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Where should the scholar live?
In solitude, or in society?
in the green stillness of the country, where he can hear the heart of Nature beat, or in the dark, gray town, where he can hear and feel the throbbing heart of man? I will make answer for him, and say, in the dark, gray town. LONGFELLOW
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BOSTON UNIVERSITY IN CHINA
Grace Sue Nies, College of Liberal Arts, '17

AnOTHER strand in the ever strengthening bond that binds Boston University to the Orient, and to China particularly, was completed when it was announced this week that Clarence E. Akerstrom, a graduate of the College of Business Administration, '16, was appointed to represent Boston University at Nanking University.

For some time the Boston University Nanking Association, which was formed last year among the students and faculties of all departments of Boston University, has been searching for a man capable of laying the foundations for a new college of business administration in Nanking University. As such a department would be the first institution of its kind of college grade in China, the importance of the enterprise is apparent. Mr. Akerstrom, who was formerly a student in Brown University, the College of Commerce and Finance of Northeastern College, and Boston University, will work under the direction of President Bowen, of Nanking.

Ever since its founding Nanking University has been closely associated with Boston University through its alumni. It was founded in 1910, having for its first president Dr. John C. Ferguson, a distinguished graduate of the College of Liberal Arts of Boston University and a member of its Board of Trustees. Nanking has developed
during the last few years by emphasizing very much the same principles as those for which Boston University stands—service to the community and the meeting of present-day needs. Its school of agriculture and forestry has already given invaluable aid to the Chinese farmers in preserving the silk and rice crops.

It was natural that such a progressive university should be the first in China to think of developing along commercial lines. Although the department will be organized and developed under the guiding hand of President Bowen, it is expected that eventually the work will be so arranged that there may be an interchange of business students between Nanking and Boston University, thus opening to Boston University students the wide horizon of Eastern enterprise.

The interrelation of these two universities in Boston and Nanking is a natural result of the part which Boston University graduates have been playing in the development of the giant of the Orient. For years a stream of Boston University graduates has been flowing eastward, and the steady and persistent influence of these early educators has made possible the great development of later years.

A name to conjure with in the story of Boston University in China is that of Isaac T. Headland, '90. Dr. Headland, after his graduation from Boston University, went to teach in Peking University. He also held several successful pastorates in the Peking Conference. His writings while in China have drawn to him international attention. He is a member of the London Authors' Club and of the Twentieth Century Club in Boston. Among his most popular works on Chinese subjects are, "Chinese Mother Goose," "The Chinese Boy and Girl," "Chinese Heroes," "Our Little Chinese Cousin," "Court Life in China," and "The Young China." In 1914 Dr. Headland accepted the chair of missions and comparative study of religion at Mt. Union College.

Two classmates of 1915 also have made a reputation for themselves in the schools of China. Dr. H. S. Leitzell is in charge of the Yen Chow district of the Methodist Episcopal Church and superintendent of the day schools. Rev. Charles F. Johannaher, also of 1915, is registrar and director of the Bible department in the William Nast College, the oldest college in the Kiangsi Conference.

Another prominent Boston University graduate in China is Rev. Ralph A. Ward, '06, of Foo Chow. Dr. Ward is associate secretary
of the Board of Foreign Missions for China. He has been from the very first one of the chief leaders in the Methodist Centenary movement for world reconstruction. He was associate general secretary of the centenary committee during all the campaign, and last year returned to China to take charge of the centenary in that country. He was a delegate to the last general conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church in Des Moines, and was frequently mentioned for the bishopric. Dr. Ward is intimately associated with New England, having attended Boston University School of Theology and having held pastorates in Jefferson and Lynn.

Numerous other Boston University graduates hold important positions in China. Among these is Henry W. Worley, '15, formerly assistant pastor of the Malden Centre Church, now superintendent of four districts near Foo Chow and interpreter for the Foo Chow Conference. George L. Davis, '02, who for eighteen years has been working among the students in Peking, Tokio, and Yen Chow districts, was evangelist in General Feng Yii Hsiang's army and American representative at his official councils. He is now a member of the board of managers of Peking University.

Other former Boston University students who are in educational work in China are: Arthur W. Billing, professor at Foo Chow; John R. Trindle, teaching in the Government schools; Fred M. Pyle, teaching and preaching in Tientsin district; Lyman L. Hale, '09, superintendent of Wuhu district; C. M. Lacey Sites, member of the Centenary Commission of Foo Chow Conference and formerly professor at the Anglo-Chinese College at Foo Chow.

Professor Marshall L. Perrin, professor of Germanic languages at Boston University, has just returned from teaching for six months at Nanking and has proved a valuable link in uniting the interests of the Eastern and Western universities. Boston University also has another professor teaching at Tsing Hua — Professor Robert E. Bruce, head of the mathematics department. Such close relations between Boston and China will inevitably result in increasing friendliness and a growing international consciousness along educational lines.

What this long line of devoted men will mean in the development of China only the future can show. A great nation slowly is rubbing its eyes and stretching its great muscles preparatory to rising to its full stature. And when China does stand on its feet and take its rightful place, it will shake the world. Whether this mighty force
shall be thrown into the balance for good or evil will be determined
largely during the next twenty-five years.

It was the belief that the greatest achievements for a Christian
world civilization in the next quarter of a century would be wrought
in China that influenced Bishop Lares J. Birney, for eleven years
Dean of the School of Theology, to choose China as his field of labor.
After twenty years of fruitful service as educator and minister of the
Gospel, he sailed for Shanghai on September 23 to dedicate his life to
the welfare of the struggling republic.

"If one had but a decade to serve, he would better remain in Ameri-
ca, or go to Russia," said Bishop Birney, when asked why he had
chosen to go to China instead of accepting the large fields in the
United States which were offered him. "The greatest achievements
for civilization and the Kingdom of Heaven in the next ten or a dozen
years will be accomplished in these lands. But China offers a better
opportunity for life investment. This is why I choose China, hoping
to serve a quarter of a century."

Bishop Birney will leave behind him a long record of untiring
service and far-reaching accomplishments, not only in New England
but all over the country. He was born in Dennison, Ohio, in 1871.
He took his A. B. degree from Scio College in 1895 and his S. T. B.
from Boston University in 1899. In recognition of the contribution
he has made to the educational world, Wesleyan University conferred
upon him the degree of D.D. in 1912, and Yale granted him the same
honor in 1915.

He held a number of pastorates in Boston and vicinity before he
became dean of the theological school, having been pastor of the Meth-
odist Episcopal churches in Walpole, Hyde Park, Newton Centre,
and Malden Centre, and Park Avenue Church, Worcester.

In 1911 he was appointed Dean of Boston University School of
Theology. Under his leadership the school has become the largest
theological seminary in the country and the entrance requirements
have been raised so that only college graduates are admitted. Through
his efforts, also, the beautiful Robinson Memorial chapel and its
attendant classrooms were added to the college buildings. His large
success has been mainly due to the fact that he is a leader and lover
of men.

Dean Birney has made a close study of conditions in China, and so
is ready to take up his work immediately upon arriving in Shanghai.
In speaking of the future for China he said: —

"The greatest single experiment in industrial advance that history has seen will occur in China in the next thirty or forty years. The Gospel always has been the forerunner of industrial development. It is said that over forty per cent of China's male population is engaged directly or indirectly in transportation, because all but a small per cent of her products are carried by man-power. Vast products, no market, low prices, crushing poverty, with wealth incalculable everywhere undeveloped — this is China. There is enough coal in a single province to supply the world for centuries. Modern machinery, modern methods, modern efficiency, and scientific spirit China needs, but she is better without these unless she has Christianity to guide and control her commercial and industrial ideals.

"One reason that I am drawn to China is because the greatest single educational achievement in history will be wrought in China. Only five per cent of her population can read. Only two per cent are actually in school. But now there is everywhere a feverish thirst for modern learning. Hundreds of temples are being turned into schools. A comprehensive school system has been established by the Chinese government in addition to rapidly-multiplying mission schools and educational institutions fostered by other organizations, such as the Rockefeller Board. Schools of all grades and kinds, to the number of 9233, have been established by the government in the province of Chihli alone.

"Yet in China, as a whole, the non-government exceeds the number of government schools. Even so, as yet the proportion of children in school is but a twentieth of the proportion in America. China is determined upon modern, free, universal education for both sexes; but without Christian ideals in control she can easily repeat the German tragedy in kind and surpass it sixfold in numbers. Therefore the Gospel must permeate its educational ideals and help to shape its system.

"China is my choice because the greatest single achievement in nationalization the world has seen is now occurring in China. Despite the fact that she is the oldest nation in the world today, China has not had and does not yet have a strong national consciousness. Her helplessness in conflict with far smaller nations of Western learning, methods, and spirit compelled her to realize with painful suddenness that she was doomed as a nation unless she at once equipped her-
self with like means of defense. This imminent peril has brought about an acute national and race consciousness, the expression of which is the slogan, ‘China for the Chinese,’ with which the whole Christian world sympathizes. All sections, factions, classes, and ages are uniting in this feeling, which is prophetic of China’s great future as a nation if her national ideals and aims are rightly shaped and molded. Only Christian truth, ideals, and spirit can do that, hence the call of China comes now.

