Baltimore lads have applied for the Dickinson scholarship.

Another unusual feature of the dinner of this active club was contained on a printed card hanging back of the speakers' table telling the story that six Baltimore alumni had become Life Members in the General Alumni Association in honor of Mr. Appold, who retires as president at the Commencement meeting. This announcement when read was greeted by an ovation to Mr. Appold, who was present at the dinner. The six new Lifers were as follows: J. Henry Baker, '93; Harry L. Price, '96; Carl F. New, '02; S. M. Drayer, '02; Benson B. Boss, '08; Carlyle R. Earp, '14.

Carlyle R. Earp, President of the Club, was toastmaster at the dinner and presented President Morgan and Gilbert Malcolm, who spoke on the present prosperity and the alumni activities of Dickinson. The invocation offered by Rev. James C. Nicholson, '77, of Frostburg, Md.

Frederick Brown Harris, '09, pastor

A GROWING FUND

With the addition of six new Life Members, announced at the Baltimore dinner the total number of Life Memberships in the General Alumni Association jumped to 48. This brought the fund held by the trust company to \$1,920.00.

Many alumni have said that they would become Lifers, and they are urged to send in checks before Commencement to THE DICKINSON ALUMNUS, so that their subscriptions may be announced at the annual association meeting on Alumni Day.

of Foundry Church, Washington, delivered an address, "Paying Our Bills," in his usual eloquent manner.

Edwin H. ("Zeb") Linville, '81, who made the trip from New York to attend the reunion, was the subject of much wholesome fun when the title, K.C.B.—King of the Come-Backs, was conferred upon him in recognition of his attendance at Commencement and Dickinson functions everywhere.

Clarence M. Shepherd, '10, added much to the enthusiasm of the dinner-reunion by his lively leading of college cheers and songs.

The new officers of the Baltimore club are: President, Homer M. Repass, '17; Vice-president, Clarence M. Shepherd, '10; and Secretary-Treasurer, Foster H. Fansen, '15, '15L.

Pittsburgh Alumni Meet

Reported by R. R. McWhinney, '15

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Pittsburgh was held on April 16, at 12:30 P. M. in a private dining room at Kaufmann's Department Store. The dinner was attended by a group of about twenty-five enthusiasts who

gathered together from Pittsburgh and the surrounding suburbs.

The dinner was presided over by William A. Jordan, Esq., who made a most interesting address and then called upon all of the alumni present to make brief speeches. The remarks of all showed the feeling of pride in being an alumnus of our ancient and honorable institution.

The election of officers for the coming year was then entered into and the following were unanimously elected: Russell McElfish '14, President and Mrs. Carl I. Miller, Secretary. After a long session of animated conversation with the doings at Carlisle as the central theme, the guests all departed with the spirit of Dickinson kindled anew.

Philadelphia Club Banquets

The annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Philadelphia was held at the Penn Athletic Club March 25. Fifty-five alumni of the College and Law

School attended the affair. Thomas S. Lanard, again capably acted as toastmaster.

Talks were given by Prof. W. H. Hitchler of the Law School, President Morgan, Judge E. W. Biddle, President of the Board of Trustees, Charles K. Zug, Boyd Lee Spahr, Gilbert Malcolm, and several others.

Harry McKeown added greatly to the enjoyment of the evening by his reading from his own book of Dickinson verses.

After some discussion, those present voted that next year's dinner should also be 'stag.'

In recognition of his work as Chairman of the Dinner Committee, Ralph Umsted, was elected President of the Club for the ensuing year. As Vice-Presidents, Everett E. Borton of Wilmington, and Paul Renn were elected, while George Hering, of Wilmington, was elected Sec.-Treasurer.

Prominent Officials Attend Wilkes-Barre Dinner

Officials high in the public life of Luzerne and Lackawanna Counties and in Pennsylvania attended the annual Dickinson banquet in the Hotel Sterling, Wilkes-Barre, Pa., on February 24. W. M. Curry, '93, '95L, Scranton attorney, was toastmaster and after short speeches from Prof. W. H. Hitchler, representing the College, and Gilbert Malcolm, representing the College, he assigned "Safe and Insane Subjects" to the dignitaries present.

"Am I a Lieutenant in the Organization?" was the topic assigned to Lieutenant Governor Arthur H. James, while E. Foster Heller, president judge of Luzerne County Orphans' Court talked on "Personal Experiences, Chiefly with Widows, sometimes with Orphans," and Joseph E. Fleitz, of Pennsylvania's Workmen's Compensation Board spoke on "Compensation and its Ramifications."

Judge John S. Fine was accused of "high-hatting" the local alumni and was

presented with a silk topper, and then presented his own defense in a lively speech. Others who spoke briefly were Harry A. Kolb and John Memolo, assistant district attorneys of Lackawanna County; Roscoe B. Smith and Herman Goldberg, assistant district attorneys of Luzerne County.

Robert Powell, Jr., an official of the Woodlawn Dairy Co. of Philadelphia and Wilkes-Barre, who said that as "Bob Powell" he was one of the "ringers" of athletic teams of by-gone days, was present and made an address. He urged the alumni to encourage only qualified students to enter College and spoke against the policy of bolstering athletic teams by "ringers."

Anthony T. Walsh sang "X.T.C" accompanied by O. Francis Mackin and "Tony" led the chorus singing while an orchestra furnished the music. The committee in charge was Herman Goldberg, W. B. Brubaker, Anthony T. Walsh and Leo. J. Schwartzkopf.

EDITORIAL

PRESIDENT APPOLD'S RETIREMENT

THE retirement of L. T. Appold as president of the General Alumni Association is a loss to the association of vast proportions. Mr. Appold has been the outstanding apostle of more and still more alumni interest in Dickinson. Without him, the association could not have made a trifle of its progress. Only consideration for the self-effacement of the man justifies a refusal to record in detail the long list of contributions of purse and service he has made to the association since its rebirth some years ago.

To his energy and leadership and more *THE ALUMNUS* owes its existence, a magazine devoted to the alumni interests of Dickinson was long in his mind as an essential part of any aggressive alumni movement. It was never run in his interest. He would have scorned the suggestion. He never claimed an equity in it though in law he might. Always as now it was and is the property of the alumni, which is to him his great satisfaction.

Mr. Appold retires of his own volition. Happily, he shall not lose interest. That is unthinkable. The organized alumni movement will have his counsel if not his active direction. To the association that is reassuring. The association has no honors adequate for his service, no medals worthy of his rank as a zealous, helpful alumnus, but it can elect him its Honorary President for life and less than that it cannot afford to do and demonstrate its gratitude.

