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Houghton Alumni Meet in Buffalo

Keith Farner '26 Presides; Hollis Stevenson Elected New President

The annual meeting of the Buffalo chapter of Houghton Alumni was held on Friday evening November 6 at the Y. M. C. A. in Buffalo. A greater interest in Houghton was manifested in the fact that there was a record attendance of about forty. Mr. Keith Farner '26 presided and the true Houghton spirit prevailed throughout. The Faculty and Student Body, were represented by Pres. and Mrs. Luckey, Prof. LeVay Fancher, Prof. LeRoy Fancher, and the College Quartette. The alumni enthusiastically received the songs by the quartette and expressed their desire for more next year.

Mr. Farner presented the speakers: Professor LeRoy Fancher, Mr. Northrup of North Tonawanda, Professor LeVay Fancher and President Luckey. Professor LeVay Fancher talked about the college, its progress, its financial situation and its future plans. His report was certainly encouraging. President Luckey talked to the Alumni. He showed how they could do their part for Houghton by sending students. He related plans for an Alumni banquet on December 11th, the night of the College Chorus, a Home coming week-end in the Spring and an all alumni day on Saturday during Commencement. His plans were most heartily received and every alumni expressed his approval of the plans by his agreement to cooperate.

At the business meeting, Hollis Stevenson '29, Junior in School of Dentistry, University of Buffalo, was elected President for the new year. Fidelia Warburton teacher in Hamburg High School was elected Sec. and Treas. and Star reporter. The Buffalo Chapter is looking forward to a profitable and interesting year working out President Luckey's plans for the Alumni.

Convention Supplies Chapel Speaker

Rev. Smith, pastor of the Methodist Church of Wellsville, lectured Monday morning during the chapel hour to the personnel of Houghton College including a group of visiting ministers of various denominations.

His lecture was a recipe for the lives of his listeners.

"Think, without confusion, clearly," was his first item. Don't permit propaganda to influence you or allow evil thoughts to be entertained in your mind.

"Act from honest motives, purely," came next.

"Love your fellowmen sincerely." Don't shift responsibility to others who have no more obligation to bear than you have.

"Trust in God and Heaven securely," was his fourth and final point.

Magazine Comments On Ho'ton Library

The following is an excerpt from the magazine "New York Libraries." "Houghton. Willard Houghton Memorial Library. M. Belle Moses librarian. The Houghton College Library is extending its resources and service to the residents of the village. With an excellent collection of works of nonfiction and an unusual collection of religious books as a basis, it will develop the fiction and children's sections to meet the needs of adult and juvenile borrowers. The library is used jointly by the college and high school and under the present plan it will become unquestionably a community center."

Arthrons Entertain Senior Men

Thursday evening the senior men were royally entertained by the Arthron girls. The party was held in the basement which was decorated in the style of a 19th century inn.

Among the most attractive features of the entertainment which progressed while we were eating an old fashioned inn dinner were: readings by Mrs. Kluzit, Ruth Kissinger, and Theda Thomas; a three act play which witnessed the death of a royal family and an imitation of the College Male Quartet. We all enjoyed hitting the wild man of Borneo. Everyone expressed himself as having a good time.

Volunteer Convention Is Announced

China and Japan at each others' throats—a League disarmament conference in February which will powerfully influence world history in the years ahead—India agonizing in her struggle to work out her national destiny—a tottering economic system that produces industrial conflict and unemployment the world over—shall we in America be mere spectators, or can, should, WILL thinking students have any small part in helping toward the solution of these and other similar crises that are racking the world today? Is there any contribution they can make, any point where their thinking can dig in right now?

Certainly the dizzy rapidity of present world-changes demands that they give careful thought to the place of religion in the present world order: while, by the same token, the rapid modifications in the Christian missionary enterprise necessitate a new and penetrating appraisal of the whole purpose and technique of foreign missions.

The most significant student religious gathering during the present academic year will be the meeting of the Eleventh Quadrennial Convention of the Student Volunteer Movement, at Buffalo, New York, December 30, 1931, to January 3, 1932.

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Thursday evening New Yorkers parading along "The Great White Way" stopped and held their breath as they listened to a sound as "of a mighty rushing wind."

For on Thursday evening about three hundred fifty Houghton students heaved a sigh of relief. Exams were over once again.

It Seems to Me...