“The most stupendous experiment in Christianization the world has seen is now in process in China. Seldom has a nation been so open and eager for the Gospel, and never, with the possible exception of India, has a nation of such numbers and extent given such welcome to Christianity as China now extends. Thirty and forty years ago Japan was asking with the same eagerness for Christian teaching. The Church failed to respond in any adequate measure, and today Japan is one of the most difficult mission fields in the world. China is today where Japan was then, and the Church must not repeat her grave error.

“Now is the supreme opportunity for the Church to do for China what she needs above all other things, and without which all other things she seeks may be a menace rather than a blessing. We go simply to count one more among those who work to help China in all these ways, in so far as this is possible, but chiefly to help her find and accept the only One upon whose life and truth an abiding and beneficent civilization can be founded.

“The reason China has progressed so slowly through centuries, allowing the younger West to pass her by, is not only an interesting story but the chief reason for China’s tremendous appeal for help to the Christian world today. In brief, it is because the Christian faith and truth started west from Jerusalem and not east. Had it gone east rather than west, we might still be howling savages, drinking blood from the skulls of our enemies and depending upon Chinese Christian missionaries to lead us to light and civilization.

“But the absence of Christianity is but a part of the explanation. The presence and influence of Confucianism also is responsible for the static condition of China. Confucius is one of the greatest figures in history and his teachings have been of vast benefit to China. His moral code ranks high among the historic systems. It is incomparably purer and nobler than the mythologies of Greece and Rome, but
it is not a religion. Indeed, its total tendency is anti-religious. It inhibited all progress by making the past the standard of perfection. ‘Not a line can be found in all his teachings inculcating the pursuit of truth.’ Christ made the quest of truth central. Hence the progressiveness of the Christian mind.

“Confucius taught with dogmatic finality and left no place for inquiry. Christ invited inquiry and appealed to evidence, thus giving action and freedom to a fundamental law of mind. Confucius commanded the worship of ancestors, hence intellectual stagnation. Christ put the golden age in the future, and thus stimulated every human capacity. Confucius wrote his teachings, and made his followers slavish and repetitious memorizers. Christ lived His Truth and message, and His disciples became the free witnesses and emulators of His life. Confucius proclaimed his moral standards, but could offer no power by which they could be realized in life. Christ proclaimed far higher standards, and revealed the sources of power by which they can be realized in life.

“The great task of Christianity in China is not to cast out Confucianism but to bring to its inadequacy and negativeness the immeasurably higher standard, the positive and progressive spirit, the vital dynamic, and the stimulating freedom of Christianity, and to bring these with such conviction that Confucius, were he living, would be one of the first to accept and follow the Master whom he preceded by five and a half centuries and for whom in a moral sense he helped to prepare the way.”

BOSTON UNIVERSITY IN CUBA

Dean Everett W. Lord

EIGHT years ago the College of Business Administration was established with Evening classes only; three years later the Day division was organized; last year its secretarial courses were made the basis of the new College of Secretarial Science; and this year there is announced a branch college in Havana, Cuba, paralleling the Day and Evening divisions in Boston.
In taking this unique step Boston University is adopting the method of great banks and business houses engaged in export and import trade. It is hoped by this means to exert a favorable influence upon the mutual relations of Cuba and the United States and to advance the foreign trade instruction of the College, especially with reference to Latin America.

During the past few years the interest in courses bearing on foreign commerce has constantly grown. An increasingly large proportion of the young men attending the University are majoring in this field. Over one thousand students, for example, are now taking courses in commercial Spanish.

The faculty has recognized the difficulty of making this instruction practical. While the students are required before receiving their degree to work in some business house for a period of not less than a year, it has not always been possible for them to obtain employment which has direct bearing on foreign commerce. Also, as everybody knows, it is impossible to secure real familiarity with a foreign language and a sympathetic knowledge of a foreign people without foreign residence. It is in the hope of providing both the practical experience and the opportunity for foreign residence that the University has adopted the unique plan of establishing a branch of its College of Business Administration in a Latin-American city.

The college in Havana offers courses parallel to those offered in Boston. Its curriculum covers a period of four years and leads to the degree of bachelor of business administration, the same degree granted to students pursuing their courses at Boston. It is under the direction of Boston University, with a director and faculty appointed by the University trustees.

The faculty has been selected with the greatest care. The director and some of the department heads have been taken from the faculty in Boston. Instructors, qualified in the technical subjects of the curriculum and able to teach in Spanish, have been taken from Leland Stanford University, the University of Texas, the University of Washington, Kansas Wesleyan University, and the University of Porto Rico. The Dean of the College of Business Administration, who is in charge of the Havana Branch, was for six years Assistant Commissioner of Education of Porto Rico, and has drawn upon his experience there and his acquaintance with Spanish-speaking Americans in filling the ranks of the new Branch.
In the organization of this branch college Boston University has been aided by government officials and representatives of large Cuban business houses. Gen. Menocal, the President of the Republic, who is himself a graduate of an American university, acts as honorary chairman of the local board of guarantors, while active on the board are the presidents of the largest banks and representatives of the most important business houses in Havana. These Havana business men are especially enthusiastic over the prospect of having available for young Cubans an institution where they can secure modern scientific business training.

The closest connection between the college in Boston and the branch in Havana is maintained. A young man who desires to specialize in the Spanish language and Latin-American commerce may, after one or two years at Boston, transfer to Havana and complete his course there with no loss of time. At Boston he takes an intensive course in Spanish so that in Havana he may carry on his college work through the medium of the Spanish language and quickly make himself at home. The preliminary program at Boston also includes a special course in Latin-American affairs, covering not only the commercial relations of the United States with Latin-American countries but their history, life, literature, and customs.

A unique feature of the course given in the College of Business Administration of Boston University, to which reference has already been made, is that all students are required to spend a full year in business employment under the supervision of the College before receiving their degree.

With the organization of the Spanish-American branch it will be possible for students to take the year of supervised employment in Havana, thus adding to their academic and technical training the great advantage of practical experience in business under the conditions prevailing in Cuba and in Latin-American countries generally.

In organizing this Latin-American branch Boston University has not intended to indicate any confinement of its interest in foreign commerce to Americans alone. The first foreign branch has been established at Havana because of its nearness to the United States and the possibility of working out there some of the experimental problems which must accompany such a development, but the University is already carrying on negotiations looking toward the creation of similar branches in other foreign countries.
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BOSTON UNIVERSITY WAR VOLUME

At the time of sending this issue of BOSTONIA to press the War Volume is approaching completion. Unless unexpected delays occur, it should be ready for distribution by December 15 at the latest.

The volume will contain the war record of over three thousand graduates and undergraduates of the University. About one hundred pages will be devoted to twenty or more articles on various phases of the war, all these written by men and women now or formerly connected with the University. Among the articles are: "Young America at Château-Thierry," by President Murlin; "A Teacher as Student," by Professor W. O. Ault; "The Marines in France," by Chaplain J. Duncan MacNair; "Characteristics of the Doughboy in the Fighting Line," by Bishop L. J. Birney; "The Boston University Naval Unit," by Professor Harry B. Center; "War Relief Work of the Boston University Women Graduates' Club," by Mrs. Pauline Nelson Hartstone; "Base Hospital 44," by Dr. Wesley T. Lee; and "L'Oeuvre des Petits Blessés," by Mrs. Frances B. S. Waxman.

The volume will contain upwards of three hundred pages and will be illustrated. The cost of production is so great that the trustees have found it necessary to fix the price of the volume at $2. This price, which includes postage, is less than the production cost of the
volume. Remittances should be made payable to Boston University and sent to the Editor of BOSTONIA.

The War Volume will form the December issue of BOSTONIA. It will be mailed to those only who remit the fee of $2. The March issue and subsequent issues will be mailed free of charge as hitherto to all whose names are on our regular mailing list.

TEACHERS will be interested in the announcement of new courses in the School of Education, as described under the department notes in this issue. Full details regarding these and the other courses offered by the School will be found in the bulletin which appeared last summer. Requests for copies should be addressed to Dr. Arthur H. Wilde, Director of the School.

DEAN LORD’S article on the newly established Cuban branch of the University will be read with great interest. No recent development of University work has attracted wider notice in business circles than the establishment of this branch. Men well known in the commercial world speak of it as likely to have important results in developing fraternal and commercial relations between the United States and the Latin-American countries.

THE University is gradually developing a system of dormitories for its students. In addition to the three houses for young women on Bay State Road, to which reference is made elsewhere in this issue, are Harris Hall, Deaconess Road, Boston, for young women in the School of Religious Education; the Hermitage, on Willow St., Beacon Hill, and the building corner of Mt. Vernon St. and Louisburg Square, for the men of the School of Theology; and a dormitory on St. Stephens St., Boston, for the women of the College of Secretarial Science.