MRS. MORGAN'S DEATH

THE shockingly sudden death of Mrs. Morgan as she sat beside her husband, the President, in a railroad train, is bound to cause sorrow in alumni circles generally. While Mrs. Morgan was not known by all living alumni, she belonged to the family of Dickinsonians by graduation and marriage, and a break in the family circle is bound to affect one way or another all its members.

As a graduate and as the help-meet of the President, Mrs. Morgan brought distinction to Dickinson. She was active in the affairs of college women nationally, while the borough of Carlisle profited much culturally by her leadership in many local movements.

To the President and his family, *THE ALUMNUS*, acting for the alumni body, extends its sympathy.

BALTIMORE'S SCHOLARSHIP

THE Dickinson Club of Baltimore, perhaps the daddy of all alumni clubs, set a high standard for its fellows at its annual dinner this year when it established a \$350 scholarship, open to any freshman entering Dickinson preferably from Baltimore.

And if that were not enough to reveal the genuine loyalty of the club, six members of it in honor of Mr. L. T. Appold, a fellow-member and president of the General Alumni Association, took out life memberships in the association.

To any Dickinsonian or friend of the college these demonstrations of substantial loyalty and devotion to alma mater are most gratifying. The scholarship is especially noteworthy, it being the first created by any Dickinson alumni organization and certain to add to the prestige of Dickinson's name in Baltimore.

and vicinity. It was rather a happy coincidence that the very issue of the Baltimore newspapers that announced that Harvard alumni had established a scholarship also carried the news that Dickinson was no less active and aggressive in alumni interest.

This is a service to which any alumni club can address itself with credit. If a group of Dickinsonians can maintain an active organization and keep alive interest, it does much, but if to that it can add some material thing such as the Baltimore group has just done, it renders still greater service to the college.

ALUMNI CLUB ROSTER GROWING

THE ALUMNUS' elation over the organization of the Dickinson Club of Washington, D. C., is certain to be shared by every graduate and friend of the College who sees the great advantage and real necessity of these outposts of alumni activities.

Formation of such units has long been urged and encouraged by the officers of the General Alumni Association as another step in arousing new interest in the College and of enlisting additional reinforcements for its welfare. New clubs have been slow to come into being but if they come surely, the result will be achieved.

With the Washington club and its immediate predecessor, the West Branch club covering the Williamsport-Jersey Shore-Lock Haven district, the roster of alumni organizations jumps to nine. There are thriving clubs at Baltimore, Philadelphia, Wilkes-Barre, Scranton, Harrisburg, Pittsburgh and Carlisle in addition to the two just mentioned. This is not a bad showing for a small college with but 3,000 on its alumni roll and these widely scattered.

One looks forward now with less impatience to the next logical step of a federation of alumni clubs with a consciousness of that power and opportunity to do great things for Dickinson and which through delegate conferences can adopt policies expressive of alumni viewpoints and so cooperate in the development of a better Dickinson.

THE 144TH COMMENCEMENT

"EVERY year in higher gear, Dickinson Commencements grow better and better" might parrot some alumni wag and be well within the truth if not the literary proprieties. The 1927 Commencement bids fair to go a notch or two higher. This is the reunion year of several classes which have unusual amounts of class spirit and the indications are for a large display of it in June. But perhaps more important is the fact that the momentum of Commencement is carrying with it not merely reunion classes but all graduates and former students.

Alumni Day this year bids fair to go better than before. That assures for every returning Dickinsonian a day of interest and satisfaction. Alumni, who have not returned to the campus in the last half dozen years, need to be reminded that no longer does attendance at Commencement mean a listless amble about the campus for lack of companionship. The program today is too bristling full of events to permit loneliness for anybody.

There are graduates doubtless who never return to alma mater. Where this absence is voluntary, it is pitifully shortsighted. A man who can attend college and then forget about it is a curious creature. A man who at commencement time in June does not feel an urge to get back to the campus has a queer complex. None of these cases is incurable. It is easy to get rid of the curse. One treatment will do it. If there are any Dickinsonians needing it, come back to Commencement in June and be cured.

Mastering New Tasks For Development

"IT WAS too easy. When a man's job is conquered, he begins to grow old. Every year devoted to something mastered is a backward step of six months."

In this spirit of the troubadour, Virgil Prettyman, Dickinson '92 tossed his doctor of pedagogy degree into his desk drawer, left behind him a brilliant record as headmaster of one of New York's best known private schools for boys and began instructing shirt salesmen. Having "conquered" that job, he turned to a high executive position with one of the largest of New York City's building and real estate corporations. His success there continues to be the comment of realtors and other business men.

When Dr. Prettyman, after a quarter century with the Horace Mann School, the direct preparatory school for Columbia University, resigned, New York newspapers found excellent "copy" in the action. It was news for where else could be found a man who had prepared for a life of school teaching, took at the age of 21 a school with 150 pupils enrolled in one building, developed a plant of half a dozen buildings and a student body of more than 1,000, became a notable figure in educational circles not only in New York City but beyond and then in middle-life cast it all aside, for a business career, more specifically to "coach" a lot of shirt sellers in salesmanship?

As a matter of fact such cases were rare and so Dr. Prettyman figured much in the public prints. In an editorial of the time the New York Mail said:

The reason why Virgil Prettyman resigned the principalship of Horace Mann School is interesting, apart from the evident fact that one of the city's most prominent and successful educators has elected in middle life to enter a new occupation because of the meager compensation offered in the field to which he had devoted himself for a quarter of a century.



VIRGIL PRETTYMAN, '92

This is the way Mr. Prettyman spoke to an Evening Mail reporter the other day of the decisive reason that induced him to enter business life in an executive position in the textile industry at a time when most men regard their path in life too rigidly determined to permit any digression from it:

"It was no impulse that prompted me to resign from Horace Mann. The school and I have grown up together. To leave the boys, the grounds and association was a wrench to my heart strings. It was an assured position, a very comfortable home went with it, and subway crowds had no part in my life. That is why I resigned. It was too easy. When a man's job is conquered, he begins to grow old. Every year devoted to something mastered is a backward step of six months."

In this interesting statement Mr. Prettyman, who we are sure will do very well in his new occupation, put into a few words the spirit that made America possible; the spirit that has led millions of pioneers since the historic voyage of the Mayflower across the ocean to help build up a new civilization.

Dr. Prettyman's executive position in the textile industry was salesmanager of the Manhattan Shirt Company. With-

in two years he had reorganized and rebuilt that phase of the business and was ready for a new one. It came and in the organization of a former student of his at Horace Mann, Fred F. French, one of the outstanding builders of Greater New York. Dr. Prettyman is president of the Fred F. French Investment Co., president of the Fred F. French Security Company and vice-president of the parent concern, the Fred F. French Company.

