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Dean Isidor Loeb of the School of Business and Public Administration has been appointed legal advisor for the Federal Food Administration for Missouri.

Lee Walker, A.B. '10, LL.B. '12, has been appointed licensing inspector of the administration, and has opened his office in the Agriculture Building.

The appointment of Vaughn Bryant, B.J. '11, to take the place made vacant by Don D. Patterson, B.J. '17, has also been made. Mr. Bryant has been instructor in the School of Journalism at the University of Kansas.

M. U. Knitters Eager for Yarn

Girls of the University are so eager to knit for the soldiers that they stood in line to get yarn when a recent order was received and not a skein was left when the line had passed. The University girls recently raised about \$300 for yarn to supply the knitters who can afford only to give their time.

M. U. To Train War Speakers

The departments of history and political science are offering a voluntary course in public speaking to train mature students for service in discussing the issues of the war over the state. The Missouri Council for Defense has more calls for speakers than it can fill, and it is believed the University's plan of coaching students who are trained in the social sciences will help meet the demands for speakers. The work will be entirely voluntary and will not be given for credit. Prof. Jonas Viles is in charge of the work.

Waters Tells Aggies Goodby

Dr. Henry Jackson Waters, B.S. Ag. '86, who recently offered his resignation from the presidency of Kansas State Agricultural College at Manhattan, will begin his duties as editor of the Weekly Kansas City Star with the beginning of the new year. Doctor Waters made his farewell address to the Aggie students December 17. Several luncheons and receptions were held in his honor. Doctor Waters was formerly dean of the M. U. College of Agriculture.

DIED OF POISON IN FRANCE

Irwin H. Shaw Was With First American Aviators To Go Over

Irwin H. Shaw, a former student of the University who went to France with the first squad of American aviators, died of ptomaine poison November 29, according to a recent telegram from the Adjutant General at Washington. Mr. Shaw went into the aviation service from Ava, Mo., last June. He was in the signal service in France. He was a student in the School of Engineering.

Leslie Goes to Great Lakes

Hilles R. Leslie, a student in the School of Business and Public Administration, has enlisted in the navy. He was to report at the Great Lakes Training Station January 2.

Pick 15 Debaters at M. U.

Fifteen students were successful in the recent debating tryouts at the University. From these will be selected the teams to debate men from other universities.

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COLUMBIA, MO.

WANT ELLIFF AS DIRECTOR

M. U. Man Asked To Head Vocational Education in Missouri

President Hill announces, just at press time, Mr. Elliff will accept the call to direct vocational education in Missouri.

According to dispatches from Jefferson City, J. D. Elliff, high school visitor and professor of high school administration in the University, has been appointed director of vocational education for Missouri. It is understood here that Uel Lamkin, state superintendent of public schools, has asked Professor Elliff to take the place and the University has been asked to release him from his work here. President Hill and Professor Elliff have the matter under consideration.

The duty of the director of vocational education will be to organize education in gariculture, industries and home economics in Missouri under the Smith-Hughes Act. During the present year he would also direct all work done in the state in war emergency education as outlined by the Federal Board of Vocational Education. It is planned to conduct night schools in mechanical trades to help fill the great need which has been brought about by the war.

Superintendent Lamkin is known to be very eager that Professor Elliff accept the position as director of this work in Missouri. He regards Mr. Elliff as the best man in the state to undertake this big, constructive task.

Professor Elliff was graduated from the Warrensburg Normal in 1893. He then became principal of the Carthage High school and then of the Joplin High School. From 1897 until 1902 he was superintendent of the public schools of Joplin and then for a year was acting superintendent of the St. Joseph schools. He received his A.B. degree from the University in 1903. After studying at Chicago University and taking graduate work here he received the A.M. degree in 1907. He has been a member of the University faculty since 1904.

War Stops "College Farmer"

After fourteen years as the publication of the agricultural students of the University, "The College Farmer" will be suspended with the January issue. Decreased enrollment in the College of Agriculture and constant editorial difficulties because of enlistments are given as the reason. F. L. Clinefelter, editor this year, was called for military duty November 1, and since that time there have been several other changes in the staff.

CREDIT FOR MEN AT CAMPS

Students Who Enlist Also To Be Rewarded for Work Done

Full credit will be allowed by the University to those students who attend the Reserve Officers' Training Camps, which open January 5. The grade will be determined by the quality of the work done up to the time of leaving the University.

In cases where students leave for direct enlistment into national service at other times during the year, the question of credit will be settled in each case by the committee of the deans.

Samuel K. Downing "Over There"

Lieut. Samuel K. Downing of Higginsville, Mo., who is in the signal corps, aviation section, has cabled his parents of his safe arrival overseas. When Lieutenant Downing finished the course at the officers' training school at Fortress Monroe recently he had shown so well in all branches that he was offered his choice of a first lieutenantcy in either of three branches of the service. Lieutenant Downing is a Missouri University man.

O. R. Johnson Joins Command

Lieut. O. R. Johnson, formerly head of the farm management department of the University, has joined his command and expects soon to be sent to France. His neighbors gave him a wrist watch when he left Columbia.

WAR PARTY IN K. C. DREW 80

Members of Early Classes Attended New Year's Event

War cut down the attendance somewhat but not the good time at the third annual New Year's party given by the Kansas City Alumnae Association the afternoon of New Year's Day. More than 80 former students and present students ate war candy, listened to the music and watched the dancing or joined in themselves, but most of all they visited with each other and all became boys and girls again.

Even forty years as a graduate could not keep down the spirit of youth. Fletcher Cowherd, '79, and A. E. Douglass, '77, had as much fun as any of the boys who are now undergraduates. T. T. Crittenden, '82-84, was another of the older alumni present.

The party was held at Drexel Hall, Hunter and Main Streets, from 2 until 5 o'clock. The proceeds will be given to a war charity, according to Miss Eleanor Kleeman, '14, president of the Kansas City Alumnae.

"OVER THE TOP" IN RED CROSS

University and Boone County Exceed Quota of Christmas Memberships

Boone County and the University went "over the top" again and exceeded their quota in the Christmas membership campaign of the Red Cross by more than 700. The number asked of Dean Isidor Loeb, chairman for Boone County, was 6,000. He made it 6,710. The University is getting the "over the top" habit, having subscribed more than \$61,000 to the second Liberty Loan, in which its quota was placed at \$20,000.

The sixth district, which included Boone, Audrain, Callaway, Cole, Osage, Maries and Miller counties, was the only district in the state outside of Kansas City, St. Louis and St. Joseph to obtain its quota in the Red Cross membership campaign. E. Sydney Stephens, A.B. '03, was chairman of the sixth district.

BIG MEETING IN ST. JOSEPH

Seventy Alumni and Students Attended Luncheon December 28

December 28 was University of Missouri Day in St. Joseph in 1917, and, according to the solemn vows of those who celebrated it, the same day each year shall always be observed. Seventy M. U. men and women were present at the luncheon at the Robidoux Hotel, where conservation of food was balanced with an abundance of good cheer and loyalty. According to Miss Dorothy Kaucher, who sent The Alumnus a report of the meeting, it is believed that the St. Joseph alumni are now organized on a sufficiently firm foundation "that we may be able to cease worrying about the continuance of our existence and do some constructive work in behalf of so worthy an organization as the Missouri Union."

The present alumni organization in St. Joseph has a membership of about forty men and women, and it is hoped that this number may be greatly extended. St. Joseph is alive with M. U. people, Miss Kaucher says. Miss Calla Varner, '04, is president for the coming year; Miss Ama Beaumont, '05, is treasurer, and Lloyd Thatcher, '11, is secretary.

The speakers at the luncheon were as follows: "In the Old Days at M. U. and Now," Judge T. B. Allen, '89; "The University—The Maker of Future Citizens," L. V. Stigall, '10; "Why I Sent My Boys to M. U.," Dr. Daniel Morton; "What the University Is Doing in the War," Leon Albus, '19; "The Women of the University," Margaret Matney, '18; "The St. Joseph Club at M. U.—A Unique Organization," Eric Schroeder, '19.

"Miss Calla Varner, president of the association, presided," Miss Kaucher writes. "Missouri songs were sung, and many old friends joyfully greeted each other as if they were back under the Columns once more."

Milton Tootle, a member of the Board of Curators, was among the guests.

Columbia Rector To France

The Rev. J. H. George, who has been rector of the Calvary Episcopal Church of Columbia several years, sailed from an Atlantic port December 26 for

France to do Y. M. C. A. work. Mr. George returned recently from a school of instruction conducted by the Y. M. C. A. in Chicago. He attended the training camp at Plattsburg, N. Y., in the summer of 1916.

SPILLMAN TO HEAD AG. SCHOOL

Washington State College Calls M. U. Man to Deanship

Prof. W. J. Spillman, B.S. in Ag. '86, M.S. '90, of the office of farm management of the Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C., has accepted the position of dean of the College of Agriculture of Washington State College at Pullman, Wash. He is at present conducting a nation-wide survey of farm labor conditions for the government, but expects to be able to take up his work at Pullman in April.

Professor Spillman is one of the three scientists who rediscovered Mendel's law of heredity, which has since become the basis of practically all live stock breeding. Mendel died without giving expression to his law, which he had worked out. Three men, one in England, one in Holland and Professor Spillman, rediscovered and worked it out almost simultaneously.

He was also one of the first men to recommend the county agricultural agent plan, which has been adopted by many states.

To Repeat Home Service Course

The College of Agriculture has decided to repeat the course in training for home service during the second term of the Short Course from January 2 to March 1. The subjects which will be offered are: The selection and preparation of foods, planning and preparation of meals, the preservation of food, sewing and dress making, home care of the sick and first aid. Any woman who is not less than 16 years old make take this course.

J. S. Moore From Camp Taylor

J. S. Moore, former general secretary of the Y. M. C. A. here, visited his wife and children in Columbia during the Christmas holidays. Mr. Moore is now secretary in charge of one of the Y. M. C. A. buildings at Camp Taylor, near Louisville, Ky.

SELECT 48 FOR THIRD CAMP

On Camp Pike List Are Several Graduates and Former Students

The names of the forty-eight men from the University who will attend the Third Officers' Training Camp at Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., have been announced by Major Wallace M. Craigie, commandant of cadets. Some are graduates and former students who have been out of school several years.

The men are: Byron T. Johnson, J. I. Wood, M. Shullenbarger, P. R. Gerding, E. F. Joyce, R. W. Hall, C. A. Brown, Oscar Renn, A. F. Pulliman, J. W. Newberry, D. C. Fitch, C. W. Campbell, R. E. Williams, M. C. Gregory, O. W. Letson, F. W. Yale, Jr., R. Wentworth, Harry Mann, J. E. Minton, W. J. Stoessel, P. H. Shepard, L. A. Eaton, Jr., M. H. Duffield, E. R. Egger, V. S. Beck, Houston Harte, C. G. Jaeger, H. B. Rountree, D. Chapman, Leland Rea, Paul Hamilton, Elmer Wood, D. D. Patterson, F. L. Hisaw, J. G. Wells, J. H. Driggs, H. E. Nettles, E. F. Lambright, R. H. Benton, Jr., John L. Hundley, John Tilden, Otto S. Conrades, John Crosser, E. A. Martin, E. J. Renick, W. E. McDonnell, and H. H. Moulton.

R. C. Houston, B.S. in C.E. '11, is also among those selected, but he has been doing graduate work at the University of California, and word has not yet been received from him. He was to make entry at Berkeley.

These men were to report in person with their notifications at Camp Pike on or before January 5.

Vacancies made by failure to report, sickness or non-fulfillment of the requirements of the camp, will be filled by members of the alternate list, who are as follows: W. R. Blankenship, J. S. Hornback, J. A. H. Peck, C. C. Wynne, J. T. Barlow, D. M. Warren, R. P. McWilliams, H. F. Hickman, N. D. McGordon, P. E. Ronzone, J. H. Longwell, J. P. Moroney, J. P. Johnson, T. F. Smith, A. N. Sames, A. C. Jones, I. F. Nuckles, J. H. Hatter, J. D. Feheinfeld, R. R. Cox, C. A. Irion, W. T. Angle, and C. Hensley.

J. H. Flint, a senior in the College of Agriculture, and captain of the cross-country team, has enlisted in the aviation corps.

Who's Who From M. U. in War

In addition to having large numbers of men in all the different branches of war service, the University of Missouri has several men of high rank. Of course, everybody knows about Brig. Gen. E. H. Crowder, LL.B. '86, who has managed the selective draft and managed it in a way that all the comments on his work have been in pleasant contrast to the recent criticisms of some of our other war leaders. But perhaps not so many know that among former students of the University is another brigadier general who holds one of the most important positions in the American Army in France—Edgar Russel.

Brig. Gen. Edgar Russel, chief signal officer with the American expeditionary force in France, is a Missouri man and a former student of the University of Missouri. General Russel was born at Pleasant Hill and lived later at Lone Jack and Breckenridge.

The chief of the American signal forces first "smelled powder" as a very young child. That was at the famous battle of Lone Jack in the Civil War, when a pasture of the Russel farm made up part of the battle field. The young Missourian attended the University in 1880 and 1881. The records here show the name spelled with two l's; but a sister, Mrs. O. J. Chapman of Kansas City, has confirmed our claim to another brigadier general.

Russel was graduated from West Point in 1886 and went through the Philippine campaign. With him at the time was Mrs. Russel, born at Fort Riley, Kan., when her father, the famous Gen. Amos Kimball, was on one of his noted Indian campaigns. Mrs. Russel since has written several books on army life under the name of Florence Kimball Russel.

Following his return from the Islands, Russel, then a major, was connected with the service school at Fort Leavenworth several years. Later he was made colonel and was stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Tex. He "went across" with Pershing in the first American contingent and received notice of his elevation to a brigadier generalship the same day Pershing was made a full general.

General Russel's promotion came at the personal solicitation of his commander. General Russel is 55 years old.

