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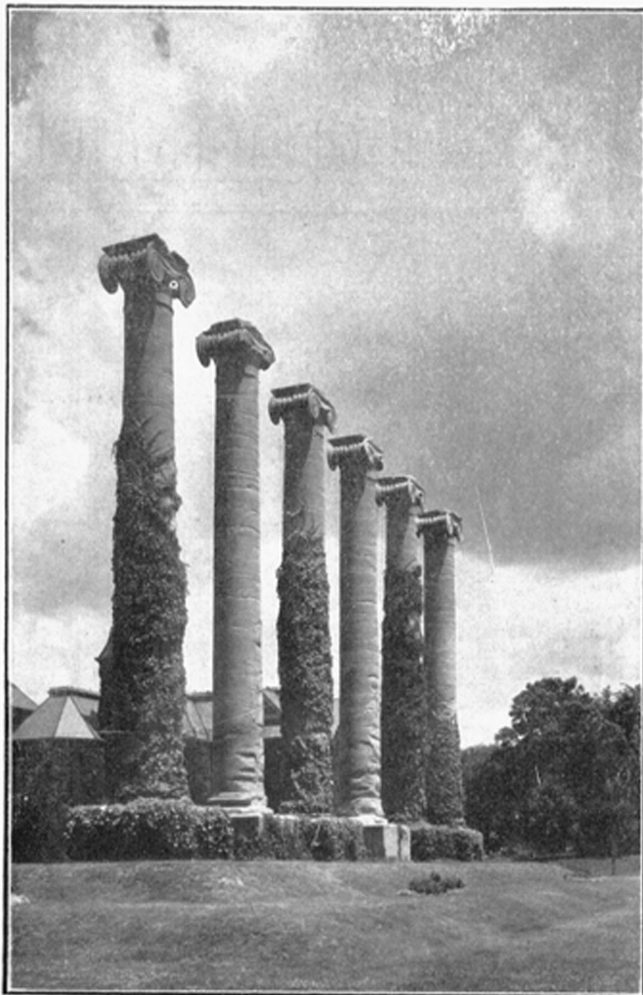
The Missouri Alumnus



Dr. Isidor Loeb, B. S. '87, M. S., LL. B., '93

Dean of the School of Business and Public Administration who was named Acting President of the University April 4, by the Board of Curators. He will assume his duties April 25. Dean Loeb succeeds Dr. J. C. Jones, whose resignation as president the Board accepted.

A MESSAGE FROM THE PAST



The indomitable Missouri Spirit on the part of every citizen of this grand old State caused the present University of Missouri to be reared among the ruins of 1892. Naught but the stately Columns remain, but who can foretell the Missouri University of the future.

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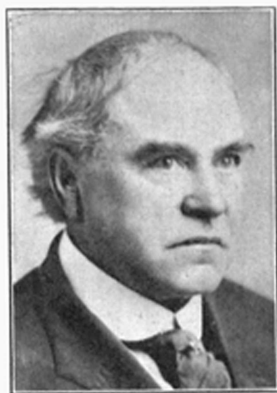
COLUMBIA, MO.

Rebuilding Academic Hall

It was back at the regular session of the Legislature of 1893, the main building of the University was in ruins, then as now, the columns stood, silent sentinels of an honored and noble past.

Major Bradley of Bates County, was one of nature's worthiest men, he had served in the Mexican war, had made the overland trip to California in the stirring times of 1849, had served four years in the Civil War, was wounded seven times and because of exposure and strenuous adventures, he was afflicted in his elderly days with rheumatism and weakened health. Notwithstanding this, he had been elected state senator and was chairman of the Committee on Enrolled Bills. The writer was appointed clerk of that committee, and had written many bills for sundry members of House and Senate.

One day Senator Bradley requested the writer to prepare a bill authorizing the County Court of Bates County to use at their discretion more of the county license money, which the law pre-rated to the several townships, so the court could repair a mud hole between Painsville, where the senator lived, and Butler, the county seat. This was all the commission given. A bill was pending at that time for the appropriation of \$250,000 to rebuild the main building of the University, but there were no funds in the treasury to make it effective.



S. P. Dorman, LL. B. '85, L. B., Pe. B. '89, Clinton, Mo.

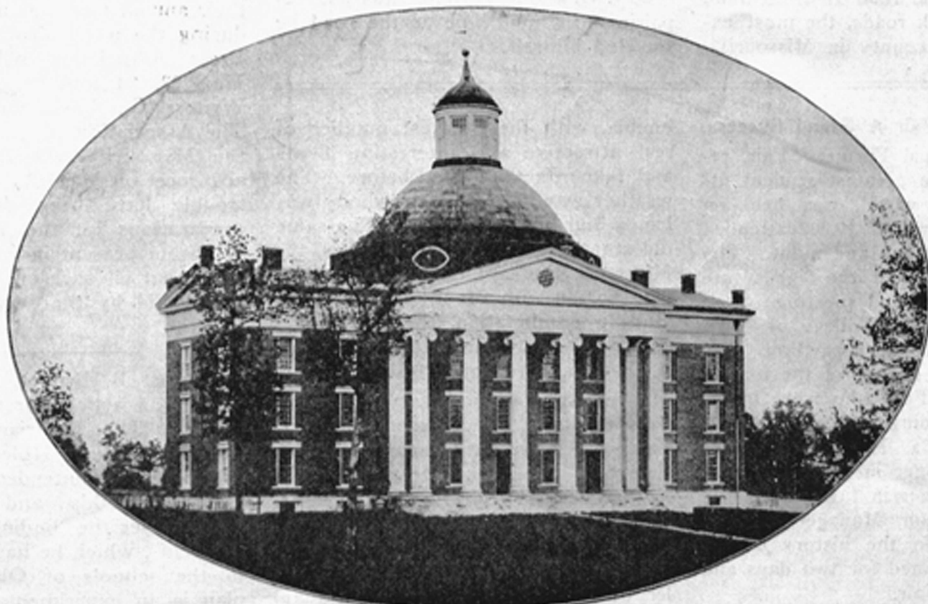
In preparing the amendment the writer, well knowing these conditions, doubled the state tax, which added \$300,000 per year to the state and doubled the amount of county license going into the road fund. Permission was given to double the license charge to compensate for taking away one-

third from the revenue fund and diverting it to the road fund.

In explaining the changes made to the law by the amendment, the senator was greatly pleased. The discretion given the county court to use all or any part of said funds in one or more townships, was all his county court needed, but he was more than pleased, that they would have twice the former amount of money in the road fund, and that by doubling the state license it put the friends of the University behind the bill and insured its passage.

When the bill came up for engrossment, the senator was sick in bed at his hotel, and as his committee clerk, the writer explained the situation and asked another senator to call it up. The senate amended the bill by striking out the increase tendered the county and engrossed it. This placed it on the senate calendar for third reading and subsequently the writer again had to have another senator call it up for final passage and it passed with little opposition, receiving a two-thirds vote for the emergency clause.

Again by request of the writer, Mr. W. H. Davis, representing Henry County, took charge of the bill in the House. All the writer now had to do was to explain the main features to the leading members, including Speaker Mabry, and the bill promptly passed the House, but by oversight the emergency clause



First Academic Hall.



New Academic Hall, Now Jesse Hall.

was not put to a vote.

The Speaker, Mr. Davis, and the writer were passing along the sidewalk, after the noon recess, and Mr. Mabry suddenly recalled the failure to vote the emergency clause, and it was then determined that as the law would go into effect before the next semi-annual payments were due, and it would not be necessary to call the bill up again, as it was already passed.

Not only was the money forthcoming to rebuild the Academic Hall but Jackson County, promptly began, with an enlarged road fund to build a system of rock roads, the most extensive of any county in Missouri.

1923 Farmers' Fair A Grand Success.

The 18th annual Farmers' Fair, referred to as the greatest student attraction in the world, was held on April 6. A crowd of 10,000 attended during the afternoon and night. The night before the Fair the Agriculture Club held a roll call meeting of all the students in the College of Agriculture in the live stock pavilion. This meeting was in charge of the former officers of the Fair who were in attendance, including Stockton Fountain of Centralia, Manager in 1911; Bob Hill, Manager in 1912; J. Frank Richards, Manager in 1919; and Chas. Gaines of Clinton, Manager in 1922, the first year in the history of the Fair when it rained for two days and prevented the Fair.

The parade on April 6 was the longest parade that was ever held in Co-

Senator Bradley had introduced the amendment with an explanation of what it proposed to do, thus giving it the prestige and influence of a worthy and honored name and made the passage of the bill a comparative easy matter. Afterward, when he went to Columbia, he was feted and banqueted and made the lion of the tribe of Judah, as the genius who had mastered a difficult situation.

All this because he was thoughtful enough to be in favor of good roads, at a time when such proponents were few, even if his purpose was the repairing of a mud hole on the road he traveled himself.

lumbia, with the greatest number of real attractive and interesting floats and take-offs than ever before. The weather was ideal and everybody was happy and had a big time. The same old stunts were there, the Follies, the Minstrels, the Girl Show, the Yellow Dog Saloon with Bloody Gulch Dance Hall in combination, the educational exhibit, the barbecue, Home Economics' eats and gobs of side shows.