When Dr. Prettyman stepped off the campus at Carlisle in June 1892, perhaps the farthest from his thoughts was his present station in the business life of the nation's largest city, for in addition to his interests with the French company, he is also treasurer of the Imperial Machine and Foundry Company.

Dr. Prettyman bears a name with the Dickinson imprint on it. His father is the Rev. Dr. C. W. Prettyman of the class of '72. Dr. C. William Prettyman, '91, head of the German department of the faculty, is his brother.

Townsend, Delaware, was Dr. Prettyman's birthplace, March 13, 1874. Naturally he matriculated at Dickinson, graduating with an A. B. in '92 to acquire an A. M. in '95 and to be awarded his Ped. D. in 1905. He was elected Phi Beta Kappa. His fraternity was Beta Theta Pi. Between 1894 and 1897 he was a graduate student at Harvard and Columbia. On March 23 of the latter year he and Miss Lulu Reedy of Milford, Del., were married. They have two sons, Lambert and Virgil.

Horace Mann School elected Dr. Prettyman its principal in 1895. It was a coeducational institution at the time and he served it with amazing success until 1914. At that time the Horace Mann School for Boys was created and a fine plant established farther uptown. He was elected headmaster and remained so until 1920 when he began his "great adventure" into business. During twenty of these years with Horace Mann, he was director of Camp Moosi-

lauke in the foothills of the White Mountains.

As a school man he was active in many educational lines. He was a member of the National Education Association, president of the New York Schoolmaster's Association, 1904-5, president Principal's Athletic Council 1905-10, of the Private Schools Athletic Association of New York City, 1915-18 and of the Association of Colleges and Schools of the Middle States and Maryland, 1918-19. He also found time to write a text book being co-author of Inglis & Prettyman's First Book in Latin, published in 1906.

As a member of the editorial board of the house organ of his concern, Dr. Prettyman writes an occasional article. In these it is apparent he is getting a "kick" out of his new job and has no regrets over tossing aside the "hickory stick" of the schoolmaster. However he is still teaching. In a recent article on what factors should be considered by any person in making a business association, he says: "First, the leader; second, the field of industry covered by the business; third, the method of conducting the business, fourth the opportunity to render human service."

Host to Wyoming Conference

The seventy-sixth session of the Wyoming Annual Conference was held April 6-11, 1927, in the First Methodist Episcopal Church of Oneonta, N. Y., of which John W. Flynn '09 is pastor. Bishop Charles Wesley Burns of the class of 1896 presided. The following Dickinsonians, all members of the Conference, with Bishop Burns held a Dickinson reunion Saturday, April 9th:—Judson N. Bailey '97, Clark Calkendar '94, William E. Webster '04, Berthier W. Dix '05, Ivan L. Snyder '10 and John W. Flynn '09.

The Dickinsonians motored to Cooperstown for dinner and then around Otsego Lake, a new sight for some of the party.

Basketball Five Will Meet Leading Teams of East

The most pretentious schedule ever arranged for a Dickinson team is being planned for the 1928 basketball season by Manager W. R. Hitchens with the approval of the Athletic Committee. The quintet will meet the leading teams of the East when in addition to the usual fives on the schedule, games will be played with Princeton, Army, Navy, Pennsylvania and Columbia.

The records of the teams developed by Coach MacAndrews warrants a stout schedule for any season. His charges have set up a record of six years without a defeat on the home floor. Two year ago, his men defeated Princeton, and they have defeated Pennsylvania twice in the past four years. The victory this year marked the first extra-period contest in Penn's new Palestra.

Two games will be played with Gettysburg, Franklin and Marshall, Mt. St. Mary's and Temple under home and home agreements and there will be other single games on the 1928 schedule. The tentative dates for the games with major opponents follow:

- Dec. 10—Princeton at Princeton
- Jan. 7—Army at West Point
- “ 25—Penn at Philadelphia
- Feb. 1—Navy at Annapolis
- “ 25—Columbia at New York

Mac's charges won twelve games and lost four during the past season while his 1926 team won fifteen and lost two. The victory over Pennsylvania and two victories over Gettysburg and F. & M. stand out in the season's record.

Fred Sweely, who scored 210 points of the 554 scored by Dickinson players in the past season, has been elected captain of next year's team. He shot 74 field goals and 62 fouls in collecting his 210 points.

Captain Gallagher, Potamkin and Goldberg will be lost by graduation, but a first string five will be available immediately with a corps of good substitutes and several promising candidates from this year's Freshmen team.

Coach MacAndrews should be able to place one of his strongest teams on the floor next year.

Baiz, Bowes and Tripician, stellar performers on this year's team with Capt. Sweely will form the nucleus for next year's five.

Runners Capture Honors at Relays

Reported by Coach F. E. Craver

At the University of Pennsylvania relay carnival on April 30 the Red and White carried off the honors in the Class B Championship of the Middle Atlantic States Association. The quartette consisting of Fred J. Schmidt, Walter E. Gunby, Ralph S. Krouse and James E. Taylor made up the fastest team sent out from Dickinson for several years, although the time of the race 3-36 $\frac{3}{5}$ was rather slow due to the downpour of rain during the day of the meet.

The race from the outset developed into a struggle for supremacy between Dickinson and Manhattan. At the end of the first quarter Dickinson was leading by nearly ten yards, and this lead was somewhat greater as Gunby cornered the line at the end of the second relay. A hitch between our second and third runners in passing the baton lost most of the lead and at the three quarter mile post Manhattan was out in front with a margin that might have proved decisive had it not been for the magnificent running of our anchor man Taylor who gradually cut down Manhattan's lead and in the home stretch passed the New Yorker to bring victory to the Red and White. Trailing the Manhattan runner was the representative of Muhlenberg. Fourth place was won by Franklin and Marshall.

The present generation of Dickinson students has achieved a record never before equalled by our representatives on the cinder path. Running in the same championship race for these four

years our teams have twice won the highest honors and twice finished in second place. Since this race is open to not less than twelve members of the Middle Atlantic States Association it is evident that Dickinson has secured more than her share of the laurels.

Baseball Nine Losing

The baseball team has played but two games this season up to the time this number goes to press, resulting in defeats at the hands of Penn State by the score of 7 to 1 and Lafayette to the tune of 12 to 2.

The weatherman has been taking most of the proposed games into his camp. Games with Bucknell, F. & M., and Haverford have been cancelled owing to rain or wet grounds. Coach MacAndrews appears to have a stronger nine this year though future games will determine this.

Carlislars to Have Party

The Dickinson Club of Carlisle is planning an annual dinner to be held in May at the Molly Pitcher Hotel. It will likely be staged the night of May 20 with the winning basketball team of the past season and the relay team, which just won first place at the Penn Relays as the guests of honor. Jacob M. Goodyear will act as chairman of the committee, with C. D. MacGregor as secretary.