It is also a matter of pride to University of Missouri people that two of General Pershing's other high officers are former M. U. students—Lieut. Col. A. G. Alexander, LL.B. '11, who is in charge of all map making for our forces in France, and Lieut. Col. C. M. Gordon, who is a member of the general's staff. General Pershing is a native of Missouri though he was never a student of the University.

Professor Shepard Into Service

Prof. Walter J. Shepard, chairman of the department of political science and public law of the University, has been appointed first lieutenant in the ordnance department of the Reserve Officers' Corps. He will be in charge of recruiting for the ordnance department in Missouri.

Gifts for Company B Officers

Men of Company B of the University Cadet Corps gave Capt. Robert Williams a wrist watch and Lieut. Jay E. Minton a cigarette case just before the holidays. Captain Williams and Lieutenant Minton will enter the Third Reserve Officers' Training Camp.



Brig. Gen. Edgar Russel, Chief Signal Officer With American Forces in France.

DEVIL WRITES TO KAISER

Wilhelm Urged To Smooth Over Statements of Prof. Max Meyer

The stern anti-Germanism of Prof. Max F. Meyer of the psychology department of the University has not ceased to attract wide attention. The following from the Memphis (Tenn.) News Scimitar is further evidence. It appeared under the heading, "The Devil Writes to the Kaiser, decoded by Eugene H. Blake of the Vigilantes." The clipping was sent to The Alumnus by M. J. Mallory, B.S. E.E. '09, of the Westinghouse E. & M. Co., Memphis:

INFERNAL PALACE, HADES.

DEAR WILHELM:

Here is something that I hope will not become widely known in Germany or America:

Max F. Meyer was born in the Fatherland and bred on Kultur. For nineteen years in the schools and colleges of Germany he was fed on Prussian ideas. Yet this former German, now a professor in the University of Missouri, recently refused to join one of the patriotic (ha ha) societies which you and I are using in the United States to decoy citizens who are flocking in droves to the support of their government in this war.

Think of his saying this, my dear kaiser, when he was born in Germany:

"If Germany wins this war, fifty years hence its government will rule the American people. I do not want my American children to be put under this yoke which I escaped by coming to America. My hope is that the German government will be overthrown and that the German nation, my relatives and friends, will enter an international organization for peace and justice. But the German government, this fearful danger to our future, can be overthrown only by raising armies, not by sitting around your council tables and working for the repeal of the draft laws."

Get your spies busy, Wilhelm, and see if we can't smooth this over.

Faithfully your friend and ally.

BEELZEBUB.

Wins State W. C. T. U. Prize

Miss Belle Robinson of Columbia, a former student of the University, has

been awarded the state prize of \$25 in gold as winner in the W. C. T. U. essay contest. Miss Robinson wrote on "The Permanency of National Life as Affected by Intoxicants," in competition with students in the normal schools, colleges and high schools of the state.

BIG SPEAKERS FOR FARM WEEK

Several From Washington Expected at Meetings Here January 14-18

A state war council will be held in Columbia January 16 and 17 in connection with Farmers' Week. This means that some member of President Wilson's cabinet will be here in addition to the other speakers during the week.

The list of those who are expected to address the farmers is as follows: Governor Frederick D. Gardner, William Gibbs McAdoo, Secretary of the United States Treasury; Lieut. Carl Perigord, a four-minute man now with the Council of National Defense, who has just returned from France; Herbert Hoover, National Food Administrator, barring war-time complications; Mrs. Nellie Kidzie Jones, "Aunt Nellie" of the staff of the Country Gentleman; Earnest Harold Baynes, the "Bird Man"; Thomas E. Wilson of Wilson and Company, Packers; Dean C. E. Curtis of the Iowa Agricultural College; Oliver Wilson, master of the National Grange; Charles S. Barrett, National President of the Farmer's Union; Governor Willys of Ohio; Carl Vrooman, Assistant Secretary of Agriculture; Dr. John Lee Coulter of West Virginia and Mrs. W. W. Warner of Texas.

May Be K. C. Mayor Candidate

Sam B. Strother, LL.B. '93, former public administrator of Jackson County, is being mentioned as a probable candidate in the Kansas City mayoralty race. It is said that Strother's friends have started a campaign in his behalf and he is expected to be the choice of the "goat" faction at the city primaries, which are about two months off. No announcement is expected from Strother, the Kansas City Star says for another month.

ALUMNI MET IN PITTSBURGH

Eighteen Attended Annual Fall Dinner December 1

The annual fall dinner of the Missouri Alumni Association of Pittsburgh, Pa., was held in the Hotel Henry of that city December 1.

A report from there says: "We would have had much more to say about the Kansas-Missouri game if the score had been more favorable. But Kansas has always been a worthy adversary and is always ready to try the metal of our team. We must frequently let her carry away the honors if she is to remain the standard test of our line."

"Eighteen Missourians were at the dinner, with H. W. Prentiss, '03, as toastmaster, and C. M. Laffoon, '14, J. J. Booth, '10, Frank Thornton, Jr., '08, and W. R. Jackson, '14, as speakers. After the scheduled program was completed the toastmaster suggested that each member make a short talk and let the rest know what he had been doing since leaving M. U. This proceeding proved most interesting, for we not only became better acquainted with each other, but obtained several very interesting descriptions of plants and industries. Several of our younger men not only gave their experiences since graduation, but had to add that they were most likely to change their occupation soon to that of fighting for Uncle Sam."

The officers of the Association are: President, Ross M. Bickley; vice-president, C. A. Swift, '90; secretary, B. A. Stagner, '10, and treasurer, George Luke, '16.

Those present at the dinner were: H. W. Prentiss, '03; Charles Arnold, '09; T. J. Wilkerson, '90; N. C. Riggs, '95; C. A. Swift, '90; Frank Thornton, '08; A. F. Porzelins, '09; R. G. Thompson, '14; L. N. Crichton, '06; C. P. Meyers, '16; B. A. Stagner, '10; George T. Walker, '02; L. R. Golliday, '16; L. D. Mavom, W. R. Jackson, George E. Luke, R. Johns and R. M. Bickley.

University Wins 18 Ribbons

The University won eighteen ribbons with its entries at the International Live Stock Exposition, held in Chicago the first week of December.

Letters From Front and Camp

Ray S. Davis, a graduate of the School of Law last year, wrote Dean Eldon R. James under date of December 18 about his work at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Davis is in Company H, First Regiment, Camp Dewey.

"I shipped out of St. Louis week ago yesterday," Davis wrote, "for the Great Lakes, having enlisted as an electrician first class Radio Reserve, which gives me the rank and pay of a petty officer of the first class. 'Fatty' Meier of Art and Science and Pierson, one of this year's football men, shipped at the same time. At Chicago, we met the Kansas City bunch and I found O. S. Fuqua (LL.B. '17) and Don Strock, former Arts student, among them. We all came over here together and were received at Camp Farragut, where we were given uniforms and outfits, and then moved to this camp, Camp Dewey, three days later. Meier, Fuqua and myself were made chiefs of the barracks at Camp Farragut, which gave us command of twenty-four men. When we moved over here, we moved into larger barracks and our company was consolidated into its regular formation of two sections and quartered in one barracks with two sections or dormitories. 'Fewk' was put in charge of one dormitory as chief of the section, and I was put in charge of the other as the other chief. We have 147 men in our company—firemen, electricians, bakers, cooks and musicians—with a Navy Reserve man in charge as company commander, and 'Fewk' and I as chiefs. We have drill work from 8 o'clock in the morning to 11:15 and from 1 in the afternoon till 4:15.

"Chief of the sections is the same as lieutenant in the army so far as drill and military science is concerned, and we teach the men their military drill work and also are in charge of the barracks. It is entirely new to me and has been keeping me very busy, as my knowledge of military science was very limited, and to come right in and take charge of men and train them instead of being trained was a real job for me. I have to teach the men how to roll their clothes, swing their hammocks and keep clean as well as

to drill, and I am supposed to know all this.

"The first day our company ever formed, we had regimental parade in the drill hall. The other eight companies of our regiment were old companies and when our company passed the reviewing stand there was quite a contrast. We are coming along in fine shape, though, and are drilling with arms now.

"I expect to be sent out early in January, at which time our 21-day detention period will be over. I do not know where I shall be sent, but I understand that first class electricians are being sent to France now. 'Fewk' is a landsman electrician for radio and will stay here some time, as will most of the rest of the boys. Meier is an apprentice seaman; so is Pierson. Strock is a musician. Harold Hutchison, former Journalism student, is a landsman electrician. I understand that Fleming Pendleton, LL.B. is also in Camp Perry as landsman electrician for radio.

"My youngest brother, who was a freshman in Arts and Science last year, is at Camp Funston as a sergeant in the National Army. He was recommended for the third Training Camp. Another brother, W. D. Davis, A.B. A.M. '14, is a lieutenant, senior grade medical corps, U. S. Navy, at Mare Island, Cal."

TO RETURN THE COMPLIMENT

Alumnus Whose Grandfather Shot in Bavaria Now in Service

One of the most interesting letters that have been received by The Alumnus is that of First Lieutenant John A. Hadaller, LL.B. '11, of the Field Artillery, National Army, who is now at San Bernardino, Cal.

"Yes, sir, I'm with you always," Hadaller writes. "I've just come away from the busiest place on earth—the U. S. Training camp.

"I'm proud of the University of Missouri. Who wouldn't be? Those volunteers are writing history for Alma Mater, and blamed if I wouldn't like to write an humble chapter myself.

"I had the good fortune to be commissioned first lieutenant in the Field Artillery against the keenest, stiffest and most efficient competition I have ever known.

"But above everything and all—my heart, my soul, my mind, my arms and legs, my precious eyesight, yes my life—is in the scale against the damnable treachery and murder, the unspeakably abominable lack of what we call human faith and human feeling, the diabolical slave-drivers of my own forebears.

"They shot my old grandfather of Bavaria because the lordly cast felt themselves too deeply obsessed with the title of ownership to ground and trees and fields, and wanted to deprive him of an opportunity to still a normal craving for things which God intended for everybody. He carried the murderous, slave-driven shot to his grave. I'm going back to return the compliment. You have heard the old saw. 'Chickens come home to roost.'

"I was born in a village named after Franz Sigel, a revolutionist in the class with Carl Schurz. Franz fought for the Union and freedom; my ancestor, therefore, is redeemed. The mills of God grind oh so surely, don't they?"

Knox Alexander to Panama

Knox Alexander, who was graduated from the School of Law in 1915, was recently ordered to sail from New Orleans to report at the American Legation at Panama. Mr. Alexander has been practicing law at Independence, Mo., his home city. He took the examinations and qualified for diplomatic service last summer.

M. U. Brothers To Navy

H. M. Tickle, B.S. E.E. '14, of Kansas City was recently commissioned a junior lieutenant in the United States Naval Reserve force for special engineering work. Lieutenant Tickle had been with the light company of Kansas City. He reported in Washington December 17 for active duty. His brother, R. F. Tickle, a graduate of the same year and with the same degree, expects to go into the navy in the near future.

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HOW ALUMNI MAY SERVE

Amidst the calls to service, the service flags, the service uniforms before us, behind us and on both sides, amidst the constant and proud applause of each bit of evidence of war service, the advice of Dr. Burris A. Jenkins to the students to stick to their school tasks and wait for their turn in the draft came somewhat as a shock.

While not minimizing the immediate demands of the war—Doctor Jenkins certainly didn't do that—the speaker called attention emphatically to the demands of a war after the war, a war of trade and social reconstruction, for which young men must also prepare themselves, a war to keep democracy safe for the world after the world has been made safe for democracy. So it may well be that those who only stand at their classroom posts and wait until the call comes to them particularly are serving no less patriotically than those who are now leaving us behind. As the Johns Hopkins Alumni Magazine put it:

"We are soon to learn that it is difficult to continue at one's accustomed task when other men are shedding their blood for a common ideal, but teachers, of all men, have the consolation of knowing that in the present crisis they are not merely marking time by carrying on their routine. After this tyranny is overpast, there will remain a civilization wounded in its vitals, a world so overburdened with debt as to present a series of new and different problems of politics and economics, and a human spirit so bewildered, so rebellious, and so insecure in its faith as to require for its comforting a restatement, or rather a new assertion, of the truths of philosophy, ethics and religion. It is to rebuild this wearied and disillusioned world that the college men of the next few years must be trained, and in order that this training may be done effectively the great universities must realize that the conditions demand not a cessation of effort, but an increase of effort and an increase of consecration on the part of the individual teacher."

This suggests a task for our former students. If it is going to be worth while for our University to increase its efforts during the war, it must have grist to grind, it must have students. Our alumni must spread the message of the demands of the post-bellum war and turn the faces of their young friends toward the University of Missouri.

DID YOU KNOW?

Missouri's is the oldest state university west of the Mississippi River—founded in 1839. It started with 54 students, five members of the faculty, including the president, 1 building and a 16-acre campus. Last year 4,349 students were enrolled in the University. It has ten schools and colleges, and an extension division, 43 modern buildings, 800 acres of ground at Columbia and 50,000 acres in the Ozarks. Women were admitted in 1869.

In 1841, when the doors of the University were first opened, it had students from only 2 states; last year 39 states and 16 foreign countries had representatives here. It had only 500 books in the library when it started; now there are about 200,000 volumes,

which are not only used by the students here but many of which are circulated all over the state.

Though established as "the University of the State of Missouri," for the first twenty-eight years it was supported entirely by private subscriptions and the income from grants of the national government.

Thirty-three thousand acres in what is now Jackson County formed a part of the two townships originally set aside by Congress for "a seminary of learning"—the University. Almost 8,000 acres—7,612 to be exact—were within the present limits of Kansas City. All this land, now worth probably \$100,000,000, was sold by the state in 1831 for \$70,000.

NAVY OFFICER WAS IN M. U.

Lieutenant Commander Brooks Was in Short Course in 1914-15

Lieutenant Commander E. A. Brooks, in charge of the recruiting office for the navy at St. Louis, was a student in the short course in agriculture in 1914-15. He entered the Naval Academy at the age of 15, and has seen more than 20 years of service.