Several universities sent representatives to study the Missouri Farmers' Fair: one from Arkansas, one from Colorado, one from Minnesota, two from Nebraska and two from Kansas. W. T. (Bill) Angle of Sedalia, E. A. Ikenberry of Independence, Claud Stuckey of Jefferson City, Ray E. Miller of Harrisonville, Elmer Kershaw and Charles Collins of St. Louis, came in the day of the Fair and had a big

round on the pike at night. The total receipts amounted to \$4,500. Motion pictures were taken of the Fair from start to finish and will be furnished free for Alumni, High Schools and Commercial Club showing. The officers of this year's Fair were: L. E. Slate, Manager, Robert C. Wetherell, Assistant Manager, Lorenzo R. Welsh, Secretary-Treasurer, Clark Shoemaker, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, and they deserve a world of credit for the most outstanding Fair in the history of the school.

1923 Journalism Week.

Journalism Week, which will be held from May 20 to 25 promises to be the most popular and largely attended one so far held by the School of Journalism. Many prominent speakers will come to Columbia for the Week, novelists, advertisers, editors and special writers. Three sessions will be held daily in the auditorium in Neff Hall for the entire five days. There will be from three to five speakers at each of these sessions. Almost every state in the Union and many foreign countries will have representatives on the program.

A luncheon for Journalism alumni will be held at noon on May 25 of the Week. The closing feature will be a banquet for all Journalism students, alumni and visitors to be held in Rothwell Gymnasium on May 25. It will be a "Made in Manchuria" banquet, all the food coming from that far distant country.

Several other organizations will hold their annual meetings and conventions during the week also. The Missouri Press Association will convene on May 23, 24 and 25. The Missouri Writers' Guild will meet on May 23. The Association of Past Presidents of the Missouri Press Association will also meet on May 23. Much time and trouble have been devoted to the preparations for the Week this year and from present indications it would seem that all such efforts will be amply repaid by the success of the affair.

Herbert B. Bruner, A. M. '15, has written an article for the April number of "The Rotarian" on "Square Pegs and Round Holes". Mr. Bruner is now superintendent of schools of Okmulgee, Okla., and in this article he discusses the "finding and broadening plan", which he has introduced into the schools of Okmulgee. This plan is an experiment with the complicated problem of helping boys and girls to discover their life work.

Dean Loeb Succeeds Dr. Jones

Dean Isidor Loeb of the School of Business and Public Administration was appointed acting-president of the University by the Board of Curators in Kansas City, April 4. He will begin his duties at Commencement.

Dean Loeb succeeds President J. C. Jones who accepted the presidency on condition that he be permitted to retire at the end of this term. President Jones has served as acting-president and president since the resignation of President A. Ross Hill. Dean Loeb will serve until the board appoints a permanent president.

Dr. Loeb has been connected with the University of Missouri since 1881, when he entered as a sub-freshman. In 1887, he received the degree of B. S., and in 1893, the M. S. and LL. B. degrees were conferred upon him. In 1894-95, he was a fellow in jurisprudence in Columbia University. He spent the year 1899-1900 in the University of Berlin and the following year received the degree of Ph. D. from Columbia University.

His first connection with the faculty began with a tutorship in history in 1892. In 1895 he was made an assistant professor of political science and public law and in 1899 was made professor. He was Dean of the University faculty from 1910 to 1916, when he became Dean of the School of Business and Public Administration.

Member of Phi Beta Kappa.

Dean Loeb is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and of several national associations including the American Political Science Association, the American Economics Association and the American Historical Association. He is also a member of the board of the State Historical Society of Missouri. In 1906 he was a member of the Missouri State Tax Commission.

Among Dean Loeb's publications are: "The Legal Property Relations of Married Parties," 1900; "Government of Missouri," 1912; "Syllabus of American Citizenship," 1920.

Dean Loeb was born in Roanoke, Mo., November 5, 1868. He was married to Miss Carrie Lengsfeld of New Orleans in 1915. A dispatch to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat says of the meeting of the curators:

"The curators were in executive session all day. These were present: James E. Goodrich, Kansas City; Dr. S. L. Baysinger, Rolla; H. J. Blanton, Paris; Milton Tootle, St. Joseph; E. Lansing Ray, St. Louis; Senator F. M.



Dr. J. C. Jones.

McDavid, Springfield; F. G. Donnell, St. Louis, a University alumnus; Dr. Loeb, President Jones and Leslie Cowan of Columbia, secretary of the board.

Permanent President Later.

"Goodrich said tonight a permanent president perhaps would not be selected before next fall. He explained that

Dean Loeb is an admirable example of the college expert who applies his knowledge to the problems of living. He might have been content to maintain a strictly academic position in the University. But his department happened to be directly concerned with public problems. So he has made himself a consulting expert for the state in matters having to do with government and taxation.

His selection as acting president of the University of Missouri is a warranted recognition of his fine services to the University and to the public.—Kansas City Star, April 5.

Dean Loeb was appointed to carry on the University work until a new president was named, because of his wide experience and years of service on the faculty.

"We have no one under consideration for permanent president," Goodrich said. "There are several things to be considered before a final selection is made."

"From another source, however, it was learned that unofficial overtures have been made to Herbert S. Hadley, of Boulder, Colo., former governor of Missouri, concerning the presidency of the State University, as a permanent successor to Dr. J. C. Jones.

"Through friends in Missouri, inquiry was made whether Hadley's health would permit him to assume the arduous duties as head of the big state school at Columbia. Word was returned that Hadley would accept the place if offered him. Whether that information came directly from the former governor is not certain.

"A general readjustment of salaries of faculty members will be put in effect, according to Goodrich, provided the governor is not compelled to cut the University appropriation to the point where this would be impossible. The Curators contemplate expending about \$350,000 in a building program if the appropriations will allow it.

Will Talk to Governor.

"President Jones and Dr. Loeb conferred with Governor Hyde regarding the appropriation, which was more than \$3,000,000, the largest ever made for the University.

"It is hoped," Goodrich said, "that the appropriation will be cut as little as possible. However, the Governor, undoubtedly, will have to cut appropriations for the entire state, and the University must stand its proportionate reduction. We are certain our building program will be reduced somewhat, yet we hope to keep the appropriation large enough to allow the salary increase."

Dr. Jones to Play.

"I've been at work a long time. I'm going to play a little now."

This was the comment of Dr. J. C. Jones after the Board of Curators had accepted his resignation as president of the University of Missouri. When he retires April 25, President Jones will have rounded out his forty-first year with the University. He is a graduate of Westminster College, Fulton, Mo., where he received the de-

degrees of A. B., A. M., and Ph. D. President Jones did post-graduate work at Johns Hopkins University in 1882-83; University of Leipzig, 1895-96, and the University of Munich in 1903-04. He was awarded the LL. D. degree by the University of Missouri in 1908.

President Jones was assistant professor of Latin at the University of Missouri from 1883 to 1887; associate professor of Latin from 1888 to 1891, and professor of Latin from 1891 to

St. Louis Globe-Democrat, April 6

The formal acceptance of the resignation of Dr. J. C. Jones, president of the University of Missouri, by the Board of Curators, at its meeting in Kansas City Wednesday, brings to a termination a service of forty years in that institution. Beginning as assistant professor of Latin and Greek in 1883, he became professor of Latin in 1891, dean of the College of Arts and Science in 1900, and vice-president of the University in 1918. He was acting president in 1905-06 and again became president upon the resignation of President A. Ross Hill in 1921. Last summer he presented his resignation to the board, to take effect at the end of this term, and the action of the Curators Wednesday was in fulfillment of this notice. During Dr. Jones' long service he has contributed no little to the development and progress of the University and his retirement will remove from the institution one of its ablest educators. "I am enjoying," he said the other day, "the prospect of at least being able to do what I have long wanted to—work a little and play a good deal," and Missouri hopes that he may find enjoyment and satisfaction in both work and play.

1895, when he was made Dean of the College of Arts and Science.

In March, 1921, President Jones was named acting president of the University to succeed Dr. A. Ross Hill, who resigned to become an official of the American Red Cross. Dr. Jones was made permanent president in January, 1922. In accepting the appointment Dr. Jones specified that he be allowed to serve only until the board could find someone to relieve him. Last summer he announced to the curators that he desired his tenure of office to end at commencement this year.

In acknowledgment of his years of service, the Board of Curators adopted this resolution:

"Whereas, Dr. J. C. Jones is about to sever his connection with the Uni-

versity of Missouri as president: be it

"Resolved, that the Board of Curators expresses to him its sincere appreciation of the work he has done and of the progress the University has made. It points with pride to the large increase in the student body and the prestige the University has gained under his leadership and urges that special mention be made of the valuable service he rendered in preparing the University budget and presenting it to the General Assembly, securing the largest appropriation for the University in all its history: be it further

"Resolved, that the Board commends to the student body and the public the ideals that characterize the life of Dr. Jones—ideals that have made for citizenship and character in every community in our state."

New Gymnasium Ready Soon.

The Women's Gymnasium will be ready for use by June 1. Exterior work is practically complete and interior finishing is in progress. Tile floors in the basement and the main entrance are being laid, and woodwork will be put on as soon as varnishing is completed. Plastering, which is of cream color in the corridors, and white in the rooms, has been applied and is dry.

The swimming pool, which is in the basement, is yet to be tiled. Other rooms in the basement are to be locker-rooms, shower rooms, and the heating and lighting distribution plants. The heating plant is connected with the University plant. There are two large boilers in which water for the swimming pool and shower baths will be heated, and a balcony from which spectators may watch swimming and diving contests.