Advocates Better Schools

Last year the Governor of Delaware appointed George S. Williams, '00, of Millsboro, Del., a member of the State Board of Education, he was elected President of that body when they organized.

The recent session of the Delaware legislature adopted a program to spend \$2,000,000 for the next year to build school buildings. Mr. Williams is given much of the credit for this legislation. He has been energetic in a campaign for better schools in Delaware.

New York Clubs Active

Nearly 100 Dickinsonians attended the annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of New York at the Hotel Pennsylvania on March 11. President J. H. Morgan was present and made an address.

Other speakers and their subjects were: Dr. F. T. Baker, '85, "The New Spirit in the Colleges"; Thomas J. Towers, '04, "Preparation for Law"; Dr. Herbert N. Shenton, '06, "Why Dickinson?"; Dr. Edwin L. Earp, '95, "Education and Morality"; and Dr. J. Lane Miller, '06, "Our Unappreciated Yesterday."

The following officers were reelected: President, Clarence Grant Cleaver, '94; Vice-President, Dr. J. Lane Miller, '06; Secretary Lloyd W. Johnson '03; and Treasurer, Frank H. Hertzler, '98.

Dean Josephine B. Meredith was the guest of honor and the principal speaker at a luncheon of the Dickinson Alumnae Club of New York at the Allerton on February 12.

14th Annual Harrisburg Dinner

The 14th annual dinner of the Dickinson Club of Harrisburg was held in the University Club on March 15 with about 60 Dickinsonians in attendance. Arthur H. James, '04L, who had just become Lieutenant Governor of Pennsylvania was the guest of honor and he made an address in which he stressed law enforcement.

Dr. C. William Prettyman, of the College faculty, represented the College at the dinner and made an address contrasting the institution of fifteen years ago with the present day.

Carl B. Shelley, who was chairman of the banquet committee, acted as toastmaster and was elected president of the club for the following year. The other officers chosen were: Vice-President, George V. Hoover and Secretary-Treasurer, J. Paul Rupp.

A Notable Book By A Dickinsonian

Reviewed By Professor Leon C. Prince

One of the books recently issued by the George H. Doran Company, "The English of the Pulpit" bears the name of Lewis H. Chrisman of the class of 1908 as its author. Dr. Chrisman is Professor of English Literature in West Virginia Wesleyan College, author of a previous collection of brilliant essays under the caption "John Ruskin, Preacher," a frequent contributor to the better class of periodical literature, and one of the most widely and favorably known men in his state. The writer recalls him as one of his early students outstanding even then for vigor and independence of mind, originality of thought and unusual command of the mother tongue. A few years ago Dickinson in voluntary recognition of his meritorious record conferred upon Professor Chrisman the honorary degree of Litt. D.

"The English of the Pulpit" is a title which must excite the curiosity and interest of the clergyman anxious to improve his spoken style and to enhance the effectiveness of the Gospel presentation. Its contents will unquestionably reward his study.

Of all forms of public address the sermon is easily first in importance, having to do with the greatest themes, and probably first in popularity, being heard by the greatest number Sunday after Sunday, year in and year out. The automobile may lure many away from the House of God, but it brings just as many to the House of God. If the

radio has subtracted from church attendance it has added to home worship. An invisible and unidentified multitude "listen in" every Sunday morning to preachers whom they never saw probably never will see. How to put a sermon across is a problem that ought to be the main and ceaseless concern of the modern pulpiteer at whose disposal traditional custom, religious habit and the facilities of invention have placed the physical means of reaching a vast congregation, and move him to tireless effort to perfect himself in the art of winning men to Christ through the skilled use of the spoken word whose range and impact have been so highly potentialized.

Dr. Chrisman's book would be valuable to any speaker who addresses audiences of whatever character, since the underlying elements of all effective speech are identical, but the principles so ably and luminously discussed by Dr. Chrisman are here applied specifically to the sermon and designed particularly to help the sermonizer. Clearness, simplicity and force are analyzed by a master of all three, and illustrated by admirably selected specimens from pulpit orators of acknowledged primacy. "The English of the Pulpit" is practical, concrete, helpful, entirely free from the pedantry which is the usual disfigurement of scholarship. It fills a need, and this is more than can be said of the great bulk of shelf-filler which tumbles from our presses.

Co-Author of Book on History

A. O. Roorbach, '20 with Dr. J. Lynn Barnard, director of social studies of the State of Pennsylvania, is author of "Epochs of History" a text-book just off the press of Henry Holt and Co. Mr. Roorbach is a teacher in the William Penn high school, Harrisburg.

The book has 764 pages and is "a text-book of the new World History, a

world survey in ten consecutive but overlapping epochs. The epochs deal with early civilization, the Greco-Roman influence, the age of fusion, feudalism, the era of enlightenment, absolutism and colonial expansion, the century of political revolution, the age of scientific progress and social reform, imperialism with its conflict and the new internationalism.

1907 to the Fore in Scientific Literature*

Wilson D. Wallis, 1907, has made a distinct and valuable contribution to the popularization of specialized knowledge. "An Introduction to Anthropology" is a fascinating study in human development by a scholar of high professional standing who is not only thoroughly acquainted with this subject but skilled in the art of lucid and attractive presentation.

Mr. Wallis thinks and writes with an open mind. His treatment is original, comprehensive, sane and stimulating. Popular conception of anthropology confines it to the dead past and covers its content with dust many centuries deep. Mr. Wallis makes the subject live. His handling of primitive ethics, for example, vitalizes ethical concepts of today. His treatment of primitive luxuries, necessities, hospitality and entertainment throws light from the old

upon the new and makes clear the old living in the new.

Within the limits of a work of this size one could not expect detailed theory with organized findings as extensive as might be desired. The book is informative rather than theoretical. The lay mind is susceptible to plausible appeal and easily accepts imperfect hypotheses defended by skillful manipulation of facts. But Professor Wallis, buttressed by a broadly learned mind and finely equipped storehouse of knowledge, has avoided this danger. We must be stimulated in knowing the "That" even if we do not find satisfaction of our curious demands "Why?" and "How?"

The book is splendidly indexed and copiously supplied with bibliography, two features specially required in a work of this character.

*An Introduction to Anthropology by Wilson D. Wallis, Professor of Anthropology in the University of Minnesota. Harper and Bros., New York, 1927. \$3.75.

Rebuilding Shakespeare Memorial

Universities, colleges and preparatory schools throughout the United States are responding eagerly to an appeal for funds to rebuild the Shakespeare Memorial Theatre at Stratford-upon-Avon, destroyed by fire last year.