He was retired from active service in 1914 because of defective hearing due to the fire of the heavy guns aboard ship during target practice. He then took up agriculture and is part owner of three farms. Upon the declaration of war, he received orders to re-enter the naval service, and was stationed at St. Louis.

His office has recruited 1,400 men, 200 more than its quota.

Academics Hold Smoker at "U"

About 125 students attended the "Academ" smoker at the Missouri Union Building just before the holidays. The purpose of the gathering was to stimulate greater friendship among the students of the College of Arts and Science and to increase class enthusiasm. It was the largest and most successful meeting held by students of that department in a long time.

The University has shipped breeding stock to six states this fall and winter.

BUSY AS Y. M. C. A. WAR HUT

Jobs Given by Local "Y" Bring in Nearly \$4000—Has 725 Members

"The Y. M. C. A. at Columbia is as busy as a Y. M. C. A. hut at one of the training camps," said Dean Kirkenslager, general secretary, in discussing the work that has been done since the opening of the University last September.

One of the most outstanding features of the local association is the work of the free employment agency maintained for students. More than 175 men have obtained permanent or temporary jobs through it already this year. Altogether 570 jobs have been filled, but in some cases one man was assigned to several. One hundred and two permanent positions have been filled, and 468 temporary ones. The income to the students from the temporary jobs has amounted to \$611.05 for the first three months, and from the permanent to \$3,000, making a grand total of \$3,611.05. In computing this amount, the Y. M. C. A. places an average value on board and room.

The character of the work done by students through this agency ranges from raking lawns and scrubbing floors to private tutoring and newspaper work. Some of the positions filled have been bell hop, barber, farm hand, mechanic, musician, photographer, clerk, stenographer and bookkeeper.

The Y. M. C. A. triangle of spirit, mind and body means that the work is much wider in scope than merely financial help to students. Devotional exercises are conducted every Tuesday evening, and the men of the University have an organization fostered by the association known as the Sunday Sunset Club. Three Bible study classes hold weekly meetings. A conference on rural life is conducted every Sunday morning for the Short Course students. Social, moral and economic problems as they affect the farmer are presented by men of experience. This conference has an average attendance of sixty-four.

At the opening of the University, every train was met by representatives of the Y. M. C. A., and valuable aid was given the new students in helping them to get settled. Open house

was held every night during the first week, and the President and Deans held their annual reception for new students.

The membership of the Y. M. C. A. at present is 725, but it is expected to run higher than 800 before the close of the year. The annual campaign for members was interrupted by the campaign made for money to be used in Y. M. C. A. war work. The latter resulted in raising \$7,500.

STUDENTS EXEMPT FROM DRAFT

War Department Says Engineers Won't Be Called Before Graduation

Students in the School of Engineering will be exempt from the selective draft until after graduation, according to an order of the War Department.

The problem of engineering students was presented to Secretary Baker and General Crowder by M. S. Ketchum of Boulder, Colo., president of the Society for the Promotion of Engineering, and C. R. Mann, dean of Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The students are regarded as military assets of the future, and are granted deferred classification, as are medical students, so that they may complete their courses. They may be called out immediately upon graduation as enlisted men in the engineers' reserve.

The University of Missouri is one of the 117 engineering schools recognized by the government. There is a total of about 6,000 students in the 117 schools.

Former Student Killed in Texas

Miss Lillian Guy Love, a former student in the University, was killed in an accident December 21 in Beaumont, Tex. The details of the accident are not known here. Miss Love was a student in the University last year. She was a member of the Chi Omega Sorority. She attended the University of Texas this year.

Trains for Radio Service

L. L. Hubbard, secretary of the Y. M. C. A. employment bureau since the opening of school, has taken the examination for the radio training school.

TIGERS TAKE OPENING GAME

Defeat Henry Kendall Team by 52-14 Score

The Tiger basketball team started its 1917-18 season December 20 with a 52-14 victory over the Henry Kendall College team from Tulsa, Okla. Taking the offensive at the start under the leadership of Captain Campbell at center, the Tigers scored at will throughout the forty minutes of play. The University team work proved superior all during the game.

Several new features of playing introduced by Dr. W. E. Meanwell did much to strengthen the Tigers in their offensive. The short pass with both hands was used throughout the game, enabling the Tigers to work the ball around their opponents in bewildering fashion.

Another change introduced by Doctor Meanwell is a new long-distance toss for the basket. The success the Tigers forwards attained in this new style of goal throwing was proof of its efficiency. A new method of passing the ball by bouncing it on the floor was also introduced in the game.

Slusher starred at guard, breaking up all attempts of the Oklahoma boys to show team work. Wackher, a new addition to the Tiger Varsity, showed considerable speed at guard. Ruby at right forward, a new player this year, led in scoring, making seven field goals for his team and scoring bell at center and Shirkey at left forward was up to their usual high standard.

Springer at center starred for Henry Kendall, making two of the three field goals for his team and scoring on eight out of twelve free throws. Shirkey threw both of the two foul goals scored by Missouri.

The lineup follows:

Missouri (52) Henry Kendall (14) Shirkey, lf rg, Kirk Ruby, rf lg, Allen Campbell, c c, Springer Slusher, lg rf, Gale Wackher, rg lf, Havice

F. J. Schweitzer, a senior in the College of Agriculture, has enlisted in the navy.

FRESHMEN TEAMS TO COMPETE

Valley Conference Agrees to Allow Intercollegiate Contests

At a meeting of the faculty representatives of the Missouri Valley Conference in Kansas City recently, it was agreed that freshmen teams should be allowed to have intercollegiate competition. The final decision on the question was left to the meeting of the presidents of the schools.

It was voted to allow competition between Varsity teams of the Valley and army teams. Representatives from Camp Funston visited the conference and arranged tentative schedules with practically every school in the conference.

Only three conference schools will be represented on the baseball diamond this year. Missouri, Kansas and Ames will have teams, but the other school will drop the sport temporarily.

This season's schedule in basketball, so far as arranged for Missouri is: January 12, Drake at Columbia; January 17-18, Washington at St. Louis; February 4-5, Kansas at Lawrence; February 7-8, Nebraska at Columbia; February 15-16, Ames at Ames; February 20-21, Ames at Columbia; February 27-28, Aggies at Manhattan; March 4-5, Washington at Columbia.

BASS CAPTAIN 1918 TIGERS

Placed on Third All-Valley Eleven Last Fall

Henry B. Bass of Enid, Okla., has been elected captain of the Tiger football team in 1918.

Bass has "played in hard luck." In 1916 he was kept out of the game almost all season with boils. This fall he was injured in the Oklahoma game, so that he was unable to play the rest of the season.

He is 20 years old, weighs 175 pounds, and is 6 feet tall. This season he placed on the third all-Valley eleven.

Groves to Oklahoma Paper

J. L. Groves, Jr., B.J. '16, has resigned as business and advertising manager of the Evening Missourian, to accept a position on the advertis-

ing staff of the Muskogee Times-Democrat. He has held his position with the Missourian since January 1, 1916. Groves played on the Tiger football team in 1914, '15 and '16, and was all-Valley tackle in 1916. He was Coach Schulte's assistant in coaching in the season just closed.

GIVE 17 M's IN FOOTBALL

And 18 Freshmen Get Sweaters for Work On Squad

Seventeen M's were awarded to the 1917 football team. The following men received them: Hamilton, Slusher, Schroeder, Marshall, Bass, Chittenden, Berry, Kirkpatrick, Greenwood, Kolb, Morris, Stevens, Rider, Viner, Collins, Edwards and Urie.

Eighteen freshmen were awarded sweaters for their work on the freshman squad during the past season. They are: Ebberhart, Fullbright, Forster, Lewis, Siegfried, Levy, Hunt, Shelton, Travis, Hardin, Goepel, Simmons, Zimmerman, Hill, Weber, Wheeler, Kershaw and Voorhees. In addition, numerals were awarded to Bondurant, Clemens, Conatser, Harvey, Johnson, Summa and Watson.

Kappa Sigmas Win Series

The cup in the freshmen interfraternity football series has been awarded to the Kappa Sigma team. The Sigma Alpha Epsilon freshmen tied with it for championship, but since the Kappa Sigma team had the greatest number of points, the committee decided in its favor.

Aviation Commission for Wright

Lieut. Francis M. Wright, a former student in the University, was commissioned in the aviation section from Fort Sheridan. He is now at Kelly Field, San Antonio. Lieutenant Wright, whose home is at Kansas City, was graduated from Wentworth Military Academy before coming to M. U.

Student Into Marine Corps

L. T. Ralston has been accepted for service in the marine corps. Mr. Ralston is a student in the School of Business and Public Administration.

CAPT. LLOYD JONES HERE

After Philippine Service, Former Student Transferred to California

Capt. Lloyd Jones, son of Dean J. C. Jones of the College of Arts and Science, who is an instructor in artillery in a California training camp for reserve officers, has been visiting in Columbia.

Captain Jones was a junior in the College of Arts and Science when he was commissioned second lieutenant in the regular army by former President Taft in January, 1912. He was immediately sent to the Philippine Islands, where he remained for two years.

Later he was commissioned first lieutenant and then captain, both commissions being signed, by President Wilson. It was after his last commission that he was transferred to the Officers' Training Camp.

M. U. Men at Tokio Meeting

Four graduates of the School of Journalism who are in newspaper work in Japan attended the farewell luncheon given in Tokio November 22 in honor of Post Wheeler, former counselor of the American Embassy there, who has been transferred to Stockholm to be counselor of the American Legation in Sweden. The picture of the newspaper men, taken at the Imperial Hotel, shows the following M. U. men: Oscar E. Riley, '11, editor of The Geppo and correspondent for Asia; Harry E. Ridings, '12, former editor of The Missouri Alumnus, now business manager of the Japan Advertiser; Ralph Turner, '16, United Press correspondent, and Frank King, '17, International News correspondent. Mr. Wheeler is a former editor of the old New York Press.

Mangels in Army Food Service

C. E. Mangels, instructor in agricultural chemistry at the University, has enlisted in the food service of the United States Army. He is now in Washington and will soon go to some cantonment. He was graduated from the College of Agriculture in 1914, and received an A. M. here in 1916.

Engagements

Miss Frances Meriwether
Rufus S. Ramey

The engagement of Miss Frances Meriwether of Kansas City, a graduate of the University last year, to Lieut. Rufus Stanley Ramey, a former student in the University, has been announced. Lieutenant Ramey is now stationed with the Seventy-eighth Field Artillery at Houston, Tex. Miss Meriwether is a sister of Miss Martha Meriwether, a student in the University now.

Weddings

Miss Helen Robnett
Donald C. Fitch

Miss Helen Robnett of Columbia and Donald C. Fitch of Linneus, Mo. were married December 19. Both are former students of the University. The wedding was at the First Christian Church in Columbia, the Rev. M. A. Hart officiating. Immediately after the ceremony there was a reception for 300 guests at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Robnett, Mr. and Mrs. Fitch left for a short trip in the East after the reception.

Miss Marjorie Ball
Robert Lee Etter

Lieut. Robert Lee Etter, Jr., who was a student in the University in 1915-16, married Miss Marjorie Ball December 16. Mrs. Etter is a graduate of Christian College. She has been teaching in the Trenton High School. Lieutenant Etter received his commission at the first training camp at Fort Riley. He is now stationed at Camp Funston. He was granted a leave of only twenty-four hours for his wedding.

Miss Ada Archer
Harry E. Rasmussen

The marriage of Harry E. Rasmussen and Miss Ada Archer of Austin, Minn., occurred December 26. The wedding was a surprise to friends of Mr. Rasmussen in Columbia. Mr. Ras-

mussen, who was a senior in Journalism and editor of the *Missourian*, left Columbia a short time ago to visit his home in Minnesota before going to Washington to take a place with the Bureau of Censorship.

Miss Vadne Palmer
A. C. Stanton

Miss Vadne Palmer of Columbia and Lieut. A. C. Stanton, A.M. '15, were married in Washington, D. C., December 29. Lieutenant Stanton was a graduate of Maryland State College before coming to Missouri. He took his Master's work in dairying here and was instructor in the department two years. Later he was called to Maryland State College as head of the dairy department. He is now stationed at Camp Meade near Washington, and expects to go to France soon. Mrs. Stanton is employed at the Boone County National Bank.

Miss Aimee Runge
Edward Huelskemper

Edward Huelskemper, B.S. Ag. '16, former editor of *The College Farmer*, and Miss Aimee Runge of St. Charles, Mo., were married November 17. Mr. Huelskemper is now with the Great Western Sugar Company at Longmont, Colo.

Miss Gail Richie
Robert S. Black

The day before Christmas Robert S. Black and Miss Gail Richie, both graduates of the University, were married in Santa Fe, N. M. They are making their home at 421 E. St. Vrain Street, Colorado Springs. Mr. Black took an A.B. in 1914. Mrs. Black B.S. Ed. '15, has been in home demonstration work for the New Mexico State College.

Miss Verlie Swart
Carl Beaty

Miss Verlie Swart, a student in University a few years ago, and Carl Beaty, both of Norris, Mo., were married in Kansas City Christmas Day. Mrs. Beaty has been principal of the Norris High School. She specialized in home economics at the University.

Miss Maybelle Hickman
Rowland V. Jordan

Miss Maybelle C. Hickman and Rowland V. Jordan were married Christmas Day at the home of the bride's parents at Mexico, Mo. Mr. Jordan is employed in the office of the Overland Automobile Company in St. Louis. The bride is a graduate of McMillan High School at Mexico, has attended both Warrensburg and Cape Girardeau State Normal Schools and the Summer Session at the University last summer. She has been teaching in St. Louis.