MRS. GEORGE E. RICHARDS, 334 Marlboro St., Boston, has presented to the Library of the College of Liberal Arts a large collection of unbound literature in modern languages, together with some fine editions of the classics and illustrated books of art and travel. The collection is a valuable addition to the equipment of the library.
UNIVERSITY NOTES

Francis A. Perry, a trustee of Boston University from 1869 until 1883 and secretary of the corporation from 1869 until 1873, died in Cambridge on Thursday, September 23. The funeral services were held on the following Sunday at the Forest Hills Cemetery Chapel. Mr. Perry was born in Belchertown in 1835. He practiced law in Boston for many years, retiring twelve years ago. He was a member of the State Legislature in 1868. He was formerly a vice-president of the Boston Y. M. C. A., was president and trustee of the Mercantile Library Association, and a member and one of the founders of the Immigrant Home Corporation. He is survived by a son, Francis A. Perry, of Waldoboro, Maine, and a daughter, Mrs. Lee Perkins, of West Roxbury.

The demand for rooms in the new dormitories for women has become so great that a third building has been opened on Bay State Road. Miss Frances E. Benson is in charge. More than sixty girls from the College of Liberal Arts, the College of Secretarial Science, and the School of Law, have engaged rooms for the coming semester. The College of Secretarial Science also has a house on St. Stephens St. for the students of that department. The young women of the School of Religious Education find accommodations at Harris Hall, Deaconess Road, Boston.

President-Emeritus William E. Huntington attended the fiftieth reunion of his class at Wisconsin State University last June.

Captain Paul W. Baade, professor of military science and tactics in the University, has brought out in pamphlet form the rules and regulations governing the Boston University Infantry R. O. T. C. Unit. The pamphlet bears the approval of the University council.

The Departments

GRADUATE SCHOOL


'93. Joseph Yeijiro Takasugi, Ph.D., of the Hokkaido Imperial University, Sapporo, Japan, was the fraternal delegate from the Japan Methodist Church to the Methodist Episcopal General Conference at Des Moines in May. Dr. Takasugi was a classmate of President Murlin at De Pauw.

'09. The first number of "Personalism," a quarterly journal of philosophy, theology, and literature, edited by Professor Ralph Tyler Flewellng, S. T. B. '02, Ph.D. '09, has come from the press. The issue is devoted very largely to appreciative and critical estimates of the work of Professor Borden P. Bowne.
Wright Buckham, professor of theology in the Pacific School of Religion, Berkeley, California, includes Professor Bowne in a group of American idealists. Dr. James Iverach, principal of the United Free Church College, Aberdeen, states that in his judgment Bowne is one of the foremost American thinkers of the time. He is the equal of any other thinker in his knowledge of the history of philosophy, in the keenness of his intellectual grasp, and in the clearness of his exposition. His contribution to theism is of the highest value. Dr. Frank W. Collier, director of research at the American University, Washington, D.C., under the head of "Personalism a Vital Philosophy," gives a most interesting and critical estimate of Professor Bowne's philosophic viewpoint.

'20. The Dover (Me.) Observer of Thursday, September 16, announced the wedding of Helen Louise Baldwin, A.M.'20, of Bangor, to Gordon Enoch Gates, of Dover, on Tuesday, September 7. Mr. and Mrs. Gates are both graduates of Colby in the class of '19. Both received their Master's degrees in 1920, Mrs. French from Boston University and Mr. French from Harvard. Mr. French has been appointed by the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society to a professorship of zoology in Judson College, Rangoon, Burma. They were to sail this fall for their new field of service.

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS

TEACHERS' COURSES

Forty-one courses to be given by twenty-five instructors are offered for the first semester of the current year. Among the new lecturers is Ernest B. Groves, recently appointed Associate Professor of Economics in the College of Liberal Arts. He offers a course in Applied Sociology, an analysis of contemporary social problems of most concern to the teacher. Special attention is given to juvenile delinquency, social diagnosis, and mental hygiene. Dr. Ralph W. Harlow, recently appointed Assistant Professor of History in the College of Liberal Arts, gives a course on the History of the United States since 1865. Dr. Marshall L. Perrin, head of the Department of German, has returned from China, where he has been spending his sabbatical year, and resumed his course in Anglo-Saxon, which during the previous year had been given by Mr. Merritt Y. Hughes. He also resumes his course in German, a general course intended for all but beginners. Mr. Albert C. Sherman has been added to the staff of lecturers on Music.

Among the new courses offered by former members of the staff are: The Architecture and Art of Ancient Rome, Christian and Byzantine, by Frank Chouteau Brown; The English Bible, by Professor E. Charlton Black; Shakespeare, by Professor Black; Modern and Contemporary European History, by Assistant Professor Warren O. Ault; The Teaching of Latin, by Professor Alexander H. Rice; Tacitus, by Professor Donald Cameron; and Abnormal Psychology, by Professor E. C. Wilm. Dr. Jeremiah E. Burke, Assistant Superintendent of Schools of Boston, continues his course in Organization and Administration of Public School Systems, meeting Saturday morning at ten o'clock.
THE PROFESSOR AUGUSTUS HOWE BUCK EDUCATIONAL FUND

Three fellows under the Professor Augustus Howe Buck Educational Fund were appointed last spring: Edwin C. Byam, of South Chelmsford, will take graduate work in French and Spanish at Harvard University; Arthur N. Sharp, of Winthrop, the first fellow to be appointed under this fund, studied last year at Harvard, and will spend the coming year at the Sorbonne; John K. Colby, of Bradford, will continue his study of Latin at Harvard.

There are now seventeen students studying under this fund, including men who come from the gold coast of West Africa, Finland, and Japan, as well as those from the New England States.

The interests of these Buck scholars are as varied as their histories. Seven of the seventeen are planning to go into the teaching profession; one is to study law, another architecture; two are planning to enter the ministry, and another is to work for the degree of doctor of medicine. Electro-chemistry and technical work interest others of the group, while the remainder are planning to make an intensive study of social conditions.

THE FACULTY

At the regular meeting of the Trustees of the Carnegie Simplified Spelling Board, held April 6, 1920, Professor James Geddes, Jr., was elected a member of the Advisory Council for a term of five years from October, 1919, in the class of 1924.

Professor E. Charlton Black gave an address at the graduation exercises of Westboro High School on Tuesday evening, June 22.

Professor Dallas Lore Sharp gave an address upon "The Miraculous Chance" at the commencement exercises of Montpelier Seminary on Thursday, June 10. Professor Sharp also delivered the address at the graduation exercises of the State Normal School, New Haven, Conn., on Friday, June 18.

Professor Marshall L. Perrin, who has been spending a sabbatic year in the Orient, resumes work in the College. Mr. Mervyn J. Bailey, who carried some of the German courses in Professor Perrin's absence, will continue his assistance in the department.

Professor R. E. Bruce's leave of absence extends through the year. He is now teaching mathematics in Tsing Hua College, Peking. Mr. Lewis A. Brigham, Assistant Professor of Mathematics and Astronomy, will act as chairman of the Department of Mathematics. Mr. Albert A. Heinz, of the Tsing Hua College faculty, will conduct courses in Calculus and Mathematical Reading and Conference. Mr. and Mrs. Heinz are occupying Professor Bruce's house at 249 Crafts Street, Newtonville.

Mr. Ernest R. Groves, who resigned the deanship of the Division of Arts and Sciences, New Hampshire College, to join the College of Liberal Arts faculty of Boston University as Associate Professor of Social Science, offers eight courses. Professor and Mrs. Groves reside in Needham as neighbors of Professors Wilde and Wilm.
Mr. Mervin J. Curl, '08, will conduct the Sophomore course in English writing. Mr. Curl has been a member of the faculty of the University of Illinois. He is a practised newspaper writer and the author of a manual on exposition.

Mr. Merritt Y. Hughes, '15, who last year served as instructor of English in the College, will spend the year at the Harvard Graduate School.

Mr. Ralph V. Harlow who, as lecturer on history, conducted last year the course in American History, has been made Assistant Professor and will give his full time to the Department of History in the college. He has been a member of the faculty of Simmons College.

Assistant Professor Earl A. Aldrich, of the department of History, has accepted a position in the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

In the department of Chemistry Mr. Wilbert G. A. Lindquist joins the staff as Assistant; Mr. Charles F. H. Allen, '19, is promoted from Teaching Fellow to Assistant; Mr. Herbert F. Whalen, '20, is Teaching Fellow in Chemistry. Mr. John L. Parsons has been released that he may take up industrial research as a graduate student in Columbia University. His successor is Dr. Edward O. Holmes, who has had industrial experience in the Du Pont Company and has pursued graduate studies at Harvard and Johns Hopkins.

Miss Mabel F. Barnum, '01, has made good progress toward complete recovery from the effects of her accident last spring. On her physician's advice, however, she will not resume work before the second semester. In the meantime, Miss Edith N. Snow, '20, will be in full charge. Miss Edith B. Seibel, a graduate of Smith College, '12, and of the Simmons College Library School, '20, has been appointed First Assistant. Miss Miriam E. Warren of the senior class will this year give her whole time to the library. Miss Mary J. Fairfield has resigned from the library staff and is studying in the University of California. Her address is 1161 Linden Ave., Long Beach, California.