The fund raising efforts are proceeding under the direction of the Executive Committee of the American Shakespeare Foundation, of which Professor George P. Baker of Yale is Chairman. This Committee seeks \$1,000,000 as America's participation in the international fund of \$2,500,000 required to rebuild and endow the Shakespeare Memorial.

In order that America's tribute to William Shakespeare may be truly representative, the American Committee hopes to obtain the assistance of the largest possible number of individual contributors. The Committee's object is to make this gift to the Shakespeare Me-

morial Theatre as distinctively a national gift as was America's gift to France in 1919.

Inaugurates Unique Experiment

A social science laboratory, probably the first experiment of its kind in the schools of the country according to the press, was inaugurated by N. W. Lyon, '25, in the Harding High School, Woodlawn, Pa., in February. The purpose of this department is for the coaching of students in actual participation in community citizenship, and to train them for good citizenship.

A schedule of credits rating performance of school, church and community duties forms the basis of calculation for the experiment. Each student signs a formal contract to attain a definite percentage of these credits and is given a definite time to meet the terms of the contract.

What China Thinks of America

BY REV. RAYMOND R. BREWER, '16

Editor's Note—Rev. Brewer is head of Dickinson-in-China and a member of the faculty of the West University. Upon his arrival in Carlisle the first week in May, Mr. Brewer was asked "What does China think of us?"

WE NEED no longer think of the Chinese as regarding the people of the United States as being from a queer land. They are seeking as never before to understand us, and it would be for the best interests of the world peace in the future if their efforts to understand us were fully reciprocated by an equal effort on our part to understand them.

Although China has its thousands of years of civilization and its many great names, it is interesting to know that she regards Washington and Lincoln almost as being among her own list of heroes. What these men personified—love of freedom and justice for all—has made a great appeal to the Chinese mind. And it is greatly to our credit to know that we have produced men who because of their ideals have laid up a large store of good will for us in China.

Uncritical Chinese have frequently regarded America as being wholly a Christian land, and it has been embarrassing at times to be asked to explain events of American history from the Christian point of view. In recent years a careful study of America by many deep-seeing Chinese students has convinced them that sometimes we exalt the Christian tradition above the Christian spirit.

The great wealth of America, rather than its Christian character, has impressed them, as has its mechanical efficiency. Being so different in this regard from China, many Chinese are not willing to adopt American social, religious and industrial institutions without modification.

As the result of our relations with the Philippines, with Mexico, and other Latin-American countries there is a growing suspicion on the part of many Chinese that American imperialism dif-



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fers from European imperialism only in degree. Though this is true, most Chinese regard America as her best friend among the nations—though with some, Russia is considered as rapidly taking the place of America as a friend of China.

The immediate question of paramount importance is: Will America act in concert with other nations of the West to maintain the advantages which the West has secured in moments of China's weakness? Or will America follow her traditional policy and act independently, being guided by unselfish interest in Chinese welfare?

INTERCOLLEGIATE NOTES

The expenses of students at Columbia University averages \$1,350 a year in the undergraduate department, the Secretary of Appointments has announced. The average includes \$212 for room, \$396 for board, \$40 for books, \$50 for laundry and \$300 for clothing, travel, organization and sundries. The expenses of students of dentistry are the highest the average being \$1,558 with medicine second at \$1,525. Law was least expensive with an average of \$1,270.

Work on two new buildings costing \$2,000,000 will begin at Princeton this month. The Chemical Laboratory will cost \$1,200,000 while a building for the Princeton School of Engineering will cost \$800,000. With buildings now under construction this will bring work totalling \$3,000,000 in progress on the Princeton campus at one time.

The Treasurer's report of Harvard University made public in March indicates that Harvard is probably the richest university in the country. Harvard's assets for the year 1925-26, not including the land and buildings owned by the university, total \$86,540,286.83. According to a letter preceding the report, the net income from all Harvard investments averaged 5.50 per cent for the year. The investment schedule shows that the funds are in many types of securities including industrials, municipal and foreign bonds.

The resources of Columbia University for the year ending June 1926 amounted to \$85,727,214.35 while the resources of the total Columbia group including Barnard College, Teachers College and the College of Pharmacy, were \$107,456,846.69.

Ground was broken in April for the first building of Athens College, the

new American College in Greece. E. A. Benaki, an Athenian cotton broker, has given \$100,000 for the first building which will bear his name and has also donated a 23-acre tract for the campus. Greeks in the United States will raise \$500,000 and \$270,000 has been raised in Athens for the project.

"Duke University's medical school is to be better than any other medical institution in the country," said Dr. Wilburt Cornell Davison, newly elected dean of the school, in an address recently. Dr. Davison, who has been assistant dean at Johns Hopkins, said that it was the wish of James Buchanan Duke, as communicated to him, that the Duke school not only equal but surpass any other medical institution in the United States.

The University of Pennsylvania has offered an annual scholarship to a Boy Scout of Philadelphia covering all tuition charges amounting to \$400 yearly. New York University, Syracuse University and the University of Texas have similar scholarships.

Acts as Architect and Pastor

At the Central Pennsylvania Conference in March 1925, Rev. Ralph R. Miller, '22, was assigned to a new charge named the Lewistown circuit. He was confronted with the task of organizing a church membership and an official board; the building of a church; and the same thing at the other end of the circuit.

When proposed plans for the new Grove Memorial Church in Lewistown proved too elaborate, they were thrown aside and Rev. Miller acted as supervising architect. He made such drawings and prints as they were needed, and overseeing the job he put up a fine edifice with furnishings for \$40,000.

Predicts Banner Attendance of '76-'86 Alumni Day

With 1877 and 1882 making special observance of their 50th and 45th reunions respectively, the '76-'86 group looks forward to the fourth meeting to provide "the biggest cat on the campus" at Commencement.

Dr. F. F. Bond, secretary of '76-'86, and Edwin H. Linville have been at work since last June stirring up enthusiasm for this year's meeting. They have sent out seasonal greetings, personal letters and they have made many personal calls.

The men of '76-'86 received Christmas greeting cards and at Easter a folder was sent out containing a poem written by J. Warren Harper, '80. This folder was adopted by the College and with but slight change was sent to all alumni announcing the dates of Commencement.

Secretary Bond had just sent out his last letter to '76-'86 when he was asked for an estimate of the turnout for Commencement. There had not been time for his cohorts to answer, but his reply promises a banner attendance this year. He wrote:

"Within 48 hours of mailing '76-'86 appeal the secretary received twenty-two answers, seventeen of them favorable. He regrets he cannot have ten days to tabulate the returns, but THE ALUMNUS is inexorable and hence he has to appear in the May number. Without doubt many favorable replies will be received later. The following list is up to date."

"Will do the best I can. If I am anywhere in hailing distance will make it." J. M. Cummings, '85.