The gymnasium floor is above the swimming pool. The front end of the second floor is devoted to an auditorium which may be used for a banquet room or an extra gymnasium floor. Both the gymnasium and the auditorium are to be floored with maple.

A feature of the building is a stage between the gymnasium and the auditorium, which may open on either. Above the gym floor is a balcony around three sides of the room for spectators.

A Chicago Alumna—Mrs. Walter F. Dodd.

In the Savitar of 1911 appears the picture of Sue Hutchison who was that year voted the most popular girl in the University, and was chosen the Savitar Queen. She received the degrees of A. B. and B. S. in Edu-

cation from the University in the Class of 1911.

After several years of teaching in State Normal Universities, she entered the University of Illinois as the holder of a post-graduate scholarship. There she was elected to Phi Kappa Delta fraternity and was made a charter member of Beta Alpha chapter of Alpha Phi. In 1919 she received the A. M. degree from Illinois and in the same year became Mrs. Walter Fairleigh Dodd.



Mrs. Walter F. Dodd.

Mrs. Dodd lives in Chicago and is active in various organizations of that city. She is chairman of the Municipal Citizenship Committee of the Woman's City Club of Chicago and prepares articles for that Club on matters pertaining to government and elections. She and her husband are the authors of "Government in Illinois" soon to be issued by the University of Chicago Press. Mrs. Dodd also finds time to write for other publications and to take part in church and other activities. She is active in the Chicago College Club and is Secretary and Treasurer of the Chicago Chapter of Missouri Alumni.

Journalists Commemorate.

The creation of the School of Journalism of the University of Missouri April 2, 1908, was commemorated, April 6 by a vine planting ceremony conducted by the University of Missouri Journalism Students' Association in front of Jay H. Neff Hall.

The spade that lifted the first dirt from the excavation for Neff Hall four years ago was used by Dean Walter Williams to dig the hole in which the roots of the memorial plants were placed. Vines could not be obtained in time to hold the services April 2, so the ceremony was postponed until Arbor Day.

News From Alumni Centers— Michigan Alumni Organize

Audrain County.

John Leo Coontz, F. S. 1910-11, President and Manager of the Intelligencer Publishing Company, Mexico, Mo., Secretary of the Audrain County Alumni Association, writes as follows, regarding the work of the organization:

"Just what Audrain will do this year is rather indefinite at present. You may be assured, however, that we are going to do something. I think it will be very much in line with the Audrain plan inaugurated last year, namely: the bringing together at a banquet of Audrain boys and girls who will complete High School this year to hear talks from University of Missouri men and women graduates on the value of higher education, with the view of inspiring them to go on. Last year, as you know, our banquet at which date this idea was worked out was a most successful one. It might well be adopted as a County Unit Alumni plan for the University in the interest of higher education. Success as to the working out of the detail of this plan goes to Harrison Brown, W. F. Corl, Mrs. E. F. Hollingsworth, and others.

"In addition, we may say that we plan to show the 'Mirror of Old Mizzou' or some other feature film of the University this year.

"Best wishes for Old Mizzou."

Michigan Alumni to Organize.

"On February 17, six of the nine alumni of the University of Missouri who are now at the Michigan Agricultural College, met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. McCool, for a social time and to discuss plans for organizing a Michigan Alumni Association. Dr. McCool was elected president of the local association and myself secretary.

"At this meeting it was planned to invite all the alumni to a meeting and banquet here at East Lansing on the evening of April 21, at which time we would show the 'Mirror of Old Mizzou' and 'Tiger Topics' and perhaps secure a speaker from Columbia. At this meeting, officers of the Michigan Alumni Association will be elected and all things of interest about the University discussed. We expect a big reunion.

"Those present at our local meeting on February 17 were: Dr. M. M.

McCool, O. E. Reed, A. C. Baltzer, J. G. Wells, J. O. Veatch and myself."—O. B. Price, Secy., East Lansing Alumni Association.

El Paso County, Colorado.

The El Paso County Alumni Association, Colorado Springs, Colorado, held their regular meeting on the night of March 17. It was a miserable night. The night of the big blizzard out there, but in spite of the storm there was a good attendance. Judge J. P. Foard, President of the Association, presided at the dinner and required every person present to tell all about themselves, in an informal way, since they had left the University. The talks were all interesting, but especially so were those of the older graduates, including C. W. Burnam of the days of 1872. He told of wonderfully interesting incidents of University life during those years.

There was also a story of the football team that took that memorable trip to Texas and then into Old Mexico, startled the natives down there, returned back in Columbia in February and then were expelled from the University.

"It was an interesting meeting. I wouldn't have missed it for all the blizzards west of Columbia," writes George L. LeCrone, Jr., secretary-treasurer.

"We have a small, but live alumni organization," continues LeCrone. "All of the local alumni and former students are interested. During the summer season, when the tourists are here, there should be many alumni and former students among the Columbia spring visitors. I do hope that they will call me and come to see me while they are in Colorado Springs."

At the meeting Judge J. P. Foard, L.L. B. 1904, was elected president; Prof. L. D. Votaw, A. B., B. S. 1910, and A. M. 1912, assistant principal of the local high school, vice-president; and G. M. LeCrone, Jr., B. J. 1922, secretary-treasurer.

Henry County to Have 'Get-to-Gether'.

Allen K. George, B. S. in Agri. '23, instructor in Vocational Agriculture, Clinton, Mo., High School, and Secretary of the Henry County Alumni Association, succeeding Robert Hill, writes as follows after their meeting on April 2:

"Our association was organized last

fall and officers elected. They are Ray Goodwin, President; Marian Haire, Vice-President; and Robert Hill, Secretary and Treasurer. The officers remain the same with the exception of Mr. Hill. Just before the Thanksgiving game we had a banquet for the members and their friends that was well attended. The officers have had numerous meetings this winter and at our meeting April 2, we set the date for a get-together meeting of the high school graduates of the county on April 26. If we find it is impossible to get a good attendance from the other towns we expect to hold similar meetings at more convenient places.

"Capt. W. F. Carter is a member of our association. He was a student in the University before the Civil War, leaving the University in 1860, to join the Confederate Army.

"Miss Kathryn Spangler is the Vice-President of the State Alumni Association and is also enthused over our county organization. She is County Superintendent of Schools here.

"We are proud to say that Hon. A. J. Van Cleave of the State Legislature is a resident of Clinton and as you know is a strong booster for the University. We expect to have him present at our meeting for the high school graduates."

St. Louis Alumni Meeting March 9.

"Resolved, that the assembled members of the St. Louis Alumni Association hereby extend a vote of enthusiastic and wholehearted appreciation to Mary Houk for her splendid address in the form of a Message from Old Missouri, affording a thoroughly enjoyable evening."

This resolution, by Gertrude Blodgett, '16—sister to Gene Blodgett, first Missouri Rhodes Scholar—so aptly expressing the inspired sentiments of every loyal Missourian present, brought to a close one of the finest and most worthwhile reunions of Old Missouri's sons and daughters.

And who is Mary Houk? A diminutive, yet determined young person with a warm, genuine regard, altogether pleasant to look upon and just about the finest, most capable type of modern day womanhood Old Missouri can boast of. She is a spell-binder, this young lady, playing on the moods and plucking at the heart strings of the human instrument in the manner of a finished artist. Mary Houk is destined to be a leader.

In addition to this splendid message from the Athens of Old Missouri the meeting dealt with a number of current issues. President Nelson an-

nounced that our fellow citizen, Dr. Harvey Shackelford, is alumni member of the recently enlarged Athletic Committee of the University.

Founder's Day of the University, an occasion of national importance wherever the Old Guard may be found, will be observed on Thursday, April 19, by the St. Louis Alumni en masse, in a manner befitting this momentous event. The Founder's Day Committee consists of Wm. Jones, '95, Frank Wiley, '09, George Willson, '14, and Alex Hope, '20.

There is an extensive movement afoot among the thousand or more St. Louis alumni to make the Tiger-Washington football classic an annual St. Louis affair. This idea carries great momentum both from a financial standpoint and the advertising value given the State University in Missouri's chief metropolitan center. A good, sound drubbing administered the Pikers in St. Louis each fall will do more toward spreading the fame of Alma Mater in these parts than any other one thing.

A renewed effort is being made by the local alumni association to cooperate and join forces with the Federated Association of Universities, whose purpose is to bring the lads of St. Louis in closer touch with the college education idea, especially those chaps who have the ambition but are handicapped through lack of means.

Harvey Shackelford reported on the revised status of the football coaching system at the University, which should give splendid results.

A motion receiving unanimous endorsement was one calling for a committee appointed by the chair to convey a resolution expressing the keen appreciation of the St. Louis Alumni of the splendid spirit, the great value, and the far-reaching significance in the magnificent gift of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate to the University, to be known as the Lee Tate Memorial Law Building, for the education of Missouri's oncoming generations. They generously increased the original amount of the gift from \$50,000 to \$75,000, to which will be added a like amount approximated by our farsighted Legislature.

Our wealthy citizens of Missouri would do well to follow the example of Mr. and Mrs. Tate by bequeathing a benefiting portion of their worldly means to the youth of Missouri who gather at the fount of learning of our great Commonwealth to make of themselves better, broader and more useful citizens.

Philadelphia Association Organizes.

Another link in the alumni chain was added last month when the Philadelphia Association of University Alumni was organized on March 22.

The Missourians had attempted to arrange a meeting several times before but the date had to be postponed. The association has been formed at last, however, with twelve charter members.

