ALUMNI NOTES.

Conducted by JOHN JAY.

[*Graduates are invited to contribute to this column.*]

'62S.—Dr. Clarence King has been spending several days in El Paso, Tex., visiting, en route east from a western tour.

'68—Sheldon T. Viele had an article on the "Yale Alumni Association of Western New York," in the September issue of the American University Magazine.

'71—Rev. F. C. Potter, who had been pastor of the Stanwich, Conn., Congregational Church for seventeen years, resigned on September 1. His present address is 173 High Street, Middletown, Conn.

'74—George W. Stone is to spend the Winter at El Paso, Tex., for his health.

'76—Robert J. Jessup is still on the El Paso, Tex., Herald, but is likely to remove to Jacksonville, Fla., before Christmas, for newspaper work there.

'79—E. S. Fowler has been commissioned by the Governor of Tennessee to preside over the Circuit Court in place of Judge Patterson, who is ill.

'86—Henry T Nason is the Republican candidate for County Judge of Rennselaer County, New York

'88—Fred A. Verplanck with Rev. Charles A. Dinsmore, '88 T. S., made a wheeling trip through Ireland, England, Holland and France last summer.

'89—Charles H. Sherrill is Secretary of the Lawyers' Sound Money Club of New York City.

'89—Dr. Burr R. Abbe, Jr., is practicing medicine in California. He is at present with Dr. Yoekum, at Los Angeles.

'90—Edward L. Munson, M. D., is First Lieutenant and Assistant Surgeon in the United States army, at Fort Assinniboine, Montana.

'90S—The wedding of Miss Rosa P. Buchanan, daughter of Mrs. James A. Buchanan, to Eugene Lentilhon, eldest son of the late Captain Joseph Lentilhon, will take place November 18, in the Christ Church, Rye, N. Y.

'91—Edward A. Thurber is instructor in English at the University of Newbraska.

'91—Joseph P. Lloyd, Jr., and Miss Edith Wright Jones were married at East Orange, N. J., October 21, by the Rev. John F. Patterson.

'92—Thomas L. McClung has recently been made paymaster of the St. Paul and Duluth Railroad

'93—Walter D. Wilcox has published, through G. P. Putnam & Sons, a book entitled, "Camping in the Canadian Rockies." The book deals with travel and exploration by the author in the Canadian northwest.

'93—The marriage of Lawrence Greer to Miss Georgiana Oakes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fletcher Oakes, took place Monday noon, the 19th of October, in St. Thomas's Church, Mamaroneck. The groom's father, the Rev. Dr. David H. Greer, Rector of St. Bartholomew's Church, New York, officiated at the ceremony. Among the ushers were Sherwood B. Ives, '93; A. V. S. Lambert, '93; Edward Van Ingen, '91S.; C. D. Jones, '93, and Irwin B. Laughlin, '93. Mr. and Mrs. Greer will reside in New York City.

'94—The future address of James T. Potter will be Lawrence, Kansas.

'94—Warrick J. Price has a sketch in the last "Black Cat" entitled, "In an Hour."

'94—Edward M. Day has returned from a three months' trip to England, Germany and France.

'94—Richard H. Worthington has been admitted to the bar and will practice law in Baltimore, Md.

'94—Charles R. Treat, who is assistant superintendent of the Delmar Mining Company, Nevada, was recently married at Orange, Ct., to Miss Daisy Clarke, of that place.

'94S.—Miss Maude Manwaring, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Manwaring, of New Haven, was married Wednesday evening, October 21, at Plymouth Church, to Charles B. Brown. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. McLane, of that church. The ushers were Frederick M. Loyd, '93; Dr. A. F. Slater, Henry H. Holly, Jr., '94S.; Robert T. Fowler, '94S.; James Walker, '94S, and George W. Gillette, '96S.

'95—George T. Adee is now with Cuyler, Morgan & Co., bankers, 44 Pine Street, New York City.

'95—E. M. Weyer is studying Psychology with Professor Wundt in the University of Leipzig.

'95—Benjamin H. Dwight has been taking a course in the Eastman Business College, Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

'95—W. Orville Hickok is now working with the W. O. Hickok Manufacturing Company, of Harrisburg, Pa.