Upon my return to Houghton after a period of absence, I refrained from any comments upon Houghton until I had been here for some time, and fully felt the spirit of the school life. It is quite a change from my secluded hermitage in the mountains to the comparative greater contact with other people here at school. Possibly I might judge a bit harshly before I felt the spirit of the institution.

I find that Houghton has changed a great deal from the Old Houghton I knew some time ago. Teachers have come and gone, and the curricula have changed surprisingly. Some things are the same, and remind me of the Old Houghton, and then I long to see my former chums and classmates. Of course, I knew some of the present students before, but all my classmates and chums have graduated.

It is a real pleasure to note from day to day the degree Houghton has changed in a comparatively short time. Class and school spirit are much stronger, and the students are beginning to awaken from their former lethargy, and take an active interest in school activities. I regret to see the passing of the Athenian, but the Expression and Music clubs take its place quite effectively. The student body as a whole is "peppier" and more wide-awake than that of former days. The students are aware that College is a place to live, society in miniature, and that it is up to them to find their place.

The one deplorable thing is that the students are under the impression that they are here to pass certain courses wished upon them by the faculty. Of course, it is ridiculous, but some of them honestly believe that the teacher or professor is responsible for their grade. If they fall below "C", either the teacher failed to present the work properly, or nursed private grudge, or some similarly juvenile idea. If they could realize before the majority of their life at college is spent, that they get exact as much from their work as they put into it; it would relieve about ninety per-cent of the professor's worry. I takes two or three years for the average student to escape from the harmful ideals they developed in High School. Some never do.

But Houghton is improving. The faculty are (Believe It or Not) trying to develop the school for its own best advantage. Very few are here from hopes of pecuniary gain. Their main ideal is that Houghton is pri-

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Sophs Triumph in a Double Header

Last Friday night was one of triumph for the Sophs. In part they upset the dope, for both Frosh teams were favored to win.

The girls game resulted in a small score, mostly due to inaccurate shots. Score 7-2.

The boys game was very fast and thrilling throughout. The Sophs piled up several points before the Frosh began to click, but when they did, it looked like an even break. The score was a tie with only a few seconds to play when Farnsworth dropped in a neat long shot which decided the game. Score 33-31.

Audience Hears Good Message

The sermon Sunday morning was taken from the text Ephesians 4:14, "That we henceforth be no more children cast two and fro by every wind of doctrine;—"

Christians have two fold characters, babes and men. Babes in Christ do not feel the challenge of a higher state of grace at the time. The Church members of Corinth were entirely babes in Christ. They had the spiritual characteristics and were lured on to full manhood in Christ.

"Every converted man is a sanctified man, though possibly not wholly sanctified." You can't be a Christian and only occasionally have the Holy Spirit for God's Word—"He dwelleth in you." There is a difference between the justified man and the entirely sanctified one. The work of entire sanctification wipes out every atom of opposition to God's Word. Believers need to repent. God says. Put off the old man and put on the new man which in God is created in righteousness and true holiness.

Two more characteristics of the spiritual man are understanding and power.

The evening sermon was taken from *Thessalonians* and concerned the Bereans. These people received the apostles' message with readiness. They became an enlightened community of religious people.

Ours is an enlightened age but we often do much to keep out of this light. It takes much preaching to get people to accept the gospel.

Each one is responsible to himself in his relation to God through the gospel. There is a state of mind which can't receive the gospel. The state of mind must be changed before the gospel can enter. The state of our minds in relation to the gospel determines the value of the ministry to us. There are some people to whom all the riches of God's glory will come because they have the same kind of a mind that the Bereans had.

Keep your temper, it's yours.

Duo Piano Recital Scheduled Friday

Professors Cronk and Kreckman to Combine Abilities in Program

Mr. Cronk and Mr. Kreckman will give a piano recital in chapel Friday evening November 20 at 8:15. They have already proven their musical ability, and it is certain that no music lover will be able to resist coming out Friday night. Their program is:

- I. BACH
Bourée
Andante from c minor Concerto
- II. BURLEIGH
Mountain Pictures, Suite
No. 1 Crags and Cascades
No. 2 Shepherd's Song
No. 3 Distant Haze
No. 4 Avalanche
- III. MOUSSORGSKY - PATTISON
Coronation Scene from "Boris Godounoff"
- IV. BRAHMS—Waltzes
- V. GRAINGER
Two Musical Relics of My Mother
1. Mermudei Illi
2. As Sally Sat a-weeping
POLINDI—Danse des Valets
- VI. SAINT-SAËNS
Variations on a theme by Beethoven

A Capella Choir Makes Debut

After Rev. Smith of Wellsville, had finished his talk Monday, the Houghton College A Capella Choir made its first public appearance. They marched smartly up to the platform, and Mr. Bain informed the audience that the choir would sing an old German anthem, "Beautiful Saviour."