The following officers were elected: President, Eldred V. Thiehoff; vice-president, J. Gentry Daggy; secretary-treasurer, Bernice Thomure. Miss Thomure was also selected alumni correspondent.

The only two alumni present who have not been graduated within the last two or three years were J. Gentry Daggy and Frank A. Lombard, but they promise to be helpful to the organization and were enthusiastic about making it a success.

Daggy was appointed head of the entertainment committee and Lombard head of the membership committee.

The first meeting was purely a business one and after the adopting of a Constitution, the fixing of the membership dues and a discussion of further business and social meetings, it was adjourned.

The regular meetings will be monthly and held the fourth Thursday in each month. The association is to have an Alumnus too—the subscription to be taken from the funds of the organization.

Cleveland Association.

Miss Belle Hope Robinson, B. S. in Ed. '20, Secretary-Treasurer of the Cleveland Alumni Association, writes as follows regarding their organization meeting on April 4, at the Cleveland Athletic Club.

"Thirteen loyal sons and daughters of Old Mizzou were present. We thought that a very fine representation as it was a rainy old day, and also as this is the midst of Easter vacation and a number who are engaged in school work were out of the city.

"Those who were present: Julius Colonius, H. A. Fountain, Mrs. J. B. Hanson, Grover C. Hossford, Gretchen Jennings, Albert M. Jones, M. D., Otille J. Kahn, I. O. Kennedy, Lillian E. Miller, George E. Miller, Belle Hope Robinson, Chauncey M. Saville, Vestal C. Wright.

"Much interest and enthusiasm for the organization was expressed, and many reminiscences of 'Those good old days' were soon floating about.

The annual clashes of the engineers and lawyers came in for their share of discussion, but as there were four engineers to one lawyer present, victory conceded to engineers due to greater numbers.

"Grover C. Hossford, '08, was elected President; I. O. Kennedy '07, Vice-President; and Belle Hope Robinson '20, Secretary-Treasurer. A committee was appointed to draw some by-laws and arrange time and place for next meeting. The time has been approximately set for May 2. Mr. Geo. E. Miller gave a report on the all-college dinner which will be held April 12, in connection with the convention of Alumni Secretaries.

"We want one of the new University song books as soon as it is off the press and a lot of the small pep books containing songs and yells for our May meeting. We will be guests of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Hanson for our June meeting at their cottage, 'It Suits Us', on the shores of Lake Erie.

"Miss Robinson has been unusually active in organizing the Cleveland Alumni Association and the cooperation she is giving this office is most helpful."

Carroll County Is Active.

Charles E. Brown, B. S. in Ag., County Extension Agent of Carroll County, headquarters at Carrollton, secretary of the Carroll County Alumni Association, writes that the organization will give a banquet in a few weeks for the seniors of the high schools of Carroll County to interest them in going to some university or college after graduation from their high schools. Carroll County alumni have been unusually active in everything that has to do with the welfare of the University.

Now a Missourian.

"The Missouri Press Association is behind a movement to sell Missouri to the nation," notes Editor Felgate, A. B., B. J. '12, in the Higginville (Mo.) Jeffersonian. "Good idea. If you can sell it to every one of the three million inhabitants first, the rest is easy. And, talking about the greatness of the state, it was the State University that brought the writer here. He bought a ticket in Shanghai, China, for Columbia, Mo., which was going some. The darn thing was as long as a roll of adding machine paper and took half a day to unwind. And now we expect to live and die in Missouri and go to a heaven prepared for Missourians afterward."—The Kansas City Times.

The University Forty-five Years Ago

Notice has just been received of the death of John William Wade, Ps. B., Ph. B. '79, C. E. '85, on October 30, 1923. Mr. Wade was living at 700 Cole Ave., Helena, Montana. He was married March 24, 1886, to Miss Claudia Hilman. He is survived by his wife, two sons and two daughters.

Mr. Wade had been City Engineer of Helena, superintendent of roads of Lewis and Clark County, Montana, and Chairman of the Carey Land (State) Board, also State Engineer of Montana. Mr. Wade worked his way through the University of Missouri, and is remembered by many faculty members as being an industrious student, working under many handicaps but always optimistic. One of his best friends was Professor Hoffman, to whom Mr. Wade refers as "Bennie".

A few months before his death Mr. Wade, when asked for reminiscences of his school days at the University, contributed the accompanying story.

Dr. Daniel Read was President; E. L. Ripley, A. M., was president of the Normal Department; Joseph Ficklin, Ph. D., Professor of Mathematics, and Astronomy; Edward Twining, A. M. Chair of Latin with Prof. Pratt as his assistant; J. M. Leonard, Ph. D., Chair of Greek and Comparative Philology; Alexander Meyrowitz of Hebrew and Semetic Languages; Gen. Bingham, of Art; G. C. Swallow, A. M. Natural History with Prof Tracy as his assistant; S. S. Hemill, A. M., of Elocution and Rhetoric; Joseph G. Norwood, A. M., M. D., of Physics; and Dr. Paul Schweitzer, of Chemistry; Judge Philimon Bliss, Head of the Law department; Drs. A. W. McCalister and Woodson Moss of the Medical Department. This is the faculty of that "elder day" or such portion of it as comes now to my mind. It seems "cruelty to animals" to demand of a student of that day "Some Recollections" after listing these sacred names—of Dr. Read, big of soul, as of body; Prof. E. L. Ripley, with almost as big a body and an even bigger soul. Fortunate the boy who could win the love of this wonderful man.

Parentetically, this scribe would say that after one semester in this great school he found further attendance out of his reach—lack of funds; in fact no money at all. I had said "Good bye" to a number of teachers, the last of whom was Prof. Cauthorn who asked, "Have you told Prof. Rip-

By JOHN W. WADE, Ps. B., Ph. B. '79, C. E. '85.

ley?" No, for I was afraid even to speak to him—and surely I would never have told him my plans to go out, make a few dollars, then to return and try it again. But Prof. Cauthorn would not be balked in his purpose to acquaint Ripley of my intentions.

"What are you going away for?" this almost fiercely from Prof. Ripley. I told him of the necessity.

"Well," said he, almost as savagely, "I have been in this institution now over



John W. Wade.

twelve years and I was as long at Ann Harbor; both here and there I have heard a number of young men, leaving, declare their intentions to do just as you propose for yourself and never yet has one of them returned. You are not going; Come to my office tomorrow morning at eight o'clock."

The records will show that I stayed four and one-half years and took three Diplomas, all because of the help and encouragement given me at this time by this noble man. Is it any wonder that after a lapse of nearly half a century there still hangs in my living room a fine, large picture of E. L. Ripley? Or that one of my boys bears the name of Ripley Wade? Dr. Read was himself a help and inspiration to "struggling" students and many a one looks back, as does the writer after many years, and with deepest gratitude to God that Dr. Read ever crossed his path.

Because of failing health the good Doctor resigned in the summer (I think it was) of 1876 and was succeeded by Dr. Samuel Spahr Laws, D. D.,

A. M., M. D., LL. D., the greatest man, taken all around, this writer ever knew intimately. I had the honor of being several times a guest in his Washington home and of corresponding with him for a number of years just previous to his death, which was at the advanced age of ninety-seven years.

Time and place will fail me to more than merely mention other instructors who came to the University later within the time of my stay in the institution: Dr. M. M. Fisher, who took the chair of Latin, coming with Dr. Laws from Westminster at Fulton—a finished scholar and a perfect gentleman. David R. McNally, A. M., to the chair of English Language and Literature, which he adorned for many years with great industry, a brilliant mind and marked ability. Thomas J. Lowry, who inaugurated the department of Civil Engineering, and Miss Grace C. Bibb who, by consummate skill and great organizing ability, gave the chair of Pedagogy (then known as pedagogics) an important place in the Institution.

My Academic Classmates were: Walker Cowherd, Richard Gentry, Gordon Garnett, Reuben Garnett, John W. Wade, Lee Hayes, Sam W. Simcoe, Theo. Montgomery, Alice Banks, John W. Leonard, Fannie Field. M. Ella Child, Laura Johnson, Ida Hayes, W. W. Noffsinger, Ed. J. Thomas, Joe Tapley, Ed. Crumbaugh.

In the early fall of 1874 during the hours of a moonless night the family horse of President Read, a brilliant bay, was blacked "ear to tail" and the next morning, the Doctor, seeing his own horse was gone and another in the lot drove off the intruder and sent his servant to look up the bay. The day was pretty well spent before he realized that the black, which persistently hung around, was his "nag".

One beautiful morning in the spring of 1877 the Senior class, with the thought of being "real foxy" did an assinnical thing: Dr. Laws was a bit late from Chapel. The class had assembled and though a small burro had been tied in the president's chair, there was the utmost decorum—no noise—no indication as the Doctor entered the door, that any thing unusual was on the tapis. Dr. Laws passed the threshold but a step or two and not disclosing least sign that he had seen the animal, stopped short and slapped his hand on his pocket as if he had lost

something or left something in the Chapel. He turned to the door, inserted the key, then turned and thus addressed the class:

"Gentlemen, you may easily dispense with my services, this morning; I see you have an instructor; I hope you will profit by this hour's lesson," and he closed and bolted the door. The boys had to stay there for the hour.

On April 1st of this same year another fool stunt was pulled off. The thing was conceived by Ed Crumbaugh, but for reasons best known to Ed, he did not choose to really appear in the fore front at all. The plan was to have the entire student body dash off from the steps in front of the "six pillars", sixty or even one hundred abreast.

