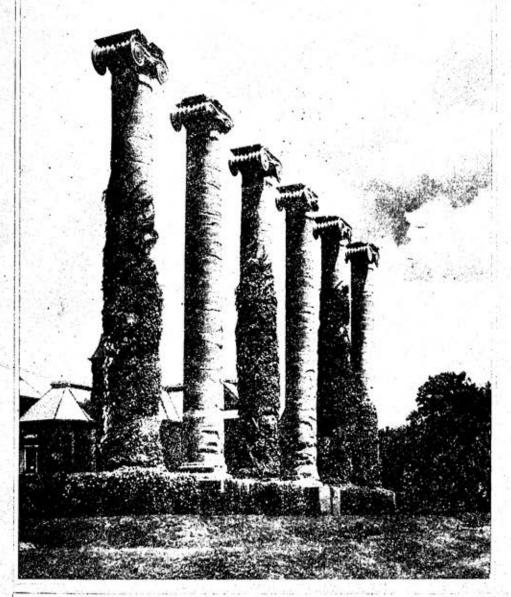
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M. U. LIBRARIANS, 1849-96

By HENRY O. SEVERANCE

In the early days of the University a librarian was not a necessity. There was no library room and only a few books many of which President Lathrop had induced the state and the United States government to present to the library. After eight years of strenuous efforts in collecting books as gifts for a library, he was successful in 1849 in getting an appropriation of twelve hundred and fifty dollars with which to buy books. When the new books arrived a room was provided and furnished and a professor was given the responsibilities and duties of librarian in addition to his From 1849 to professional duties. 1802, when the library was destroyed by fire, only two librarians gave their full time to the duties of the office. From 1849 to 1871 the library was open only once a week every Friday from 2 to 4 o'clock. It therefore required but little attention. The number of books in 1871 did not exceed 10,000 volumes. The salary was only \$50 a year. In fact the first two years of Professor Thomas's incumbency he had to look to the fees of students for his compensation.

The four librarians of this early period were Robert Stuart Thomas, Bolivar Stark Head, Edward T. Fristoe and Joseph Granville Norwood. They were all professors in the University. Professor Thomas was a member of the first University faculty. He was a professor in Columbia college when that institution was transferred to the University in 1839 and then became professor of metaphysics and English literature in the University. He was connected with the library only three years, 1849-53, when he was called to the presidency of William Jewell College at Liberty. Then the honors of the office as well as its duties fell upon Bolivar S. Head, an alumnus 1849, and a professor of mathematics, who served the University as librarian from 1853 to 1860. Mr. Head is now a patent attorney

and lives in Moberly, Mo.

Professor Head gave considerable time to the library. He compiled and published a catalog of the collection which consisted of about 2500 volumes. This catalog published in 1857 is interesting from the fact that it is the first catalog and inventory of the library and that it gives the rules governing the use of books. From the point of administration two of the rules are interesting. First, the privileges were extended only to the officers and students; second, students were not admitted to the room where the books were shelved. They applied at the librarian's desk. It is interesting to note that a similar rule was in force in the University of Alabama: "the books shall ordinarily be received at the door, without admitting the applicant into the library room." A

special committee on the library reported in 1855 to the effect that "the books were well kept in cases which were locked." This reminds one of the story of Mr. Sibley librarian of Harvard library. The story is told of his having once completed an inventory of the library and, when seen crossing the yard with a particularly happy smile, was asked the reason for this pleased expression. "All the books are in excepting two," said he. "Agassiz has those and I am going after them." This was the idea of the librarian of the middle ages brought down to 1850 and later in many of our university libraries. To him a library was a place to preserve books, and to the Chinese "a place for hiding books."

This special committee also reported that five or six books had been lost by students who failed to return them. Professor Head reported that he had to search the students' rooming and boarding places to recover his books. At his request the board passed the rule requiring every student who wished to use the library to make a money deposit. This rule remained in force about fifty years; it came down to the twentieth century. For this too there was a precedent in the Cambridge and in the Bodleian libraries. Scholars were required to leave a deposit in cash as a pledge of good faith

when borrowing books.

Edward T. Fristow was also, like his predecessor, a professor of mathematics. He was the only man on the faculty to abandon his office and his position to join the Confederate army This act so incensed the Board of Curators that they considered the question of declaring the chair of mathematics vacant and ordered the treasurer to withhold his salary check. Fifteen or twenty years elapsed before the feeling subsided sufficiently that the board could authorize the payment of his unpaid salary. These were troublous times for the University. The federal troops

had occupied the University building. The Board on March 20, 1862, declared all offices vacant and "discontinued the institution." The library was used as a guard room. Four hundred the institution." and sixty-seven volumes valued at \$1,035.40 disappeared. The University was reopened in the fall of 1862. Doctor Norwood, professor of natural sciences and natural philosophy was made librarian. In 1872 he became Dean of the Medical School. Five years later he severed his relation with the library having served in this capacity fifteen years. His administrative and teaching duties and ill health left him little time for the library.

The next period 1877 to 1892 was covered by three librarians, two of whom gave full time to the position and are best known as librarians. The third, Joseph Henry Drummond was better known as proctor of the Uni-He was librarian 1881 to versity. 1887 and proctor for a much longer time and secretary of the Board of Curators for awhile, but the library was largely in the hands of an assistant who was appointed and paid by the librarian and proctor. It is interesting to note that the position of librarian was not considered as important as that of proctor. Mr. Drummond's salary as librarian was \$600 while that of proctor was \$900. Mr. Drummond's specialty in the library work seems to have been the completion of sets of government documents. Mr. Drummond is now a real estate dealer in Port Arthur, Texas.

The other librarians of this period were Scott Hayes 1877-1880 and the Reverend John Watson Monser 1887 to 1896. The former was a librarian in advance of his times. The modern library movement did not begin until 1876. This, the centennial year, saw the organization of the American library association and the launching of the first journal of the profession the Library Journal. There were very few libraries in 1880 which had

the modern methods which Hayes introduced into the library here. persuaded the Athenaean and the Union literary societies to deposit their collection in the University library so the whole student body could use their books. One argument that President Hudson used against large appropriations was that the society libraries furnished the cultural reading and that it was not the province of the University to furnish this class of books. Mr. Hayes solved the problem by this useful combination of libraries. He made a card catalog of all the books in the library and undertook to make one for the libraries of the societies. The first card catalog was completed in 1878. Such a catalog is so important that no library of the present day would do without it. It is indispensible for efficient administration of a library. He also established a reference collection which at that time was so small that it was kept on a table "set apart for this purpose, to afford the greatest convenience in consulta-This is also essential in modern libraries. The library contained about twelve thousand volumes and as many pamphlets but the collection was not then sufficient for the needs of the students. In his first report, 1878, he states a fact often lost sight of, namely, that "the library of a University, of all libraries, should be ample in its provision for research." was the first to urge the construction of a fireproof building for the library, which now thirty-five years later, is about to be realized.

Scott Hayes worked his way through the University. In his freshman year 1871 an association of professors and students was formed for the purpose of obtaining a larger number of periodicals for the reading room. The association paid the subscriptions to the journals. The reading room was opened from 3 to 6 p. m. daily except Sunday. It was formerly opened two hours a week. Scott Hayes was appointed to take

charge of the reading room at \$16 a month. The expense in part was met by the association. In December of that year the Executive Board gave him the title of Curator of Periodicals. From 1874-1877 he was assistant librarian, from 1873 to 1877 assistant professor of agriculture; and librarian 1877-1880. He resigned on account of the meagreness of his salary. He now lives on a farm, Shelton,

Washington.