Miss Edith Schulein
Arnold Just

Announcements of the marriage of Arnold Just and Miss Edith Miller Schulein, both of St. Louis, have been received in Columbia. Mr. Just was graduated from the School of Law of the University in 1914 and was a member of the honorary legal fraternity, Phi Alpha Delta, and also of the honorary debating fraternity, Delta Sigma Rho. They will make their home in St. Louis, where Mr. Just is now practicing law.

Miss LaReine Warden
Clair F. Clayton

Claud F. Clayton, A.B. '15, A.M. '16, and Miss LaReine Warden were married at the home of the bride's parents at Mexico, Mo., December 16. Mr. Clayton was until recently employed in the business office of the University. He has enlisted in the Ordnance Department and expects to go to France. Mrs. Clayton was a student in the College of Arts and Science last year.

Miss Ina Estes
H. Ross Hubbard

H. Ross Hubbard and Miss Ina Estes, both students in the University last year, were married at Ogden, Utah, November 11. Mrs. Hubbard is a graduate of Stephens College. They are at home at Boise City, where Mr. Hubbard is in the shoe business.

Miss Agnes Moses
Phillip Wiggins

Phillip Wiggins, a student in the University from 1912 to 1915, married Miss Agnes Moses of Los Angeles, De-

ember 2. They will make their home at Carthage, Mo., where Mr. Wiggins is in business.

Miss Amelia Monnig

Roy Morrow

Miss Amelia Monnig and Roy Morrow, both of Jefferson City, were married December 21 in Jefferson City. Mr. Morrow is a graduate of the University and while a student here was a member of the Sigma Nu Fraternity. Miss Monnig is a sister of Hugo Monnig, a former student of the University, and also a member of Sigma Nu.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Toomey of Kansas City announce the birth of a daughter, whom they have named Dora-thea Caroline, December 20. Mr. Toomey was a student in the School of Engineering in 1910-14.

A son, Robert Kingsbury, was born to Lieut. and Mrs. Edwin H. Roberts, December 12. Lieutenant Roberts played football with the Tigers several seasons. He received an A. B. from the University in 1912.

Law Articles by Prof. Clark

Prof. G. L. Clark of the School of Law has articles in the December numbers of the Columbia Law Review and the Michigan Law Review. These articles, "Implications of Lumley v. Wagner" and "Equitable Servitudes," together with an article soon to be printed in the Harvard Law Review, are studies taken from a forthcoming book by Professor Clark on Equity. The leading article in Bulletin No. 16 of the Law Series of the University bulletins which is now being published, is also by Professor Clark.

W. L. Nelson Back From East

W. L. Nelson, former assistant secretary of the State Board of Agriculture, has returned to Columbia after a three months' stay at Long Island, where he has been helping to compile the Farmers' Encyclopedia for Doubleday, Page & Co. He will now work with the agricultural extension service of the University and give special attention to rural organization.

Class Notes

'84

N. T. Gentry, B.A., Sur. '86, LL.B. '88, has been appointed by Dean Mumford, state food administrator, to be food administrator for Boone County. Mr. Gentry has asked all hotel keepers, merchants, proprietors of restaurants and boarding houses to cooperate with him in the conservation of food and the prevention of waste.

'97

W. A. Cochel, A.B., B.S. Ag. '05, professor of animal husbandry in the Kansas State Agricultural College, has been visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cochel of Columbia. Professor Cochel was appointed recently one of a committee on beef production by J. S. Cotton of the United States Food Administration.

'99

Miss Elizabeth Sinclair, B.L., left for Washington, D. C., recently to take a position in the ordnance department of the Army. She lived at El Reno, Okla., until recently and has been visiting her mother here.

'00

Warren F. Switzler, A.B., who has been head of the credit department of the Mechanics-American National Bank of St. Louis, has been appointed to a position with the National City Bank of New York and has gone to New York to take up his new work.

'01

Dr. P. P. Nesbitt, B.S., who has been a physician and surgeon at Muskogee, Okla., is now with the American forces in France as first lieutenant in the Medical Officers' Corps.

Prof. W. L. Howard B.S. Ag., M.S. Ag. '03, of the University of California, formerly of the horticulture department of the University of Missouri, has been visiting at the home of Prof. J. C. Whitten. From here Professor Howard went east to attend a series of scientific meetings. He is in charge of the pomological work of the University of California, and has headquarters at Davis, Cal., the seat of the state agricultural experiment station.

Dr. C. M. Sneed, M.D., A.B. '10, one of the Boone County physicians who

volunteered for service when the Government recently made a call for the Medical Officers' Reserve Corps, took the examination for the corps in St. Louis recently. Doctor Sneed expects his commission in three or four weeks.

'06

Prof. J. S. Ankeney, A.B., of the art department of the University has gone to Camp Funston to do work for the Y. M. C. A. there. He will spend three weeks at the camp, instructing the soldiers in the manners and customs of the French people. He will give illustrated lectures. Professor Ankeney offered sometime ago to spend his vacation at Camp Funston. He received a telegram to come at once, and spend a month there if he could.

'07

Miss Ruth Covington, A.B., B.S. Ed., is in charge of physical instruction in the Montana State Normal School at Dillon, Mont. Her class of 200 girls is busy knitting sweaters, mufflers, socks, helmets, etc., for the Montana men in national service.

'09

Murray Davis, LL.B. '09, is captain of Company L, 140 Infantry, Camp Doniphan. Mr. Davis has been practicing law in Kansas City, having his office in the Scarritt Building.

'10

Alex. F. Sachs, B.S. C.E., is a lieutenant of the 307 Engineers, now at Camp Gordon, Georgia. Lieutenant Sachs, whose father was formerly imperial German consular agent for Kansas City, was among the first volunteers. Before entering the army, he was in the engineering corps of the War Department and in the engineering department of Wilson & Co. in Chicago and Kansas City. Both his parents have been active in American war and relief work.

Second Lieutenant Andrew Field, LL. B., is attached to Battery A, 130 Field Artillery, Camp Doniphan.

Paul Bayliss, B.S. C.E., is now a second lieutenant in the Engineering Reserve at Fort Leavenworth.

Rodney P. Robinson, A.B., A.M. '11, went to France last August and is a driver there now in Section 94, Ambulance Service, U. S. A.

'11

Charles R. Born, E.E., who has been with the Bell Telephone Co. at Kansas City since graduation from the University, is now a first lieutenant in the signal corps at Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va. Lieutenant Born was at Fort Leavenworth before being transferred to Camp Lee. He is a member of the Eightieth Division, 305 Field Signal Battery.

'12

R. V. Mitchell, ag., who left the University four years ago to become the head of the Poultry department of New Hampshire College, has taken charge of the poultry department of the

Ernest M. Todd, B.S.J., A.B. '14, who has been director of athletics at the Country Day School in Kansas City, has resigned and will enlist in the navy. Todd was coach at Columbia High School before going to Kansas City. His place at Country Day has been taken by Louis Touton, coach at Polytechnic Institute, Kansas City.

Curtis B. Rollins, Jr., first lieutenant of infantry, who has been visiting his family here, has gone to Louisville, Ky. Lieutenant Rollins is stationed at Camp Taylor, near Louisville. He received his commission at the second Fort Sheridan Camp.

'13

J. H. Pound, B.S. M.E., writes from the Motor Section School, Peoria, Ill.: "I am here for a while learning to repair 'tanks' and artillery tractors, but will probably change my address every month, since I am slated to attend three ordnance schools before going across."

George F. Reeves, B.S. Ag., has been chosen as county agent of Knox County, Neb. He started work January 1.

It is planned shortly to hire an assistant county agent there also.

Siegel Mayer, B.J. has enlisted for photographic service with the U. S. army and is now at Fort Logan, Colo., awaiting assignment. Mayer, whose home is at King City, has been on the Cleveland Press, Cleveland, Ohio.

Kenneth C. Sears, A.B., who has been connected with a Kansas City law firm, has gone into the balloon service and is now in training at Fort Omaha.

'14

J. Harrison Brown, B.J., has resigned his position as New York representative of the Merchants' Trade Journal of Des Moines to take a place in the sales department of the A. P. Green Brick Co. of Mexico, Mo.

R. B. Galbraith, B.S. Ag., who is coaching and teaching in the high school at Lubbock, Tex., had a strong football team this year, he writes. Not a game was lost, and the total score for the season was 261 as against 7 points made by opponents.

'15

Capt. Chester Longwell, A.B., A.M. '16, has gone to Camp Dix, N. J., to assist in training the National Army. Captain Longwell, who received his commission at Plattsburg, N. Y., visited at his home in Columbia in December.

Lieut. Phillip E. Bradley, is the youngest commissioned officer at the Presidio, San Francisco, having received his commission at the age of 21. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

Lieut. Fred Wrightman, M. R. C., who finished his work in the School of Medicine in the University in 1915, is now stationed at Camp Meade, Annapolis Junction, Md. Before going to camp he was sent to the Rockefeller Institute, where he worked under

Dr. Alexis Carrell, the noted surgeon. Lieutenant Wrightman went to Washington University, St. Louis, after completing his course here. From there he went to Sabetha, Kan., where he volunteered his services in the Medical Reserve Corps.

A. C. Baltzer, B.S. Ag., has been transferred from Camp Lewis, Wash., to Fort Leavenworth, and has been appointed provisional second lieutenant, U. S. Cavalry. His address is Co. N, P. O. B., Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

'16

Carradene B. Elliott, A.B., whose home is at 3335 Montgall Avenue, Kansas City, has arrived in France with the signal troops of the Rainbow Division. Elliott is a member of the Delta Tau Delta Fraternity.

Houston Harte, B.J. owner of the Central Missouri Republican, Boonville, Mo., has been ordered to report to the third Reserve Officers' Training Camp at Little Rock, Ark., January 5.

Lewis C. Shockley, B.S. Ag., head herdsman at the government experimental station at Iberia, La., spent the holidays with his parents in Columbia.

'17

Paul F. Barnes, B.S. Ag., has accepted a position as physical director at the George Peabody Institute for Teachers in Nashville, Tenn. He was physical director and football coach in the Oklahoma City High School last fall. His team there won the state championship.

Leslie Fahrner, B.J. has enlisted in Company B, 163 Depot Brigade, Camp Dodge, Ia., and has been assigned to the ordnance department as stenographer.

Ira B. Hyde, B.J. who went to France last summer with the Univer-

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sity of Missouri Ambulance Unit, has returned to America to enter the third Reserve Officers' Training Camp.

James P. Hannigan, law, A.B. Drury College '14, is practicing law at Okmulgee, Okla. He is associated with G. R. Horner, LL.B. '07, A.B. '08, attorney at law.

Former

William H. Hill, who was in the School of Medicine in 1896-97 is now a first lieutenant in the medical corps. He has been detailed for service with the 35 Engineers. Lieutenant Hill was a member of the Varsity football team when he was in the University.

Thomas R. Taylor, a former student in the University and a son of John N. Taylor of Columbia, has gone to Fort Omaha, Neb., for training in the

balloon section of the signal corps of the United States Army.

Hugh L. Moore, who is in the publicity department of the Maxwell Motor Company, Detroit, Mich., spent Christmas Day with his parents, Col. and Mrs. W. P. Moore of Columbia.

T. Page Rogers, who was a student in Journalism a few years ago, has recently gone to Houston, Tex., to join the staff of the Houston Post. Since attending the University, Rogers has been in reporting work on the St. Louis Globe-Democrat and Republic.

George Taylor, ac. 1912-16, known to all Tiger baseball fans as a former Varsity pitcher, is now athletic director of the Columbia High School. He succeeds J. K. O'Heron, who is in a military training camp.

Ralph R. Wayne, who has been news editor of the Daily Register of Harrisburg, Ill., has joined the reportorial staff of the Miami, (Okla.) Daily Record-Herald. Mr. Wayne attended the School of Journalism in 1912-17.

Luckett Smith, a former student in the University, is at his home in Ottumwa waiting for a call to the aviation corps, in which he has enlisted.

J. D. Leaphart, who was a student in the University in 1915-16, is now a member of the National Army from Sheridan County, Wyoming.

Frank McAnaw, an M man in football in 1915 and 1916, is athletic director in charge of army sports at Fort Sill, Okla.

Five Compositions by Pommer

W. H. Pommer, professor of music, who composed the music for five songs last summer, has made his compositions public. The songs are: "A clear Midnight," by Walt Whitman; "Chloe," by Robert Burns; "Evening Song," by Sidney Lanier; "There, Little Girl, Don't Cry," by James Whitcomb Riley, and "Eldorado," by Edgar Allan Poe.

French Author Cites Ellwood

M. Pierre de Lanley, French poet and author, who has translated one of Prof. C. A. Ellwood's books into French, has recently published a book (The Macmillan Company) on "Young France and New America" in which he speaks of Professor Ellwood's work in sociology as showing the mutual influence and similarity of French and American philosophy.

Dale Schilling in France

First Lieut. Dale R. Schilling, Signal Officers' Reserve Corps, has arrived in France, according to word received by his parents in Kansas City. Lieutenant Schilling, who is an expert with gas engines, is squadron chief engineer of one of the first American airplane units abroad. He is a former student of journalism in the University. He received his commission at Fort Sheridan.

Takes Aviation Examination

L. D. Smith, Jr., a junior in the University, has taken an examination for the aviation corps.

Carl H. Fellows of Henryetta, Okla., a former student in the School of Journalism, has received a commission as second lieutenant at Leon Springs, Tex.

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LEADS IN RED CROSS WORK

School of Social Economy, Extension Project, Paused for Training

Of the twenty-five Home Service Institutes conducted by the Red Cross in twenty-five of the leading cities of the United States for the training of civilian relief workers, that in St. Louis, which closed recently, is considered by national Red Cross officials as the most successful. The institute consisted of six weeks' lectures and practice work given by the Missouri School of Social Economy, which is an extension project of the University at Columbia. High praise of the work of the school is contained in letters received by President A. Ross Hill and others from Red Cross officials.

Red Cross delegates from nineteen communities in five states attended the St. Louis Institute. No other institute in the country was attended by persons from so many different communities. These delegates have returned to take the lead in civilian relief work in their home communities, and their first care will be for needy families of the soldiers and sailors.