As said above Ed couldn't do it himself so he delegated the "minutia of the particulars" to two other fellows not very bright or they wouldn't have bitten so easily: John W. Wade and Tom Whitworth, the captains (?) of the day.

"Nucky" Gentry (Now Dr. E. N. Gentry, of Sturgeon) was flagman. The captains stopped the mob at the iron steps on the North border of the Campus and put the boys in line of march headed by the flagman, two and two, four feet apart and in this way the student body (minus the girls) one mile long marched through the principal streets, visited the two female colleges and upset all decorum there for the day. It goes without saying that long before the day was done at least two boys were heartily ashamed of the "hull thing". Major Rollins commenting on the excess of follow which finally resulted said to Jim Ripley in my hearing:

"It is the usual custom on this day that people make fools of others but these students have made fools of themselves."

On March 29 and 30, the lawyers and the engineers put on their annual scrap for the supremacy of the campus. The engineers undertook the task of keeping all students off of the grass. It seems that two lawyers violated the traditional rules and a two days' fight was staged as a result. It was one similar to the engineer-lawyer fights of years ago and a little bit worse. The lawyers turned the water on the engineers only to have the engineers gain control of the hose and turn the water back on the lawyers. In addition to the general free-for-all, there were many individual bouts which will make most interesting reading ten years from now.

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI
COMMENCEMENT ACTIVITIES

APRIL 22 TO APRIL 25

EIGHTY-FIRST COMMENCEMENT

Sunday, April 22.

11:00 a. m. The Baccalaureate Address by Herbert Lockwood Willet, Ph. D., Professor of the Old Testament and Literature, the University of Chicago. (The University Auditorium.)

Tuesday, April 24.

10:00 a. m. Class Day Exercises of the Graduating Class. (At the Columns.)

11:00 a. m. Planting of the Tree by the Graduating Class. (East Campus, Horticulture Building.)

1:00 p. m. Luncheon of Phi Beta Kappa and Sigma Xi Societies. (Daniel Boone Tavern.)

2:30 p. m. The Annual Business Meeting of the Alumni Association. (Room 105, Commerce Building.)

3:00 to 7:00 p. m. President and Mrs. Jones will hold Open House.

Wednesday, April 25.

9:30 a. m. The Academic Procession. (Formation in Jesse Hall.)

10:00 a. m. The Commencement Exercises: Announcement of Prizes and Honors; Conferring of Degrees; Commencement Address by Victor Clarence Vaughan, LL. D. Title of Commencement Address: "The Purpose and Functions of the State University." (The University Auditorium.)

12:30 p. m. The Commencement Luncheon in honor of Alumni and Guests of the University. (Daniel Boone Tavern.)

EIGHTY-FIRST COMMENCEMENT

UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI

WEDNESDAY APRIL 25TH

There are 735 candidates for degrees and 214 candidates for certificates (in Medicine and Education) making a total of 949 for 1923. Note that these are candidates. Some more may be added on the final list; some may be taken off the list. This is, however, the latest information available. Note that the word 'candidate' is used.

Statistics of past commencement of degrees and certificates actually given;

Year	Degrees conferred	Certificates awarded	Total
1913	428	152	580
1917	579	248	827
1918	423	150	573
1922	646	169	815

Candidates 1923	Candidates 735	Candidates 214	Candidates 949
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Statistics by school: 1923 Candidates: For Degrees.

Agriculture	86
Arts	173
Business and Public Administration	53
Education	167
Engineering	61
Graduate School	82
Journalism	90
Law	23
Total	735
Two-Year Certificates in Medicine	29
Two-Year Certificates to Teach	42
Life Certificates to Teach	143

Candidates: For Certificates, 1923

Total 214

Perhaps an '04 Engineer's Reunion.

J. L. Hamilton, C. C. Robinson, E. C. Constance, and J. L. Woodress, all Engineers with the class of '04, have started the ball rolling for class reunions at commencement time in 1924. When they left school it was their intention to hold the reunion every 10 years but they have been unable to do so. They are positive, however, that they can get the '04 Engineers to have reunions every 20 years and have already gone to work in that attempt.

Following is a list of the names of some engineers of the class of '04, whose addresses have not been recorded in the office of the Alumni Recorder. If you know where the men named are, please write the Alumni Recorder by return mail: Albert Fenton Barnes, Edward Riesbal, Erwin Mortimer Tomlinson, Isaac Fletcher Harrison.

Oldest Alumnus Enjoys the Alumnus.

Lewis Bissell Dougherty, B. S. in Ed. '47, and the oldest living alumnus of the University, was 94 years old on December 7, 1922. He was born at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, in 1828 and is said to be the first white child of record born in the State of Kansas. Mr. Dougherty has been treasurer of Clay County and mayor of Liberty, Mo., where he now lives. During the Civil War he was a captain in the Confederate Army.

He is in fair health now but does not attempt to leave home as his sight and hearing are much impaired. He enjoys having the ALUMNUS and Alumni News letter read to him. His father, John D. Dougherty, was Indian Agent for the Government with headquarters at Fort Leavenworth when Lewis B. was born.

MISSOURI GEOLOGIST

Henry S. McQueen and Virgil Cole will receive the degree of Master of Arts this April. Cole did the field work for his dissertation last summer in New Mexico and Arizona. The title of his thesis is "The Relations between the Paleozoic and Mesozoic of New Mexico and Arizona". McQueen did his experimental work during the fall and winter terms at the University. His subject was "Determining the rate of movement of oil through various sands". Both have been elected to associate membership in Sigma Xi.

A letter from Gilbert Moore tells of his work in the Gomodoro Rivadavia Oil Field in Argentina. S. A. Moore says that he was surprised to find such a large number of alumni of the University of Missouri in South America. He is looking forward to meeting some of them during the winter season, which he expects to spend in Buenos Aires.

The Chamberlain Geology Club had its last meeting of the school year on March 27th. At that meeting Mr. Mueller, a member of the staff of lecturers of the Union Pacific Railroad, gave an illustrated talk about the Yellowstone National Park. The Union Pacific has recently taken a motion picture which shows the geysers, the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone, and most of the other interesting features seen in a complete trip through the Park.

Prof. R. B. Rutledge will leave at the close of the present semester for Lawrence County, Missouri, where he will again take up the task of working out the geology of that county for the State Bureau of Geology and Mines. The results of his work will be used in partial fulfillment of the requirements for the Ph. D. degree.

Marion R. Mann is with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in St. Louis, Missouri. Mann finished his work for the A. B. degree at the close of the fall semester. He will return to Columbia to take his degree this April.

Prof. W. A. Tarr will spend the first part of the summer at various places of geologic interest. He will spend some time in the Lake Superior region and later will visit Mammoth Cave in Kentucky and other points of interest. Prof. Tarr will also do some special work for the Missouri Bureau of Geology and Mines during the summer.

The spring field party from the Department of Geology will be under the direction of Prof. Mehl. The camp will be located about 40 miles north of St. Louis along the Mississippi Bluffs. Members of the party will work along the Cap au Gris fault. The work will consist of the mapping of formations and structures, description of formations, and the collecting of fossils. Some topographic work will also be done. The trip has been limited to 12 men.

Roy H. Hall spent a few days in Columbia during the latter part of March. He was en

route from Ponca City, Oklahoma, to Great Falls, Montana, where he will do geological work for the Gypsy Oil Company.

John Quincy Adams, who has majored in Geography, will take his degree this month. Adams will be employed during the summer by his father, J. W. Adams, who is a produce broker in Kansas City, and will return next fall to take work on his Master's degree in Geography. He is considering the "Economic Geography of the Kansas City Commission Business" as a thesis topic.

Anthony Buford will be a member of the spring field trip in Geography to be conducted by Prof. E. T. Bratton. The party will investigate the geography of the Southeastern Missouri Lowlands and the St. Francois River Basin. Buford will complete the work for his degree in August. After graduation he will enter the firm of the Paul Hunt Pork Products Company of Jefferson City, Mo. Warwick Benedict will receive his degree

this month. He has majored in geography and geology. Benedict has accepted a position with the Rankin Benedict Underwriting Company of Kansas City, Missouri, attorney-in-fact for the Manufacturing Lumberman's Underwriters, Kansas City.

The members of the summer field party will leave Columbia about June 20th. This trip will be directed by Prof. Branson and will probably be to Wyoming.

J. S. Williams will spend the summer in the employ of the Missouri Bureau of Geology and Mines. He will be engaged in working out the Mississippian of Northeastern Missouri. The results of his investigations will furnish material for his Ph. D. thesis.

No courses in geology will be offered at Columbia during the spring and summer terms. Geography courses will be given by Prof. Strong during the spring term and by Prof. Cowan, of Northeast High School of Kansas City, during the summer term.



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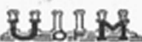
Lower left to right: Edwin Wilhite Patterson, A. B. '09, LL. B. '11, Professor of Law, Kent Hall, Columbia University, New York City, now president of the New York Alumni Association; Russell M. Bandy, Jr., B. J. '15, Assistant Eastern Manager, Merchants Trade Journal, Inc., Flatiron Bldg., New York City, now secretary of the New York Association. Top row: Henry H. Kinyon, A. B. '12, B. S. in J. '12, journalist; Earle Pearson, former student '10 and '11, journalist, 110 West 40th St., New York; Oscar E. Riley, B. J. '11, A. B. '12, Japanese Consulate General, 165 Broadway, New York City, and former president of the New York Association.

