Alumni to Take Active Part in College Social Life

The BRYANT COLLEGE ALUMNI—many thousands of whom are located throughout the United States and many of whom are in executive positions—will, this year, take an even more active part in the social life of the College.

The alumni of former officers of the various classes, reunions being held. In addition, the Alumni Secretary at the local and college. The alumni records showing where Alumni are now located and interesting items of their activities.

Present plans call for the establishment of a regular news sheet, published quarterly and mailed to the Alumni. This paper will keep the graduates in touch with all College activities, as well as give information about the Alumni.

Plans are being made for a Reunion, with a Roll Call of all classes. Prizes will be awarded to the Oldest Class, and to the Class having the largest percentage of members in attendance. There will be a Banquet and Dance, and the versified business offices in New England.

Class of Commerce; Rufus Stickney, B.B.A., vocational and cultural lines. The philosophy of Education; Rhode Island College always, large numbers of students. Many students coming from other cities.

Trade Division of the Providence Chamber of Commerce; George E. Robinson, B.S., Head of the Shorthand Department; Boston Clerical School, and Instructor at Boston University; George F. Hammond, Instructor in the Department of the Typographical Union; and E. A. Reynolds, Personnel Manager, Rhode Island School of Commerce.

These experienced men and women brought to the students of Bryant College thoughtful and constructive ideas along professional and cultural lines.

Strong Program of Cultural and Vocational Lectures

Prominent Educators Talk at Bryant

Among the many advantages given BRYANT College students are the frequent lectures by educators and leading business men and women.

Included in the staff of visiting lecturers during the past year were: Otis E. Randle, Ph.D., Former Dean of Undergraduates of Brown University; J. Anton De Haas, Ph.D., Director of the College of Education at Harvard University; Daniel W. Alpert, M.A., Ph.D., Associate Professor of Business at the Graduate School of Business Administration, Harvard University; Ray Bert Waterfield, Ph.D., Sc.D., Professor of Political Economy, Yale University; Edward B. Eddige, Ph.D., M.S.I., Senior Director of the School of Secretarial Studies, Simmons College; Frank Barrie Latte, A. M., Professor of History of Education and Philosophy of Education, Rhode Island College of Education; William J. Hoffman, A.B., Professor of Public Speaking, Boston University; and George W. Gardiner, A. M., B.S., Banister and Economist; Howard J. Whipple, A.B., and or Sales Counselor; and the College Library.

Bryant College will inaugurate a four-year Commercial Teacher-Training Program at the start of the Fall Semester in September. This program will meet State requirements. The Directors of Education of the States of Rhode Island and Connecticut have already approved the curriculum and the approval of the Director of Education in other States is expected in the very near future.

Three and a half years of the four-year program will be devoted to class work. In the first semester of the senior year, the student will receive practical training teaching under a State Critic Teacher in the public high schools of Rhode Island.

The Bryant faculty will be enlarged. Several additional professors, who hold academic degrees and are experienced in training young men and women for the teaching profession, will become members.

Upon completion of the Teacher-Training Program, graduates will receive the Degree of Bachelor of Arts in Commercial Education, and will be eligible for the five-year Professional Teacher's Certificate from the State of Rhode Island.

Each year, the enrollment for this program will be strictly limited to 35 freshmen, who will be selected on the basis of approved scholastic standing, satisfactory personality, and sound health. Each candidate for admission must have the recommendation of a high school principal or senior-class student adviser.

Early Reservations for Girls' Dormitory Are Advisable

Reservations for BRYANT Hall arrive early. Because of the advance registration, it will be wise to secure a place and avoid delay or disappointment.

The demands for reservations in the College's other supervisory dormitories have greatly exceeded the rooms available. Plans are under way to acquire a new dormitory within a two-minute walk of the campus. This new dormitory, temporarily, will help solve the housing problem for many students coming from other cities and states.

The Campus Affords Relaxation

The BRYANT Campus, attractively landscaped with towering old elms, is an inviting spot where the under graduates gather. Rustic benches have been placed about the Campus, and in good weather members of the student body take advantage of a few minutes' relaxation, under ideal conditions.

During the winter months, the students find ample facilities for relaxation and enjoyment in Stratton Gymnasium, adjoining the Cafeteria.

Air Conditioning Given Test in South Hall

The General Electric Company has installed three air-conditioning units in one of the large classrooms in South Hall. Other rooms will be so equipped in the near future.