Miss Ruth C. Duffey, Assistant in Physical Education, has resigned her work in the gymnasium classes for young women and has taken charge of the physical training in the College of Secretarial Science.

Mr. Rudolf Bennitt, '20, will assist Dr. Weysse in the course in Economic Zoology.

Assistant Professor Samuel M. Waxman, of the department of Romance Languages, and Assistant Professor Charles P. Huse, of the department of Economics, have been promoted to full professorships.

In view of the advance in charges for this year's instruction the Trustees have made provision for the financing of the University athletics without special assessment on the students.

Payment of the full charge for tuition in the College of Liberal Arts now entitles the student to receive this year's issues of the University Beacon.
THE ALUMNI

'78. George Artemas Crawford died Tuesday evening, July 13, at his home, 136 Thorndike Street, Brookline. The funeral was held on the following Thursday at his residence. Dr. Crawford was born in Calais, Maine. He attended the public schools of that place, the East Maine Conference Seminary at Bucksport, and Boston University, graduating from the College of Liberal Arts in 1878 with the degree of A.B., and receiving later from Boston University the degrees of A.M. and Ph.D. In 1890 he received the degree of D.D. from New Orleans University. He served in the Civil War, and in 1878 received the commission of chaplain in the U.S. Navy, retiring in 1890 on account of disability incurred in line of duty. He was pastor of various Methodist Episcopal churches in Boston, including St. John's, Temple Street, and Bromfield Street. He also filled pastorates in Pittston and Waterville, Maine, and South Lawrence and Woburn, Mass. He was a member of the G. A. R. Post at Woburn, the Bostonian Society, Sons of the American Revolution, Society of Colonial Wars, Society of the War of 1812, Military Order of the Spanish-American War, and the Loyal Legion. In 1872 he married Mary E. Patten, of Waldoboro, Me., and by this marriage had three children, two of whom, Dr. Howard T. Crawford, College of Liberal Arts, '96, and Truman K. Crawford, of Boston, are living. His first wife died, and in 1904 he married Clara L. Love­land, of Boston, who survives him.

'79. Marie Ada Molineux has been appointed chairman of the Hospital Bed Committee of the New England Women's Press Club.

'89. The Central Christian Advocate of September 15 announced that Dr. Luther Freeman, pastor of Emory Methodist Episcopal Church, Pittsburgh, Pa., has accepted an invitation to become pastor of a community church in Shanghai, China, and will conclude his pastorate at Emory with the present conference year. Dr. Freeman was transferred from the Maine Methodist Episcopal Conference in 1902 to First Church, Chattanooga, where he served until 1908. He then preached in Kansas City for a few months, passing from there to the presidency of the Morningside College, thence to First Church, Columbus, O., in 1911, and from Columbus to Pittsburgh. The church to which he goes in Shanghai is a congregation of American and British citizens who desire to reproduce in that city a typical community church.

'90. S. Edgar Whitaker is business auditor for Street & Finney, Inc., Advertising Agency, 171 Madison Ave., New York City. His residence is Merriam Avenue, Bronxville, N. Y.

'92. Florence Dombey Shepherd has brought out, under the pen name "Dombey," a volume of thoughtful and felicitous verse. The author has looked deeply and steadily into the human soul. How profoundly she has gazed will be felt best by those who have passed through the poignant experiences which she so veraciously portrays. None but a soul that has suffered could have written

LUCTUS BENEFICUM

The bitter tragedy, I would not change it,
Through tragedy we find the path of Peace;
Only when hearts are broken, hopes are shattered,
Do we from earthly fetters gain release.

Not till desire’s last shred is rent asunder,
And selfish joys have paled to worthless dross,
Do we behold with free, unclouded vision
The mystic blessing of a blood-stained cross.

The volume, which is brought out by The Stratford Company, Boston, is dedicated to Professor Marshall Livingston Perrin.

'97. Dr. Lucius H. Bugbee, pastor of Christ Methodist Episcopal Church, of Pittsburgh, has accepted the pastorate of Hennepin Avenue Church, Minneapolis, subject to the approval of the appointing powers at the coming session of the Northern Minnesota Conference. The Hennepin Avenue Church is one of the largest and strongest congregations in Methodism.

'97. A note from Mrs. Viola MacLellan Day, received last August, announced that she expected to go to Havana in September to spend the winter. Her husband is there representing the Foundation Company, of New York.

'98. The Boston Herald of Saturday, May 1, contained a portrait of Annie Joslyn Gray and a notice of two of Miss Gray’s books which she issues under the pen-name of “Joslyn Gray,” viz., “Fireweed” and “The January Girl,” both issued by Charles Scribner’s Sons. The notice of both books is highly appreciative.

'00. Ernest Lyman Mills, European Director for the Board of Methodist Episcopal Sunday Schools, has established his headquarters in Paris. His office address is 4 Rue Roquepine.

'01. The temporary address of Miss Mabel F. Barnum, librarian of the College of Liberal Arts, is 217 North 12th St., Independence, Kansas.

'02. Charles W. French has been appointed Instructor in French in the School of Education of Boston University.

'05. A daughter, Mary Lewis, was born June 29, 1920, at St. Rita’s Hospital, Lima, Ohio, to Mr. and Mrs. S. William Baker (Minnie R. Perry, '05).

'06. L. Raymond Talbot has returned from France and has a new book on French life in press. It will be published by Benjamin H. Sanborn Company, Boston. Mr. Talbot’s address is 509 Audubon Road, Boston.

'06. The Boston Transcript of Saturday, August 21, reported that Rev. Roy E. Whittemore has resigned the pastorate of the Baptist Church, Middlebury, Vt., to become pastor of the First Baptist Church, Marquette, Mich. After graduating from the College of Liberal Arts in '06 he received the degree of B.D. from the Newton Theological Institution in 1909.

'07. Bertha Munro is teaching College English in the Eastern Nazarene School, 22 East Elm Street, Wollaston, Mass.
'08. Mervin J. Curl has been contributing to the Boston Herald a series of literary sketches under the head of "Familiar Conversations with Literary Workers of Boston." The eleventh of these sketches was devoted to Professor Dallas Lore Sharp. With the sketch is a characteristic portrait of Dr. Sharp. Mr. Curl's closing paragraph reads: "Mr. Sharp combines more occupations than most men. In Hingham he is a farmer; in Boston he is a college professor; on the public platform, where he has often appeared, he is a guide in education; time was when he was a preacher; and wherever he is, he is a nature-lover and interpreter. What can be found on bare New England hills he has found. What can be seen from a city roof he has seen. What can be coaxed from New England furrows he has coaxed—and written about—in 'The Hills of Hingham.' The family tradition of nature-loving has come to its own in full."

'08. A son, Roger Williams Harris, was born August 27, 1920, to Mr. and Mrs. Gorham Waller Harris (Louise Dyer, '08).

'09. The new address of Walter S. Atwood is Hillside Avenue, Palisades Park, N. J. In addition to his work in the DeWitt Clinton High School, New York City, Mr. Atwood has been teaching in the New York University Summer School and in the New York College of Dental and Oral Surgery.

'10. Helen L. Byrne is Assistant Professor of English at the College of Secretarial Science.

'10. Caroline Hammett James was married on Sunday, July 4, to Mr. August Handschumacher in Plainfield, Conn. Mr. and Mrs. Handschumacher are living at 171 Chestnut Avenue, Jamaica Plain.

'10. Marion Edna Morton was married to Dudley Seymour Ingraham, of Bristol, Conn., on Saturday evening, July 31, in the vestry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, Ipswich. Mrs. Ingraham is a graduate of Manning High School, '06, and Boston University, '10. Her husband is a graduate of Cornell, '13, and is engaged in business in Bristol, Conn., where they will reside.

'10. Charlotte Augusta Norton was married to Mr. Frank Willard Ness on Wednesday, June 30, at Hartford, Conn.

'10. Harold L. Perrin has been appointed Professor of Law at the College of Secretarial Science.

Bostonia is indebted to Ethel S. Kingman, secretary of '11, for the following notes:—

Marie Merrill has accepted a position as teacher in the Haverhill High School.

Louise Evarts was discharged from the service on July 1. For the past few years she has been engaged in physical therapy, formerly abroad and lately at a New York reconstruction hospital.

Helen Deering has been appointed Field Secretary of Young People's Work for the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the New York Branch of the Methodist Episcopal Board. Her new work is to begin September 1.
Ernestine Barry is teaching Mathematics in the Peabody (Mass.) High School.

Isabel E. Hallett is an assistant at the Clothing Information Bureau conducted by the Women's City Club of Boston.

Alice Murphy is a teacher in the Dorchester High School.

Mrs. J. Warren Baldwin (Mildred Winslow) has returned to this country after an extended stay in China. Her husband's business took him to Shanghai.