Homer Croy, who was supposed to have been in this group, was unable to be there but wrote as follows:

"I simply haven't got enough interest in that picture to go in and have it taken. The rest of you fellows go along and let the world gaze in admiration on the classic outlines of your faces. Yours for Mah Yongg and Immorality.—Homer Croy."

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An Appeal.

In the October number of the Missouri ALUMNUS, I read with interest Prof. Almstedt's plea for an Organ for the University of Missouri. As a fundamental and essential inspiration to every individual in the world I believe that it is highly important that our highest institutions of learning and culture—American Universities—should foster and encourage this art and practice, on an equal basis with all other education. Song and music are the God given expression of happiness and contentment in life and that is the ultimate aim of our whole life purpose.

It is appalling that the State University of Missouri does not own either an upright or grand piano for public exercises. It does own an inferior miniature grand piano for class room study in appreciation of music. Nor does it support an organ—that most powerful of instruments which can produce almost as much sentiment and spiritual inspiration as the human voice. But to accomplish this, such an organ must be of the best. As orators have greater power by reason of an extended vocabulary, so an organ reaches the soul of a man through its volume, its variety of tone, and its perfection of composition. How can we feed the souls of four thousand young men and women for the next fifty years, better than by inspiring

them with this type of music and by building up within them an appreciation of this greatest of human appeals—music.

Let us then carry in mind an ideal when we are seeking an organ. With this in view, I suggest not a melodian, or house organ, but a type worthy of the State of Missouri and her attitude that "the best is none too good for Missouri" when she finds out what is the best.—H. F. Major, Assistant Professor of Horticulture, University of Missouri.

The Glee Club Tour of 1923.

This year's Glee Club concerts were classed with Harvard and the Ukrainian Chorus. That's going some. The home concert on Wednesday, March 28, was given by all the forty men, assisted by the Chamber Music Club of the University: Mr. Scherr, flute; Mr. Compton, cornet; Mr. Kovitz, violin; Mr. Merritt, piano.

On the trip 20 men formed the chorus under Dr. Herman Almstedt's direction. In almost every instance these eight concerts were reviewed by men of high musical discernment and discrimination. The result is one of great appraisal and consequently of fine advertising for our University. It is becoming clearer every day that there is only one way to represent the University and that is by giving the best in a worthy manner. This year's slogan "to sing good music well" carried overwhelmingly with the boys and with those who heard them.

The itinerary was the following: April 2, Marshall; April 3, Lexington; April 4, St. Joseph; April 5, Rock Port; April 6, Carthage; April 7, Neosho; April 9, Boonville.

The Club traveled in a tourist Pullman. The alumni in every place did handsome entertaining. Shook and Springgate at Marshall, Ed Beaseley at St. Joseph, John Stapel and Hanley at Rock Port, Asendorf in Carthage, and Wormington and Prettyman at Neosho. This alumni response made the hearts of the boys glad and made them feel that the University of Missouri is remembered. Everywhere the Club was referred to as a group of fine, young men.

No finer representation can be given the University than was given this year, both in the program rendered and the splendid gentlemanly bearing of the singers themselves.

But—the Glee Club needs more support than it is getting. Get behind it—alumni friends.

Confidence in Governor Hyde.

President J. C. Jones and acting-president Dean Isidor Loeb recently conferred with Governor Hyde of Jefferson City in regard to the appropriations made by the last Legislature for the University. From newspaper reports it would seem that the state revenue would not be sufficient to meet the appropriation needs. However, President Jones states that Governor Hyde's policy will be to hold up some of the appropriations until the revenue increases rather than to cut out any of the items in the appropriation bill.

"I feel that we can safely leave our case in the hands of Governor Hyde," said President Jones, "and I know that he will look very carefully after the interest of all the educational institutions.

"The University has no better friend in the state than Governor Hyde and in holding up any items in our appropriation he will see that those items are held up which, in the opinion of the Board, can be held up with the least injury to the institution. We can count on his cordial co-operation in our efforts to protect our efforts to protect our maintenance fund, since he is greatly interested in all measures for the advancement of the University and for increasing the service of the institution to the state. I hope that the members of the faculty will be neither alarmed nor discouraged by the various rumors current in the University community and will quietly await the announcement of the Governor's action."

Willett to Give Baccalaureate Sermon.

The baccalaureate sermon for the University commencement will be given Sunday, April 22, by Herbert Lockwood Willett of Chicago. The commencement address, April 25, will be made by Victor Clarence Vaughan of Washington, D. C.

Mr. Willett is the author of several religious books, a lecturer on Bible topics, and associate editor of the Christian Century. He is a professor of the University of Chicago and Chicago representative on the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America. He is a member of the Delta Tau Delta fraternity.

Dr. Vaughan is a scientist. During the war he was a lieutenant-colonel in charge of the work for the control of communicable diseases. He was also a member of the National Research Council, and was awarded the distinguished service medal. Mrs. Vaughan, formerly Dora C. Taylor, is

a former resident of Huntsville. Dr. Vaughan is now managing editor of the *Journal of Laboratory and Clinical Medicine*, and is author of several scientific books. Dr. Vaughan was one time dean of the department of medicine and Surgery at the University of Michigan.

The annual business meeting of the Alumni Association will be held Tuesday, April 24, 2:30 p. m. in Room 105, Commerce Building. At this time the officers of the Alumni Association will be elected, there will be a report by the treasurer, suggestions for the alumni program for the coming year will be given, and the election of the four alumni members to the committee on intercollegiate athletics will be held. One member is to be chosen from Kansas City, one from St. Louis and the other two at large.

Visiting alumni are requested to report to the office of the Alumni Recorder, 114 Jesse Hall, upon arrival in Columbia, and are expected to be in the line of march with the members of the faculty and the senior class for Commencement exercises the morning of April 25. They are asked to assemble in the Alumni Recorder's office at 9:30 a. m.

Course for Athletic Coaches.

For the first time the University will retain the regular coaching staff to give instruction in all major sports during the first half of the summer session. These athletic coaching courses will begin on the 18th of June and run four weeks, closing on the 15th of July. The program will be under the direct supervision of Z. G. Clevenger, Director of Athletics.

The work will be designed to meet the needs of those who are coaching in high schools, preparatory schools, or colleges. Many teachers are called upon to coach some branch of athletics that they have never had any training in, and many coaches are asked to handle sports other than those in which they have been trained. These courses will give such persons an excellent opportunity to secure under expert instruction the best methods of coaching.

The work will be open to any one in the summer school. All, or any one of the courses may be taken. One desiring to specialize in athletics may take advantage of all the courses, while others may take regular summer school work and also secure instruction in certain specific sports.

Special bulletins have been prepared and sent to all the principals of the high schools, all the physical directors,

and all the vocational teachers, in Missouri and adjoining states. It is felt that these courses will fill a long felt need, as there are always many teachers who desire to have such special instruction during the summer session of the University.

Henry Garrity, football and baseball coach, with director Z. G. Clevenger, will give the work in football and baseball. These men have had wide experience and work will be thorough and instructive. All the fundamentals of football, the details of how to develop a team throughout the season, with the most accepted systems of offense and defense, will be fully covered. The playing of each position will be taught, as well as team play, and the strategy of the game. In baseball, fielding, batting, sliding, base running, pitching, in fact all phases of the game will be carefully studied.

George Bond, Jr., basketball coach and former Missouri captain and star, will give the best approved methods of developing the fundamentals and team play in this great major indoor sport. Missouri basketball has come to be known as an outstanding system of play, the success of the Tigers being the feature of the Valley, so this course will be desired by all.

Bob Simpson, the great Missouri track star, will give the work in track and field athletics. He will take up each separate event and explain fully how to train and develop men in them. His experience has been great and he has a splendid storehouse of knowledge in track work. His courses will be of great benefit to all who take advantage of them.

Dr. M. P. Lawler, who has trained most successfully the Tiger football teams for the past three seasons, will give a course in bandaging, massaging, treatment of injuries, how to care for injured muscles and, in general, all the inside knowledge that a man handling teams should have concerning his men and how to keep them in the best of physical condition. He has had fifteen years' experience in the big leagues of baseball as trainer, in addition to his years with the University of Missouri. He is a most thorough trainer and his courses will be of inestimable value to all coaches.

In all the courses the work will be both theoretical and practical. In addition to the lectures and class room work there will be regular demonstrations of all features.

With this staff of instructors, and the character of the work offered, Missouri will have an exceptionally strong

course for coaches. It will appeal strongly to all throughout the state and will prove another splendid asset to the University curriculum.

Resolutions of Commendation.

At a meeting of the Henry County, Mo., Alumni Association, held at the Y. M. C. A., Monday evening, March 26, among other proceedings, the following resolutions were unanimously passed:

"Whereas, it has come to the knowledge of this body that our representative in the General Assembly, Hon. A. J. Van Cleave, has given \$10,000 to the Armory building at Columbia;

"Be it Resolved: That the Henry County Alumni Association express to Mr. Van Cleave a most hearty appreciation of his magnanimous gift to the University, and commend his action to other wealthy citizens of this state for their emulation.

"Resolved: That no more splendid and lasting monument can be built than a memorial at the State University, and in acknowledgment of this gift from Mr. Van Cleave, we suggest that the armory be named in his honor."

Two other resolutions were adopted as follows:

"Resolved: That it is with great pleasure that we learn of the gift of \$50,000 by Mr. J. K. Gwynn to the Missouri University as a memorial to Mrs. Gwynn. Our gratification in contemplation of this gift is heightened by the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Gwynn formerly lived in Clinton.