Judging from the applause the number was appreciated. Mr. Bain and his choir are to be congratulated for their excellent work. With such a fine start they shall have a hard time breaking their own record.

Houghton College can justly feel proud of its A Capella Choir.

Star Staff Forms New Literary Club

Last Thursday night, November 5, the Star Staff met to consider formation of a literary society. A constitution had been previously drawn up by a special committee, and was submitted for consideration and discussion. After numerous changes had been made the document was voted upon and accepted.

The new society aims to increase literary interest in Houghton and is formed with the Star Staff as a nucleus. Additional members will be added from the student body upon a competition basis. The membership limit is to be kept at twenty so that entrance competition should be keen.

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Collegiate Sam Says:

It takes a fast line to complete a forward pass in some courses.

EXAMS

"We are what we are by reason of what we are not." This statement was found during exam week, in a book on education. With the thought of exams forming the greater part of the readers' apperceptive mass, immediately this other idea was formed and has been growing rapidly after each exam. "We get what we get by reason of what we know not."

And somehow teachers have the happy faculty of knowing what we've studied hardest and therefore evading that on every exam. As a result there is a bigger crop of resolutions than any New Year's Day ever brought forth. We're all determined to study harder and oftener, for at least a week.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, ARMISTICE DAY

Curtis Rogers, known as "Curt", was one of Houghton's alumni who gave his life for his country in the World War. It was not his to know the hilarious excitement and hysterical joy that shook our nation when the Armistice was signed. But he helped make it possible.

The following story is told of "Curt." One day "on the front" a rough, loose mouthed comrade hollered at him, "Say you fool, what are you doing here? Haven't you got a home and folks?" "Yes," Curt answered quietly, "that's why I'm here."

In that answer is the powerful meekness and lovely simplicity of the Nazarene.

Armistice Day brings a dull ache to many hearts, but a thrill of joy too, that of some one they loved it may well be said, "Greater love hath no man."

CORRECTION—ALUMNI CHAPTER MEETINGS

The Olean Chapter will meet December 9 and the Jamestown Chapter December 8.

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marily a Christian school; but at the same time they realize that religion cannot be forced upon the student body. I wholeheartedly sympathize with them in their desire to be fair. They have more difficult and more serious problems to solve than any student has. (And I'm the cause of some of them.) I'm sure they will tell you that they do not consider themselves infallible, and they are always ready to reconsider any problem that has been unfairly decided. Let's work for a Greater Houghton!

Anna Houghton Daughters

The Anna Houghton Daughters met with Mrs. Geo. Osgood on Friday, November 6th. Letters were read from the county supervisor and from Dr. Lyman telling of needy families. The ladies needles and scissors were busy making garments for the little children. It was voted not to have a banquet for the faculty this fall nor a Christmas party but rather to devote our time and money where the need is greatest.

Miss Josephine Richard and Mrs. George Osgood were the hostesses.

ALUMNI

"Virg" Hussey Writes

Realizing the labor and constant worries of the STAR Staff, I am hastening to send you my annual remittance of the paltry sum of \$1.50 before said STAR Staff meets a tragic end and my weekly newspaper is suddenly cut off. Yes, your editorial struck it right—it is time—TIME—TIME that is bothering most of us. Personally, I think there ought to be a moonlight saving time so I could do some of that back work of mine. We all enjoy the STAR, I'm sure.

Now, just a few flowers to brighten your thorny path. I really think the STAR is excellent this year, and hope you will continue your efforts. Your idea concerning a newspaper club should bring forth fruit, if interest, pep, and enthusiasm are kept up. Your articles "Know Your Campus" are especially good.

Keep the alumni news coming, if possible—put their names in print and publicly ask them for contributions. Right now, I'd like to see some word from Tierney, Christy, "Doc" Frank, Kitterman, and the Stevensons. They're not all dead are they? At least, I haven't heard of their funerals.

Everything is going fine in this neck of the woods, thank you.