A second Home Service Institute will be started by the School of Social

Economy February 25. During January a course of instruction in being given for the workers of the St. Louis Red Cross chapter, similar to a course given for St. Louis people last fall before the institute began.

In view of the great need of trained relief workers caused by the war, Red Cross officials consider the service of the School of Social Economy of the highest importance and patriotism. The school has fifty regular students training for social work, and the usual courses have been carried on along with the emergency work. Dr. George B. Mangold is director of the school.

Farm Partners Enter Service

Ben Colman and Paul Shepard of Independence, both graduates of the College of Agriculture, who have been producing high grade apples in Jackson County, have entered the national service. Shepard is at Camp Pike, and Colman has passed the aviation examinations. After their graduation from the University, they leased a farm south of Independence and named it "The Select Farm." Later they added another orchard on the Blue Ridge Road.

Ten Stars on Library Flag

A service flag has been placed in the University Library containing ten stars for men who have worked there since H. O. Severance has been librarian, and who are now in service. They are: Captains Chester Longwell, Herschel Colbert, and Carson E. Cowherd; Lieutenants Claud B. Cross, now in France, Guy V. Head, James R. Bryant of Camp Zachary Taylor, and George T. Riley of Camp Funston; George Phillips of Fort Sill, George B. McCowan, of Camp Funston and J. H. Longwell, of the Third Reserve Officers' Training Camp at Camp Pike.

Interest in Union Everlasting

E. W. Cowan, B. S. Ag. '13, is a firm believer in the Missouri Union, as evidenced by the following in a recent letter: "Pardon brevity, but should I write a book I could say no more than that my interest in the Union is everlasting." Mr. Cowan is assistant for the Southwest of the Agricultural Service Bureau of the American Agricultural Chemical Company. His headquarters is in St. Louis.

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COLUMBIA, MO.

All Students Into Missouri Union

With only four dissenting votes, the students of the University at a mass meeting January 8 passed a resolution calling upon the curators to place an additional fee to be collected along with the library, hospital and incidental fee at the beginning of each semester to cover membership in the Missouri Union. This plan provides for a 100 per cent membership of the student body in the Union. Women would pay the same fee of \$1.50 a semester, but 25 cents of this amount will be turned over to the women of the University to be used by them in providing meeting places for their organizations.

Before coming to a vote at the mass meeting, this Missouri Union plan had been endorsed by the Student Council, the Student Senate and the Women's Council. Morris E. Dry, student president, presided at the meeting, and the Union plan was proposed by Baxter Bond, vice-president of the Union's Board of Directors.

Mr. Bond reviewed the aims of the Union to promote a democratic spirit among the students and to unite men and women of all departments for the good of the whole University and the whole state, to unite with these all the former students and all the faculty members and to promote the interests of the University in all sections of Missouri.

"Governor Gardner has pledged himself to do all in his power to double the University's appropriation before his administration ends," Mr. Bond said. "It is the purpose of the Union to help the governor keep his promise."

Miss Katharine King spoke of what the Union means to the women of the University.

"The Union means advertisement for the University," Miss King said. "This means better appropriations, which means, in turn, a building for

the women. The Union means service to the University."

A large crowd attended the mass meeting. The action of the students in voting this additional fee upon themselves is considered as one of the most significant forward steps in recent University history, and will go a long way toward enabling the Union to accomplish its purpose of bringing the greatness of the University to the attention of all the state, of enlisting the energetic cooperation of all friends and former students of the school and of maintaining in Columbia a suitable headquarters for all members of the University community and for visiting former members.

This action of the students puts the question of support of the Union and its purposes squarely up to all former students and members of the faculty. It is the opening gun of a campaign for 5,000 members this year.

Bertram Harry, manager of the Union, has plans under way for organizing the graduates and former students in all the counties of Missouri. It is the purpose of the organization campaign to bring the alumni it touches into the folds of the Union also.

It is believed that with 2,500 members in Boone County, an equal number of members should be obtained in the rest of the state. This would more than double the membership of any previous time. The highest number yet reached in Alumni Association or Union was last year when the Union had more than 2,300 on its roll.

In taking their action endorsing unanimous membership in the Union, the students of the University were following the precedents of other student bodies such as those of Pennsylvania and Minnesota. Students at these universities automatically become members of the unions when they register and pay their fees.

This action at Missouri is regarded as particularly opportune, since the closing of the University buildings in the evenings has brought the Union Building to the front as the common meeting place for all students and the members of all faculties. All the students are thus benefitting from the Union and it is thought only proper that all should share in the support of its broader work for the University, which is in the interest and for the welfare of the whole commonwealth.

The University of Virginia has, as we learn from the Virginia Alumni News, completed a fund of \$10,000 to support its own bureau in Paris and has sent one of its alumni, Lewis B. Cronshaw, to take charge of the bureau. Several hundred alumni and friends of the University of Virginia contributed to the fund. Their interest in the undertaking is proved by the fact that they gave twice as much as they were asked for. They had been told that \$5,000 would be needed.

M. U. Man Passed Best Test

Alfred Miller Coop, a former M. U. student, now is in the ground school for cadet aviators at Berkeley, Cal. He was one of sixty-five applicants for aerial service at Omaha in November. Only seventeen passed the physical tests, and young Coop ranked first of these in the mental tests. Previous to entering the aviation school he was employed in the offices of the Bell Telephone Company in Kansas City.

Illinois U. Loses 25 Per Cent

According to Dr. W. W. Charters of the University of Illinois, former dean of the School of Education here, the enrollment at the University of Illinois has decreased 25 per cent since the United States declared war. Students are leaving daily to enter some branch of the national service.

Where M. U. Meets M. U. In Paris.

University of Missouri people are interested in the work of the American Universities Union in Europe for the special reason that M. U. is represented in this Union and its headquarters in Paris is the overseas home of our boys. Dean Walter Williams was chosen at the time the University took membership, to look after the needs of our men. The following description of the Union is made up of extracts from a correspondent's story in the Providence Journal:

"Hello, Bill!" "Hello, Tom!" "Hello, Bob!" Those are greetings that one is hearing constantly in the lounge which occupies the center of the club's first floor. A day or so after my first visit I was lunching there with a University professor, now engaged in special work in Paris. As we were going into the dining room door a young man in uniform happened along.

"Hello, Fred!" exclaimed the professor, and the two shook hands with all the fervor of 3000 miles away from home. He was an officer of the American Reserves, who had dashed into Paris just in time to dash out again on military business. He had an hour for lunch, and had come to the club. Of course we ate together, and as he hurried off to catch his train he exclaimed:

"By George, but this has been good! I expected to have a lonely quick lunch here after weeks of work behind me and weeks of work ahead of me. This has been a regular reunion."

The Universities Union is, in fact, a University Club in the base focus of all the western war zones for the graduates and non-graduates of more than ninety American colleges. It is housed in a hotel, all the resources of which it has taken over for the period of the war, at the very center of business and social Paris. Every man who has ever attended any of the ninety sustaining colleges (of which Missouri is one), becomes a member by the mere act of registering. There he can make his home; there he is certain to meet friends

he already knows or will know shortly. There he finds open to him all the conveniences of the club, which has executive offices to supply personal attention in the way of information, counsel and assistance of various kinds incident to living in a strange country.

In the reading rooms of the club are to be found many American newspapers, from two to four weeks late, and not a few college papers as well. (Two copies of The Alumnus have been going regularly since the opening of the school year.) It is a home the like of which university men will find nowhere else. On its bulletin boards are to be found notices of college and fraternity dinners, since this is the one sure meeting place of university men. Fraternities, it should be said, are eligible to membership on the same terms as colleges, and already several of them are included in the rolls, so that a fraternity man whose college may not have yet joined is eligible.

The club was fortunate in its ability to procure comfortable quarters in so desirable a location. In taking over the Royal Palace Hotel it established itself close to the Place du Theatre Francais, at the foot of the Avenue de l'Opera, only a stone's throw from the Palais Royale and the Louvre, and a few minutes walk from the opera. This is the address, and when an M. U. man is in Paris it is likely he can be reached there:

American Universities Union, 8, rue de Richelieu (Royal Palace Hotel), Paris France.

Father of Alumni Dies

Henning Webb Prentiss, for many years prominent in St. Louis public school work, died at the Rivercrest Sanatorium, Astoria, Long Island, January 1. Mr. Prentiss is survived by five children, all but one of whom are M. U. graduates: Henning W. Prentiss, Jr., A. B. '03, of Pittsburgh, Pa., Morton M. Prentiss, A. B. '06, of Richmond, Va., Joseph E. Prentiss, A. B. '08, of New York City; Mrs. W. P. Nelson, Jr., A. B. '05, of New Orleans, La., and Mrs. Robert L. Ramsay of Columbia.

DIRECTORS HONOR MEANWELL

M. U. Man To Report on Athletics to National College Body.

Athletic Director W. E. Meanwell of the University of Missouri has been appointed to report on the conditions of athletics in this section of the country before the national association of college heads at their next meeting. He has been assigned the task of keeping record of what colleges are doing in the way of athletics in the sixth district, which comprises Missouri, Kansas, Iowa and states of the Southwest. His assignment to this work was made at a meeting of athletic directors held in New York City December 29. He will succeed to a position formerly held by the director of athletics of Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

"My work in this line," said Dr. Meanwell, "will be to report to the meeting, what colleges in this section are doing in athletics in this time of war, how they stand on freshman competition, and general conditions in all of the more important schools in this sixth district." He explained that the colleges of the United States are divided into eight districts and that this one in which are most of the Missouri Valley schools is known as the sixth.

According to Dr. Meanwell, the main work of the meeting, which was held at the Hotel Astor in New York City, was to declare itself in favor of more athletics during the war, rather than to vote for a cutting down of the work. It has been proved, Dr. Meanwell says, that athletics and men who took interest in athletics while in college won commissions in the training camps where men not athletically inclined were refused.

The consensus of opinion at the meeting, Dr. Meanwell asserts, was for broadening of athletic work, and, in this way, serving the nation in preparing men to take important positions in the army.

The selection of Dr. Meanwell to report on athletic affairs in this section of the country is taken as a distinct honor to the University of Missouri.

M. U. MAN SLAIN AT CAMP

Funston Bank Robber Killed John Jewell and Wounded Kearney Wornall.

John W. Jewell of Springfield, a former student in the School of Journalism, was attacked and slain by an army captain at Camp Funston January 11. Kearney Wornall, LL. B. '15, was attacked at the same time and severely wounded, but there is still hope that he will recover. Three other men, C. F. Winters of Kansas City, O. M. Hill and Carl Ohelson, were killed at the same time and in the same manner.

The five men were in the army bank at Camp Funston with the doors locked, as it was 8.30 o'clock, several hours past closing time. The heavy business of the day had delayed the work at the bank and they were finishing it up. Jewell, who was not connected with the bank, was there waiting for them to get through with their work. He was editor of Trench and Camp, the soldiers' paper at Funston. Wornall was assistant cashier of the bank. An insistent knocking at the door caused them to open it. An army captain, later identified as Capt. Lewis Whisler of Salina, Kan., entered and held them up at the point of an army revolver. He forced Wornall to bind the other four men, and then bound Wornall.

Captain Whisler used an ax in slaying his bound victims. Winters, who had recognized him, was the first struck down. Hill and Ohelson were then attacked. Jewell and Wornall were at the other end of the room. The Captain beat Jewell about the head so that he died in a little while. Wornall was left for dead, but in a few minutes recovered sufficiently to extricate himself and tell the sentry in a dazed way what had happened.

Robbery is given as the motive. The next day was pay day at the camp and there was an unusually large amount of money on hand. The murderer committed suicide the next day when he realized escape was impossible.

Both John Jewell and Kearney Wornall were widely known and popular students while in the University. They were close friends and members of the same fraternity, Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Jewell was business manager of the

Evening Missourian in 1915. Wornall was graduated from the School of Law in 1915.

Since leaving the University, Mr. Jewell had been business manager of the Springfield Leader, a daily paper published by his father, H. S. Jewell. He was married to Miss Jean McGregor of Springfield two years ago.

Kearney Wornall had been associated with the legal department of the Metropolitan Street Railway Company of Kansas City until six months ago, when he went to Camp Funston as the representative of the Nuttig interests in the Camp Funston Army Bank. He is 26 years old and unmarried.

ATHLETES TRAIN IN TEXAS

Fred Williams Tells of Tigers Practicing War Game

Fred M. Williams, captain of the 1917 Tiger basketball team, who is a lieutenant at the Leon Springs Training Camp, tells in a recent letter of several M. U. men who are in training in the Lone Star State.

Lloyd Jones, son of Dean J. C. Jones and a former student in the University, is in charge of a battalion at Leon Springs. Thomas Hill and William Dunkel, who played on the 1913 and 1914 football team, are there. Eugene Van Gent, who coached the 1914-15 and 1915-16 basketball teams, is at Camp Travis, San Antonio.

Norris Rider, star fullback on the Tiger football team, is at San Antonio. He went there expecting to enter the ground school for aviators, but found that he was in a medical detachment of the aviation corps. This mistake was probably due to the fact that Rider joined a hospital unit in Kansas City last summer and the transfer was confused.

Choose Debaters February 6

Two teams to represent the University in intercollegiate debates will be chosen at a tryout the night of February 6. There are ten men on the squad, and from them will be chosen five, three to go to Lawrence, Kan., and debate on "The League to Enforce Peace," and two to meet the University of Oklahoma here in a debate on "Compulsory Arbitration to Settle Interstate Railway Labor Disputes."

PHILIPPINE BANQUET AT M. U.

Closing Event of Journalism Week to Celebrate Our Islands.

The Journalism Banquet this year will be "Made-in-the-Philippines," according to a recent announcement by Dean Walter Williams. It will be May 10, the last day of Journalism week.