Although Bryant College is located in an exclusive residential section of Providence providing good air and light, the college officials are quick to install added improvements where the comfort and welfare of the students are concerned.

Relations with the Library

Expansion of the College Library

During the past year many volumes have been added to the College Library either by purchase or through donations of individuals, Alumni, Bryant College Funds, and President Jacobs.

The Library, previously restricted to books relating to business, now contains, in addition, many volumes pertaining to Education, History, and General Literature.

Exclusively accessible, the college campus, the Library is a source of valuable information and used frequently by the students and faculty.
Bryant Offers
Summer Courses
Summer School at BRYANT this year will open July 6 and run for six consecutive weeks. Convenient hours, 9:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m., five days a week allow students to take advantage of nearby facilities for recreation and study. Dormitory facilities are available for out-of-town students. Bryant Hall for young women is within easy walking distance of the Campus. Young men may find boarding accommodations in the College dormitories for men or supervised student homes. Among those attending Summer Courses at Bryant are High School Graduates, College and University men and women, High School and Grade Teachers.

Dormitory Life Popular at Bryant Hall
Many cordial letters have been received from Alumni during the past few months. Among them are the letters from graduates who formerly lived at BRYANT HALL. Counted among their most pleasant memories are the hours spent at the Hall. Friendships formed among the young women, by daily contacts and at the pleasant social affairs, make a valuable contribution toward a well-rounded college life. Years go by, names on the roll change, but every year brings to the old "Hall" young men who help liven up the new students with songs and stories. They, in turn, become "Old Grads" who go out into the world mindful of the happy days and good times at BRYANT HALL.

New Location of Bryant College Proves Popular as Enrollment Increases
The substantial increase in the student body indicates that the new location is proving popular, and one very important feature of this fact is the ample parking space provided for the many students who commute daily, not only from all parts of Rhode Island, but also from nearby towns and cities in the neighboring states of Massachusetts and Connecticut. The present location is within walking distance of the business center of Providence, and away from that congested area known as "downtown." The new buildings and campus are attractively located in the midst of the city's most exclusive residential district. Nearby is Brown University and the Rhode Island School of Design, while cities in the neighboring states of Massachusetts and Connecticut are only a short distance away. This dominating location insures pleasant vistas, fine air and strategic convenience.

Illustrated scenes of college life and class day exercises, and full descriptions of the college programs and general information of interest to young men and young women entering upon a business career are contained within the pages of this new catalog. Numerous requests for copies have been received from high school principals, instructors, and high school graduates. A request incurs no obligation, but is complied with promptly whether through personal call at the college offices or by telephone or mail.

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Fall Registration Already Under Way
Degree Courses Popular
Reservations for September entrance have started. Mr. E. Gardner Jacobs, Vice President and Director of Admissions of BRYANT College, looks for another early registration period due to the limited enrollment policy in force at BRYANT.

Because of the full enrollment in the Freshmen Degree Classes last year and the many students who have started, Mr. E. Gardner Jacobs, Vice President and Director of Admissions, predicts that the new location is going to be an added advantage of nearby facilities for recreation and study. Dormitory facilities are available for out-of-town students. Bryant Hall for young women is within easy walking distance of the Campus. Young men may find boarding accommodations in the College dormitories for men or supervised student homes. Among those attending Summer Courses at Bryant are High School Graduates, College and University men and women, High School and Grade Teachers.

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LETTERS OF CONGRATULATION TO PRESIDENT JACOBS

From
HONORABLE FRANCIS B. SAYRE,
Assistant Secretary of State
of the United States

Dr. Henry L. Jacobs, President,
Bryant College,
Providence, Rhode Island.

My Dear President Jacobs:

You are engaged in a great work and I want to send you a word of congratulations as Bryant College moves into its new home. I know that the dedication of the beautiful new buildings will also mark a re-dedication of Bryant College itself to high ideals and the new endeavor.

We are on the threshold of a new era, characterized by the crucial nature of the problems with which America will be grappling for years to come. It is of very vital importance that our institutions of learning realize and prepare for this new setting. Their function is to do more than impart knowledge. They must inspire their students with an understanding of life, with a fire to serve country and humanity, with an uncomquerable faith in the goodness of God.

May the new Bryant College become great through the devoted lives of its students!

Sincerely yours,

FRANCIS B. SAYRE.