'95—John A. Brookwater, of Springfield, Ohio, leaves next month for San Jose, Costa Rica, to enter into the coffee business.

'95—Richard T. Lowndes, son of Governor Lloyd Lowndes, of Maryland, and Miss Mary Elizabeth McDowell were married at the Presbyterian Church of Danville, Ky., on October 22. Among the ushers was Clifford S. Cook, '95, of Cincinnati. Lloyd Lowndes, Jr., '95, was best man.

'95 Ph. D.—The Strauss prize of $200, offered under the direction of Brown University for the best original investigation of certain problems in American history, has just been awarded to Miss M. L. Greene, who took the degree of Ph. D. in history at Yale in 1895. Her subject was the "Separation of State and Church in Connecticut."

'95S.—William G. Caldwell is taking a post graduate course at the University of Virginia Law School this year.

'96—G. L. Buist, Jr., has entered the Yale Medical School.

'96—O. Baker has entered in public school work in Alton, Ill.

'96—G. M. Bemis is principal of the High School of Michigan City, Ind.

'96—H. A. Farr is taking a graduate course in German at Heidelberg, Germany.

'96—Howland Twombly is with the firm of Silver, Burdet & Young of Boston, Mass.

'96—Eugene D. Alexander is instructor in Greek and Mathematics in King's School, Stamford, Conn.

'96—The engagement of Albert G. Keller to Miss Caroline Gussman, of Philadelphia, Pa., is announced.

'96—The engagement of W. H. Wadhams to Miss Caroline Reed of Andover, Mass., has been announced.

'96—L. L. Brastow has an article in the "Symposium," George W. Cable's magazine, entitled, "Historical American Towns."

Judge Brown's Declination.

Judge Charles F. Brown, 66, LL. D., '96, a member of the New York Supreme Court, was nominated for his place on the bench by both the Gold and Silver Democrats. The nomination of the Silver Democrats he has declined in the following letter.

Supreme Court Appelate Division,
Second Judicial Department,
Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 5, 1896.

My Dear Sir—Upon my arrival from Europe on Saturday I learned that the Democratic Judicial Convention for the Second Judicial District had unanimously nominated me for the office of Justice of the Supreme Court, which will become vacant upon the expiration of my own term of office.

I am deeply sensible of the great honor which the convention has conferred upon me in nominating me to be my own successor, but after very careful reflection I find it imposible to accept the nomination.

At the approaching election I shall cast my vote for the candidates of the Republican party, as I cannot support the candidates nominated at the Chicago convention, nor give my adherence to the political principles set forth in the platform adopted by that body.

While it is with great regret that I am constrained to server my former political associations, I think you will agree with me that, under the circumstances, it would be manifestly improper that I should be a candidate for office on the Democratic ticket, and that it is best that I should withdraw.

I shall, therefore, decline the nomination made at the Judicial Convention. With great respect, I am very truly yours,

Charles F. Brown.

Obituary.

HENRY R. WINTHROP, '30.

Henry Rogers Winthrop, '30, of New York, died at his country seat at Far Rockaway, October 23.

Mr. Winthrop was born in New York, January 31, 1811. He prepared for Yale and was graduated from there in 1830. He studied at the Yale Law School, and was admitted to the bar in 1832. After studying in the office of Chancellor Kent of New York, he began practice in partnership with William T. Johnson. Formerly a Whig in politics, at the birth of the Republican party, he became a Republican, and remained a loyal supporter of its principles to the time of his death.

On November 20, 1838, Mr. Winthrop married Miss Margaret Louisa Hicks. Mr. Winthrop was the oldest in descent of the lineal descendants of Governor John Winthrop, of Massachusetts, tracing that descent always through the oldest sons. He was one of the oldest members of the Yale Alumni Association, of New York, and also of the Century Club. He was an incorporator of the University Club of New York city, and one of the first members of the Bar Association of that city. He belonged to the St. Nicholas and New England Societies.