Arrangements for the banquet were made when Teodoro Yanco, resident commissioner from the Philippines, visited Columbia January 9 and 10. The only thing that would prevent the arrangements from being carried out is transportation trouble, Dean Williams said, but it is probable that this difficulty will be solved, as the insular government is backing the plan.

The object of the banquet will be three-fold, Dean Williams said: First, to bring about a larger trade relationship between the people of the Islands and the parent country; second, to acquaint the people of the country with the Philippines and the progress of the Filipinos, and third, to afford a recognition of the deep patriotism existing within the Islands in regard to the present war.

The plan for the Made-in-the-Philippines Banquet has been endorsed, through the efforts of Mr. Yanco, by the Manila Chamber of Commerce, of which Mr. Yanco is president, and by the Philippine legislature. While many of the details still remain to be worked out, it is assured that the products sent here will represent the most representative industries of the Islands, consisting of native foodstuffs, Oriental articles for decorations, and manufactured articles such as cloth, baskets, woodwork and similar things for which the Islands are famous.

Nothing To Do But Work

Mrs. R. G. Reynolds, formerly Adeline Duvall, B. S. Ed. '07, writes from Drexel, Mo., that "Mr. Reynolds has located here permanently in the loan and insurance business, and I am a lady of leisure with nothing at all to do except a couple of clubs, two church societies and the Red Cross work. I am one of the captains of the working units. We made nearly \$500 in a bazar recently. I have also been knitting for the soldiers."

STATE BIRTHDAY EVENT HERE

Alumni on Centennial Program
Which Started at M. U. Library.

Missouri's series of centennial celebrations began at Columbia January 8, the hundredth anniversary of the first petition to Congress asking admission for Missouri into the Union. The celebration started at the Library Building in the morning with the fifteenth annual meeting of the State Historical Society. Walter B. Stevens of St. Louis, in opening the meeting, emphasized the double reason for observing the day, since it was also the anniversary of the Battle of New Orleans.

At noon the visiting members of the Historical Society and the Missouri Centennial Committee of One Thousand were entertained at a luncheon at the Daniel Boone Tavern by the Columbia Commercial Club. Immediately after the luncheon, William R. Painter, former lieutenant governor, who was president of the day, called for a toast to President Wilson and then turned the program over to President Hill, who presided at the afternoon session. Mr. Painter, who is a graduate of the M. U. School of Mines at Rolla, referred to Doctor Hill as "the man who is building up, aye, who has already built up, one of the greatest institutions of learning in the United States."

The first address of the afternoon was made by William R. Gentry of St. Louis, a '91 graduate of the University, on "The Missouri Soldier One Hundred Years Ago." Mr. Gentry's grandfather was a soldier in the War of 1812 and his son, now a student here, has already seen service in France. Miss T. C. Gecks of St. Louis, the first woman president of the State Teachers' Association, spoke on "The Missouri Schoolhouse and Teacher One Hundred Years Ago."

One hundred year ago features were carried out also at the pioneer dinner at night at the Tavern. Missouri 'possum and Missouri roast turkey headed the menu. The music of the afternoon and evening consisted of pioneer ballads sung by Tudor Lanius of the English department of the University to the accompaniment of Prof. W. H. Pommer. About

200 attended the pioneer dinner.

Capt. John B. White of Kansas City was toastmaster. The first address of the evening was by the Rev. John Rothensteiner of St. Louis on "The Missouri Priest One Hundred Years Ago." Capt. H. W. Loeb, A. B. Pe. B. '82, A. M. '86, of St. Louis, spoke on "One Hundred Years of Missouri Medicine," and Judge Phillips of Kansas City on "The Missouri Lawyer One Hundred Years Ago." Mrs. George A. Still, A. B. '01, of Kirksville, told of "The Missouri Woman One Hundred Years Ago." President Hill, who was to speak on "One Hundred Years of Education in Missouri," asked that he be excused because it was nearly train time and he was obliged to leave for Washington. Postponement of his address was granted.

Centennial celebrations of Missouri's statehood will extend over three years, and will be held in all parts of the state. Floyd C. Shoemaker, A. B. '09, is secretary of the Historical Society, and is given much of the credit for the success of Missouri's first centennial event.

Prof. Eugene Fair to M. U.

Prof. Eugene Fair of the State Normal School of Kirksville has been selected to take the place made vacant in the department of political science by the departure of Prof. W. J. Shepard, who has accepted a commission in the ordnance department. Professor Fair received his A. B. from the University of Missouri in 1904 and his A. M. in 1909. Since then he has completed the requirements for the degree of doctor of philosophy at Columbia University, with the exception of the publication of his thesis.

Increase in Short Course

One hundred and thirty-nine students have enrolled for the second term of the two-year course in agriculture, of whom four are women. This is an increase of more than twenty students over the first term.

Send The Alumnus to the men at the front.

SAW M. U. MAN'S FATAL FALL

Lieut. Robertson, Former Student,
Tells of Frank Matthews' Death.

Lieut. G. A. S. Robertson, a former student in the University, who visited in Columbia recently, had many interesting stories to tell of life in an aviation camp and of Missouri men who are now in training.

Robertson was admitted to the first Reserve Officers' Training Camp at Fort Riley. After he had completed three-fourths of his training there, he, with twenty-four others, was chosen to go into the aviation service under the instruction of the Royal British fliers at Toronto. He spent several months in Canada, where he received training in elementary flying, photography, map construction, bombing and artillery observation, after which the squadron moved to Fort Worth for advanced flying and aerial gunnery.

Lieutenant Robertson was training with Frank Matthews, the University of Missouri boy who was killed in Texas a short time ago.

"Matt was one of the best fliers in Texas," he said, "and certainly was a dandy fellow. He was game to the core, smart and pleasant, and we all felt his death very keenly."

"I was standing by one of the hangars, watching him in the last flight he was to make before returning home for Christmas. He took a loop and came out of it too fast. When the machine righted quickly, the immense pressure from above snapped off his wings and he fell."

Eversole in Railway Wreck

Henry N. Eversole, A. B. '09, LLB '11, was in the Baltimore and Ohio wreck at North Vernon, Ind., in which ten persons were killed the first of the month. He escaped without injury. After the wreck, he aided the conductor of the train by acting as flagman for two hours, with the temperature 15 degrees below freezing. Eversole, who lives at Fulton, is in the ordnance department of the army, and was on his way from Washington to Camp Dodge at Des Moines, where he is to represent the department in soldier's insurance work.

M. U. Man Writes From Front.

Lieut. Robert Lee Hedges, Jr., an Arts student last year, who was one of the nine St. Louisans sent to France last September shortly after being commissioned at the first officers' training camp at Fort Riley, tells in a letter to his father of the progress of his overseas training in the course of which he has been graduated from the Stokes mortar class, observed stationary and rolling barrages put down by American artillery and started on military tactics of the trenches.

Hedges, who is 22 years old, was one of the youngest men commissioned at Fort Riley. His letter reprinted from the St. Louis Post Dispatch follows in part:

"Saturday was my last day in the Stokes Mortar Class, and it was the most interesting course I have taken and I wish I could take it over again. Commencing Monday, I take a two weeks' course in military tactics, such as are used in the trenches. This will undoubtedly be very interesting, for every platoon leader must know these things, because no two advances are carried out the same way, nor are they ever stopped in the same manner."

"Monday we went out to see the First Division on their work, and the artillery put on a show for us. They use the French 75s, but I like our 3-inch guns better. They can fire as many as 28 shots a minute with the 3-inch guns, while the 75s can only fire eight. We saw them put a stationary barrage on the enemy first-line trenches, and also a rolling barrage which the infantry followed."

"I had a hard time sleeping last night on account of the heavy bombardment carried on up the line. I don't know who was the cause of it, the French or the Germans. The noise lasted all night and the next day."

"I have been working hard and accomplishing much. The English officers, who have been our instructors, have been very patient, and have given us some valuable information about the various phases of trench warfare. I feel confident that I could lead a platoon over the

top in a real old-fashioned American manner."

"I have talked with many English and Canadian soldiers who have been here three years. They have told me stories which one could hardly believe unless he knew the actual conditions. When the Tommies and the Poilus come back from the front, and you can see the look on their faces, then you can realize what these men have been through, but after their furlough, they are all anxious to get back to the front and feel the throat of the Hun in their hands. This is no joke, because there have been many times when the fighting has become so violent that they discarded their weapons and flew at one another's throats."

Alumni Join in Law Firm

Daniel G. Taylor and Jacob Chasnoff, A. B. '03, A. M. '04, announce that George C. Willson, A. B. '11, LL. B. '14, has become a member of their firm, and that the name will hereafter be Taylor, Chasnoff and Willson. They are in the Boatmen's Bank Building in St. Louis.

Three Enlist in Air Forces

Three graduates of the University are among those who have enlisted in air forces in St. Louis since December 1, according to the St. Louis Post-Dispatch. In the flying division are C. C. Cornelius, B. S. Eng. '17, and Guy Kirksey, former Tiger track man. In the nonflying division, Marvin E. Boisseau, A. B. '09, LL. B. '12, is named.

Lieut. McVey Arrives in France

Lieut. Hartley McVey, a former student in the University who is in the flying corps has arrived safely in France. Lieutenant McVey was in training at Bellville, Ill., and in the concentration camp on Long Island. He will receive further instruction in France in a camp behind the fighting line before he is fully qualified as an aviator.

Send The Alumnus to the men at the front.

SILVER FOOTBALLS TO SEVEN

Athletic Awards Also Made to Men in Other Sports.

At a meeting of the University Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics January 9, silver footballs were awarded to seven men who played on the squad and competed in games, but did not receive Ms. The men were M. C. Bahr, Howard Ewing, H. A. Mattingly, H. H. Collins, Gerald Cross, James Pearson and R. R. Wilson.

Joe Flint and David Banks were awarded track Ms for cross country running. To obtain these they had to come in among the first third in all the Missouri Valley cross country runs.

Cross country letters, the letters C C with an arrow through them, were awarded to C. C. Blackburn, E. H. Reeder, W. N. Riddle and F. G. McGregor.

Regulation letters were adopted for all sports. Heretofore, different sizes have been given. The football M will still be larger than any of the others, 9 by 8 inches, while those given in the other major sports are 6 by 4 3/4 inches. The letters given for minor sports will be 3 1/2 by 4 1/2 inches.

Mrs. Otis Translates Book

Mrs. Sophia Hersch Otis, A. B. '12, A. M. '13, of St. Joseph has translated the work of Jacques Novicow on "The Mechanism of Human Association: The foundation of a Sociology of Peace," which was published in the American Journal of Sociology for November, 1917. Mrs. Otis' translation has been reprinted separately from the Journal of Sociology for private circulation. Dr. C. A. Ellwood of the sociology department of the University has a prefatory note to the translation.

Fuller Goes to Texas Normal

L. B. Fuller, B. S. Ed '16, a student in the Graduate School, has accepted a position on the faculty of the Texas State Normal School. Mr. Fuller has specialized in manual arts in the School of Education. He was president of the Student Senate and a member of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A.

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ALL INTO THE UNION

Students of the University in voting an additional fee of \$1.50 a semester upon themselves for membership in the Missouri Union gave the best evidence of loyalty and self-sacrifice in the interests of the University that has been offered in a long time. The students have been for the Union from the very start. The first year, despite the Union's newness and the late opening of its building, they joined in greater numbers than even the celebrated Michigan Union could boast for a beginning.

Now, in the Union's second year, the students, by a practically unanimous vote, declare themselves to be in favor of 100 per cent Missouriianism. They have voted this extra fee upon themselves and not only upon those who come after.

Those who have dreams for the Union see in it a power for the University's welfare. It means to them organization and intelligent energy. It means to mobilize all graduates

and former students, all present and former faculty members, and all present students, men and women alike, into an army to make the state safe for higher education.

The students appreciate the fact that nothing can be done in these days or in any other without funds. Hence their petition to the Curators for this additional fee to be collected from themselves. It is believed certain that this action will meet with the Curators' hearty approval.

Alumni, who are better able to appreciate the needs of the University and the difficulties in meeting these needs, can surely not do less than the students have done. They surely cannot stop at anything short of unanimous support—which means every one a member of the Missouri Union.

The Missouri Union means alumni loyalty in terms of service to State and University.

Thou, too, sail on, O Ship of State!
 Sail on, O UNION, strong and great!

Academic Freedom

The report of Prof. Frank Thilly, formerly of the University of Missouri now of Cornell University, as retiring president of the American Association of University Professors is printed in the November number of the Bulletin of the Association. In speaking of academic freedom he lays down the following principles:

"The members of our profession stand loyally behind the President in this war; many are serving the nation, and many more are eager to serve in any capacity in which the leaders of the country may choose to employ them. They have no sympathy with the disloyal and even with the indifferent, and they do not believe that this is a time for ill-considered speech and action; but they are not ready to brand as traitors persons whose patriotism may not express itself in the same form as their own. They believe in the vigorous prosecution of the war upon which our country is engaged; they condemn every attempt that is made to hamper the nation in the successful conduct of the grim work that has to be done; and they do not look with favor upon those who, in times

like these, insist upon an inalienable right to say whatever they please on every and all occasions.

"A thoroughly conscientious man will carefully question for himself whether he is justified in promulgating ideas which may be dangerous to the public welfare. While we cannot leave the decision of the correctness of his behavior, under the exceptional circumstances of our present existence, entirely to his own individual conscience, we are surely not prepared to leave it to any group of persons who would deny him the right of a fair defense against specific charges."

Reeves A Doctor of Electricity

J. Albert Reeves, B. S. E. E. '07, has resigned his position with the Research Laboratory and is now in the Engineering Department of the General Electric Company at the Philadelphia office.

He is trouble expert, and his work consists of analyzing trouble that develops in the electrical equipment and prescribing the proper remedy. As he puts it himself, "I handle anything from an electric curling iron to a generator that lights a city."

His address is 536 Dudley avenue, Narberth, Pa.