"Resolved: That the alumni of the University of Missouri in Henry County are deeply grateful to Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Tate of St. Louis for their gracious gift of \$50,000 to the University to be used in erecting a new law building as a memorial to their son, Lee Tate, whom we all loved and admired."

It was directed that these resolutions be sent to the donors, and the press for publication, and made part of the permanent record of this alumni association.—Ray Goodwin, President; Robin Hill, Secretary.

The 23rd Annual Military Ball was given March 23rd in the Rothwell Gymnasium. The building was decorated to resemble a Military Stockade. Miss Elwyn Bridgens was elected honorary colonel of the University R. O. T. C. The Military Ball is a permanent feature of the University social activity program and those in charge of it this year deserve a lot of credit.

News From the Law School

The New Law "Barn".

A new law building at the University of Missouri soon may be an existing reality. The money for its erection is now provided subject to the approval of the Governor. With the selection of the site and completion of the plans work will start on the \$150,000 structure,—a memorial to one of graduates of the Law School; and a monument to legal education in Missouri.

The building will stand as a memorial to Lee H. Tate, who was killed in an automobile accident in St. Louis in 1921. Tate entered the University in 1907 and in 1913 was graduated with two degrees, A. B. and LL. B. While in school he was active in student affairs, and quickly won the friendship of his class mates and was accorded many honors. He was president of the Student Senate, president of the Phi Delta Phi, legal fraternity, president of the St. Louis Scholars Club, and was head of his own fraternity, Beta Theta Phi. The instructors in the School of Law were enthusiastic over his scholarly and manly characteristics.

After his graduation Tate engaged in business with his father in St. Louis. Alumni will remember his untimely death a year and a half ago. To avoid hitting a woman driving a car he deliberately piloted his machine into a street car. In the collision he received injuries which brought on his death.

Shortly afterward his father, Frank R. Tate, announced that he would give \$50,000 towards a new law building at the University of Missouri. At that time it was hoped that \$100,000 might be secured from the state and a structure costing \$150,000 erected. Later, when it was felt that the \$100,000 appropriation might not be forthcoming, Mr. Tate generously increased his gift from \$50,000 to \$75,000 in order that the Legislature would appropriate a like sum.

From the time Mr. Tate increased his gift it was consistently felt the Legislature would match dollar for dollar. This the Legislature did when it passed the the University appropriation.

The students, faculty, and alumni will undoubtedly want the law buildings erected on the old campus,—or the "red campus" as it is known. Dean McBaine will urge that it be so located. It properly should remain on the old campus for it will be more convenient to the students who have arts

Introducing the Law School Faculty.

(Each issue for the next several months will have an article about one of the members of the law faculty.)

DEAN J. P. McBAINE

Dean James Patterson McBaine hardly needs an introduction to the University of Missouri alumni. Although he has held the position of Dean for only four years, he is nevertheless well known in alumni circles.

From 1898 to 1902, he attended the



J. P. McBaine
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University of Missouri, graduating with an LL. B. degree. Later he studied at Columbia University where he received an LL. B. in 1904. For several years he practiced in St. Louis with the firm of McKeighan & Watts. In 1909 he came to practice law in Columbia. He has been associated with the law school as a member of the faculty since 1910. Several summers he has taught at other universities, namely: Columbia University, Chicago University, and the University of Wisconsin.

and science courses. It would seem out of place among the buildings on the Agricultural Campus. Then, too, there is a very practical reason why it should not be built on the Ag campus. If it is put there it will probably have to be built of stone. This would make the building cost a great deal more than if it were built of brick with stone trimmings. Consequently the building would have to be made much smaller.

Dean McBaine already has secured plans of other schools. The best features will be taken from these and incorporated in the Missouri Law School Building. One of the better designed law buildings that is now nearing completion is at the Univer-

sity of West Virginia, costing \$100,000. Before planning it, the Dean of that school, with the architect, personally visited a large number of law schools. Profiting by the mistakes of some and using the other's good points, they drew up plans for a law building which is virtually a model building. Dean McBaine is impressed with the West Virginia building and it is possible that the plan of that building may be followed here with modifications.

Lawyers and Engineers Battle.

For several years the feeling of rivalry between the Lawyers and the Engineers has been smouldering. Only a minor clash now and then has stirred up the flame. An outlet was needed for this increasing feeling and it came. On Thursday and Friday, March 29 and 30, it broke forth in the shape of a real battle between the Lawyers and the Engineers. For two days the air was full of hostile threats and clashes. Old timers who witnessed the encounters say the earlier fights were no more fiercely fought than was the one of this year.

The immediate cause of the fight was the Lawyers' refusal to bow to the dictates of the Engineers in the guardianship of the west Campus. The Lawyers have always disputed the Engineers' right to act as caretakers of the Campus, and Thursday when they openly contested that right, the Engineers came over to the Law Building and a fight ensued. They again clashed on Friday.

The matter of the guardianship of the west Campus was taken up by the University authorities and it is still pending a settlement.

Lawyers Active This Year.

Students in the School of Law have been active in Campus affairs during the past year. For the first time in years both of the candidates for Student President were from the School of Law. Lawrence W. DeMuth won over his class mate, Richmond C. Coburn, in the election held March 10. DeMuth has an A. B. degree and an A. M. degree and next year will complete his work for an LL. B. He is a member of Phi Delta Phi, law fraternity. His home is in Mexico, Mo.

The majority of the members of the debating squad were members of the law school.



Announcement has been received of the marriage of Miss Edith Ann Suddath to Albert C. Nute which took place at the home of Dr. A. A. Wallace in Mexico March 30.

Mrs. Nute is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Suddath, of Clayton, Mo., and is a former student in the University. Mr. Nute is a senior in the School of Journalism and will receive his degree in August. Mr. and Mrs. Nute will attend the University during the spring and summer term.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Van Millett, of Kansas City, announce the marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to G. Wilse Robinson, which took place on March 17 in Kansas City.

Mrs. Robinson formerly attended the University and is a member of the Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. Mr. Robinson is a student in the University and a member of the Phi Kappa Psi fraternity.

Miss Fredericka Priesmeyer, of Moberly, and John W. Cook, of Kansas City, were married in Moberly on April 4.

Miss Priesmeyer was a student in the University last year. She is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma. Mr. Cook attended the University of Kansas. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. The couple will reside in Kansas City.

The marriage of Miss Catherine Varner, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Varner of Union Star, to Ross A. Ott, took place April 3, in St. Joseph.

Mrs. Ott is a former student in the University. She is a member of Chi Omega and Phi Beta Kappa fraternity. Mr. Ott is a former student in Westminster College.

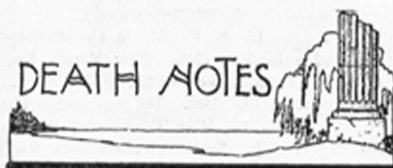


Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Burden are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter on February 23, 1923, whom they have named Jean Elizabeth. Both Mr. and Mrs. Burden are graduates of the University. During his four years at Columbia, Mr. Burden was engaged in various activities, being especially interested in military. He rose to the rank of Cadet Colonel and was a charter member of Scabbard and Blade. He was also Editor of the Shamrock, President of the Engineering Society and a member of Q. E. B. H. Burden's war record includes 21 months of active service. During which time he took part in five major engagements. He was a Major in the 12th Engineers. After being discharged from the army he returned to St. Louis and became General Superintendent of Construction, Department of the President, City

of St. Louis. Recently Mr. Burden has become associated with the Standard Pairing Co., of Tulsa, Okla., and is in charge of their work on the Tulsa-Spaignaw Water Project.

Mrs. Burden is in St. Louis at present. She was Ethel Denny, a member of Alpha Phi, and recently president of the Missouri Alumnae in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh S. Finlayson announce the birth of a son, Hugh Stewart Finlayson, weight 7½ lbs., on February 4, 1923, at their home 716 Noble Ave., Akron, Ohio. His father, Hugh S., writes that the boy's lungs are O K and that he will probably try out for the Glee Club twenty years hence. Mr. Finlayson received the degree of B. S. in C. E. in 1913, and was a member of Tau Beta Pi, Q. E. B. H. and of the Glee and Mandolin Clubs. He is now a civil engineer with B. F. Goodrich Company. He was married February 19, 1916 to Miss Hilde Garde Waugh of St. Louis, who was graduated from the University in 1913. They have one daughter, Jean.



Miss Rose Eleanor Lane, who was graduated from Columbia High School in 1916 and attended the University in 1917, died in Fulton March 27. She had been ill with pneumonia for ten days.

Miss Lane was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McClellan Lane, who lived in Columbia until the time of their deaths. She was born April 19, 1896, at Lane, Ill., and moved with the family to Columbia in 1912.

Dr. Edwin R. Meng, 74 years old, of 6136 Pershing Ave., St. Louis, died at his residence following an illness of several weeks. Death was caused from a cerebral hemorrhage according to physicians in attendance.

He came to St. Louis from Callaway County about 40 years ago and was one of the oldest active physicians in the city. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Alice W. Meng.

Dr. Meng was graduated from the Missouri Medical School and was an honorary member of both the St. Louis Medical Society and the Missouri State Medical Society. He was the son of the late Dr. Samuel T. Meng, former prominent physician.