Yours for the STAR,

"Virg" Hussey

Old Alumnus Responds

I think I have done nothing that merits publication. Mrs. Fall (Dorothy Jennings) and I enjoyed a week end visit with Dean and Mrs. Fancher last September on our way to Williams College, where I am teaching, while on sabbatical leave from Hiram College. We had not been back to Houghton for four years and so we enjoyed meeting old friends and observing the improvements and growth that are very evident on College Hill. I am not one of those who deplores the fact that things are not as they were when I was a student there two decades ago. Mrs. Fall and I both rejoice in the advancement Houghton has made.

We are enjoying immensely these Berkshire Hills and the "New England atmosphere."

Yours truly,

Paul H. Fall.

Dept. of Chemistry, Williams College, Williamstown, Mass.

Dyer Dealings

Dear Editor-in-Chief,

Who would have thought November is here? Not I. But sure enough—it's snowing right now, so summer must have donned its duds and fled. And if the calendar doesn't stare me in the face, saying, "Election Day is already past." I think I hear close to its heels the tramp of Armistice Day. Yes'm, the radio is echoing those martial airs and peace tunes that I first heard about thirteen years ago. (When! Am I getting old? No—that "school girl complexion" has not begun to even think of fading. Why, I'm only—ssh.)

By the way, do I smell chicken and turkey? Not yet, I guess—but such colorful and flourishing fan-tailed bipeds as I see on every magazine cover. Say, if I don't stop this rambling on, Santa himself will be here or do you suppose "his bank will fail?" Well, mine hasn't yet. In fact, I think most of the Alumni are quite well off since we don't live in Chicago.



Know Your Campus

Houghton College! Where? Not on this campus. Instead, this plateau is fringed on the west in springtime by the beautiful pastels of dogwood and azalia. In summertime it is covered with fresh grass dotted here and there by the noble chestnut. Here contented cattle eat their fill of juicy grass and rest in the shade of the spreading trees. In the autumn children and squirrels vie with one another for the rich harvest of nuts. Man has added utility to this spot, but at the price of some of nature's beauty. Surely, this is a fitting place into which to transplant one of man's cherished products.

But where was this plant grown that it might merit so beautiful a setting? Years ago a humble man conceived the idea that the Wesleyan Methodist Church should have better trained ministers as well as educated laymen. Ways and means were very limited, but at this time a great opportunity was offered to Houghton. Nor was she slow in grasping it. A public spirited man who owned the first farm west of the village offered as his contribution the hill overlooking the valley as the site of Houghton Seminary. Nearby farmers with teams attended to the excavation and grading, while Willard Houghton visited the churches making strenuous efforts to raise the needed money.

Building moved slowly because of lack of means. However, the interest was widely distributed, and later students came from many sections.

One of the incentives used by Mr. Houghton was to secure \$25 subscriptions which would furnish a definite block of brick in the walls.

Under God's blessing the building was finished, and beside it stood the President's house, a wooden structure. In the fall of 1884 the Seminary doors were opened to faculty and students. While the building furnished a study hall and six class rooms, not all of these were used. There was a very limited library composed of theological books.

In these early days the Neosophic Society was formed which met each Friday evening. This proved to be the Forum which attracted students, faculty and townspeople. Its meeting was the greatest event of the week. Orators and debaters won for themselves glory.

Financial difficulties were not at an end with the completion of the building. There was no endowment, and the church felt that she had contributed freely in the building itself. No budget plan of raising money had been adopted, and the matter of coal bills and teachers' salaries was somewhat neglected. Many of the students were without financial resources, but their difficulties were met with a smile. As long as there were farmers who would hire boys to milk cows and do other farm chores, while the girls could do their own cooking and live on simple fare, there was a democracy of feeling that laughed at hardships. Yes, it also developed strong characters, for among the students of those days were: James Luckey, Mary Lane, Pearl Fero, Willard Boardman, and many others who little knew the places in life God had for them.

The growth of the institution varied during the coming years. At times there seemed to be no advancement and then a more rapid growth.

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Russel Frase spent Friday and Saturday visiting in Houghton.

Mrs. Conley was a visitor on the campus last Friday and Saturday.

Professor LaVay Fancher attended Board meeting in Syracuse this week.

Mrs. Crumley, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and son, visited Paul Crumley Wednesday.

Addie Belle Bever did not return this week because of sickness. We hope she will be with us again soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred West and daughter Reta visited Ruth West over the week-end.

Elizabeth MacFarlane, Bernice Davie and Mrs. Cott went to Wellsville Saturday afternoon.

Edna Stratton and Lois Sweet spent Saturday afternoon shopping in Olean.