The Class of 1911 was represented on Alumni Day at Auburndale by the following members: Bertha A. Carr, Alice M. Cook, Belle Dalton Hawkes, Ava B. Dawson, Lena G. Fowler, Maud D. Hodges, Dorothy E. Hodgkins, Mildred Hood, Jane Johonnot White, Ethel S. Kingman, Margaret S. Locke, Alice C. Taylor, and Ralph W. Taylor. A class meeting was held on the lawn and plans laid for the tenth reunion next year.

'12. A daughter, Pauline Mackintosh, was born on Tuesday, August 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Morris H. Shepard (Helen Mackintosh, '12).

'12. The News-Index, of Evanston, Ill., on May 5 reported that Reginald de K. Warner had accepted a position as Instructor in French at Yale University. Graduating from the College of Liberal Arts of Boston University in 1912, Mr. Warner took his Master's degree in '15. He was instructor in Romance Languages at the University of Nebraska in 1915-16 and then went to Northwestern University where, from that time, he has taught French. He has also been lecturer in Commercial French and Spanish since 1918 in the School of Commerce, Chicago. He is the author of a French booklet which is in use in many schools and colleges throughout the country.

'13. A daughter, Saba Laura, was born Friday, July 2, to Mr. and Mrs. J. Paul Foster.

'14. Florence I. Calder sailed from New York in September for Havre, France. She intends to spend a year in the study of French and Spanish in Paris and Madrid.

'14. Marion F. Dondale is scientific secretary to Dr. A. B. Wadsworth, Director of the Division of Laboratories and Research of the New York State Department of Health. Her address is 267 Ontario Street, Albany, N. Y.

'14. Frank Bertram Mitchell was married on Tuesday evening, June 29, in the Church of the New Jerusalem, Cambridge, Mass., to Miss Ruth F. Willis, of Cambridge. Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell are residing in Middlebury, Vermont. He is Instructor in French in the University of Vermont, and was formerly a teacher in Lawrence Academy. Mrs. Mitchell is a graduate of Smith College, '14, and for several years taught in the Chelsea Senior High School.

'14. Ruth A. Walker was one of the forty-seven nurses who were awarded diplomas at the graduating exercises of the Boston City Hospital School for Nurses on Wednesday, June 23.
15. The Boston Transcript of Saturday, June 5, announced the marriage of Mildred P. Massé that afternoon in Arlington, Mass. to Robert Clark Gilfillan, of Syracuse, N. Y. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gilfillan were to leave for Liverpool and Paris and other continental cities before starting for Africa, where Mr. Gilfillan is engaged in the importing business.

15. A daughter, Rubie Alfreda, was born in Boston, on August 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Woodward (Rubie Mae Miller, '15). Mrs. Woodward's present address is 36 Summer Street, Fitchburg, Mass.

16. Dorothy Sherwood Taylor was married Saturday afternoon, September 18, to Charles Truman Cogswell, of Somerville. The ceremony was performed in the vestry of the Epworth Methodist Episcopal Church at Cambridge. Dr. Elmer A. Leslie, pastor of the church, officiated, assisted by President-Emeritus William E. Huntington. Mr. and Mrs. Cogswell reside at 37 Boylston Street West, Watertown.

17. Word has reached BOSTONIA office that Wilson H. Hastings died suddenly of pneumonia early in September. No further details have been received. Since graduating from the College of Liberal Arts Mr. Hastings had been engaged in research work in bacteriology in the School of Medicine of Boston University. He received the degree of M.D. in '19.

18. The Boston Transcript of Saturday, July 10, reported that Frank H. Andrew is pastor of the Congregational Church, Harrisville, N. H.

18. The Plymouth Memorial of Friday, August 27, reported that Helen L. Banks had been appointed first assistant in the high school of Pembroke. Miss Banks will reside in Bryantville.

18. Eleanor B. Ferguson, S.T.B. '18, M.D. '20, has been appointed Medical Adviser of the College of Secretarial Science of Boston University.

18. Elizabeth King Schoonmaker was married on Friday, September 10, at Ashburnham, Mass., to Mr. Burton Edwin Thresher. Mr. and Mrs. Thresher are residing at 200 East Gorgas Lane, Mount Airy, Pa.

18. The Taunton Gazette of Tuesday, June 22, announced the marriage on the previous evening, at the home of the bride on Oak Street, Taunton, of Lucien B. Taylor, '18, and Miss Kathryn Sears Park. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor are residing at 48 Oak Street, Taunton.

18. Lilla M. Vaughan is in charge of the section work in economics in the College of Secretarial Science of Boston University.

18. Lucy Hale Waite was recently married to Russell Hall Leavitt, Dartmouth, '16. Mr. and Mrs. Leavitt's address is 175 Central Avenue, Wollaston.

19. Arthur Norman Sharp sailed September 9 for Paris, where he will study at the Sorbonne as a Buck Fellow from Boston University.

19. Ethel B. Smith is teaching English in the Brockton High School.
'19. The Hartford (Conn.) Courant of Wednesday, June 2, announced that Dorothy S. Smyth had been appointed to teach English in the New Britain, Conn., High School.

'20. Phyllis Additon won the prize offered by Dr. Mary Alice Emerson for the best short story written during the college year. Miss Additon was an editor of the Beacon. The prize-winning story is entitled "Peter Pan and Phoebe Ann.”

'20. Edwin C. Byam is teaching French in the College of Secretarial Science.

'20. Blanche E. Eiffe is teaching Latin, French, and Mathematics in the Salem (Mass.) High School.

'20. George A. Higgins was married to Miss Myrtle V. Goodwin on Sunday evening, June 27, in the First Methodist Episcopal Church, Everett. Mr. and Mrs. Higgins are residing at Gloucester, where Mr. Higgins is pastor of the Bay View Methodist Episcopal Church.

'20. Rev. Frank Kingdon, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church in East Weymouth, has been awarded the Jacob Sleeper fellowship in the College of Liberal Arts at Boston University for the coming year.

'20. Elizabeth Dewing Macy was married to Mr. Cyrus Stegner Kauffman in Brookline, Mass., on Friday, August 20. Mrs. Kauffman has joined the staff of workers of the Boston Society for the Care of Girls, 184 Boylston Street, and one of her duties will be to serve as publicity secretary for the organization. The Boston Society for the Care of Girls was established in 1800 by Mrs. Hannah Stillman, and is the oldest society in Boston to deal with girls of all races and creeds.

'20. Richard L. McGuffin is teaching English and History in Donaldson School, Ilchester, Maryland. This is a private endowed school under the auspices of the Episcopal Church.

COLLEGE OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION

William M. Duffus has been appointed Professor of Economics in the College. Professor Duffus is a graduate of Leland Stanford University, A.B. '10, and University of Wisconsin, A.M. '14. From 1915-20 he was associate professor in the University of Kansas. He is the author of several works, including “State Loans to Farmers” and “Studies in Health Insurance.”

Mr. E. D. Kizer, a representative of the War Trade Board in Chile during the World War and prominent for many years in Pan-American affairs, has been added to the faculty of the Havana Branch of the College of Business Administration. Professor Kizer was formerly special adviser of the State Department in London and in Santiago, research assistant for the War Trade Board in various countries, and special assistant to the secretary-general of the Second Pan-American Conference in Washington. He was also a member of the Pan-American Financial Conference and the Inter-American High Commission.
Dr. Abbott Payson Usher, formerly Assistant Professor of Economics at Cornell University, has been appointed Professor of Economics in the College of Business Administration. Professor Usher is the author of "History of Grain Trade in France" and "Introduction to the Industrial History of England." He succeeds Professor Harry Tosdal, who has been appointed supervisor of economic research in the Harvard Graduate School.

The following appointments to the staff of the College of Business Administration library have been made recently: Miss Helen D. Hertell, Vassar '16 (formerly acting librarian in the public library, Lewiston, Maine), Assistant Librarian; Miss Dorothy S. Manks, Radcliffe '19, Senior Assistant; Miss Louise B. Meyer, University of Texas, and Miss Margaret G. Hooper, Wheaton College, Assistants.

'18. The Somerville Journal of Friday, June 11, announced the wedding on the previous Tuesday evening of Stanley Wadsworth Lane, '18, and Miss Marion Towle, of Somerville. Mr. and Mrs. Lane are residing at 74 Mt. Vernon St., Somerville.

'20. The Gloucester Times of August 10 announced that Dorothy A. Hickie had been appointed teacher of advertising, journalism, and salesmanship in the Gloucester High School.

'20. Bishop C. Hunt has been appointed head of the new department of business administration at Dalhousie University, Halifax, N. S.

'20. The Springfield Union of Sunday, June 27, contained an account of the wedding on the previous day of Walter E. Leidner, '20, to Miss Margaret H. Roth, of Holyoke. Mr. and Mrs. Leidner are residing in Boston.

'20. Daniel Morton Swift was married to Miss Esther Ames Merritt in Chelsea on Saturday, June 19. The best man was Russell Phipps, College of Liberal Arts '20, a classmate of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Swift are residing at 50 Central Avenue, Milton.