John Watson Monser was a minister in the Church of Christ, or Christian Church. He came from a pastorate to the library. He was not a university graduate but his education and training for the ministry made him familiar with books and created in him an appreciation for them. Previous to Mr. Monser's appointment the board adopted a set of rules for the regulation of the library and the librarian of the University. The rules evidently embody the duties and customs of the time. If so, librarianship had retrograded to a clerkship. These rules show clearly that the librarian was simply a clerk. The librarian had to give a bond of five hundred dollars that he would faithfully perform the duties of his office. The rules go into the details of accessioning and cataloging, the soliciting of gifts from publishers, authors, and from the state and general government. They regulate the charging system. When a student borrowed a book for use in the reading room, it was charged to him in a "day-book" and when a book was returned "the charge was to be cancelled by a check mark in red ink," There was to be no smoking in the library, no spitting on the floor. The male students were to keep their hats off. During library hours, there was to be "no conversation, no passing of notes or bits of paper, no heavy walking on the floor," etc. The librarian obligated himself to execute all these rules and many others. He was given no discretion in the books to be bought nor in buying them. He could

recommend the purchase to the Executive Board or to the library committee and they could buy. It was a period when the library committee was dominant. With the help of his son, Harold E., Mr. Monser compiled and published a catalog of the library in 1888. Four years later the collection was burned. After the fire he put his own collection of books at the disposal of the students and opened a reading room the next day after the fire, through the courtesy of the Sigma Nu fraternity, one door east of Gerling's restaurant. The next four years were given up largely to accumulating books and pamphlets for the new library. In that time a larger collection had been secured than the one destroyed. It would seem that professors were allowed to have books sent direct to their offices before they were recorded in the library. Mr. Monser's successor, Mr. Stone, reports that he gathered up several hundred volumes of such books which had not been accessioned.

Politics have seldom entered into the administration of the University, but in 1896 when the whole country was wrought up over the "gold standard" and the "free coinage of silver" excitement ran high even in University circles. One professor was president of a Democratic club and was always present at Democratic assemblies. Another is said to have "set the prairies afire speaking for free coinage of silver from school house to school house." It was during this excitement that the librarian "made a gold speech in the opera house." According to accounts it was a good "speech" but it was not endorsed by a majority of the curators. The board met, discussed the situation, and declared one position vacant, that of librarian and immediately filled it again by the appointment of Walter King Stone to the position.

AROUND THE WORLD ON \$2.24 A DAY

By HERMAN HOELKE

(Herman Hoelke entered the School of Journalism at the University of Missouri the fall of 1908. He was a student here a year and a half, leaving in 1910 to accept a position offered on the Kansas City Star. Alumni who were in school in that time will remember Hoelke's column in the daily University Missourian—"Across the Breakfast Table" and later "The Seventh Column." It was through his name at the bottom of this "funny stuff" that the offer came from The Star. This article about his recent trip around the world was written by Hoelke for The Star. It will be printed in two parts in The Alumnus.)

Part I.

The hardest part of taking a trip around the world on \$325 is telling about it afterwards. My friends declare I have become a wonderful liar. When I said that I ate and slept for a dime in rural Japan somebody winked. I added that my room in Paris cost me only a dollar a week and Doctor Cook was mentioned. So I have decided to write it. My friends believe what they see in print.

I started on my globe-girdling April 15 with a capital of \$350. In the 145 days I was away I covered about twenty thousand miles, eight hundred of them afoot, visited ten foreign countries, gained an intimate knowledge of the people and their mode of life in most of them and spent an average of \$2.24 a day. I came home last September 7 with \$25 left and

weighing from fifteen to twenty pounds more and never felt better in my life.

ANYBODY CAN DO IT.

This is added just to refute the argument that travel such as mine is only another synonym for hardship. Any man so inclined and bodily able may take the same trip for about the same amount of money. I speak only English and German and a little Spanish. No one ever accused me of being particularly intelligent, but I am somewhat lucky. That was the equipment with which I started.

Now a word about my baggage and

then we'll go.

I carried only one piece, a waterproof canvas camp bag twenty-eight inches long by twenty-two inches in circumference. Into this I jammed my khaki walking suit, canteen, light woolen blanket, sweater and light jersey, two extra army shirts, plenty of lightweight wool socks, extra suit of light underwear and some heavier stuff for colder weather and a box of toilet necessities. No reason for being without a tooth brush or a razor. I also carried a stout pocketknife with a can opener attachment, a drinking cup, compass and a passport. (Don't forget that.) My money I carried in the form of traveler checks in a belt around my body.

When I covered long stretches afoot I sent my bag ahead and carried what I needed in a "rucksack" slung over my back. Four minutes was the longest I was ever detained at a custom

station.

April 15 just as the eyes of all the world were turned to a spot some two hundred miles off the Newfoundland banks by the Titanic disaster, I left St. Louis on the Missouri Pacific for Seattle.

I went through the Royal Gorge in Colorado and, believe me, Europe has nothing like it. At beautiful Ouray in the heart of the Colorado Rockies I took a close view of the mountains and then continued my trip to the Pacific over the Utah deserts and along the Columbia River Valley. The total distance was 2,600 miles and the cost \$32. I didn't take a sleeper nor patronize the diner.

At Seattle I investigated the passenger rates to the Orient. Those of the Japanese lines were the lowest.

"What is your cheapest to Yokohama?" I asked the agent of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

"Ninety dollars second class," came

the reply.

"Isn't there a lower rate?"

"There is Asiatic steerage," was the reply. "The fare to Yokohama is \$43.50. At this time of the year a good class of Japanese are going across. It's not bad if you can stand the grub."

"I'll stand it," I decided.

The Tamba Maru, on which I left Seattle, was a 6,000-ton vessel. In a rough sea she rocked like a cradle. As we backed out of the dock I left the civilization of the West behind me. I was the only white passenger among thirty or more Japanese in the hold, but I was never treated better in my life by strangers than by my little "brown men" companions.

Our food consisted of rice and fish three times a day. The rice was steamed and, to me, with my "ham and" habits of the Occident, tasteless. After a few attempts to stow it away I made a raid upon an extra suitcase full of provisions I had brought. This provender consisted of crackers, canned salmon and a glass of jelly and long ere the trip ended I thanked the fates which prompted me to bring it.

BREAD CAST UPON THE WATERS.

The Japanese noticed my aversion to the rice and, unknown to me, the impassive faced little folks busied themselves in my behalf. The third day out while I was looking out over the waves one of them who could speak English better than the others approached me. "Charley, you like rice?" he asked. Like it! I confided to him that I had sworn a vendetta against it. Out came the secret.

In his broken English he told me he had been sent upstairs by my fellow

passengers to inform me they had raised a fund of \$5 with which the steward was ordered to supply me bread, butter and condensed milk three times a day.

The envoy swept his hand in the direction of America.

"When boy me come America, Charley," he began. (The Japanese called me Charley, which isn't my name, for the same reason, probably, that we call all Chinese John). "Me no speak English, hungry. Man take me in store give me pie and coffee. I tell that other passengers and say, 'Now Charley go to Japan. Him hungry, we give him bread."

And despite my objections to accepting their charity my informant insisted and thus a piece of pie cast upon the waters smoothed my way across

the Pacific, as it were.

A few days later these same kindhearted people raised money to rent two blankets for me from the steward when my thin one was inadequate to protect me from the cold winds around the Aleutian Islands. Throughout the trip they overwhelmed me with offerings of Japanese cakes, nuts, oranges and other things.

For fifteen days as we crashed through the bleak Northern Pacific we saw only one ship, but on the sixteenth day at evening distant mountains were sighted and, twenty-four hours later as the sun was setting a red disk in a cloud-ribbed sky, we came to a standstill outside the breakwater of Yoko-

hama harbor.

WITH FORTY-SEVEN DEAD EMPERORS NEAR BY.

My two weeks' stay in the land of Nippon cost me \$15, everything included. How did I do it? By avoid-

ing foreign hotels and restaurants, except in Yokohama and Tokio, where white man's "chow" is within the limits of thin pocketbooks, I lived on Japanese food. I couldn't, however, make a pair of chopsticks behave and ate with a spoon most of the time. I carried that spoon with me, too, for they are rare things in rural Japan.