"Will be there, Saturday, June 4, if I can possibly make it." George W. Bond, '77.

"I'll be there." E. H. Linville, '81.

"Yes." J. H. Morgan, '78.

"After my delightful experience of last year of course I shall be with you boys of '76-'86 Saturday, June 4th." Harold H. Longsdorf, '79.

"I fully expect to join the 'Lads of

'76-'86' at Commencement." L. T. Apold, '82.

"Deo Volente! By his grace, you bet I'll be there." J. Warren Harper, '80.

"I'm counting upon meeting the '76-'86 boys again this year, and it will be my misfortune and not my fault if I'm not present June 4th." E. M. Biddle, Jr., '86.

"I hope to attend reunion of '76-'86 Dickinson next month." W. T. Graham, '86.

"Expect to be on hand if nothing happens to prevent." C. S. Nesbitt, '84.

"You may look for me, I'll be there. D. V." George E. Kleinhenn, '82.

"You may look for me for I'll be there. Am on visiting committee for the College." George J. Burns, '85. John W. Perkinpine, '84, will accompany Dr. Burns on his trip to Carlisle and Dickinson.

"Expect to be with you on June 4th. You may count on it. Shall be glad to arrange a visit to Carlisle Barracks for '76-'86." General Frank R. Keefer, '85.

"We are hoping to be present this year." Walter A. Powell, '78.

"D. V. will be on hand June 4th." M. G. Porter, '84.

"You said it." Stully, '82.

Phi Psi Convention at Carlisle

The Dickinson Chapter of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity was host to the first session of the biennial convention of the fraternity with more than 100 delegates from nine colleges and universities represented at the sessions in April. Delegates were present from Gettysburg, Bucknell, Lafayette, Johns Hopkins, University of Pennsylvania, Swarthmore, Washington and Lee, University of Virginia, and Franklin and Marshall.

Col. William Mitchell, of the U. S. Air Service and a member of the fraternity, was the principal speaker at the convention banquet. The convention sessions were held in the Molly Pitcher.

IN OLD BELLAIRE

Mrs. Mary Hammond Parker, who for many years conducted Saturday afternoon dancing classes attended by Dickinsonians and chaperoned innumerable class and fraternity parties, died in the Carlisle Hospital on April 8. She was 74 years of age. She suffered a stroke of paralysis a week previously, and never recovered.

The Argonne Hotel, once known as the Mansion House, was recently reopened after extensive alterations. The dining room was greatly enlarged and a number of rooms with and without baths were added. The hotel is owned by the R. E. Shearer Estate and is operated by former Sheriff Joe Einstein.

The Molly Pitcher Hotel is flourishing under the management of Bartram Shelley and is no longer one of the American Chain, but is operated by the local stockholders. It will be the headquarters for many alumni at Commencement.

Nick Econum has converted his Crystal Restaurant into the "Carlisle Recreation Center" and with all new equipment has a pool room, shoe shining es-

tablishment and cigar store combined. He has furnished rooms on the upper floors which are occupied by students of the Law School.

Mrs. Martha Sharp who resided in Carlisle since 1876 and for many years conducted a boarding house for Dickinsonians on West Pomfret Street, died on March 30 in her eighty-seventh year. Her husband who died some years ago was proprietor of the former Franklin House.

Miss Margaret Dunlevy, of Carlisle, book-keeper during the term of John S. Bursk as Treasurer of the College, died in Carlisle on March 14.

John Wesley Potter, '13, for some years principal of the Carlisle High School, was elected Superintendent of Carlisle schools succeeding the late Superintendent J. C. Wagner at an April meeting of the School Board.

George Bixler, for many years organist in the Lutheran and Reformed Churches in Carlisle and partner in Bixler's hardware store, died from pneumonia on April 24.

PERSONALS

1881

Edwin H. Linville, better known as "Zeb," attended the dinners of the Philadelphia, Baltimore and New York alumni clubs this year. He tried to get to Carlisle in April for a fraternity convention, but just when he had that fine excuse for a jaunt to Old Bellaire, one of his firm's lumber mills burnt down and he had to stay home.

1896

Dr. Lynn Saxton, member of the faculty of the City College of New York, is one of the instructors of the "Radio College" broadcasting from station WNYC, New York City. He lectures on business subjects.

1897

Francis, B. Sellers, Jr., and T. Ralph Jacobs, '96, attorneys of Carlisle, were recently elected vestrymen of St. John's Episcopal Church of Carlisle.

1899

Rev. Dr. Wilbur V. Mallalieu, pastor of the First M. E. Church, Akron, O., for the eleventh time was the special preacher in March at Hamilton College, Clinton, N. Y. where he administered the Communion in the College Church, an organization conducted by the students. At one of the services in his church recently there was placed on exhibition the Bible upon which George

Baltimore Notes

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A son, Monroe H. Hess, Jr., was born to Monroe H. Hess, '24, and Mrs. Hess of 3440 Elmora Avenue, Baltimore, on March 24th. Mr. Hess is the superintendent of the Goodwill Industries of Baltimore.

Captain C. Mansfield Reddig, '13, of the Army Medical Corps, who has been stationed at Camp Holabird near Baltimore for a number of years, has been transferred to the Walter Reed General Hospital at Washington, D. C.

Dickinsonians everywhere had the pleasure of receiving the service from Foundry Church, Washington, that was broadcast by Station WRC on Sunday, April 10th. Frederick Brown Harris, '09, preached of the Japanese cherry blossoms in his sermon, "The Blossoming Bough," and the service was attended in person by the Ambassador of Japan and his suite.

An editorial in *The Marylander*, a weekly paper devoted to political discussion, appeared on March 4th in praise of the work of William A. Gunter, '13, in the recent session of the Maryland Legislature. "Bill" was state senator from Allegheny County in that body.

Washington took his oath as a Master Mason in 1753.

1900

Rev. Albert M. Witwer, D. D., of the Philadelphia M. E. Conference, was transferred at the recent session to First Church, Lancaster. This is one of the outstanding churches of the Conference and has a membership of approximately 900. He now resides at 312 N. Duke St., Lancaster, Pa.

1901

Thomas L. Jones left Altoona in March with his family to spend some time in California and on the Coast. They will return about June 1 to attend Commencement.

George E. Lloyd has been elected trust officer of the Colonial Trust Company of Philadelphia. This trust company resulted from a recent merger and has assets of approximately \$50,000,000. Mr. Lloyd also maintains law offices in Carlisle and Mechanicsburg.

William R. Schmucker is Associate Religious Director of the Y. M. C. A., Washington, D. C. with offices at 1736 G Street.

Mrs. Jeremiah F. Hoover, nee Eleanor Woodward of Carlisle, wife of J. F. Hoover, of Orange, N. J., died on March 14.