Teaching in Model Rural School

Anne Shaw A. B., B. S. Ed. '13, is at Concord, Tenn. In a recent letter she said, "I realize I can't get along without hearing from the old grads, and the old school. East Tennessee is a little out of the line of Missouri news and the days that bring the Alumnus are truly red-letter days. I am teaching language down here in the Farragut High School—the model rural high school of the South, and the foster child of P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education. This is my third year here and I find it quite interesting."

Monroe Into Y. M. C. A. Service

Russell Monroe, former student, and assistant University publisher left January 7 to do Y. M. C. A. work at San Antonio, Tex.

Mr. Monroe expects to be in the service one year.

HONOR SYSTEM ADOPTED

Faculty Approved Plan Proposed by Students for Examinations.

Adoption of the honor system in examinations at the University was the second important action of the students at the January 8 mass meeting, at which it was voted to petition the curators for an additional fee to cover membership in the Missouri Union. The proposal came from the Women's council after ratification by the Student Senate. Miss Mary McDaniel, president of the Women's Student Government Association, presented the petition, which has the following five provisions:

1—Each professor shall, to the best of his ability, remove all temptation from the student to give or receive aid, either by means of seating, or an alternation of examination questions.

2—Each student shall affix to any written work, whether done in or out of class, the following pledge: "I have neither given nor received help on this work," and sign it. The pledge would not preclude the right of discussion before doing the work.

3—Any violation of this pledge should be reported by the student or instructor detecting the same, to the Women's Council, if the offender is a woman, and to the Student senate, if the offender is a man.

4—The case shall then be examined by the particular body to whom it is handed, and the following penalties be imposed, according to the offense: Either total or partial loss of credit in the particular course where the offense was committed, or putting the offender on probation whereby a reputation of any such offense automatically severs his connection with the University.

5—The findings and the penalty of the students' disciplinary committee shall then be reported to the disciplinary committee of the University for confirmation and approval.

The plan was presented to the faculty, who endorsed it, but decided to leave the matter to each individual class in the coming examinations. The students will not be required to sign the pledge in these

examinations, but it is hoped that they will all do so.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE FOR 1918

Nebraska Will Play Here for First Time Since 1908.

The 1918 football schedule for the Tigers has been announced by the Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics. Nine games are on the schedule and more than half of them will be played here. The schedule is as follows:

October 5, Drury College at Columbia.

October 12, Kansas Aggies at Manhattan.

October 19, Iowa State College at Columbia.

October 26, Drake University (place undecided).

November 2, Oklahoma University at Norman.

November 9, University of Nebraska at Columbia.

November 16, Washington University at Columbia.

November 28, University of Kansas at Lawrence.

The first game of the season has been played with a Missouri College for several years. The first one next year will be played with Drury if satisfactory arrangements are made with that school. Drury always has one of the strongest college teams in this part of the country, and in the season just closed won every game played, although playing such teams as St. Louis University and Rolla.

The game with Drake probably will be given to Columbia in order to have as many games at home as possible. The Nebraska game will be the first one that has been played with that University in Columbia since 1908.

Now Instructor in Grenades

Capt. Asbury Roberts, a student in the College of Agriculture last year, has just completed a three months' course in the divisional school for officers at Camp Doniphan, Okla., and is now qualified as instructor in grenades.

Send The Alumnus to the men at the front.

TAKE 2 GAMES FROM DRAKE

First Conference Basketball Contests End in Tiger Victories.

The first conference basketball games of the season were played on Missouri's home court January 11 and 12, when the Tigers defeated Drake 27 to 8 and 19 to 17. Effective short passes and the guard work of Slusher were largely responsible for the Missouri victories.

The game Friday night was slow at the start and continued so except for a spurt at the beginning of the second half by Drake. Missouri started the scoring and never lost the lead. The score at the end of the first half stood 16 to 4, Drake making only one field goal during that period.

Saturday night's game told a different tale, and the Tiger men were forced to fight for their victory. After the first ten seconds of play, Merboth shot the first goal for Drake. Drake kept the lead the entire first half, the score standing 8 to 6 when the whistle blew.

The second half started in the same manner, but after five minutes of play the Tigers were the masters of the evening. Viner was taken out and Wackher substituted when the score stood 14 to 9 in favor of Drake. In the next three minutes of play, Ruby, Shirkey, Campbell and Wackher made goals in quick succession. Two fouls were called on the visitors and Shirkey made both free throws. Before being taken out, Viner had made four out of the possible five chances at free throws. The final score stood 19 to 17 in favor of M. U.

Captain Hawley and Merboth of Drake stood out, while Slusher and Campbell starred for the Tigers.

The lineup:

Missouri	Drake
Shirkey, rf	lg, Marbeth
Ruby, lf	rg, LeMar
Campbell, c	c, Sarff
Slusher, lg	rf, Higgins
Viner, Wackher, rg lf, Hawley	

Bible Student Into Y. M. C. A. Work
Bruce L. Melvin, a graduate student in the Bible College, has taken up army Y. M. C. A. work at Camp Taylor, near Louisville, Ky.

Weddings

Miss Emma Melton
Clement Dickinson

Lieut. Clement Dickinson and Miss Emma Melton, both of Clinton, Mo., and both former M. U. students, were married January 6. The groom is the son of Congressman C. C. Dickinson. He volunteered for service with Company F, Second Missouri Infantry, last spring and was later made first lieutenant of the 129th Machine Gun Company at Camp Doniphan. Mrs. Dickinson is teaching Latin in the Clinton High School. She will finish her term.

Miss Roberta Kellogg
Francis M. Darr

Miss Eva Roberta Kellogg of Chicago and Lieut. Francis M. Darr of Chillicothe, both former students, were married December 27. Lieutenant Darr is a member of the Forty-Second United States Infantry and is stationed at Fort Douglas, Utah.

Miss Florence Cassidy
Max S. Oliphant

Miss Florence Cassidy, a former student in the University, was married January 1 to Max S. Oliphant. The wedding took place in St. Louis. For the last three years Miss Cassidy has been connected with the Extension Division of the University. Mr. Oliphant is manager of the Westminster Laundry and Tailoring Company, and has been a resident of Columbia for about five years.

Miss Wilma Wheeler
Merrel R. Dunn

Merrel R. Dunn of Walker, a student in the College of Agriculture, and Miss Wilma H. Wheeler of Columbia were married December 30. Miss Wheeler is a student in Stephens College. Both will continue their school work for the year.

Miss Blanche Cottrill
J. Virgil Branham

Miss Blanche Cottrill of Mokone, a former summer session student, was

married to J. Virgil Branham of that city, December 8; but kept the marriage secret until her husband had filled out his questionnaire. Mr. Branham is employed in the transportation department of the M. K. & T. Railroad. Mrs. Branham will continue her teaching in the schools of Callaway County.

Miss Georgia Hays
Lieut. Carl Meran

Miss Georgia Hays, a graduate of Stephens College and former student in the University, was married December 12 to Lieut. Carl Meran in Honolulu. Miss Hays has been teaching physical education in a Hawaiian College for about two years.

Miss Geraldine Thompson
Dr. Edwin Robb

Miss Geraldine Thompson of LaBelle, B. S. Ed. '17, and Dr. Edwin Robb of St. Louis, a former student in the School of Medicine, will be married January 16. Dr. Robb is now with the General Hospital in Kansas City.

Miss Opal Brashear
Foster R. Moore

Foster R. Moore, a student in the School of Journalism in 1914 and '15, married Miss Opal Brashear December 26. After the wedding, they went to Brimfield, Ill., where they visited Dr. J. C. Moore, who is also a former student in the University and former member of the Tiger football team.

Miss Louise Richards
William Muir

Miss Louise Richards of Fayette, a former student in the University, and William G. Muir of Kansas City, B. S. Ag. '17, were married December 30. Mr. Muir is now instructor in science and athletics in the high school at Fort Scott, Kan., at which place they will make their home.

Miss Pauline Estes
George E. Ford

Dr. George Edrick Ford of St. Joseph, a 1910-11 student, and Miss Pauline Estes were married January 5. Doctor Ford is also a graduate of the Kansas City Dental School.

Miss Louise Babb
Leonard Gaddum

Miss Louise Babb, A. B. '16, B. S. Ed. '17, will be married to Leonard William Gaddum January 26. Mr. Gaddum is a senior in the School of Medicine in the University. They will live in Cincinnati, the home of Mr. Gaddum. Miss Babb is the daughter of J. G. Babb, '77, secretary of the University.

Miss Ethel Wengert
W. F. Woodruff

William Francis Woodruff, A. B. '07, LL. B. '09, married Miss Ethel Wengert of Kansas City December 31. Mr. Woodruff is a member of the Woodruff and Brumback law firm, New York Life Building, Kansas City.

Class Notes

'78

William Jasper Roberts, LL. B., is farming as well as practicing law at Oak Ridge, Mo. Mr. Roberts was formerly at Daisy, Mo.

'02

In a letter to the Alumnus, D. A. Cripps, LL. B. '02, announces the birth of a son, July 21, 1917. The letter continues, "He is sure a lusty Sammy and at 5 months was nearly two and a half feet tall. He will make his dad look like a runt."

"While in Kalispell, Mont., I saw Flavins Joe Rice and Joseph E. Rockwood, both LL. B. '01. They are doing well. Rockwood is referee in bankruptcy."

"Since my leaving there, I have received word of the death of his daughter, a girl about 16 years of age. The son is a student in the law department of the University of California."

"After February 15 my permanent address will be Hamilton, Mont."

'06

Miss Saldee Stean, A. B., B. S. Ed., has been appointed to fill the vacancy of woman principal of the Columbia High School made by the resignation of Miss Meta Eitzen, who has accepted a position with the Yeatman High School in St. Louis.

'10

Miss Grace Ware, A. B., writes from 20, Kwen Ming Road, Shanghai, China "I am not teaching this year, but am taking a few months' rest in China. I have been invited to join the College Club here and hope to meet some Missouri U. alumni, as I understand there are several here." Miss Ware, whose home is in Shanghai, has been teaching at Monticello Seminary in Illinois.

L. B. Hawthorne, B. S. in Ed. '10, has been elected superintendent of the public schools at Mexico, Mo.

Miss Mary Paxton of Independence, B. J., is district manager of food demonstration work in Virginia.

W. E. White, B. S. in Ag. '10, has sold his orchard farm near Bentonville, Ark., and moved to Bixby, Okla. His address is Box 343.

Mrs. White, B. S. in Ed. '09, is still in charge of the home economics department of the Bixby public schools.

Lieut. John A. Hadaller of San Bernardino, Cal., LL. B. '11, made a short visit to Columbia early in January. He attended the Officers' Training Camp at the Presidio last fall and was commissioned first lieutenant in the artillery.

Miss Elena Bailey, B. S. in Ag. '12, a scientific investigator in the office of home economics, Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., writes: "The letters in the Alumnus from the men in uniform are interesting to those of us who are trying to do our bit by serving Uncle Sam here in the Capital of the World, for such has Washington become."

'12

Lucille Ferguson of Tipton, A. B., B. S. in Ed. '12 was married to C. H. Walch of Pattonsburg, Mo., December 26. Mr. Walch is manager of the Swift and Co. produce plant at Pattonsburg.

'13

S. A. Howard, B. J. '13, is now assistant editor of the Warrensburg Daily Star. He was formerly owner and editor of the Slater Rustler.

'14

Captain John F. Rhodes, A. B. '14, who married Miss Helen Williams December 1, is now at Ayer, Mass. He may be reached there, c/o Mrs. B. M. Brown.

'15

Charles E. Kane, former instructor in the School of Journalism, who went to France with an ambulance unit and entered the motor transport service of the French army, is now serving in the American forces. His address is: Private Charles E. Kane, Provisional Company A., American Mission, Motor Transport, A. E. F., Reserve Mallet, France.

'16

Ray Watson, LL. B., who was commissioned a second lieutenant at Fort Sheridan, is waiting for assignment in the American Expeditionary Forces. Watson worked at the Co-op while in the University and later practiced law at Joplin.

'17

Gentry Daggy, of Joplin, B. J. '17, has been selected for the Third Reserve Officers' Training Camp. He was in the first draft and has been in training at Camp Funston since then. James Porter of Joplin, a student in the University last year, has also been selected.

E. J. Janson, A. B. '17, camp librarian at Camp Pike, Little Rock, Ark., visited in Columbia last week.

Paul M. Robinett, B. S. in Ag. '17, a first lieutenant in the cavalry, is stationed at Camp Harry J. Jones, Douglas, Ariz.

T. Ballard Watters of Marshfield, a former student in the University, writes that he is going to try to join the aviation corps, and that if he gets in he will be sure to write the Alumnus so it may put his name on the Roll of Honor.

Former

J. E. Deaver, a student in engineering, 1908-11, is a lieutenant of infantry at Camp Devens, Massachusetts. He asks, however, that The Alumnus continue to be addressed to him at Paris, Mo. "I especially appreciate the Missouri U. news in these war times," Mr. Deaver says.

Charles E. Brown, a student in the University from 1915 to 1917, is enlisted in the Auxiliary Remount Depot, Quartermaster's Corps, and is stationed at Fort Bliss, Tex.

Send The Alumnus to the men at the front.

'17

Tracy Barnes, a student in the University last year, who is now in the United States School of Aeronautics at Ithica, N. Y., has been advanced to a corporal pilot. He is one of the seventeen out of 600 to obtain such recognition.

JUNIORS HELD TIGERS DOWN

Missouri Won Second Basketball Game by Score of 37 to 22.

The second game of the basketball season resulted in a 37 to 22 victory for the Tigers when they defeated the Kansas City Polytechnic Institute January 5. The low score came as somewhat of a surprise as Missouri did not expect to find herself opposed by such a strong team. It was the first game of the season for the Kansas City men.

The first half was played in quarters because the institute team is accustomed to that method. The second half was played in one period. Coach John Miller refereed the first half, and F. C. Allen of Warrensburg the second.

Manager Leffler accompanied the Kansas City team. Their coach, "Pat" Murphy, former Tiger track man, left three weeks ago for Jefferson Barracks, where he is in the ordnance department of the army.