My search for cheap food brought me into many queer little places and it seems almost sacrilege that I should remember the little eating house in the shadow of a temple yard in which forty-seven emperors are buried, in terms of dollars and cents. I obtained fried eggs for two cents each there and tiny steaks with potatoes for four cents. A glass of "saki," the Japanese rice wine, cost a few cents extra.

ITALIAN PAPERS PLEASE COPY.

My method of ordering was somewhat inconvenient when I was hungry. Unable to make myself understood, I would wait until somebody ordered a dish that "looked good," and then point to it and indicate I wanted the same. Another inconvenience was removing my high walking boots before entering a house. In Japan you remove your footwear, not your hat, when passing indoors. This custom, however, enabled me to "spot" the hotels easily. Whenever I saw a lot of shoes in front of a place I knew it was a hotel.

Banish the idea that Japan is full of slant-eyed bandits waiting to forcibly separate the white man from his coin if more peaceable extortion fails. was rarely cheated there. Once a teahouse keeper overcharged me a penny by accident. A moment later he came running after me to correct the error. (Italian papers please copy.)

My vocabulary consisted of three Japanese words. I learned one more before leaving the country. It hap-

pened thus:

I noticed that whenever I left a hotel in the morning the host would bow nearly to the ground and say, "Ohio."

"Missouri," I corrected.

Again his back arched like the letter "n" and again he gravely repeated, "Ohio."

OHIO IN JAPANESE.

"Missouri," I insisted preparing to convince him by means of my passport that he had "sized me up" wrong.

"Why do they all think I'm a Buckeye?" I asked a Japanese who understood English—not the mission school kind.

"They were greeting you," was the answer. "Ohio in our language means 'Good morning."

Note: The Japanese are a very

polite people.

The last day of May I left Nagoya for a 100-mile walk across the island to Tsuruga. The way led through a section not frequently visited by white foot tourists, and sometimes groups of children ran after me pointing to my large boots and strange appearing costume. But none of them ever threw a stone or bothered me in any way. I wonder what would happen to a Japanese walking across the United States in native costume?

After a four and a half days' hike across Japan, during which my only danger lay in drinking bad water (and I avoided this by keeping my canteen filled with tea), I reached Tsuruga. From here I went steerage across the Japan Sea to Vladivostock, Siberia, at a cost of \$3.50, including food for two

days.

My next experience consisted in an object lesson in the cost of railway travel on government owned railways. For \$38 I traveled third class from Vladivostock to Alexandrovo on the German border as a passenger on the Great Trans-Siberian Railway, covering a distance of nearly seven thousand miles. And this line isn't a charity institution, either. It is making money and doing quite well, thank you.

For fourteen days and nights with but two breaks in the journey I rode on the cars, our train with its blue, yellow and green wagons winding its way like a colored snake over mountain and swamp and desert—from the Orient to Europe. I had expected the long trip with its frequent changing of trains to be a hard one owing to my ignorance of Russian, but a rare piece of that luck I mentioned before changed all this.

My luck consisted in meeting a Russian gentleman who could speak English—Capt. Louis Demme of Odessa, the best pal I ever had on the long

trail.

The captain had been in the Russian navy during the war with Japan and was in the famous fight at Tsushima, where Togo wiped out the fleet of Rojestvensky in one of the greatest sea fights of modern times. The cruiser on which the captain was stationed was sunk and he was in the water five hours.

While waiting for a train in a little station in Manchuria the captain described the fight to me and illustrated the movements of the rival fleets with two tinder match boxes. His account of the battle was the most dramatic story I ever listened to.

As he talked in his low, sad voice a fly fell into a glass on the table. For an instant he watched it in silence as the light was refracted from the in-

sect's burnished wings.

"Four thousand men and three hundred officers were killed or lost at Tsushima," he continued. "Not flies—men. After seeing that I no longer believe in war."

Next month I shall tell of the life I led on the Russian road and the story of how I gained my goal on the other side of the world.

Tell The Alumnus now—write a card today—that you will be back for Commencement and Stunt Week. Only one more magazine before June.

AROUND THE COLUMNS

Two New Curators.

William Samuel Sparrow, of Kansas City, who was graduated from the School of Law in the class of '93, is one of the new members of the Board of Curators of the University appointed by Governor Major. A. D. Nortoni, of St. Louis, who was the candidate for governor on the Progressive ticket last fall, is the other new member. S. L. Baysinger, of Rolla, was re-appointed. All are appointed for six-year terms, from January 1, 1913.

The retiring members of the board are J. C. Swift of Kansas City and P. E. Burton of Joplin, editor of the

News-Herald.

Dean Jackson to Minnesota.

Dr. C. M. Jackson, dean of the School of Medicine, has accepted the position of professor and head of the department of anatomy at the University of Minnesota. He will begin his work there at the opening of school next fall.

Dean Jackson has been a member of the faculty here fourteen years. He has been the dean of the School of Medicine since 1909. He is also an alumnus of the University having received his bachelor of science degree in 1898, master of science in 1899 and M. D. degree in 1900. After that he spent a year studying in Europe.

"Hundred Dollar Bill" Again.

"Hundred Dollar Bill," the musical comedy written and produced by Missouri students in April, 1911, will be reproduced in Columbia April 18 and 19. Vaughn Bryant, Journalism '11, wrote the play, directed the production, and played the role of Bill Smart in the original cast. The lyrics were written by E. W. Patterson, A.B. '09,

Law '11, and he also had a prominent place in the cast. The music was written by Girard Blair, a student in the School of Law, who was musical director. Mr. Blair is in Columbia again to look after the musical part of the show.

The Quad club is considering producing the show again Sunt Week. This will depend upon whether or not alumni and other visitors wish to see

the show.

W. W. Campbell will play the part of Bill Smart, and together with F. O. Schnaitman is directing the production. C. F. Brainard will have the part of Percy Lorimer, originally played by Robert F. Lakenan, '12. The University women who will have places in the cast are Misses Bob Lindsay, Vera Holcomb, Allene Beauchamp, Lavinia Peters and Marie Butler.

Lost to K. U. in Basketball.

The Tigers lost the last game of basketball of the season to the Jayhawkers, 34 to 26, in Rothwell Gymnasium February 27. In the game the night before Missouri won by the score of 26 to 20. The Tigers lost two basketball games to Kansas earlier in the season at Lawrence.

In the All-Southern Division team of the Valley, selected by the officials who had worked in the games, two Tigers were given places. They are Taaffe at forward and Edwards at guard. The other three places were

given to Kansas.

Two Governors Here May 15.

Governor Elliott W. Major of Missouri will introduce Governor James M. Cox of Ohio at the University May 15, Journalism Week, when the Ohio executive will be here to deliv-

er an address upon "The Newspaper and the Public." Governor Cox is editor of the Dayton News and the Springfield Press Republic. He was formerly a reporter and editorial writer on the Cincinnati Enquirer.

New Journalism Fraternity.

A chapter of Sigma Delta Chi, a national journalism fraternity, has been installed at the University of Missouri. The five charter members are: H. J. MacKay, of Earltown, Nova Scotia; James G. May, New Holland, Ohio; Ward A. Neff, Kansas City; J. C. MacArthur, St. Louis; and W. E. Hall, Georgetown, Ohio.

The Phi Mu Alpha Concerts.

More persons—chiefly students and faculty members-heard more good music in Columbia this season for less money for each concert than ever before. Phi Mu Alpha, which has brought musical artists to the University the last five years, added another concert to the season's offering without increasing the price for season tickets. Five concerts were included in the series this winter, while last year there were four, the year before three, and previous to that time only one concert. The series just ended did not quite pay out financially, but there is a surplus in the treasury from former years and members of the musical fraternity say the increased interest in the concerts more than compensates, from their point of view, for the small financial deficit. aim of the fraternity is to provide opportunity for musical development and growth along with the other educational advancements of the university student.