Rev. Wm. I. Shambaugh, who was home on furlough when the trouble in China developed, has taken a charge in Lemoyne, Pa.

Mrs. Josephine B. Meredith, Dean of Women of the College, plans to spend the summer in Europe. She will sail immediately after Commencement.

1902

John W. Bricker father of Mervin W. Bricker died at the age of 80 years in the Englewood, N. J., hospital on May 2. He was on a visit to his daughters in Englewood when he became ill.

The Rev. William I. Reed, who for several years was out of the ministry directing Near East Relief campaigns, has returned to his old conference, the Newark of the Methodist church, and is assigned to Mt. View, N. J., in the Paterson district.

Mrs. Emma Reeme Appleman, whose husband, Charles O., Dickinson '03 is dean of the graduate school of the University of Maryland, has christened their new home at College Park "Elrheen."

Mrs. Edith Cahoon Bolte spent considerable time during the winter at Wellesley where she has a daughter a student.

The Rev. Robert H. Comly was transferred by the recent Philadelphia conference from Lykens to Lancaster; the Rev. James Cunningham from Bangor to Frackville.

The Rev. James Elvin has been pastor of a Congregational church in Helena, Montana, for several years. During the visit of Queen Marie of Rumania to the West, the Rev. Mr. Elvin was a member of the official party.

The Rev. Martin C. Flegal, of Avis, who had been seriously ill for sometime, is recovering.

Major William A. Ganoe, U. S. A. is attached to the Army War College, Washington, D. C.

Myron B. Hockenberry, who for a number of years was teaching school in Fresno, California, was called sometime ago to Imperial, that state, to reorganize its school system as superintendent.

The Rev. Frank D. Lawrence is directing the erection of a \$300,000 Methodist church at Roxborough, Philadelphia.

D. Kent McMillan has organized his own laboratories at 5057 Balmoral Avenue, Chicago.

D. Walter Morton who is in charge of the elaborate charitable enterprises of the multi-millionaire merchant, J. C. Penney, at Green Cove Springs, Florida, has just com-

pleted another unit in a large building operation.

1903

Lloyd Wellington Johnson was recently elected head of Adelphi Academy, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

1904

Judge E. Foster Heller, of Wilkes-Barre, presided at the annual meeting of the Ancient Arabic Nobles of the Mystic Shrine held in Altoona in March.

1905

W. L. Beyer, Jr., is executive secretary of the Y. M. C. A. of Atlanta, Ga., with offices in the Central Y. M. C. A. there.

1907

The 20th Reunion of 1907 will be held on Alumni Day. Write the secretary, Allan D. Thompson, of Carlisle, and say that you and yours are coming.

Rev. Arthur C. James will not be present for the reunion. He is on a tour to the Holy Land, and will not return to this country until June 27.

1909

James M. Beetem, of Carlisle, has made reservations to go to France in September to attend the American Legion convention in Paris.

1910

Lydia M. Gooding, former Librarian of the College, who is a student at the Library School of Columbia University this year, has been elected as an Instructor there for the next academic year.

1911

Dr. Julia Morgan apparently stuck to her post in Tsinanfu, Shantung, until ordered out by the Consul. The last word from her was that she was homeward bound by way of Europe.

1912

Report of Old West on Alumni Day for the Fifteenth!

The Mutual Trust Company, Philadelphia, of which Paul Renn is Trust Officer formally opened a new bank and office building at 1518 Walnut Street on April 4.

Mrs. Lottie Myers Rasmussen with her five sons, has been spending several months with her parents in Carlisle and is trying to arrange to remain for Commencement. Her home is in Estlin, Saskatchewan, Canada, where her husband is a draftsman.

Harrisburg newspapers stated on May 5 that Mrs. Gordon Poteat (Helen Carruthers) had arrived in San Francisco from China and that her mother had gone to meet her on receipt of word that Mrs. Poteat and her five children were suffering from diphtheria. Mrs. Carruthers had received a cablegram from her daughter from Shanghai saying that one child was ill from the disease, and

Pittsburgh Notes

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William Farrell, '17L, is local Claim Agent for the Southern Surety Company.

Russell Yates, '16L, was a visitor in our midst during the last week.

Robert M. Klepfer, '15, has been transferred to this City by the Bell Telephone Company and he is now engaged as an executive in charge of trunk lines.

her son who met the returning party sent the later message.

1913

Howard W. Selby was the representative of Dickinson College at the inauguration of Dr. Hamilton Holt as president of Rollins College, Florida, on February 21.

1914

Clyde M. Williams was married to Miss Lorraine Wachsen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Wachsen on April 20 in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Lake Charles, Louisiana. Mr. and Mrs. Williams will be at home after June 1, Lake Charles, La.

Lee Rogers Allen, of Germantown, Pa., was recently operated upon for appendicitis at the University Hospital, Philadelphia and has fully recovered.

Russell C. Gross, who is a plaster salesman in Philadelphia, attended the dinner of the Dickinson Club of Philadelphia.

Walter M. Herr has moved to 168 N. Fourth St., Steubenville, Ohio, where he is adjuster for the Maryland Casualty Company.

1916

Rev. Raymond R. Brewer, who just returned from China, plans to attend Commencement.

Herbert Smith, who has been in China, is now on furlough and is in New York.

1917

George Hering was in Carlisle for the Phi Kappa Psi convention in April. He is busy with plans for the 10th reunion of the class on Alumni Day.

Winfield Goong is teaching at the Ningpo Association, Nanking Road, Shanghai, China.

Paul M. Dutko is probably having busy days at the U. S. Consulate at Harbin, China.

Rev. John W. Quimby whose address according to the alumni lists is in West China, is said to be in Philadelphia. Will some class-mate send in his address?

1920L

J. Kennard Weaver, of Philadelphia, has

resigned as Special Deputy Attorney General of Pennsylvania and as counsel for the Pennsylvania Alcohol Permit Board, and has accepted appointment with the Federal Government as Associate Legal Adviser to the Federal Prohibition Administrator of the Philadelphia district.

1921

Announcement was made of the engagement of Sara Kathleen LeFevre, of Carlisle, and John McCrosker Horner, of Harrisburg, when they procured a marriage license in New York to marry at the Little Church Around the Corner, New York City, some time in June.

Rev. Edward G. Latch is pastor of the Vienna M. E. Church, Vienna, Va., and also has charge of the churches at Oakton and Wiehle.

Phillips Brooks Scott is in the tax department of the Auditor General's Department of Pennsylvania at Harrisburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Brinley Sayes, of West Pittston, have announced the birth of a daughter, Susan Louise Sayes on April 2. Mrs. Sayes was Frances Louise Finch, and Mr. Sayes was a member of the Class of 1924.