Captain Campbell, Slusher and Ruby starred for the Tigers, while Captain Fox was the star for the visiting team. He was in most of the plays and showed good skill in shooting baskets from a distance. Including the free throws, he made 18 of the points scored by his team. Ramsay also starred.

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Students Went to Spanish War

The departure of so many present students for military service recalls the University's contribution to the Spanish-American War. Company I, of the Fifth Missouri Regiment, which went from Columbia, had on its roster many students then in the University. Although Company I did not get into the fighting, it was due to no fault of the men.

Company I was organized by George H. English, who was at the time major of the cadet battalion of the University. He was assisted in the organization of the company by Raymond S. Edmonds and Arthur U. Brandt.

After the company was organized, English was elected captain, Edmonds, first lieutenant, and Brandt, second lieutenant. English later finished in law in '99 and entered practice in Kansas City. He was commissioned a captain at the first Fort Riley Camp. Edmonds finished in law a year later, and Brandt was graduated in engineering in '99.

The company left Columbia on the night of May 12, 1898, and went immediately to Jefferson Barracks, St. Louis, and was there mustered into the service of the United States on May 18, 1898. The company did not leave Columbia with its full quota but was later recruited to full strength, which at that time was eighty men and three commissioned officers.

After remaining at Jefferson Barracks for almost a month, the Fifth Regiment departed from St. Louis for Chicamauga Park, where at one time 100,000 men were mobilized. Troops from the New England, Eastern and Southern states camped there, until they were hustled to Tampa and some of them across to Cuba.

The Fifth Regiment did not get farther south than Chicamauga Park, but as an evidence of the determination of the men of the regiment to be "at the fall of Havana," a collection was taken among the men and Charles H. Morgan, lieutenant colonel of the regiment, who had been in Congress for years and who was a personal friend of President McKinley, went to Washington to ask the President to send the Fifth to Cuba. The President promised Colonel Morgan that the first Missouri regiment to go should be the

Fifth. But the war ended before the Fifth was needed.

In August, 1898, the Fifth Missouri Regiment departed from Chicamauga Park, under sealed orders, and came north to Lexington, Ky., where the regiment with several others detrained and went into camp for a month. In September the regiment was ordered to Kansas City and remained there or one month at Fairmount Park. Then the members were given a month's furlough. On October 9, 1898, the work of mustering out the regiment, then camped at the Old Priest or Pallas den on Vine Street, began, and in two days the soldiers of the old Fifth Missouri Regiment became private citizens.

Members of Company I, many of whom were M. U. men, as shown by the muster-out roll and supplied by General Moore were as follows:

Captain George H. English, A. B. '97, A. M. '98, LL. B. '99.

First Lieutenant Raymond S. Edmonds, B. L. '99, LL. B. '00.

Second Lieutenant Albert U. Brandt, B. S. E. '99.

First Sergeant William H. Seward, A. B. '99, A. M. '00.

Quartermaster Sergeant James C. L. McKnight, Special '98, LL. B. '08.

Sergeant Smith S. Crenshaw.

Sergeant Charles L. Parkhurst, arts '95-98.

Sergeant John H. Morton.

Sergeant Harvey D. Dow, LL. B. '98.

Cornel Gibson Houck, AB. '98 LL. B. '01.

Corporal John K. Ragland, eng. 95-96.

Corporal Arthur W. Brent, Arts. '97.

Corporal John C. Maloney, Ag. 96-98.

Corporal Bart M. Lockwood, LL. B. '01.

Corporal John H. Lanning, Eng. '96-97.

Corporal Elisha F. Camron, LL. B. '01.

Corporal George G. Robertson, A. B. '99.

Corporal Gilbert Barlow, A. B. '00.

Corporal Adam Hill, Arts '95, Law '96.

Corporal Lloyd Lewis, B. S. E. E. '99.

Corporal Milton C. Burk, A. B. '02, LL. B. '06.

Corporal Hugh C. Armstrong, Law '97.

Corporal Frank W. Stafford, Law '97.

Corporal Manlius Butcher.
Artificer Ralph P. Cope, Eng. '97.
Wagoner Guy M. McCandless.
Musician Robert L. Kirk, LL. B. '98.
William B. Anderson, Ag. '97.
Henry Arthur.
Jesse O. Bateman.
Jesse W. Brady.
John W. Ballinger.
Ezra Q. Berry.
Charles I. Blanton, Med. '97.
Henry J. Bogard.
Stevens S. Carroll.
Walter M. Cassity.
Manuel T. Clark, Med. '96-98.
William B. Clayton.
George W. Corrigan, Eng. '95-98.
Dudley W. Clark.
Charles C. Coots.
Archie W. Cook.
David H. Copenhaver.
James B. Corbin.
Benjamin F. Cowley, Ag. '97.
Samuel O. Craig, Special '97, Ag. '99.
Phillip V. Dimmitt, Arts '95.
James A. Davis, Law. '97.
George Dodd.
L. Hollis Edwards, Law '97.
John W. Eagan.
Martin E. Elling, Ag. '97.
William T. Ehle.
James E. Fay.
James A. Fisher.
Amos L. Forbis.
Frank Foster.
Walter R. Gans.
Felix Z. Gray, Arts '95-98.
Alfred W. Gans.
Irwin Gibbs.
James B. Gillespy.
Paul Goodson, Arts '96-98.
Albert E. Goodwin.
Reverdy J. Gordon, Med. '96-98.
James K. Gorman.
William A. Graves.
Edgar P. Grinstead.
Walter Hamm.
Harry Hager.
Hugh E. Hall.
Charles W. Hogan, Eng. '95-98.
Howard Holmes.
Luther H. Holloway.
Thomas P. Howard, Arts '96-98.
Joseph H. Humpert.
Tristan P. Jennings.
Walter C. Kerr, Med. '98.
Walter W. Lewelling, Ag. '96-98.
John Laughran, Jr.
Ernest C. Leggett, Eng. '97.
John H. Lynch.
George F. Maitland, Eng. '95-97.
Farel A. Mastin.
Robert E. Maxwell.
Henry C. Matthews.
William Melton.
George L. Macfarlane.
Robert Maddex.
Roland Marion.
Yarrow B. McAllister.
George W. McGowan.
Richard M. Neely.
Herbert C. Osborn.
George H. Pannell.

Claud O. Percy, Arts '97, LL. B. '06.
 Elmer E. Percy, Arts '97 LL. B. '04.
 John B. Payne.
 Warren A. Palmer, Ag. '96.
 Percy M. Peel.
 James E. Peeler, Eng. '98.
 Dante M. Pierce.
 William E. Powell, Ag. '96, Arts '97.
 John M. Praisewater.
 Charles S. Price, Normal '95-97.
 Ralph W. Robinson, B. S. E. E. '99.
 Walter Rick.
 Guy A. Roberts, B. S. Ag. '00.
 Milton P. Shy.
 Paul W. Schultz.
 Paul J. Shouse.
 Edwin D. Smith, B. S. E. E. '01.
 Philip A. Smith, Law '97.
 Charles W. Snell.
 Joseph Sumpter.
 Arthur Stein.
 Irvin O. Stephens.
 William B. Stewart, Jr., Arts '97.
 John W. Turner, M. D. '99.
 David F. Taylor.
 George L. Thomas.
 James H. Turner.
 Frank G. Wagner.
 Robert Walker.
 Horace B. Williams, A. B. '98.
 John V. Wilson.
 Robert P. Winters, LL. B. '97.
 William Yochum.
 John N. Zimmerlee.

Tigers on All-American Teams

J. V. Sholz and Robert Simpson, "Jack" and "Bob," are the University representatives among the forty-four athletes, selected from all parts of the country for places on the all-American amateur and college track and field teams for 1917. These men were picked by officials of the Amateur Athletic Union of New York. Sholz, who does the 100-dash, is at the University this year. Lieutenant Simpson, world's champion hurdler, who finished in agriculture last year, is helping train national army men at Camp Lewis, Washington.

Methodists Lead at M. U.

Of the more than 2,000 students at the University of Missouri, all except about 300 have indicated that they are either church members or have certain denominational preferences. The Methodist Church leads in number, with 452 members and 60 who prefer this church. The Christian Church ranks next with 412, Presbyterian third with 276, and Baptist a close fourth with 274. Altogether nineteen religious sects are represented in the student body of the University, according to religious statistics taken last fall.

WALKERS AT M. U. 17 YEARS

First Member of Family Entered University in 1900

For the last seventeen years the Walker family of Columbia has been represented in the student body of the University of Missouri. Starting in 1900 with the entrance of Miss Mary Shore Walker, A.B.'03, M.A.'04, and Charles J. Walker, A.B.'03, the family has been continuously represented since.

Ben S. Walker entered the University in 1901 and stayed until 1904. After a year's absence, he reentered the University and received a B.S. in Ed. and C. E. in 1906. Other members of the family who have attended are Lee Walker, A.B.'10, LL.B.'12, and Robert Walker, B. S. in Eng.'16, E.E.'17. He was the last member of the family to attend the University.

R. E. Miller Gets Government Job

Ray E. Miller, B. S. in Ag. '17, has received an appointment in the animal husbandry division of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Dean James Gets Piece of "Zep"

A piece of the outer covering of a Zeppelin was sent to Dean Eldon R. James of the School of Law by Walter Mandry, '17, from France recently. The relic is of a fine, closely woven material treated externally with a black waterproof varnish. Although Mr. Mandry was not allowed to give the particulars of how he obtained the fragment, Dean James thinks that it came from some Zeppelin disabled on its return from a raid on England the middle of October.

W. L. Payne is going to report the last of the month at Camp Funston. He has been granted a leave of absence from the Carthage High School, where he has been instructor in agriculture. Mr. Payne was a junior in the College of Agriculture last year.

Tomatoes Pay For M. U. Course.

Not all college education comes c. o. d., which in student parlance stands for "call on dad." There is the case of George Tumbleson, for instance, a sophomore in agriculture at the University, who was able to return to school this fall because during the summer he made about \$400 canning tomatoes.

Tumbleson left the University last April, when hundreds were being excused for war crop work. He returned to his home at Bismarck, Mo., and put in 5,300 tomato plants and a lot of corn, beans and other vegetables on the 7-acre home plot. So successful was he with his crop that he intends trying tomatoes on a larger scale next year, and in order to have some capital to start with he is working enough this year outside school hours to pay a considerable part of his University expenses.

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DISCOVERY BY T. J. J. SEE

M. U. Alumnus Finds Reason for Moon's Irregular Motion.

The cause of the fluctuations in the motion of the moon in its orbit, which has long been a puzzle to astronomers, has been discovered by Prof. T. J. J. See, A. B., B. S., L. M. '39, director of the naval observatory at Mare Island, Cal., according to a statement which he recently gave out while visiting his mother in Montgomery City.

Professor See has made many important astronomical discoveries, a particular series being those by which he upset the old nebular hypothesis in 1909. He has sent a report on his new discoveries to the Royal Astronomical Society, London, and to scientific societies in Paris, Stockholm and Edinburgh.

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University Men in Bird Club

Among the members of Columbia's free-for-all Bird Club are several University professors. G. M. Reed, W. C. Curtis and G. S. Dodds, professors in the biology department, belong, as do Carl C. Taylor of the sociology department and Irvin Switzler, former registrar of the University. The purpose of the club is to study the bird life of the vicinity. The members go on a field trip south of town every Saturday morning, weather permitting. A meeting is held the first Tuesday night of each month at which various subjects dealing with birds and their habits are discussed. Attention is paid to the migration of birds and to other points of interest.

M. U. Girls Learn Soccer

Dr. W. E. Meanwell, director of athletics at the University, is teaching the University girls to play soccer. Until this year Downer College at Milwaukee has been the only college of the West having girls' soccer. Soccer is a game played in many countries. Originating in England, it has spread all over the world. The varsity soccer team at Wisconsin last year was made up of players of six nationalities who had learned the game in their own countries.

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Many Request Building Plans

During November the Agricultural Extension Service of the University received 150 requests for farm building plans from sixteen states besides Missouri. These plans, which are prepared by the agricultural engineering department, provide detailed information on methods and materials. A large number of requests have been received for a plan of a small farm house of the bungalow type. Its main features are a sleeping porch on the second floor and an inside arrangement which makes it possible to economize on the size of the house, thus reducing the cost of construction to a minimum.

Rasmussen Gets Censorship Place

Harry E. Rasmussen, a senior in the School of Journalism and editor of the *Missourian*, has gone to Washington to take up his duties in the Bureau of Censorship. Emmett Moore, a former M. U. student, who has been in the censorship bureau, has been commissioned a first lieutenant and transferred to the War College as censor of photographs.

Students Help Build Barn

A concrete illustration of the practical work which University students receive along with the theory is the work of the student in agricultural engineering. They did the concrete work on a barn built by the dairy department for the young stock in the dairy herd. One section worked through their laboratory period, at the close of which they were relieved by the next class.

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Students Go Over The Top For The Missouri Union

By adopting the following petition with only four dissenting votes

Petition to the President and Board of Curators of the University of Missouri passed by vote of the Student Body of that Institution in mass meeting assembled January 8, 1918.

WHEREAS: The plans for the Missouri Union for the future require the universal support of the members of the student body, and

WHEREAS: The student members of the Missouri Union board of directors have recommended the method of securing that support herein presented, and

WHEREAS: The Student Council, Student Senate and Women's Council have unanimously indorsed the method recommended,

BE IT RESOLVED: That the student body of the University of Missouri does petition the President and Curators of that Institution to provide for collecting, along with the Library, Hospital and incidental fee, and delivering to the Missouri Union the sum of one and one half dollars at each registration period from all persons registering in the University, and that the privileges attendant to membership shall be extended to all persons registering.

The Campaign among the faculty members is now on.

The Campaign among the alumni and former students in Columbia and Boone County will begin next week.

The Campaign for the rest of the state will follow immediately.

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