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ADDITIONS TO THE BIOLOGY DE-PARTMENT EQUIPMENT.

New Charts and Specimens Added.

Last spring W. B. George, '16, completed for the Department of Biology about fifteen anatomical charts. These charts, very accurately made, are considered as a very valuable addition to the department. E. A. Kallinich, '19, under the direction of Doctor Carpenter, is now continuing the chart work for the department.

Another recent addition to the Biology Department is the purchase of a new Minot Rotary Microtome, for cutting microscopical sections. It is now in use in the course in Microscopical Technique and Embryology.

Some time ago, at the suggestion of Doctor Carpenter, the Museum obtained from the New Jersey Entomological Company a collection of insect life histories showing the various stages in development from the egg to the adult. These are mounted in cases or in glass tubes filled with preserving fluid. Among the specimens are the Malarial, Yellow Fever, and Cotton Boll Weevil Mosquitoes; the Elm Leaf Beetle; and a number of other specimens, all being of economic importance.

A very accurate collection of mounted ferns, presented to the Museum by Mr. W. A. Lorenz, of Hartford, has been placed on exhibition in the Botanical section. This collection, representative of every species occurring in the local flora, is valuable for reference purposes and to anyone interested in identifying the ferns of New England. In the collection are several fine specimens of the celebrated Hartford fern, now almost extinct

Perhaps the most interesting addition to the Museum is a beautifully colored chart of edible and poisonous mushrooms found in this part of the country. The chart was prepared by Dr. W. A. Murril, A.M., Ph.D., of Bronxwood Park, New York City, and has been hung next to the Mushroom Case in the entrance hall of the Natural History Building.

MILITARY TRAINING COURSE PRACTICALLY ASSURED.

More Than Enough Men Have Promised to Take It.

Saturday President Luther announced that as sufficient men had promised to take a course in military training if instituted here, an application for the establishment of such a course at Trinity had been sent in to the government.

There is small likelihood that the application will not be granted, as Trinity has ample facilities. One difficulty that may be experienced is the lack of sufficient locker space, a difficulty that can be met comparatively easily.

ALPHA DELTA PHI INITIATION.

SECOND GENEOR ASSIMAL

Last Saturday evening the Phi Kappa Chapter of the Alpha Delta Phi Fraternity held its annual initiation. Those initiated were: Austin, '20, R. Humphries, '20, F. Humphries, '20, King, '20, Love, '20, Lyon, '20, Taff, '20, and Walker, '20.

TRINITY MEN IN INSURANCE.

Their Standing Commented Upon.

"The faculty of Trinity College can congratulate itself upon turning out earnest, serious young students who make rapid strides to the front soon after they reach the insurance offices," says the "Eastern Underwriter." "For proofs it is only necessary to read the careers of the young men who have just been promoted by the Travelers Insurance Company, pictures of some of whom are reproduced in this paper, several of whom claim Trinity as their alma mater. One of them is Walter Batterson, grandson of the founder of the Travelers, who is proving a worthy descendant of an illustrious forbear.

"Then, too, the Travelers is not the only insurance company in Hartford that has on its staff graduates of this famous Connecticut college. There was a time when the majority of the college graduates became professional men, and it is still true that most of the fire insurance company presidents began as boys or as very young men in their life-long occupation. But the present trend of the colleges is to fit men for the more practical side of life, and every year more men are being recruited for insurance work from the universities.'

-The Hartford Courant.

COMMISSION GOVERNMENT FOR THE UNITED STATES.

Address Thursday.

Mr. N. T. Dowling of the Legislative Drafting Bureau of Columbia University will give an address on "Commission Government for the United States" in the Public Speaking Room on Thursday evening, November 23, 1916, at 7.30 o'clock. Mr. Dowling worked with the Federal Industrial Relations Commission all through its spectacular and stormy career and can give much information on the workings of our newest method of government. Everyone in college should be present.

SECOND SENIOR ASSEMBLY.

Another Success.

The second Senior Assembly was held last night at 8.30 in Alumni Hall. There were about 75 present. The music was furnished by the Major String Orchestra, the leader of which is William Crosley, who directs the Trinity Mandolin Club. After the first half, light refreshments were enjoyed at the College commons.

CARLSON CROSS-COUNTRY CAP-TAIN.

Carlson, '18, was re-elected captain of the cross-country team for the season of 1917. Carlson has been a member of the team for two years.

FROM THE NEW YORK SUN.

The following clipping from "The New York Sun" was sent to the "Tripod" by Allan B. Cook, '13. It shows that there is at least one fair minded paper.