Mr. Winthrop has always resided in New York, and his influence has been exerted in favor of everything tending to elevate and reform the existing social and political conditions of that city. He leaves a widow, a son, Mr. Buchanan Winthrop, '62, who is a member of the Yale Corporation, and a daughter, Harriet Rogers, wife of Rev. Haslett McKim.

REV. THOMAS S. POTWIN, '51.

Rev. Thomas Stoughton Potwin, well known in Hartford, Conn., as a Congregational clergyman, who had been in ill health, physically and mentally, for several months past, died at his home in Hartford last Thursday. In a state of mental depression, he took his own life.

Mr. Potwin was born in East Windsor, Conn., April 4, 1824, his parents being Thomas and Sarah Stoughton Potwin. He was graduated from Yale in the class of 1851, and immediately after was a tutor in Greek and Latin at Beloit, Wis. In 1853 he returned to the East and began the study of Theology in East Windsor Hill Seminary and the following year was appointed tutor at Yale. In 1855 he took the degree of M. A. from his alma mater. Three years afterward he was married to Miss Harriet Amelia King, of Boston, and remained in New Haven for two years, as tutor in Astronomy, after Professor Olmstead's death, and as assistant to Professor Porter in Logic.

He was later ordained as pastor of the Congregational Church in Franklin, N. Y., remaining there for six years and a half, during the period of the Civil War. He returned to East Windsor for a short time, and then removed to Amherst, Mass., where he lived until 1875. In that year, in connection with Mrs. Potwin, he took charge of the Hartford Orphan Asylum, remaining there until 1887. He afterwards lived in Florida for one year, but ill health, which had attended him all his life, compelled him to retire from all active pursuits, and for the past nine years he has lived in Hartford, without any occupation.

During his charge of the orphan asylum, he made many friends by his untiring work in behalf of those under his charge. He leaves besides his wife, two adopted children.

EGBERT W. CORNWALL '92 S.

Egbert W. Cornwall, '92S., died at his home in this city, on Saturday of last week, in the twenty-sixth year of his age. He had been ill for some time, but when the news came a few days ago that he had passed the crisis of typhoid fever and was rapidly improving, his friends expressed great hopes of his recovery. A relapse set in, however, and death resulted in a very short time.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cornwall, of Paterson, N. J., and prepared for Yale at Williston Seminary. Graduating from the Sheffield Scientific School in 1892, he took a post graduate course in civil engineering, but did not complete it. He was employed by the Consolidated Railroad in the engineering corps at Stamford, Conn., and afterwards by the Southern New England Telephone Co. He was of an athletic build, and won many friends by his fine personality and genial manners.

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Policy of the Sound Money Club.

Owing to inquiries made recently regarding the policy of the Sound Money Club Committee, which has apparently been quite inactive, the Yale Daily News published the following explanation: —

"Owing to the peculiar situation in which the University felt itself placed by the action of many of the people of New Haven and by the criticism of the press, the Committee thought it advisable to take no active part in any public demonstration in this city, and no member of the University acquainted with the facts of the case can doubt the wisdom of this decision.

"The Committee then determined to invite prominent speakers to address the University in behalf of sound money, but on writing to the National Committee, it was found impossible to accomplish their wish, owing to the great need of speakers in the doubtful states of the West.

"The committee, therefore, has done whatever lay in its power, and even if its policy seems to have been one of inactivity, it can be readily understood that its decisions throughout have been for the best interest of the University."

Scientific Senior Class Officers.

At a meeting of the Senior class of the Sheffield Scientific School in North Sheffield Hall last Monday the following committees were elected:

Supper—R. A. Hickok, G. H. Flinn, J. C. Belden. Triennial—Winchester Bennett, N. L. Barnes, C. W. Beers. Graduation—A. R. Chamberlain, H. W. Letton, S. S. Spencer. Cup—J. H. Porter, R. J. Grant, G. E. Cram. Picture—George Langford, H. L. Rogers, R. A. Hickok. Dance—J. W. Best, E. H. Brewer, P. D. Mills, B. W. Kountze, W. S. Cameron. Class Day—R. A. Hickok, E. H. Brewer, J. M. Gerard, W. O. D. Cox, Jr., H. M. Ingham.