COLLEGE OF SECRETARIAL SCIENCE

Recent appointments to the Faculty of the College of Secretarial Science include Henry G. Blount, Bates '06, Assistant Professor of Economics and Accounting; Harold L. Perrin, Boston University College of Liberal Arts '10, Professor of Commercial Law; Neda B. Freeman, University of Minnesota, Instructor in Mathematics; Lilla M. Vaughan, Boston University College of Liberal Arts '18, in charge of Section Work in Economics; Bessie N. Page, Boston University College of Business Administration '19, Supervisor of Section Work in Commercial Law; Edwin C. Byam, College of Liberal Arts '20, French; Gladys Carroon, University of New Mexico, Instructor in Office Methods.

Miss Helen Byrne and Miss Mary Duggan have been promoted from instructorships to assistant professorships in the College Faculty.

The first assembly of the Evening Division was held at 7:45 o'clock, Monday evening, Sept. 27. Dr. Kerr Tupper, of Philadelphia, and Dr. E. Charlton Black, of the College of Liberal Arts, spoke.
The catalog of the School of Education, issued during the summer, announced a number of new courses for the coming year. Among them are:

**The Individual Child.** The course discusses differences and adjustments. Present-day situations. Presentation of various specific, physical, mental, and social problems. Numerous concrete illustrations by the case method. Two hours weekly, first semester. Credit, two points. Dr. Healy and Dr. Bronner.

**Junior High School.** In 1920-21 this course will discuss the content and presentation of six of the leading subjects of the Junior High curriculum — English, foreign language, history, mathematics, science, and the manual arts. This course will be given on Saturday mornings. Credit, one point for each full semester.

**English of Commercial and Vocational Schools.** The course gives insight into the methods of teaching the effective use of the language of everyday life, particularly that of business. One hour a week, each semester. Mr. Davis.

**Special French Course.** A special course in Elementary French, combining the minimal essentials of grammar, much reading of French and of French literature translated into English, a study of French life and customs, and as much speaking knowledge of the language as may be gained in the time devoted to the course. Two or three hours a week through the year. 2 or 3 points each semester. Mr. French.

**The Teaching of Geography in Elementary and Intermediate or Junior High Schools.** This course deals with the principles underlying the subject itself and with the principles involved in teaching it.

**The Learning Process.** A one-hour course on Saturday mornings, especially intended for those who cannot take the two-hour course on Monday and Wednesday afternoons.

The school has introduced a course in The Supervision of Children’s Gardening. The course will be in two parts, one in the autumn and the other in the spring. Six one-hour lectures and two two-hour demonstrations will be given in the fall, twelve lectures and four demonstrations in the spring. The autumn series is intended to meet the requirements of a ten-hour promotional course for Boston teachers; the spring series, the requirement of a twenty-hour course. The credit in the School of Education is one and one-half points for the autumn and spring courses together. The lecturers include: Miss Mabel E. Turner, Mr. Louis C. Stearns of the Bridgewater Normal School, Mr. Charles M. Lamprey of the Boston Normal School, Mr. Clarence M. Weed of the Lowell Normal School, Mr. John T. Jack of the Arnold Arboretum, Miss Annie L. Burke, State Specialist of Junior Extension Work, Massachusetts Agricultural College, and Mr. W. H. D. Meier of the Framingham Normal School.

The following scholarship students are enrolled in the School of Education for the year 1920-21: —

Figures for registration at the School of Education on October 1 were as follows:
Teachers on full time, 51; Art Department, 25; Teachers in afternoon classes, 262; total, 338.

The Department of Drawing, Painting, and Design, inaugurated under the School of Education last year through the generous gift of a friend of the University, has been moved from 525 Boylston Street to 44 St. Botolph Street. The Department occupies the whole upper floor of the Lundin Gymnasium.

The School of Education announces a special course in the Supervision of Children’s Gardening, including a course of eight lectures and demonstrations this fall, with eight concluding lectures in the spring.

SCHOOL OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICE

The School of Religious Education and Social Service opened its third year with an enrollment of graduate and undergraduate students one hundred per cent greater than the initial enrollment of last year. It is expected that the total enrollment for the year will pass the 400 mark.

The annual convocation service of the school was held Sunday afternoon, Sept. 26, in St. Mark’s Church, Brookline. Dr. W. S. Athearn, director of the school, introduced Dean James A. Beebe of the School of Theology, speaker of the afternoon. Dean Beebe delivered an address on “The Selfish Use of Power.”

A department of Fine Arts in Religion was organized in the school last September. This department is designed to meet the demand for leadership in the field of religious music, pageantry, and art.

Recent additions to the faculty of the School of Religious Education are: Arthur E. Bailey, Professor of Religious Art and Archaeology (Professor Bailey has taught for several years at Worcester Academy, and has been director of the community school of religious education which has been conducted for the past two years under the auspices of various Worcester churches); Herbert C. Mayer, Assistant Professor of Religious Education, for some years connected with the International Sunday-School Board as an expert in young people’s work.
In the department of Fine Arts in Religion the following instructors have been appointed: Esther Willard Bates, Instructor in Play-Writing; Arthur Vincent Bennett, Instructor in Analysis and Appreciation of Sacred Music; Percy Mackay, Lecturer on Community Drama; and Mrs. Marie Moore Forrest, Lecturer on Outdoor Pageantry. This new department also includes H. Augustine Smith, head of the Department of Fine Arts in Religion; Mary Alice Emerson, Professor of English Language and Literature; Edith Thomas, Instructor in Hymn Interpretation; and Lois Bailey, Instructor in Costuming and Properties.

Dr. W. S. Athearn has been appointed a member of the Committee on Democracy Applied to Education. This is one of the important committees of the National Council of Education, as announced by Homer H. Seerley, president of the Council.

Dr. Athearn has brought out, through the George H. Doran Company, a volume entitled “A National System of Education.” The lectures incorporated in this volume were delivered as the Merrick Lectures for 1919 at Ohio Wesleyan University by Dr. Athearn.

Professor H. Augustine Smith's pageant, “The Rights of a Child,” was given on Sunday afternoon, June 13, in the Congregational Church of Biddeford, Maine, by a cast of about one hundred boys and girls.

Professor Smith was director of a chorus choir of two hundred voices from the Congregational Churches of Greater Boston at a memorial service in Mechanics Hall on July 4 in honor of the soldiers of America and the Allies who gave their lives in the World War. The choir sang Professor Horatio Parker's commemorative ode, “A.D. 1919.”

Professor O. W. Warmingham delivered the opening address of the Community School in Greenville, Pa., on Monday, Sept. 27, and at Sharon, Pa., on Tuesday, Sept. 28. He spoke at the Baptist Church, Oswego, N. Y., on Sunday morning, Sept. 19, and at the Methodist Episcopal Church in the evening.

Dr. Mary Alice Emerson, Professor of English at the School of Religious Education and Social Service, gave an address on “Pilgrim Pageants” at the convention of the Congregational Churches of Plymouth and Norfolk Counties at the Church of the Pilgrimage, Plymouth, Mass., on Wednesday, September 29.

Since the close of college in June Dr. Emerson has directed several of her pageants. “Pilgrims of the Old World and the New” was given on Boston Common, July 5, under the auspices of the City of Boston. “Pilgrims of the Fuller Day” was given in New Jersey, under the direction of Mr. Percy J. Burrell. On July 25 at Ocean Park, Maine, on the seashore at sunset, Dr. Emerson directed “The Eye of Faith,” a pageant written by her for the Missionary Education Conference then in session at Ocean Park. On July 27 her longer pageant, “Pilgrims of the Star,” was staged in the Temple. Dr. Emerson’s Sunday-school pageant, “The Way of Holiness,” written for the centennial of the United Brethren last May, has been published in pamphlet form by that church.

The School of Religious Education has added to the faculty Charles Franklin Towne, A.M., as instructor in “Methods of Teaching English to Foreigners.”
Mr. Towne is Associate Principal of Lasell Seminary. He was formerly Director of Americanization for the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. A feature of his work will be the introduction of the laboratory method in teaching leaders of Americanization groups. Under Mr. Towne’s direction specialists will conduct demonstration classes to illustrate his class-room methods.

Edith Lovell Thomas, Instructor in the Fine Arts Department of the School of Religious Education, is engaged by the Presbyterian Synod of Baltimore to direct her own pageant, “America Follows the Gleam; or, the Light of Christ in the Life of America,” in the Lyric Theater of Baltimore on the evening of October 29.

Miss Alice Louise Brown, formerly Instructor in Social Service in the School of Religious Education, is Director of Religious Education for the Y. M. C. A. at Akron, Ohio.

SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY

The Opening-Day exercises of the School of Theology were held in Robinson Chapel, September 22, at half past ten o’clock. Practically all members of the faculty, and a very large portion of the student body, were present. The address was made by Professor Francis L. Strickland, Ph. D., on the subject, “Theology and the Scientific Spirit.” The total registration at the end of the first week of the School was 203, of which approximately 75 are new students. It seems to be certain that the enrollment for the year will exceed 225. Greetings were sent to and received from Bishop L. J. Birney. Two new professors were introduced — Professor J. E. Johnson, of the Department of Practical Theology, and Professor Adolphus Linfield, who takes the Chair of Evangelism, formerly occupied by Dr. W. S. Mitchell, who has resigned to accept the pastorate of Calvary Church, Philadelphia. Registration has been facilitated this year by a new official in the person of Professor W. J. Lowstuter, who has been made Registrar. He has been assisted in his work by other members of the Faculty.