W. M. Godwin, Pe. P. '84, Clinton, Missouri, has just notified the ALUMNUS that Dr. William R. Campbell, aged 44, died at Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore, Md., on March 24, 1923. He was a student in the University from 1900 to 1903. He received his M. D. at Washington University in 1911. The following November he was married to Miss Lavonia Ferguson of Tipton, Missouri, who was a special student in the University from 1908 to 1911.

Dr. Campbell came to Clinton, near the home of his parents, in 1912. He built a fine medical practice. Malignant tumor of the

brain took him out of his profession some months before his death.

His multitude of friends extend sympathy to his widow and little daughters Catherine, Laura Lee, and Priscilla, aged respectively, 10, 6, and 3.



These are children of Frank N. Nash, B. S. in E. E. '06, Carolina Power and Light Co., Corinth, N. C. He writes as follows:

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in Colorado. Now lives in North Carolina and will matriculate at the University about 1931. She holds the record in our county for long distance swimming, high diving, of course, good looks for nine-year-olds and under. Benjamin (Benjy for short) is a 'native-born tar-heel'. Although only five years old and notwithstanding the fact that his Dad had the reputation of asking more questions in class than any other ten boys, Benjy has already asked more questions in the five years of his busy life than his Dad has in his forty-five."

WHAT THE OLD GRAD IS DOING



Mildred Bell Johnston, A. B. and B. S. in Ed. '12, A. M. '14, is film editor, Famous Players-Lasky Studio, Hollywood, Calif. She is a member of Delta Gamma, and Dramatic Club. She was married in June, 1921, to Richard L. Johnston, a Leland Stanford graduate.

Hattie G. Ebert, who was Miss Hattie Greensfider, LL. B. '05, is at home at 7111 Waterman Ave., St. Louis. She was married in 1913 to W. E. Ebert, they have two sons. Mrs. Eberts' father and mother are former students of the University.

Frank Spencer Balthis, B. S. in C. E. '96, is manager of the plant department, Title Guaranty and Trust Co., Los Angeles, Calif., his home address is 819 N. Brand Blvd., Glendale, Cal. He was married January 11, 1897 to Miss Hellen Douglass, of Huntsville, Missouri. They have three sons. The oldest son was in the Rainbow Division and second son in Students Training Corps during the war.

Jacob Nelson Mitchell, B. S. in Ag. '18, is a Grain Sampler with the Federal Grain Supervision, U. S. D. A., 317 Pierce Bldg., St. Louis. Everybody will remember him as "Mich", a big, tall, slender fellow who worked his way through school as an employee of the State Board of Agriculture and with his good nature and broad smile made a host of friends. He was enrolled in the short course in Agriculture, 1909-11, and in the regular course from 1912 to 1918.

Colonel E. M. Stayton, former student in Engineering, 1892-03, on April 6 was appointed by the County Court as on the engineers to make a general survey of the Jackson County roads with a view to laying out a suitable road program. Colonel Stayton was speaker at the convention of Veterans of Foreign Wars in Columbia during the first week in April. His son, who was graduated from the University at the end of the last term, is now employed on the staff of the Kansas City Star.

C. A. Greene, A. B. '00, A. M. '01, superintendent of the Sedalia, Missouri public schools, has been re-elected to that position for the fourth year.

Chas. Rudolph Born, E. E. '11, is in the Farm Light and Power and Battery business at Enid, Oklahoma. He is a member of the Dana Press Club. He was at Fort Leavenworth from July, 1920 to November, 1917, and was overseas until November 11, 1918. He was in the 8th Division, 305 Field Sig. Bat. He was married January 30, 1923, to Miss Carrie Hancock, Muskogee, Okla.

recently bought Bob Hills' Farm on Route 1, Columbia, Missouri. He is living there now with his father and mother. He writes that he is butler for about 100 pigs. Bill is a member of Beta Theta Pi, Block and Bridle Club, Ruf Nex, Kappa Kappa, La Grange, was on the College Farm Staff and was President of the Ag Club. He is a brother of Ben C. Colman, who was graduated from the College of Agriculture and is now with the Illinois Central Railroad, and of Miss Stella Colman. Bill was a second Lieutenant and with the Aerial observers during the World War.

Glorin W. Carr Eckhardt, A. B. '06, B. S. in Ed. and A. M. '11, is living at 870 12th St., Boulder, Colo. She was married in 1918 to C. C. Eckhardt of Boulder. They have one son, George Conrad, born in 1921, and one daughter, Betty Carr, born in 1919. Mrs. Eckhardt writes that Nell Nesbit, B. S. in Ed. '09, A. B. '10, is teaching regularly on the Colorado University summer staff. She is living at Tucson, Arizona during the winter months.

Jhn C. Leggett, A. B. '83, is an attorney-at-law and a banker, Cuba, New York. Leggett was awarded the McNally Medal for ranking first in his class. He was married on June 28, 1885, to Miss Genevieve Parker, Cuba, N. Y. They have two daughters, Ruth and Genevieve. Leggett was a member of

the New York State Constitutional Convention in 1915. He writes as follows:

"I should be delighted to come to the class reunion next year at Commencement time, but a year is for me a long time ahead and I could not even begin to plan for it now. Being so far away I have largely lost touch with, but not interest in the old university and my classmates."

Ralph H. Baxter, B. S. in Eng. '21, is Exchange Engineer, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., St. Louis. He was married on October 12, 1920, to Miss Clara M. Mallen, of Dawn, Mo., Baxter's old home. They have one daughter, Helen Frances, born February 15, 1922.

Miss Captola Neal, B. S. '11, is teacher of foreign languages, Western High School, Birmingham, Alabama. Her home was at Vandalia, Missouri.

Henryetta Bohman, B. S. in Ed. '22, is director of physical education in the Kirkwood, Missouri, High School. Miss Bohman was play ground director at Columbia during 1922 and played on the womens' baseball, volleyball and basket ball teams at the University. She was a graduate of the Principia High School of St. Louis.

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William H. (Bill) Colman, B. S. in Ag. 21,

bia, was taken suddenly ill on April 5. The cause of Mr. Hunt's illness is reported as the rupture of a blood vessel on the brain. His condition is improving.

William E. Blaznay, who was graduated from the short course of Agriculture in December, 1921, is farming and stock raising at Creighton, Missouri. While in school he won third place in stock judging contests, winning the gold medal for judging mules.

Walter Bryon Wilson, A. B. '13, A. M. '14, and Mrs. Wilson, B. S. in Ed. '13, formerly Miss Grace Gordon, of Tulsa, Okla., sent \$2.00 for the camera fund with the following note:

"Attached are two photos of the 'Father of our Our Country' for myself and Mrs. Wilson."

Claude Delmar (Seedy) Donham, A. B. '22, is doing a lot of traveling at this time, but still retains his home at King City, Missouri. He is a member of Alpha Kappa Kappa fraternity and a member of the band.

D. Alvin Bickel, B. S. '14, Arlington, Texas, is with the Grubbs Vocational College, a branch of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas. He has charge of classes in Education, Elementary Psychology, Elementary School Methods, High School

Methods, and History of Education. He is kept pretty busy, but says that the work is all that could be desired both as to quantity and congeniality. Mr. Bickel is enthusiastic about the Alumni work. He writes as follows:

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Raymond Saulfley Edmonds, B. L. '99, LL. B. '00, is practicing law at Miami, Missouri. He is a member of Phi Delta Theta, Q. E. B. H. Phi Delta Phi and T. N. E. He was ranking officer of cadets at M. S. U., 1899-1900 and was awarded the individual drill

medal in 1895. He was first Lieutenant in Co. "I" 5th Missouri Voluntary Infantry in the Spanish-American War. He was married April 28, 1910, to Miss Elizabeth S. Hamner, Miami, Missouri. They have two children.

Robert Sidney Douglass, LL. B. '01, professor of European History in the Cape Girardeau, Missouri, State Teachers' College,

was in Columbia during the second week of April attending the Baptist convention. Professor Douglass was married on August 1, 1894 to Miss Ottilie Gase. They have one child.

Dr. Gaylord T. Bloomer, A. B. '18, is a surgeon, 1218 North 3rd St., St. Joseph, Missouri. He received the degree of M. D. from Harvard in 1920. He is a member of Alpha Kappa Kappa, Phi Beta Kappa and was a

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member of the Student Senate. He was married April 5, 1922, to Miss Emiline Watson, Sault Street, Marie, Michigan.

Henry T. Moore, A. B. '03, A. M. '04, Professor of Psychology at Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H., is spending his semi-Sabbatical in Paris, on leave for the second semester of the Academic year 1922-23. He is putting in most of his time at the Sorbonne, but expects to be some time in England. He is working on an Introductory Psychology to be published next fall. His present address is 69 Boulevard, St. Michel, Paris, France.

W. Clyde Blattner, A. B. '18, is assistant cashier of the First National Bank, Mexico, Mo. He is a graduate of the Hallsville, Missouri, High School and attended Central College from 1910 to 1912. He was married June 24, 1919, to Miss Hazel Todd Wood, of Kansas City, Missouri.

Summer N. Blossom, who was enrolled in Arts in '11, is editor of the Popular Science Monthly, 750 Riverside Drive, New York City. He was an ensign in the U. S. Navy from June 7, '17 to June 7, '19 and was married February 4, 1920 to Miss Edna A. Etroah of New York City. He was for a time a member of the Editorial Staff of the Kansas City Star and has held positions as editor of the New York Illustrated News and city editor of the New York Daily News.

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