1922

Helen E. Scott and Raphael Rupp were married at the home of the bride's uncle, Dr. C. W. Moody, Plainville, Conn., on the afternoon of April 9. Jane Hagerty, '24, was maid of honor, and George H. Rupp, '19, was best man. Among the Dickinsonians present were Albert Berkey, '22; Lillian Mindlin, '23; Edith Robinson, '22, and Louise Rupp, '19. Mr. and Mrs. Rupp now reside at 48 High Street, Methuen, Mass.

Allan Rieck received his M. D. degree at the Indiana University School of Medicine last June and is serving an internship at St. Vincent's Hospital, Indianapolis, Ind. When he completes his internship in July, he intends to return to his home in Millville, N. J., to practice medicine.

Harold S. Merwin after Sept. 20 will be head of the Latin Department of Chestnut Hill Academy, Chestnut Hill, Pa. He is now residing at 815 N. Shamokin St., Shamokin, Pa.

Clifton C. Hartman is assistant secretary of the Northwestern University General

Alumni Association. His address is Room 6, University Hall, Evanston, Ill.

1923

Ivy M. Hudson is teaching American History in the Dover Junior High School, Dover Del.

Rev. R. W. Hawn was transferred at the Newark Annual Conference in March and is now pastor of the Aldene M. E. Church, Roselle Park, N. J. After May 16, his address will be 439 W. First Avenue, Roselle, N. J.

1924

The engagement of Eustace L. Springer to Ruth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Minthron, of Buffalo, N. Y., was recently announced and the wedding will take place in June. Mr. Springer, who graduated from Princeton, is instructor in civics and history at the Nichols School in Buffalo.

Prof. J. Layton Moore, husband of Rose Buckson, has been appointed principal of the Ridley Park High School, Ridley Park, Pa. He was selected for the position from eighty applicants. Mrs. Moore, who has studied music extensively, will assist her husband, according to the published announcement of his appointment.

1925

After a year and a half of post-graduate work in the School of Business, Columbia University, J. W. Roddie is now in the auditing department of the investment house of Henry L. Doherty & Co., 60 Wall Street, New York City.

Albert M. Witmer, Jr., who is now attending the Boston University School of Theology, was ordained a Deacon at the recent session of the Philadelphia M. E. Conference.

1925L

Miller A. Johnson, of Lewisburg, Pa., was married to Miss Naomi Plitt, of Baltimore, Md., on April 27. After June 1, they will be at home, 7 Market Street, Lewisburg, Pa.

1926

"Bobby" Books, of Harrisburg, has been elected athletic director of the high school, Northumberland, Pa., for the 1927-28 season.

James M. Brennan is principal of the high school at Colgrove, Pa., and Al Williamson is one of the assistants in the same school.

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OBITUARY

'70—Joseph C. Righter, of Buffalo, N. Y., died after a month's illness following an operation for prostate gland trouble in the Millard Filmore Hospital on Sept. 8, 1926. Prior to his illness he had been in perfect health. He was born in Columbia, Pa., Jan. 28, 1850 and after two years in College, he entered the lumber business, in which he was active in Williamsport and Philadelphia until his retirement in 1913, when he moved to Buffalo. He was a life member of Lodge 106 F. & A. M. of Williamsport, Pa., and at the time of his death the oldest Past Master by service of that Lodge. He had demits from Chapter Commandery Council, Williamsport and Lulu Shrine, Philadelphia. When he went to Buffalo he was honored by being made a Life Member of the Buffalo Consistory, without any charge to him. He is survived by his wife, who was Helen Mary Doebler, of Williamsport, Pa., and five children.

'72—William Elbert Wright, attorney, died in Middletown, Del., on April 7. He was born in Wilkes-Barre November 13, 1851, and prepared for College at the Dickinson grammar school. After graduation in 1872, he spent some time in travel in Cuba and Mexico and after engaging in newspaper work in New York he studied law and was admitted to the bar at Middletown, Del., in 1882. He practiced law in Duluth, Minn., and Bismarck, S. D. He received an A. M. from the College in 1900.

'80—Lorenzo Dow Bulette, Philadelphia attorney, died suddenly March 23 while talking to an associate in a Philadelphia business office. He was born in York County, June 12, 1858, and prepared for College at the Fawn Grove, Pa., academy. Following his graduation, he taught at Reistertown and New Market, Md., until 1882, and from 1884 to 1888 he was instructor in Latin and Greek at Rugby Academy, Philadelphia. In 1884 he was admitted to the Philadelphia bar and has since practiced law with offices on Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, while he lived in Germantown. He was a member of Phi Kappa Psi Fraternity and the U. P. Society. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emily Cregar Bulette; a son, Lawrence, and a daughter, Sarah.

'96L, '97—Ray Zug, who was born in Carlisle, July 19, 1877, died in Youngstown, O., on April 21, following an illness of typhoid fever. His body was brought back to Carlisle where services were held in the Second Presbyterian Church and interment was made in Ashland Cemetery. He was the son of Jacob Thompson Zug and Annie Eberly Zug and attended the Dickinson Preparatory School. After spending a year in College, he entered the Law School from which he was graduated in 1896. He did not practice law but became a chemist, artist and designer. He was head chemist of an Ohio iron and steel company for some years and in 1900 opened a studio of design in Youngstown, O., where he made his home. In later years, he was identified with the iron industry. He was a member of Sigma Chi Fraternity. On October 4, 1899, he married Helen Kennedy, of Carlisle, who survives him. He is also survived by a brother, Frank Zug, and a sister, Mrs. Augusta Zug Bentley, of Ohio.

'03L—Paul A. A. Core, attorney of Washington, Pa., died suddenly on the morning of April 4, of angina pectoris. He was 53 years old, and was born in Greensburg. His father, the late Rev. J. F. Core, was a prominent minister in the Pittsburgh district of the M. E. Church and at the time of his death in 1898, was presiding elder of the Washington district. Graduating from Washington and Jefferson College in 1900, where he had been a football star, Mr. Core entered the Law School and represented Dickinson on the gridiron. Upon his graduation from the Law School, he was admitted to the bar of Washington County, Pa. In 1912, he married Miss Matilda McClure McKeehan, sister of Prof. J. P. McKeehan, who survives, with one daughter, Margaret Louise. He is also survived by his mother, Mrs. Sara K. Core, three sisters and two brothers, Miss Bird M. Core, Miss Sara Core, of New York; Mrs. Lorena Gibson, wife of Hon. Robert M. Gibson, judge of the U. S. District Court, Pittsburgh; Karl L. W. Core and Daniel Core, of Ford City, Pa.

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BARTRAM SHELLEY, *Manager.*

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JUNE 2 - 6



ALUMNI DAY

Saturday,

June 4

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