"Trinity College's football season was over last week and now it comes with the first election of captain for 1917. He is Myron T. Jackson of Norwich, Conn., who played guard for three seasons.

Trinity got through early this season because it could not fill its schedule. That reputable old college, with a truly honorable history, both scholastic and athletic, could not find sufficient opposition because last year it had the gumption to stand up for George Brickley and its principles. A lot of the teams which refused to play Trinity may be using many a football player whose amateur status would not bear scrutiny. However, in the long run Trinity will not be the loser."

CHARLES E. GROSS ADDRESSES THE FRESHMEN.

Informal Talk on "The Calling of the Legal Profession."

Yesterday morning, the Freshman Class was given an informal talk by Mr. Charles E. Gross, a prominent lawyer of this city. Mr. Gross's subject was "The Calling of the Legal Profession".

Mr. Gross treated his subject absolutely impersonally, showing the pleasant and the unpleasant sides of the profession. He advised all men who had not made up their minds to take this as their life work to stay away from law until they could make their decision; because a little knowledge is dangerous. and a man in business who can write Attorney-at-Law after his name is constantly in need of the services of one who makes this profession his life work. Having too much confidence in his knowledge of law, he is apt to make frequent mistakes.

Mr. Gross pointed out three paths which face a man after he has been graduated from his law school. The first is the level path. which neither rises nor falls. A man in this path goes along, supported by his friends, from one client to another with no initiative of his own. A man in this rut will never get out of it. The second path is the downward one. A man who takes this path is one who makes law a trade. He may gain wealth, but he will lose everything else that he cherishes to-day. It is this type of man who has given the legal profession a rather questionable name. These though, are in the minority. The third path which faces a man is the upward path, the top of which no man may ever reach; for however high he may climb there is always something higher. This path is full of pitfalls, and there are many obstacles to be overcome, but there is the satisfaction and enjoyment of knowing that the work accomplished has been accomplished by conscientious application to principle.

Mr. Gross brought out the fact that as much work is done at the desk in the legal profession as in the office, and that oratory no longer decides a case. He showed that argument and logic are the governing factors to-day. The law is constantly changing and the statutes must be interpreted not so much as they are written, but in accordance with the present conditions.

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"NOW THEN TRINITY"

One Alumnus sent The "Tripod" eight alumni notes for the last issue. There are very few like him.

A YOUNG MAN'S RECREATION. CREED.

First-I will never patronize an entertainment that brutalizes man or shames a woman.

Second-I will always do some part of my playing in the open air.

Third-I will not be merely a lazy spectator of sport; I will taste for myself of its zest and thrill.

Fourth-I will avoid overamusement as I pray that I may be saved from overwork.

Fifth-I will choose the amusements that my wife can share.

Sixth-I will not spend Sunday in caring for my bodily pleasure so much that I forget my soul and its relation to God's kingdom.

Seventh-I will never spend on pleasure money that belongs to other aspects of my life.

Eighth-I will remember to enjoy a boy's sports again when my boy needs me as a chum.

Ninth-I will recollect that play should be for the sake of my mind as well as for my body; hence I shall not shun those forms of entertainment that deal with ideas.

Tenth-I will never let play serve as the end of existence, but always it shall be used to make me a better, stronger workman and a richer soul. -Rev. Herbert A. Jump, in "Christian Endeavor World."

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Rev. Samuel Hart, '66, William E. A. Bulkeley, '90, Robert H. Schutz, '89.

Send all alumni notes to P. H. Alling, Alumni Editor, Trinity College, Hartford, Conn.

ALUMNI NOTES.

Luke Vincent Lockwood, '93, A. B., A. M., LL. B., a lawyer, author, and antiquarian, the son of Luke A. and Mary Louise (Lyon) Lockwood, was born in Brooklyn, New York, February 1. 1872.

He received the degrees of A. B. in 1893, and A. M. in 1895, from Trinity College, and an LL. B. from New York Law School in 1895, during which year he was admitted to the New York

He is a member of the Board of Estimates and Taxation, chairman of the Highway Commission of the town of Greenwich, Connecticut, trustee of the Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences, and the Greenwich Hospital. He is a Member of Phi Beta Kappa, Alpha Delta Phi, Connecticut Historical Society, Society of Colonial Wars (life member), Walpole Society, Twentieth Century Club, Rembrandt Club, Riverside Yacht Club, Field Club, and Broker's Club, and a Life Fellow of the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Mr. Lockwood is the author of Colonial Furniture in America, written in 1901, and revised and enlarged in 1913; The Pendleton Collection, 1905; A Collection of English Furniture of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries, 1907; and Furniture Collectors' Glossary, 1913, and also of various articles on furniture collecting.