The price for season tickets has remained the same the last three years, although each year one concert has been added to the series. Reserved seats have sold for \$2.50 and season tickets to the gallery for \$1, bringing the price of each concert this year

down to 20 cents. The concerts this year were by the Bruno Huhn Persian Cycle Quartet, the Flonzaley String Quartet, Efrem Zimbalist, violinist, Tina Lerner, pianist, and the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra. A special concert this year aside from the series, was by Mme. Gadski.

At Beta House Opening.

Among the alumni and out-of-town guests who were in Columbia for the formal opening of the new Beta Theta Pi fraternity house were: Walter Krause, W. G. Will, J. C. Prichard, Frank Kentnor, J. H. Tipton, and N. S. Gardner, St. Louis; Leonard Waddell, Kansas City; James Buffington, Mexico; E. L. Marshall, Chillicothe; Royal Jackson, Quincy, Ill.; C. S. VanDyke, Marshall; L. J. Miller, Mexico; L. J. Daughton, Lexington; J. C. Mills, S. A. Due, Roland Montague, G. J. McCune, Arthur Rogers, F. H. Kentron, W. F. Buckner.

New Y. M. C. A. Officers.

R. N. Wiggans, a football Tiger, was recently elected president of the Y. M. C. A. at the University. The other officers are: Vice-president, A. J. Accola; treasurer, R. H. Gray; recording secretary, Lyman I. Collins.

Eighteen Years Old, Gets Ph. D.

Norbert Wiener, 18 years old, a son of Prof. Leo Wiener, a former member of the faculty of the University of Missouri, received a Doctor of Philosophy degree at Harvard early in March. The son was born in Columbia in 1894.

Eight Into Phi Delta Phi.

Eight men from the first-year law class were initiated the last of February into the Phi Delta Phi honorary legal fraternity. They are: Roy Burns, Ethel, Mo.; L. H. Gray, Carthage, Mo.; E. L. Joyce, Brookfield, Mo.;

P. A. Wilson, Tulsa, Ok.; John W. Linger, Kansas City; Claude C. Mc-Collum, Seligman, Mo.; D. B. Meador, Monett, Mo.; and D. E. Williams, Troy, Mo.

University Players April 10.

"Madam Butterfly," a one-act play by Belasco, will be produced by the University Players at the Columbia Theater April 10. Two other short plays will be given, "Anatol," and "How He Lied to Her Husband."

Dr. Kellogg Back From Europe.

Dr. O. D. Kellogg, professor of mathematics, has returned from a leave of absence which he spent in Europe. He attended an International Congress of Mathematicians while abroad, and last fall took work in the University of Goettingen, Germany.

A Ball Game with Chinese.

The Tiger baseball team will play a team of Chinese students from the University of Honolulu on Rollins Field, April 21.

Is Senior Farmers' Editor.

V. C. Fellonius has been selected editor of the Farmers' Senior Annual for this year. C. A. Helm is associate editor and J. T. Thurman is business manager.

Ad Club Carnival April 4.

The annual Ad Club carnival will be held in Rothwell Gymnasium April 4. August Dieter is president of the club this year.

The Debating Teams Chosen.

The three debating teams to represent Missouri in the intercollegiate debates this year have been chosen. Paul Carrington and Guy V. Head will meet the University of Texas

here April 18. J. R. Cable will be the alternate.

The same day J. P. Smith and R. W. Jones will debate against the University of Colorado at Boulder. Claude Cross will be the alternate. Missouri will meet the Kansas debaters here April 26. Missouri will be represented by I. E. Young and A. W. Wolfe with C. W. Hawkins as alternate.

Dr. Viles on Leave of Absence.

Dr. Jonas Viles, professor of American history, has been granted a leave of absence for one semester from the University. He and his family have gone to Waltham, Mass., where he will look after a large dairy and truck farm which was left to him recently when his father died.

Doctor Viles expects to return to the University when he has disposed of the estate satisfactorily. The farm has been owned by his family since 1720 and the house itself is more than 150 years old.

K. U. Wins In Indoor Track.

Missouri lost the indoor track meet with Kansas in Kansas City, March 14 by one point. The score was 43 to 42. The Tigers took six firsts and Kansas four; Kansas made six seconds to Missouri's four.

J. P. Nicholson, the Tiger captain, was the individual star winning first place in the high hurdles, low hurdles and the high jump. In the high hurdles he tied the world's indoor record, records.

This was the eleventh annual indoor meet between the two schools and was the first Kansas has won.

The summary follows:

50-yard dash—Won by Crane, Kansas; Catron, Missouri, second. Time, :06.

1-mile run—Won by Edwards, Kansas; Patterson, Kansas, second. Time, 4:36 4-5. 55-yard high hurdle—Won by Nicholson, Missouri; Hazen, Kansas, second. Time, :07.

440-yard run—.Won by Hutsell, Missouri; Knobel, Missouri, second. Time, :54 2-5. 880-yard run-Won by Patterson, Kan-Murphy, Missouri, second.

55-yard low hurdle—Won by Nicholson, Missouri; Crane, Kansas, second. Time,

2-mile run-Won by Edwards, Kansas; Malcolmson, Kansas, second. Time, 10:03. 1-mile relay-Won by Kansas (Davis, Patterson, Black, Cisna); Missouri run-

ners, Hutsell, Breckner, Murphy, Knobel. High jump—Won by Nicholson Missouri; Hazen, Kansas, second. Distance, 5 feet,

Shot put-Won by Thatcher, Missouri, distance, 45 feet, 3 inches; Kemper, Missouri, second, distance, 39 feet, 11 inches.
Pole vault—Won by Floyd Missouri;
Hurst, Kansas, second. Height, 11 feet.

At the Missouri Athletic Club invitation meet in St. Louis the night after the Kansas meet, Missouri won the Missouri Valley Conference onemile relay with the same team which lost against Kansas. Nebraska was second and Kansas third in this race.

Missouri took second place in the two-mile intercollegiate race with Illinois first. In the 50-yard high hurdle Nicholson of Missouri was second and Wendell of Wesleyan was first with Case of Illinois as third man. Case won first place in the invitation 50-yard high hurdle race and Hazen of Kansas second. Wendell and Nicholson, first and second respectively, were disqualified for knocking over three hurdles.

The cup won by the Tiger relay team at St. Louis has been added to the trophies at Rothwell Gymnasium. It is the tallest one in the collection and has a handsome design.

Prof. C. L. Brewer says that Nicholson and Thatcher may be sent to the annual meet given by the University of Pennsylvania, which will be held April 26 this year. Whether they will be sent depends on how Thatcher shows up with the discus before that time.

Junior Prom April 24.

The Junior Prom will be held April 24 in Rothwell Gymnasium. The committee is arranging for several fea-

ture dances for that night. The University male quartet will sing several selections.

St. Pat Makes Annual Visit.

St. Patrick made his annual visit to the engineers and the University March 17. O. F. Taylor, captain of the baseball team, was his representative. According to custom the parade escorted St. Pat through the main part of town then to the Columns where Blarney Castle had been The Blarney stone was placed on the Mounds in front of the door of the castle where it was kissed by the members of class of 1913 as they were knighted.

O. D. Kellogg and E. W. Kellogg were made Knights of St. Patrick

"cum maxime laude."

A large wireless telegraph sending instrument was on a wagon at the front of the parade. The receiving instrument was at the end. From it wireless messages from St. Pat were given to the spectators, inviting them to the demonstrations in the engineering laboratories after the kow-tow. A steam shovel and a ferris wheel shaped like a shamrock were in the parade. A forge was mounted on a wagon where a die was heated and stamped shamrocks on blocks of wood, which were thrown to the crowd.