‘86. An informal luncheon was given Friday, September 10, at the Parker House, Boston, to Bishop and Mrs. Lauress J. Birney by Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Dunn of Gardner, Mass. The guests were the New England Conference delegates to the General Conference and their wives and a few others, including Bishop Birney’s successor at the School of Theology, Dean James A. Beebe, and his wife.

‘09. Dr. James A. Beebe, President of Iliff School of Theology, Denver, Colo., has been elected Dean of the School of Theology, succeeding Bishop L. J. Birney. Dr. Beebe was born in 1878 in Kansas. He is a graduate of Simpson College, Iowa, and of Boston University School of Theology, ‘09. He has held important pastorates in Des Moines, Manchester, N. H., and Chicago. Five years ago he was called from his pastorate to the presidency of the Iliff School of Theology, resigning this position to come to Boston University.

Professor Albert C. Knudson contributes to Zion’s Herald of Wednesday, June 2, a sympathetic sketch of two prominent graduates of the School of Theology who recently passed away, Dr. Hinckley G. Mitchell S.T.B. ‘96, Ph.D. ‘00,
and Dr. Camden M. Cobern, S.T.B. '83, Ph.D. '08. The June issue of BOSTONIA contained a sketch of Dr. Mitchell. Of Dr. Cobern Professor Knudson says: "It is doubtful if there has been any man on the American lecture platform during the past ten years who has spoken on Biblical subjects in so attractive and effective a manner as he."

Zion's Herald of Wednesday, June 16, contained a portrait of Rev. Dr. Asle Knudson, father of Professor Knudson, and for more than fifty years a member of the Norwegian and Danish Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. Adolphus Linfield, superintendent of the Concord district of the New Hampshire Conference, has been elected to succeed Professor William S. Mitchell of the department of evangelism, who has accepted the pastorate of Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church, Philadelphia. Professor Linfield studied at Tilton Seminary and at Boston University. He has held pastorate at Wilmington, Mass., Manchester, N. H., and Lincoln, N. H. He is a trustee of the New Hampshire Conference and of Tilton Seminary and is a member of the New England Advisory Committee of Boston University School of Religious and Social Service.

'95. Dr. J. E. Johnson, of Waterloo, Iowa, has been elected Assistant Professor of Practical Theology. He will live in the apartments which have been occupied by Dean Birney.

Dr. W. J. Lowstuter was elected Registrar of the School at a meeting of the Faculty, June 16.

At the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, held at Des Moines during May, four men were elected who have attended the School of Theology. Dr. Edgar Blake graduated in 1898. His episcopal residence will be in Paris. Dr. C. W. Burns graduated in 1899. His residence will be in Helena, Montana. Dr. Fred B. Fisher took graduate work under Dr. Bowne. His residence will be Calcutta. Dean L. J. Birney, who graduated in 1899, will be stationed by choice at Shanghai, China. He sailed in September to begin his new work. Ten of the Board of Bishops are graduates of the School.

'00. Joseph M. Shepler, at the Conference session in April, was appointed superintendent of the Boston District, succeeding Dr. W. P. Odell, who returns to the pastorate of the Calvary Methodist Episcopal Church of New York City. Dr. Shepler will reside at 83 Washington Park, Newtonville.

'01. Rev. Philip L. Frick, Ph.D., pastor of the Meridian Street Methodist Episcopal Church, Indianapolis, has accepted a call to the pastorate of First Methodist Episcopal Church, Schenectady, N. Y.

'02. Dr. Lewis Oliver Hartman, S.T.B. '02, Ph.D. '09, has been elected editor of Zion's Herald and has begun his editorial work. Dr. Hartman is a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan, '99. In 1914 and 1915 he made an extensive tour through Europe and Asia. His book, "Popular Aspects of Oriental Religions," contains the experiences of his tour.

'07. Louis C. Wright, S.T.B. '07, Ph. D. '17, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the new Methodist Episcopal Church in Cleveland, O., to be formed by the
union of the Epworth Memorial Church and the Euclid Avenue Methodist Church of that city. A new church building, to cost about $800,000, is to be erected soon by the united congregation. The total membership of the two churches is about 2600. Mr. Wright is a graduate of Syracuse University, '04. He had held a number of prominent pastorates in Massachusetts, and at the time of his call to Cleveland was pastor of the Wesley Church, Springfield.

'13. The Boston Evening Globe of Friday, Sept. 10, reported that Rev. Claude A. McKay, pastor of the First Congregational Church, Brockton, resigned on the previous evening, the resignation to take effect October 15. He has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Congregational Church in Gardner. He has been with the First Congregational Church in Brockton since 1915, coming from Ottawa, Ill.

'13. The Providence Bulletin of Saturday, Sept. 25, announced that there would be given at the Roger Williams Baptist Church, North Providence, on the following Monday evening, a reception to the new pastor, Rev. S. D. Ringrose, who has begun his duties at this church. Mr. Ringrose comes to Providence from the Highland Baptist Church of Fitchburg, Mass., where he has been pastor for seven years.

'16. Rev. Clyde E. Wildman, who has been studying for the past year at Glasgow and Basel as a Jacob Sleeper Fellow of the School of Theology, has returned to this country to begin his work as Professor of the Bible in Cornell College, Mt. Vernon, Iowa.

'17. A farewell reception was given Rev. and Mrs. John E. Bentley by St. John's Methodist Episcopal Church, Dedham, on the evening of Sept. 2, before their departure for Denver, Colorado, where Mr. Bentley is to become Professor of Religious Education in Iliff School of Theology.

'18. William G. Chanter, Howard Fellow for 1920, is Assistant Professor of Ethics and Religion at Wesleyan.

'18. George H. Colliver, S.T.B. '18, has been elected Professor of Religious Education in the College of the Pacific, San José, California.

'18. Daniel W. Staffeld has been appointed Professor of Religious Education at the Evangelical Theological Seminary, Naperville, Ill.

SCHOOL OF LAW

Several hundred members of the Boston University Law School Alumni Association had an outing at Wardhurst, Lynnfield, Mass., on Friday, June 25.

The school opened on Thursday morning, Sept. 23, with the largest registration in the freshman class in the history of the school. The address of welcome was given by Dean Albers.

Dean Albers has generously contributed another $500 to the Law School Fund.

At the last meeting of the Alumni Association the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Roland H. Sherman, '96, president; James A. Dorsey, '00, vice-president; Hawley K. Rising, '15, secretary; Moses S. Lourie, '95, treasurer.
Additions to the teaching staff for the ensuing year are as follows: Harrison J. Barrett, Lecturer on Insurance; Edward C. Mathewson, Instructor on Torts, Bills, and Notes; Charles P. Sherman, Lecturer on Roman Law; Francis I. McCanna, Lecturer on the Workman's Compensation Act.

Dr. Melville M. Bigelow contributed to the Boston Herald of Wednesday, Sept. 29, a poem entitled “Natural Law in the Spiritual World.”

Judge Lucilius A. Emery, from 1912 until 1919 Lecturer on Law in the School of Law of Boston University, died at his summer home, Hancock Point, Maine, on Thursday, August 26. Judge Emery, for more than a quarter of a century a justice of the Supreme Court of his native State, was born in Carmel, Maine, July 27, 1840, and graduated from Bowdoin College in 1861. He was the author of several books on legal subjects. He is survived by a son, Harry Crosby Emery, now engaged in banking in China, and a daughter who is the wife of Professor Francis G. Allison of Brown University.

'74. Melvin O. Adams, one of the best known lawyers of Massachusetts, president of the Boston, Revere Beach, and Lynn Railroad, and trustee of many estates and corporations, died suddenly at his residence, 36 Beacon Street, Boston, on Monday, August 9. Mr. Adams was born in Ashburnham Nov. 7, 1880. After graduating from Dartmouth in 1871 he taught school in Fitchburg and at the same time carried on law study with Amasa Norcross, ex-Congressman from that district. Coming to Boston, he graduated from the School of Law of Boston University in 1874 and was admitted to practice. For ten years, from 1876-86, he was Assistant District Attorney for Suffolk County, retiring to become associated with the late Augustus Russ in practicing law. He was one of the founders of the Dartmouth Club of Boston and had long been a trustee of that college. He is survived by his wife and a son, Karl Adams, Assistant Corporation Counsel of Boston.

'80. The Brockton Times of Friday, July 9, announced the death on that day of Eliot L. Packard at his home, Howard Square, Brockton. Mr. Packard was one of the oldest of the practicing lawyers of that city. He studied at North Bridgewater and graduated from Brockton High School, later from Bridgewater Normal School. In addition to his law course at Boston University he studied law two years in the office of the late Judge Jonas R. Perkins, who was a prominent member of the Plymouth County bar and a presiding justice of the police court when Brockton first became a city. He was at one time a member of the Brockton Common Council. He is survived by his wife, three sisters, and a brother.