The Right Reverend Frederick Johnson, '94, A. B., A. M., D. D., Bishop Coadjutor of Missouri, the son of Ezra L. and Jane E. (Camp) Johnson, was born at Newton, Connecticut, April 23, 1866.

Bishop Johnson was given the degrees A. B. in 1894, and A. M. in 1897, by Trinity College, afterwards studying at Berkeley Divinity School. He was made a deacon in 1896, and a priest in 1897. In 1906 he received the degree of D. D. from Trinity College and from Berkeley Divinity School.

He was curate of St. Stephen's Church, Colorado Springs, Colorado, 1897-8 and from there went to Redlands. California, where he stayed from 1899

to 1904. In that year he became Diocesan Missionary of Western Massachusetts. He was consecrated assistant Bishop of South Dakota November 2, 1905, and elected Bishop of South Dakota, October 11, 1910. In May 1911, he was elected Bishop Coadjutor of Missouri.

Bishop Johnson is a member of Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Ex-'10—Ambrose Spencer Murray, 3rd, served with the 7th N. Y. Infantry at McAllen, Texas.

'12-Charles R. Whipple served as 1st Lietuenant of Co. M., 7th N. Y. Infantry at Mission, Texas.

Ex-'18—The engagement of John DuBois Burnham to Constance Fairchild, of Keesville, N.Y., is announced.

MAN.

Man comes into the world without his own consent and goes out against his will.

When he is small the big girls kiss him; when he grows up the little girls kiss him.

If he is rich he is considered dishonest.

If he is poor, he is no good.

If he needs credit, he can't get it.

If he is a prosperous man everybody wants to help him. If he is in politics, he is a grafter.

If he is out of politics, he is no good to the country.

If he is actively religious he is considered a hypocrite. If he takes no interest in religion

he is a sinner.

If he gives affection he is mushy.

If he cares for no one, he is coldblooded.

If he dies young there was a great future for him. If he lives to an old age, he missed

his calling. If he saves money, he is a grouch.

If he spends it foolishly, he is a loafer.

If he gets it, he is a grafter.

If he doesn't, he is a bum.

If he is good at his business the fakirs knock him.

If he is a fakir, he good men knock him .-- Kansas Collegian.

NOTE.

Beginning with the last issue, the managing editors started alternating in getting out the Friday issue of the "Tripod."

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INTERCOLLEGIATE NOTES.

The University of Michigan now boasts of leading the colleges and universities of the country in the number of alumni in Congress, with twenty members. Yale takes second honors with sixteen.

The Collegiate Store at Syracuse, which was owned by the University, was completely destroyed by fire last Friday night. The property loss has been estimated at \$25,000.

Four hundred and eighty-two students, registered in the employment bureau of the College of the City of New York earned \$27,345 during the past year. This is an increase of 129 per cent. over their record last year.

Probably taking a hint from a certain story of the same idea, a group of students at Oberlin has formed a club, the qualifying condition being

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Musical Clubs—President, William Grime, '18; Manager, Paul S. Parsons, '18; Leader, H. C. Redfield, '18.

The Jesters-President, Einer Sather,



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that the member's head be crowned with a halo of crimson locks. The club is to be known as the Order of the Golden Fleece.

Yale's basketball team will take an extensive trip during the Christmas vacation. The schedule calls for eight games, two in Brooklyn and one each in New York, Buffalo, Syracuse, Rochester, Harrisburg, and Annapolis.

Prayers won the championship of the Little Nineteen conference for the Milliken University football team, according to a statement made by Captain Eugene Sutherd. At crittical points in all games during the season Sutherd said he called his players about him and prayed. Then they went in with renewed vigor and made their first down every time, the captain asserted.

Hon. Allen T. Treadway, Amherst '86, has just presented a cup to that college to be awarded annually to the fraternity attaining the highest scholastic average. A smaller cup of the same design will be awarded permanently to any fraternity winning the trophy five times.

Students of the University of New Hampshire are going to build a small

stadium for themselves. They will do all the work, including the building of bleachers and grandstand, and according to engineers' estimates will spend only \$500.00 on the entire field.

Following the disbanding of the Amherst Dramatic Association, a new organization, known as the "Curtain Club," has been formed, which will have charge of all dramatic productions in the college.

Coach Cavanaugh of Dartmouth has introduced a policy of holding as little scrimmage as possible. In consequence his team met Pennsylvania last Saturday without having had any harder practice during the preceding week than the rope drill. This is also an innovation of Cavanaugh's, and is said to be so strenuous that the heavier men on the squad are often forced to drop out of it.

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