The sophomore pre-engineers rode in Columbia's old weather-beaten hansom cab which was drawn by a tandem of sad-eyed mules. The junior mechanical engineers had individual stunts. One was a walking copy of Kent's Handbook. The others appeared as a steam gauge, a bottle of India ink carrying a pen and an engine governor.

Doctor Dippy, with his pink hair, was kept in a green cage by the sophomores but it failed to run just right so he had to be taken out for a part of the trip. The freshmen had a mule listening to "his master's voice" from a phonograph but the high wind tore a part of the float to pieces before the parade started.

After the kow-tow in front of Blarney Castle the engineers held open house in the engineering laboratories. E. E. Armstrong was the chairman of the stunt committee and S. M. Hardaway was editor of the Shamrock.

The celebration closed with the St. Pat dance in Columbia Hall at night. Five spot lights shining through strips of green and white paper suspended from the ceiling gave indirect lighting to the hall. There were also green and white drop lights as a part of the decoration. The chaperons were: President and Mrs. A. Ross Hill, Dean and Mrs. H. B. Shaw and Dr. and Mrs. L. M. Defoe.

119,020 Volumes in M. U. Library.

Last year, 8,204 volumes were added to the University Library. This is the largest addition made in any year since 1907, when 9,013 were added. In 1908, 7,218 accessions were made; in 1909, 7,569; in 1910, 7,794 and in 1911, 7,738.

The library now contains 119,020 volumes and 20,500 pamphlets. This does not include 3,000 volumes given to the library by former Senator F. M. Cockrell. There is not shelf room in the library for the books which Senator Cockrell gave, and they are piled on the floor in the basement of Academic Hall.

Total Enrollment Is 3,288.

The total enrollment in the University from June, 1912, is 3,288. The 3,288 students now enrolled include those in the summer session and 307 short course students. The regular enrollment since September is 2,301.

In the session from June, 1911, to June, 1912, the total enrollment reached 3,256, which is thirty-two less than the total enrollment for this session. The increase this year is in

spite of the smaller number of short course students.

In the total for the session some students who were counted in the summer enrollment were also counted in the regular session. By taking these duplicates from the total number, 3,288, it will leave 3,176 individuals who have attended classes in the year.

Fellowship for T. C. VanCleve.

T. C. VanCleve, A.B.'11, A.M.'12, instructor in history in the University, was awarded a University fellowship for the present semester at a meeting of the executive board of the Board of Curators February 15.

"City Boys Are Stronger."

Young men who have grown up on the farm are not as well developed physically as the young men who come to the University from the cities, according to O. F. Field, instructor in physical training at the University of Missouri. Mr. Field reached this conclusion after examining the young men who have come to the University for the short course in agriculture.

To remedy this physical fault, a class in physical training has been started at the University for the short-course students. In the physical examination of men from the farm it has been found that their development is very uneven. Special muscles, such as those of the upper arms and shoulders, were over-developed. In other ways the men were found to be very deficient. The grip of many students from the farm is inferior to that of the city man, especially of those who have had physical training.

Instruction is given also in rural recreation, in the management and administration of rural games and

playground work.

NEWS OF ALUMNI

Promoted by Woodrow Wilson.

B. T. Galloway, who was graduated from the Missouri College of Agriculture in '84, was appointed Assistant Secretary of Agriculture by President Wilson March 13. He has been in the government department several years, and was promoted from the position of chief of the Bureau of Plant Industry.

Mr. Galloway visited in Columbia last fall and saw the campus of his Alma Mater for the first time in twenty-five years. Mrs. Galloway also is a graduate of the University of Missouri, of the class of '86; she was Miss Agnes Stewart Rankin

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The "Colony" at Johns Hopkins.

Dr. Walter E. Dandy, who received an A.B. degree at Missouri in '07 and completed his work for an M.D. degree at John Hopkins, is now assistant in surgery at that university. Other Missouri graduates who are completing the work in medicine at Johns Hopkins are: James E. Stowers, A.B. '10, A.M. '11; Miss Caroline McGill, A.B. '04, A.M. '05, Ph.D. '08; W. A. Fansler, A.B. '11, A.M. '12; and Floyd A. Martin, A.B. '11, A.M. '12. The "colony" at Johns Hopkins has made an excellent record, according to Dr. C. M. Jackson, dean of the Missouri School of Medicine.

Wolfsohn on Chicago News.

Leo Wolfsohn, who completed the work in journalism at Missouri in January, is now a copy-reader on the Chicago Daily News.

A Tribute to E. D. Phillips, '77.

A marble bust of E. D. Phillips, Ph.B. '77, Ph.M. '78, by Jorgen C. Dreyer, a sculptor, has recently been purchased by the Athenaeum of Kansas City together with former pupils of Professor Phillips. The bust is life size, and was awarded a gold medal at the State Fair at Sedalia last fall. It will be placed in the Art Museum at Kansas City when the building is erected. Mr. Phillips has been principal of Manual Training High School there for many years.

"Alex" Gives Up Coaching.

Aubrey G. Alexander, LL.B. '11, remembered by all recent-day students as the big fullback on Roper's 1909 football team, has given up his position as coach at Polytechnic College, Fort Worth, Texas, to devote all his time to the practice of law in that city.

Ikenberry a Farm Adviser.

E. A. Ikenberry, who was graduated from the College of Agriculture in '11, was appointed county farm adviser for Jackson County, Missouri, in March. The position pays a salary of \$2,500 a year. He was formerly a deputy food and drug commissioner under Dr. W. P. Cutler.

Enters Government Service.

Walter W. Merryman, who was graduated from the College of Arts and Science and the School of Education last year, has accepted a government position in Washington. He resigned as principal of the high school at Paris, Texas.

Alumni Visit Columbia.

R. V. Denslow, A.B. '07, was in Columbia several days in March. He was for several years in the newspaper business in Trenton, but is now assistant postmaster there.

George W. Sneed, B.S. in Ag. '11,

was visiting in Columbia in March. He is now in the real estate business at Lilbourn, in Southeast Missouri, and is also farming an extensive tract of land.

Dr. E. E. Evans to Fulton.

Dr. E. E. Evans, who was graduated from the Missouri School of Medicine in '98, has been appointed a member of the medical staff of the State Hospital at Fulton by Governor Major. Dr. Evans held a similar position under Governor Folk, and the last four years has been practicing in Columbia.

An Engineer in the Wilds.

An idea of the primitive civilization into which engineering graduates are sometimes placed in following their profession is told in a story in the Mrs. Mau-University Missourian. rice V. Powell, who was formerly Miss Henrietta Price of Columbia, left March 28 to join her husband, M. V. Powell, C.E. '10, at Porte Velho, Brazil, South America. Mr. Powell was a member of the Beta Theta Pi and Tau Beta Pi fraternities; he is now chief engineer of construction for the Maderia Manamore Company in South America. The Missourian said:

Mr. Powell has been in South America two years. He likes the work but finds the climate unfavorable on account of the dampness and the great amount of malarial and yellow fever. On account of climatic conditions it is necessary for the construction company to give its employes a vacation of five months each year. During his vacation, which will begin in September, Mr. and Mrs. Powell will tour Europe.

The Maderia Manamore Construction Company is now building a railroad to transport rubber, which is the chief product of that part of the country.

The present method of transporta-

tion is very crude as the great balls of unrefined rubber are handled in large boat-like conveyances dragged by many men. For other transportation they have what is known as the Roman cart. This cart has wheels which do not turn on the axle, but the wheels and axle turn together. This is drawn by heavily yoked oxen.

At Porto Velho, Mr. Powell is practically cut off from communication with the world. There are no local newspapers and the only news received is through letters or newspapers

sent by mail.

There are no amusements other than an occasional dance given in the hospital when there are no patients. At these dances the few nurses are the only women to attend.

There are no stores, so when Mr. Powell comes to the United States he takes back supplies which will last him until he makes the trip again.