From HONORABLE OGDEN L. MILLS,
Former Secretary of the United States Treasury

Dear President Jacobs,

I want to congratulate you and the College on acquiring a home of its own. It is very gratifying to know that a more adequate physical plant will enable the College to carry on even more effectively the all-important task in which it has been so successfully engaged for many years.

With all good wishes,
Faithfully yours,

OGDEN L. MILLS.

Bryant Musical Clubs Have Busy Schedule

The Musical Clubs of BRYANT, including the Concert Orchestra, Men’s Glee Club, and Women’s Glee Club are busy preparing for their Annual Concert. At the Christmas Assembly, there was a splendid program of songs by the combined Men’s and Women’s Glee Clubs under the direction of Mr. Elmer W. Smith, Director of the Providence Treble Choral Club. There were also selections by the Bryant Concert Orchestra under the direction of Professor Ralph Handy of the faculty.

A Musical, in which the three clubs will appear and contribute single and combined selections, is being arranged for an early date in April.

The Musical Clubs have one of the most active programs at BRYANT. Regular weekly rehearsals are held and the Orchestra plays for the biweekly College Assemblies. The calendar of activities also includes the Annual Spring Concert and Music for the Class Day Program.

At the final Assembly, the Musical Clubs’ Awards are made in recognition of the loyalty and musicianship of the members honored.

Exceptional ability is no requisite for membership in any of the Musical Clubs. If you have a fair singing voice or can play an orchestral instrument with a fair degree of proficiency, make the Musical Clubs a part of your College life.

With all good wishes,

OGDEN L. MILLS.

Stratton Gymnasium a Busy Center of Interest

The popularity of Stratton Gymnasium exceeds all expectations. It is a center of constant activity where a well-balanced schedule is carried out to provide recreation, athletics, social and cultural training for the students.

Among the activities, that take up a goodly portion of the time allotted, are the Lectures and Assemblies, Varsity and Interclass Basketball, Volley Ball, rehearsals for the Men’s and Women’s Glee Clubs, rehearsals of the BRYANT Concert Orchestra, and the dances that take place, at intervals, throughout the year.

On January 9, his Excellency, Governor Robert E. Quinn of Rhode Island, announced the appointment of Professor Henry J. Lee, Associate Dean of the School of Business Administration of Bryant College, as State Budget Director for a term of two years.

Professor Lee has been associated with the College during the past fifteen years. He was admitted to the Pawtucket Public Schools and La Salle Academy in Providence, graduated from Holy Cross College with the Degree of Bachelor of Arts, and furthered his studies at Bryant College pursuing the Business Administration and Accountancy Program for the Masters’ Degree in Business Administration. Professor Lee is a member of the American Institute of Accountants, Rhode Island Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and is past President of the Providence Chapter, National Association of Cost Accountants.

The members of the Executive Board and Faculty of Bryant College regret his departure, but feel that the State of Rhode Island is indeed fortunate in securing a Budget Director who possesses every qualification necessary for that exacting office.

When Professor Lee entered upon his new duties on the eighteenth of January he found himself among friends, for his Assistant Budget Director was Mr. Arthur Burton, C.P.A., Bryant Graduate, and his Office Manager, Mr. Charles Hill, a Graduate from the School of Secretarial Science of Bryant College.

PROVIDENCE

Home of Industries

The city of Providence, in addition to being a center for woolen and cotton goods, is a large manufacturing jewelry point and famed throughout the world in the manufacture of silverware, fine precision machines and small tools. It is also a great retail shopping center. Students at Bryant College are thereby afforded enviable opportunities for field work and first-hand observation in many branches of business and, incidentally, for placement upon the completion of their studies.

Pleasant Environment

Providence, in short, is large enough to afford students the advantages of metropolitan life, yet not so large as to submerge the individual and subject him to that loneliness which so often affects young people away from home in a larger city. The public safety, the health and orderliness of Providence are conspicuous high, and there is an enviable atmosphere of neighborliness and freedom from subversive influences.

Professor Henry J. Lee, Associate Dean of Bryant, Named State Budget Director

The Campus is an Inviting Prospect Between Classes
Bryant Class of 1936 Reaches an Outstanding Employment Record
85% of Graduating Class Already Employed

Over 212 young men and women of the August 1936 graduating class are now "on the way up" in preferred positions representing diversified business activities not only in New England States, but in many other states. Space allows only a few of the graduates' photographs to be shown on this page. Many others are on file at the BRYANT PLACEMENT SERVICE BUREAU, an active force for the promotion of Bryant graduates.