'90. John E. Hannigan was appointed in August by Judge Morton receiver for the Old Colony Foreign Exchange Company.

'95. Assistant District Attorney Daniel J. Gallagher was named last June to succeed Thomas J. Boynton as United States District Attorney for the District of Massachusetts. This was a recess appointment made by the President, and will be given the Senate when Congress convenes in December.

'09. The Providence (R. I.) News of Friday, June 4, reported that at a meeting of the College des États-Unis d'Amérique, held last spring in Paris, Judge Thomas
Zanslaur Lee, of Providence, was elected a member of the board of directors. This college was established in France in 1916 and incorporated in the United States in 1919. It is designed to assist friends of France to avail themselves of the opportunities offered by the higher French educational institutions, to encourage intellectual unity between France and the United States, and to promote interchange of visits of professors and scholars between France and other countries.

'09. Thomas H. Mahoney was sworn in as Assistant District Attorney of Suffolk County on Tuesday, June 15. Mr. Mahoney takes the vacancy left by the resignation of Daniel J. Gallagher to become United States District Attorney of Massachusetts. At the same time Frederic M. J. Sheehan, '05, was sworn in with the same rank. Mr. Mahoney is a graduate of the Boston Latin School, '02, Harvard University, '06, and Boston University Law School, '09. Mr. Sheehan became Deputy Assistant District Attorney in February, 1918. His promotion in June came under the recent act of the legislature abolishing the grade of deputy assistant and providing for six assistants.

'10. The Brockton Enterprise of Thursday, July 15, announced the wedding on that morning, at the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes, Jamaica Plain, of Ovide V. Fortier, '10, to Miss Josephine Smith, of Jamaica Plain. Mrs. Fortier is a graduate of the Roxbury High School and the Boston Normal School. She had taught at the Trescott School, Hyde Park. Mr. Fortier is a graduate of the Brockton High School, '05, and of the Boston University School of Law, '10. Since his graduation he has practiced law in Brockton. He was among the men to enlist from Brockton during the world war, and while overseas with the 7th U. S. Infantry, 3d Division, won his commission as lieutenant. Mr. and Mrs. Fortier are residing in Brockton.

'13. The Newport (Vt.) Standard of Thursday, June 24, announced the death, on June 16, of Roy Warner Jocelyn. Mr. Jocelyn was born in St. Albans, Vt., in 1882. He graduated from Middlebury College in 1904 and taught in Vermont for some years before entering Boston University School of Law. After receiving his degree in law he opened an office in Swanton, Vt., and practiced law there until the spring of 1919, when he became United States Immigration Inspector. He is survived by his wife and three children.

'14. The Providence (R. I.) Journal of Thursday, June 24, announced the marriage, on the previous Tuesday, of Miss Mary Ella McCarthy, of Woonsocket, and Raphael Louis Daignault, '14. Mr. Daignault is a graduate of the Woonsocket High School and the School of Law of Boston University. He is the junior partner of the firm of Guilfoyle & Daignault. Mr. and Mrs. Daignault are residing at 544 South Main Street, Woonsocket.

'14. Menahem Max Eichler, for more than ten years rabbi of Temple Ohabei Shalom, Boston, has accepted a call to the directorship of the Temple Beth El, Buffalo, N. Y. Dr. Eichler was the founder of the Central Jewish Organization of Boston for uplift work in penal institutions and reformatory. The society was formed about ten years ago and Dr. Eichler has been its president from the
beginning. In May, 1916, he retired from the Hebrew ministry to become a practicing attorney-at-law. He was born in Hungary in 1873. He came to this country with his parents in 1892, and in less than seven years after his arrival he became a rabbi. In 1905 he came to Boston after receiving a call from the Temple Ohabei Shalom. In 1914 he graduated from the School of Law of Boston University and was admitted to the Massachusetts bar. He has been director of the Federated Jewish Charities of Boston, and for the past two years he directed the work of the Zionist Bureau of New England.

'14. George M. French was married to Miss Margaret Whittemore, of Middletown, O., in Nashua, N. H., on Saturday afternoon, September 18. Mrs. French is a graduate of the Keene (N. H.) Normal School, '17. Mr. French is a graduate of Dartmouth, '11.

'15. Charles R. Cabot has been added as Assistant Attorney-General to the staff of Attorney-General J. Weston Allen. Mr. Cabot graduated from Dartmouth in '12 and from Boston University Law School in '15. He served overseas with the 103d Regiment of the Yankee Division and was promoted to the rank of major.

'15. The Traveler of Friday, June 4, announced for the following Monday, June 7, the marriage of Miss Constance Webling, of Brookline, and Malcolm Jenney, LL.B. '15, LL.M. '16.

'16. The Manchester (N. H.) Leader of Thursday, June 3, reports that Thomas P. Cheney, of Laconia, N. H., has been appointed by the superior court County Solicitor for Belknap County to fill out the unexpired term of Fletcher Hale, who was recently appointed a member of the State tax commission. Mr. Cheney is a native of Ashland, N. H., and received his education in the public schools of that town, at the Holderness school, Worcester Academy, Norwich University, and Boston University School of Law. After being admitted to the practice of law he entered the office of the Attorney-General of New Hampshire, where he served until May, 1917. He was in the United States Army from 1917 to December, 1918. Since retiring from the army he has been engaged in the practice of law in Laconia.

'17. The Springfield Union of Sunday, June 6, reported the wedding, on the previous day, of Miss Roslind Cupolo, of Worcester, and Anthony Sannella, '17, of Springfield. The ceremony took place in New York in the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. Mr. and Mrs. Sannella are residing at 575 Main St., Springfield.

'20. Oscar U. Dionne, Terence E. McGlynn, and Fisher Abramson, of New Bedford, were admitted to the bar at the opening session of the supreme judicial court at Boston Friday, September 24.

'20. Justin F. Hoar, of Springfield, was admitted to the bar on Friday, September 24, by Judge Henry K. Braley of the supreme court.

'20. The Lynn Item of Friday, June 18, contained a portrait and a sketch of Edward C. Holden, Jr. The writer speaks of Mr. Holden as a "skillful navigator and a licensed deck officer in the merchant marine." He says he has already been engaged by a large Boston and New York steamship company which operates
a fleet of ocean liners all over the world. After about three years’ service at sea it is Mr. Holden’s intention to settle down on shore and practice admiralty and maritime law.

‘20. The Worcester Telegram of Saturday, September 25, reported that Barnett Larz Newton took the oath of attorney on the previous day before the Massachusetts Supreme Court at Boston. He has begun practicing in the office of Archibald M. Hillman in Worcester.

SCHOOL OF MEDICINE

Dean John P. Sutherland attended the 76th annual convention of the American Institute of Homeopathy in Cleveland last June.

Dr. Walter Wesselhoeft, Emeritus Professor of Clinical Medicine in the School of Medicine, died in Sandwich, Mass., on Tuesday, August 17. Dr. Wesselhoeft was born in Weimar, Germany, in 1838. He was brought to Boston in 1840 with his parents. He received his medical degree from Harvard University in 1859 and began practicing in Halifax, N. S., moving to Cambridge in 1873. He joined the Faculty of the School of Medicine of Boston University in 1873 and at the time of his death held the rank of Emeritus Professor of Clinical Medicine. He held the following professorships in the school: 1873-75, Anatomy; 1875-79, Physiology; 1878-1904 Obstetrics, becoming Professor Emeritus in 1901; from 1904, Clinical Medicine, becoming Professor Emeritus in 1908. He is survived by his wife, who was Mary Leavitt of Cambridge, and by seven children. The funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon at Mt. Auburn Cemetery.

‘88. Dr. Charles Holt Thomas, Emeritus Professor of Clinical Medicine in the School of Medicine of Boston University, died suddenly at his home in Cambridge on Saturday, September 4. Dr. Thomas was born in New Bedford in 1850 and received his early education in that city. He later studied at Gleason Academy, passing from that institution to Boston University. After receiving his degree in ‘88, he began the practice of his profession in Cambridge. From 1895 to 1900 he was Lecturer on Sanitary Science, and from 1899 to 1904, Lecturer on Pathology. In 1904 he was appointed Associate Professor of Clinical Medicine in the University. Later he was appointed to a full professorship in this department, and at the time of his death he was Emeritus Professor. In 1907 he was made a member of the Board of Health of Cambridge and served until 1910. He is survived by his wife and a son, Dr. W. R. S. Thomas, a surgeon of the Massachusetts Homeopathic Hospital and a practicing physician. The funeral services were held on Monday afternoon at his residence. The burial was at Duxbury.

‘20. Wilson Henry Hastings, who graduated from the School of Medicine of Boston University last June with the degree M.D., died Sunday, September 5, at his home on Wellesley St., Newton. Dr. Hastings was born in Weston and graduated from the Weston High School in 1913. At the time of his death he was Assistant Pathologist in the Boston Homeopathic Hospital and a member of the hospital staff. The funeral services were held on the following Wednesday afternoon. Interment was in the family lot in Linwood cemetery.
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