The company sends all the provisions for their men. These are very high. A can of tomatoes which would ordinarily cost 12 cents here cost \$1 there. If Mrs. Powell wants a servant girl the construction company will procure a Portugese girl for her for \$9 a week. Mrs. Powell said that board costs on an average of \$90 a month for each person.

Porto Velho has a population of about 600 most of which is Caripune Indians. Mrs. Powell will be the second American woman in Porto Velho.

The natives live in the jungles. The Americans live in the thatched palm houses, which are built on posts about one foot off the ground. The floors are made from logs split in half, with flat side turned upward. The walls are made of palm leaves which are split and woven together. These walls extend about half way to the roof. The roof is thatched and the eaves extend far beyond the sides of the house.

There are many kinds of wild animals. Mrs. Powell says she expects to go about armed all the time, and that she will not do much exploring as the foliage is so dense in the jungles that one can hardly see five feet ahead.

To Practice Law in K. C.

D. C. Payne, LL.B. '08, who has been practicing law at Fort Stockton, Texas, has just formed a partnership with William Thompson of Kansas City. The new firm name is Thompson & Payne; offices are in the Dwight Building.

Are Republican Vice-Presidents.

The Young Republicans of Missouri recently selected two Missouri graduates for vice-presidents in their respective congressional districts. They are Don C. McVay, LL.B. '11, of Trenton, and Frank B. Klepper, B.L. '98, of Cameron.

Again Boone County Engineer.

George A. Ridgeway, who was graduated in civil engineering in '10, was recently re-appointed county engineer for Boone County.

Niedermeyer's Garage Burns.

The garage of the Columbia Automobile Company on South Ninth street, owned by F. W. Niedermeyer, LL.B. '94, burned the night of February 27. Fourteen cars were burned, most of them owned by Mr. Niedermeyer. The loss was largely covered by insurance.

IN KANSAS CITY

By E. W. PATTERSON

A movement to bring the Kansas football game back to Kansas City was discussed at a meeting of the alumni here the last of January. R. B. Caldwell, chairman of a committee appointed to handle the question of bringing the game back, made his report. He said letters had been sent to

all the alumni in the city asking an expression of opinion on the question. About 150 replies had been received, of which only about a dozen had expressed opposition, the rest being strongly in favor of bringing the game back to Kansas City. He had also written to alumni in towns in the western part of the state and had received unanimous approval of the plan. The committee conferred with a similar committee from the Kansas alumni, and the latter promised, since Kansas had been the one to insist on the "collegiate gridiron" rule, that they would try to open up once more the question of where the game should be played. Prof. C. L. Brewer, director of ath-

letics, was present at the meeting.
D. R. Bonfoey ("Bonnie"), a student in 1908-10 and a Beta, was in the city visiting friends in February. He is now in the insurance business in Oklahoma City.

W. W. Wright, who has captured some of that elusive commodity called "fame," by reason of his being the first divorce proctor to be appointed in the United States, recently signed a contract to go on the chautauqua platform this summer. He will speak

in Indiana and Ohio.

E. W. Porter, LL.B. '09, and W. R. Barnes, LL.B. '12, a former Tiger guard, have formed a partnership for the practice of law under the name of Porter & Barnes. Their offices are at 613 Scarritt Building. Porter has joined Battery B of the Third Regiment, N. G. M., and now holds the rank of lieutenant.

Kenneth Spencer, a former student at Missouri and a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, is assistant manager of the Globe Indemnity Company with offices in the Insurance Exchange Building, Chicago. He has charge of the accident and health department for the entire United States.

Kansas City probably will have a "Roper Avenue" soon. Howard Flagg, LL.B. '10, Raymond Leggett, B.S.in

J. '11, John Marley, LL.B. '12, and other promoters have formed the Evanston Realty Company, capitalized at \$60,000 to plat and sell a forty-acre tract now occupied by the Evanston Golf Club, near Swope Park. Most of the stockholders are enthusiastic Missouri rooters, and in platting the land they hope to have something to say about naming the streets. If they do, it is assured that one of them will be named "Roper Avenue" in honor of—well, now, whom do you suppose?

The high school juniors and seniors of this city were given an opportunity to learn the advantages of Old Mizzou when a "Missouri night" was given at the Y. M. C. A. in February. Within the Y. M. C. A. membership is a club composed of high school students who plan to go to college. Every year this club holds three meetings at which alumni of three different colleges or universities are requested to provide some form of entertainment or instruction for the purpose of advertising their respective al-Missouri had not been ma maters. represented in these "stunts" for several years. This year the club voted unanimously to ask for a "Missouri Night." The Y. M. C. A. says there has been a remarkable growth of sentiment among the high school students in the last few years in favor of Missouri, and that more and more of them are planning to take up their college work in Columbia. The program consisted of lantern slides showing scenes about the University, which were entertainingly explained by Samuel R. Fleet, LL.B. '09, W. F. Woodruff, A.B. '07, LL.B. '09, made a talk on University stunts, which was "knockout" from start to finish. W. Wright, LL.B. '09, spoke on "The University Y. M. C. A." and Shannon C Douglass, Jr., LL.B. '10, told of University athletics. Refreshments were served.

E. M. Tipton, LL.B. '11, is now with the law firm, Moore, Handy,

Swearingen and Olsen in the Rialto

Building.

Samuel B. Sebree, A.B. '07, and Miss Alice Eden Smith, will be married April 29 at the home of her parents in Kansas City. Mr. Sebree was graduated from the Harvard law school in 1911 and is now associated with his father in the law firm Sebree, Conrad and Wendorff with offices in the Scarritt Building. Mr. Sebree was a member of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity at Missouri.

IN ST. LOUIS

By LOUIS B. PORTNER

The annual banquet of the local association was held March 27, at the City Club. It was more informal than those of preceding years. The charge was \$1.25 a plate. No liquors were served, and the whole affair was more of a popular nature. Missouri songs were printed on cards, and all joined in singing the old Missouri songs.

At the Alumni meeting March 6, Curtis Hill, '96, of Columbia, state highway engineer, and Sidney J. Roy, of Hannibal, secretary of the Missouri Federation of Commercial Clubs, addressed those present. Mr. Roy advocated a general fund to be contributed by the citizens of the state to advertise the University to the people of the state, and in addition spoke very highly of the University, which he predicted would become an institution for the whole Southwest, instead of this particular state.

C. M. Talbert, who was an engineering student in Missouri from 1889-1892, has been appointed street commissioner of St. Louis, to fill the unexpired term of two years of J. C. Travilla, resigned. Mr. Talbert was the assistant to the president of the Board of Public Improvements before his promotion to the present office. He is the first vice-president of the local

Alumni, and takes an active part in

alumni affairs.

The local engineering organization celebrated St. Patrick's Day with an informal dance at Clendenen's Arcade. Irish music predominated. About twenty couples attended. This organization holds an informal luncheon the last Friday in each month at Sheller's Cafe, 715 North Kingshighway. All engineers, visiting and residing, are cordially invited.

Clinton Yates, Eng. '09, assistant to the consulting engineer for the Board of Education, is the proud father of

a baby boy.

Kemper Carter, who was chairman of the students' mass meeting in 1911-1912, is connected with the commercial engineering department of the Bell Telephone Company.

"Spider" Walker, Eng. '11, who was formerly with the Mississippi River Commission, has left for the Philippines, where he will enter the

government service.

Thomas Haddaway, Eng. '11, is a draughtsman in the employ of the Union Electric Light and Power Company. Haddaway was married last June.

C. J. McPheeters, arts student until very recently, who lives in Webster Groves, expects to enter business in

St. Louis soon.

Arnold Hecker, Eng. '12, who is connected with the Arkansas Diamond Company in Murphysboro, Ark., has spent the last month at the home office of his company here.

Walter N. Geery and V. W. Surbur, Eng. '11, who are connected with the Pioneer Telephone Company in Oklahoma, visited in St. Louis three

or four days recently.

Harry G. Bristoe, Arts '09, has accepted the position of instructor in chemistry at St. Louis University.

Louis H. Budke, Eng. '08, is a solicitor for the Nelson-Chesman Company, Advertising Agents. Louis's father is the president of this firm, which is the largest of its kind in the

West. His brother, Conrad, Jr., '09, is vice-president of the Schelp-Budke Tire and Rubber Company. Both were

Sigma Nus.

J. D. Bowles, Eng. '09, who superintended the electric work on the new Post Office Building, for the F. E. Newberry Company, has left to take charge of the Chicago office of that firm.

G. A. Helstrand, who was in the Engineering department 1908-10, stopped over in St. Louis on his way to the Rolla School of Mines, where

he is at present a student.

Allen B. Wilder, Eng.'12, has gone in for the manufacture of toys. He is the president of the Wilder Novelty Manufacturing Company. Wilder is a Phi Kappa Psi and is best known as the plunging full-back of our 1910 and 1911 teams.

Sigmund M. Bass, Arts,'10, has been taken in as a partner by his father and is now practicing law as one of the members of Bass & Bass, with offices in the Times Building. The better half of Sig's family is the former Ada Rudd, Arts,'11. Sig is a Sigma Chi and Mrs. Bass is a Kappa

Kappa Gamma.

Journalistically speaking, we are well represented on the local papers here. Chas. Arnold, Jour.'10, and Oscar E. Riley, Jour.'10, are copyhere. Globe-Democrat. readers on the Truman E. Tally, who was in school from '08 to '11, is assistant night editor of the same paper. G. V. Kenton, Jour.'10, is the make-up editor of The Star. Horace Davis, Arts '10, and Richard K. Tindall, Jour.'11, are on the Republic. Jos. E. Chasnoff, Arts and Jour.'11, is in the advertising department of the same paper. Herbert W. Smith, Jour.'11, is managing the art department of Blumenstock Brothers Advertising Agency. His office is in the Chemical Building. Ernest R. Evans, Arts,'09, who was the first advertising manager of the Daily Missourian, is a member of the advertising agency of Taylor & Evans, with offices in the Century Building.

Malcolm I. Frank, Law,'11, is in the law office of Louis Mayer in the Third National Bank Building.

IN CHICAGO

The Missouri Alumni Association of Chicago at its March meeting appointed me to write to The Alumnus that we are here and feeling and displaying as much loyalty to our Alma Mater as the engineers of my day were capable of. That this loyalty is still so much persisted in by the members of our organization is due, perhaps, in no small measure to the large number of engineers who are members.

Among them may be mentioned V. A. Hain, Eng. '06, who was vice-president in 1911, W. F. Corl, Eng. '08, our present vice-president, O. H. Liebenstein, Eng. '09, who was president in 1912, and many others who have contributed their hearty good will to the success of many meetings. However, it must not be inferred that the loyalty of our association is confined to the engineers. There are R. E. House, '00, professor of French in Chicago University, J. C. Baird, '03, teacher in Morgan Park Academy and twice president, F. M. Motter, '00, C. E. Bonnet, who is working hard acquiring a Ph.D. at the University of Chicago, and last but not by any means least, Miss Nora Edmonds, whose work as secretary of the association has kept its widely scattered members in touch with each other and the meetings.

At our last meeting there came up for discussion a comparison of Missouri with other universities and the ability of its students to compete with those trained at other schools. The concensus of opinion was that Missouri students were on a par with students trained at eastern and other universities.

Because of our isolation from it we are unable to render the direct service to our university and education in general in the state of Missouri which is possible to those in the state. However, we individually stand ready to aid any of its students who may be seeking an opportunity in this city. That this service may not be small was testified to at our last meeting by Miss Sturtevant who came to the city a stranger and homesick, as she said, for the sight of a Missourian. she was nearly a year in finding any is to be regretted, and it is the object of this letter with the help of The Alumnus to prevent such occurrences in the future.

CLARA SCHMITT, '05.
Board of Education, Tribune Bldg.,
Chicago.

Will You Be Here?

Commencement and Stunt Week

Sunday, June 1

Baccalaureate sermon.

Monday, June 2

Teachers' stunt. Women's May Day play and May Pole dance.

Dinner for visiting law alumni as a farewell to Dean Hinton.

Tuesday, June 3

Journalists' stunt. Farmers' County Fair.

Wednesday, June 4

Engineers' stunt. Alumni meeting. Phi Beta Kappa address. Senior ball.

Thursday, June 5

Commencement exercises. Alumni luncheon. President's reception.

WEDDINGS

W. W. Wright, '09.

W. W. ("Ozark") Wright, LL.B. '09, will be married April 16 to Miss. Madaline MacQueen at the MacQueen home in Salina, Kan. Mr. Wright is divorce proctor for Kansas City. Their honeymoon trip will be in July and August when Mr. Wright goes for a series of lectures on a chautauqua circuit including West Virginia, Indiana, Ohio, and Michigan.

V. E. D. Landon, '11.

Virgil E. D. Landon, LL.B. '11, was married February 19 in Kansas City to Miss Nelle Elizabeth Sumerwell. Roscoe P. Conkling, LL.B. '12, attended Mr. Landon as best man. Mr. and Mrs. Landon are now at home at Tampico Tapms, Old Mexico.

Lillian Ritter, '12.

C. E. Sexton, a former student in the School of Engineering and Miss Lillian Ritter, A.B. and B.S., University of Missouri, 1912, were married in Miami, Ok., March 19.

M. J. Mallery, '09.

M. J. Mallery, B.S. in E.E. '09, and Miss Ida Katherine Snider were married in Memphis, Tenn., February 22. Mr. Mallery is sales engineer for the Westinghouse Electric Company at Memphis.

J. B. Powell, 10.

J. B. Powell, B.S.in J. '10, instructor in advertising in the School of Journalism, and Miss Martha Hinton of Hannibal were married in Hannibal March 20. Mr. and Mrs. Powell will be at home in Columbia after April 1.

DEATHS

C. V. Rupert, '11.

Clarence Vernon Rupert, A.B. '11, died at the home of his uncle, David Grosh, at Hicksville, Ohio, March 3. 1913. He had been in ill health more than a year.

Mr. Rupert was born in Allen county, Indiana, December 17, 1886. He was graduated from the high school at Noblesville, Ind., and attended Earlham College at Richmond, Ind., before coming to the University of Missouri. The year following his graduation at the University he taught school at California, Mo.

Robert G. Wilson.

Robert G. Wilson, a student in the College of Agriculture at Missouri in 1910-11, died at his home at Lee's Summit, Mo., February 24.

BIRTHS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Odon Guitar, Jr., of St. Louis, March 4. Mr. Guitar was graduated from the University in 1890. He is president of the Alumni Association.

Florence Estill is the name which has been given to the child.

To Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Riddle of 1503 Metropolitan avenue, Kansas City, Kan., a son was born December 3. Mr. Riddle, who was graduated from the School of Engineering in 1908, says "he is a big buster, and is going to be an Engineer."

If you say to The Alumnus, "I'll be there," it will help to bring your classmates back to meet you on the Mounds June 1 to 5.

COMMUNICATIONS

Coming to Stunts in Autos.

The Alumnus: I will be there at Commencement and the week before. Several of the boys are going to drive down the Old Trail state highway and I will join them here with two other autos and at Boonville we expect three other cars. Some will come from Independence and Lexing-M. S. McGUIRE, M.D.'95.

Arrow Rock, Mo.

Meeting in Los Angeles.

The Alumnus: I have enjoyed every number of The Alumnus immensely and am glad that I was persuaded to subscribe.

Mrs. R. L. Holland, '87, and Alva W. Beach, '92, are near neighbors of mine in Glendale, where I reside. J. H. McKinney works here in the office while J. R. Ford is with another title company.

We are trying to have an alumni banquet here April 19 as a result of the efforts of

Miss Gloria W. Carr. F. S. BALTHIS, B.S. in C.E.'96. Title Guarantee and Trust Co., Los Angeles, Cal.

M. U. and West Point, Too.

The Alumnus: I wish to attend the next commencement in Columbia. I have a son who graduates at West Point this June and I expect to go there. If the dates are such that I can stop at Columbia either going or coming I think I shall be there.

T. J. OLIVER, A.B.'73.

Falls City, Neb.

Alumni in Congress.

The Alumnus: Though I have not heretofore written you I have been reading your magazine with much interest. It seems only a little while since I was there in school. Hope to be able to return in June. I was re-elected to Congress from the Portland, Oregon, district last November and am now serving my second term.

We have several graduates of Missouri University here in the House. One of our youngest members, Scott Ferris of Lawton, Ok., attended law school in 1899 or 1900. "Uncle Joe" Russell, representing a Missouri district, graduated in law away back before the fire and was president or valedictorian of his class, or both—anyway he distinguished himself there as he has here

in the House. Politte Elvins, a comparatively recent graduate of the law school, served one term here in the House recently from southeast Missouri, but was succeeded by a Democrat. We expect to see more of the Missouri University boys here in the future, and it is barely possible that we will live to see some of the girls hold seats in this august body also, for I can see from the trend of things that all the states will have equal suffrage before many years.
A. W. LAFFERTY, LL.B.'99.

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The Missouri Alumnus The Alumnus: is, I consider, a timely and important addition to our great University. A strong alumni and a strong alumni spirit is one of the greatest assets a school can have; and in that respect our alumni paper will, I am sure, do much for the University of Missouri.

I am now busily and pleasantly con-nected with Yale; but my Yale spirit withdraws none of my interest in and loyalty to my old Alma Mater, Missouri.

If it is still in order you may place me among those in favor of having department

stunts at Commencement time.

FRANK SETTLE, A.B.'10. 245 York St., New Haven, Conn.

Would Keep March 17.

The Alumnus: Regarding the proposed plan to concentrate the different departmental stunts during Commencement Week, I beg to go on record as being in favor of same, but would make the following suggestion as to the engineering department's contribution to this entertainment.

It used to be the custom for the engineers to hold an annual reception for the University girls. This was held at the engineering building and consisted of interest-ing exhibits in the various laboratories. This reception could be held Commencement week and would prove of general interest. The engineers do not consider their observance of St. Patrick's Day in the light of a stunt and I feel certain that none of the engineering alumni would sanction any change in the present method of procedure T. O. KENNEDY, '07. for March 17.

Branson, Mo.

Stunts to Keep up Alumni Spirit.

The Alumnus: It strikes me, and as many alumni as I have talked to, that the Stunt Week at the school year's end will be a great inducement for us to come back.

When there, the stunts will fill us so brim full of the spirit of "Old Missou" that few will be the times hereafter when Commencement will pass without our presence. I look forward with great pleasure to that time next June which will be my first "home-coming" since leaving in 1908.

D. C. PAYNE, '08. 300 Dwight Bldg., Kansas City.

Let's Have More Locals.

The Alumnus: I always welcome The Alumnus like a letter from home and it has put me in touch with several Missouri "grads" in this immediate vicinity.

I like the idea of a correspondent from every community where there are Missouri alumni. For instance, Memphis has sixteen alumni according to one of the alumni there. Around here there are perhaps as many more. There ought to be some organization here.

R. L. HOPE, B.S. in C. E.'10. Helena, Ark.

Missourians at Princeton.

The Alumnus: A man from Illinois told me that the best-looking thing he had seen in New Jersey was a westbound train. Although my sentiments hardly agree, I expect to take the first train out after my duties are finished, and I expect to be in Columbia for Stunt Week and Commencement.

The Shapeley brothers, Harlow, '10, and John, '12, invited P. D. Sanford and me out to dinner one day last month and we had a Missouri reunion. I will be in summer school at Missouri this year.

PRENTICE ("PEE WEE") REEVES, '12. Princeton, N. J.

"Joys Enhanced by Stunts."

The Alumnus: To say that I enjoy the contents of the Alumnus is putting it lightly, indeed. When it arrives I never stop reading it until I have finished it—advertisements included.

As regards the best time for holding Stunt Week, I am heartily in favor of having it at Commencement immediately preceding examinations. I do not think that it will interfere at all with examinations, in fact I think it will be beneficial to the students at that time by giving them mental rest and healthy diversion, which they greatly need at that time

they greatly need at that time.

I do not believe that our University wants to raise the standard of scholarship

by a method which has for its basic principle cramming for examinations. If our professors there are not broad enough to detemine from the daily class work of the students their fitness for advancement, they are not broad enough to teach in a university and steps should be taken to get rid of them, and fill their places with men who realize that a university education means more than cramming a portion of a book into one's head and unloading it on the "prof" at examinations.

I am quite a long way from my Alma Mater but I hope to get back for Commencement, and if I get to come, my joys will be greatly enhanced by knowing in advance that the various stunts will be a part, a very large part, of the program.

C. H. CASSITY, M.D. 03.

432 Egan St., Shreveport, La.

In "Wild and Woolly West."

The Alumnus: The magazine is a welcome visitor to a Missouri Farmer in the "wild and woolly" West. I am ranching at Cabinet, Idaho. "Luke" Childers, '06, is manager of a large ranch in northern Idaho.

JAMES N. PRIG, '05.

From the Other Side of the Globe.

The Alumnus—The first number of "The Missouri Alumnus" has reached me, and it brings back many old faces to mind. It is certainly a treat to a fellow on this other side of the globe. I was letting 'Varsity affairs slip away from me a bit. It is hard not to, when you are so far away.

I was a bit amused when you put me down as "Miss" (page 54), and said "her address" etc. The fellows used to call me "Baby" Cole and say I would soon be old enough to go with the girls. (I cite the Savitar 1905, Junior Academs.) I did get old enough to go with the girls and have one of my own, and also a real little "Miss" Cole.

WINIFRED B. COLE, A.B.'06. Hingwa, China, via Foochow, Nov. 25, 1912.

Your pleasure in returning to The Columns depends largely upon meeting the friends of your college days. Tell The Alumnus you are planning to be here; we'll tell your friends, and ask them to meet you here.

NOTES OF THE CLASSES

Under this heading each month will appear paragraphs about members of the different classes Alumni are urged to mail to the Secretary changes of addresses or news items. These abbreviations are used: College of Arts and Science, ac.; School of Law, law; School of Engineering, eng.; School of Education, ed.; School of Medicine, m.; College of Agriculture, agr.; School of Journalism, j. Graduate degrees are indicated with capital letters.

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From the Secretary—I am sorry to say that at present it does not look as though I should be fortunate enough to be able to participate in the reunion of the class of '03. In the first place our commencement here comes so much later than the one at Missouri that it is very doubtful whether I could get away at that time. Moreover, one of my colleagues has just died and a very

great amount of work has been thrown on me on this account. I feel that it will be necessary for some member of the class who lives in Columbia or at least in Missouri to take up the duties as secretary. Nothing would give me more pleasure than to work up the reunion and to participate in the exercises of commencement week, expecially since the stunts of the departments will then be staged, but under the circumstances it does seem ill advised for me to take it up. I regret deeply that circumstances should be such as to practically exclude me.

W. G. BEK.

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Whom do you wish to greet on the Quad next June?

The old friends you would like most to meet naturally are the ones who would like to return to the campus at the same time you do.

Just let them know that you are planning to be back for Commencement—this will be an added inducement to them.

The chief satisfaction in returning to Alma Mater is in meeting friends of college days. You can help bring back the classmates of your day by dropping a card to The Alumnus saying you are planning to return in June?

What about '03?

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