Gordon Stevenson, Marshall Stevenson, and Willard Stevenson visited their home at Mooers last week-end. Gordon has been in Houghton this week.

Aubrey Arlin and Miss Noss visited the latter's parents at their home over the week-end. Mr. Arlin assisted in the Sunday service at Miss Noss' home church.

Professor Stanley Wright is representing the college at several reunions of different chapters of the Alumni Association this week. On Wednesday night he attended the reunion of the Mooers chapter. Thursday night the reunion of the Syracuse chapter; and tonight he will be at the Rochester chapter reunion.

Lost & Found

LOST—Wahl Fountain Pen, green small and without ring. Return to—Mildred M. Wilson.

LOST—Leather glove either on the rear of campus or downstairs in the lower hall.—Vivian Mills.

FOUND—A pair of dark brown woman's gloves.—W. M. Robinson.

LOST—Purple silk umbrella. M. Updyke.

LOST—Green Fountain Pen. Return to M. Murphy.

I guess this matter of not subscribing sooner is just a case of "putting off till tomorrow what we should and could do today." Now that you have written us such an appealing editorial we just must act. Here is hoping you won't have to "stir up our pure minds in way of remembrance" again, but that the "Star-4-Kast" or "After-Kast" will improve along with the "With'er 4-Kast."

Please pardon the bit of blue color I added to your attempt in publishing the "Houghton Star" weekly. You will find enclosed for the same, my dollar and a half (\$1.50) to make the "Star" a stronger weekly.

Most sincerely,

Your Alumna Friend,
Martha M. Dyer.

EDITOR'S NOTE: Alumni—Follow suit! "Mari" is as busy as a bee, but she took time off to write a letter which surely will prove upon reading, that the "pen is mightier than the sword." And believe me her pen is mighty—it wrote a money order. Thanks "Mari", you've set a generous example.



Summary of the Week

From Tokyo, Japan—Sino-Japanese war is still in the air. And it's all over a railroad. The Orientals take their transportation nearly as seriously as Chicago does her elections. But the main thing is: Will Japan continue to defy the League of Nations Council? The order of the Council for Japan to withdraw her troops from the Manchurian area has drawn a refusal from the Nippon government. The Council will meet again in Paris on November 17. The United States has appointed Gen. "Charlie" Dawes, former Vice-President and present ambassador to England as its representative to the conference. Let us hope that a plan as fruitful as the "Dawes Plan" for Germany will be forth coming.

From London, England—The Hindus are requesting that Mahatma Gandhi be returned to India. Evidently the success of Gandhi's goat wasn't too impressive. You knew, of course, that the goat wandered on-day, and got into a pet show of the notables of the animal kingdom from all over the British Isles. When the keeper of the hollow-horned dominant discovered his charge, the Judges had awarded it the blue ribbon of the show. England didn't get the Mahatma's goat, but the goat did get England.

Washington, D. C.—The Democrats and wets are rejoicing together. For the first time in 13 years the Disciples of the mule control 215 seats in Congress—two more than the Republicans. Following that the Disciples of Baccus announce that two fifths of our next congress will be in favor of repealing the 18th Amendment. In the House 170 members are wets, and 27 Senators likewise. Of course the dries are still confident that their opponents are merely making a "big noise." And we sincerely hope that that "noise" won't become the popping of corks.

New York City—Down in New York they are stirring things up again. At the first dinner of the American Institute of Physics, a few nights ago, a group of scientists demonstrated that the atom—so long a puzzle—could be smashed. They had an apparatus which discharged a million and half volts across a three-foot gap. Of course, they explained this wasn't enough power to get at the nucleus, or the seat of power, of the atom. But up at Princeton University they are developing a machine which will create 50 million volts. What good is this? Well, a cup of water contains enough power to propel a gigantic liner from New York to England—that is, if this power can be liberated. It sounds good anyway. But we will believe it when we can drop a cup of water into a fliver and motor out to California for the winter.

From Greenland—Here is some news that may cause all history books to be rewritten. Rasmussen, the artic explorer, says that Jamestown was not the first settlement around this part of the world, neither was St. Au-

"Teacher" Travels Abroad

THROUGH SOUTHERN GREECE

Honk! Honk! All aboard! We were off! It was the last trip of our summer school, and the last two weeks of school. At seven o'clock on a bright (and hot) summer morning our cars with their trusty drivers took a southerly route along the Isthmus of Corinth to the historic town of that name where we stopped.

Corinth is a pitiful looking town. Everywhere the ravages of the earthquake of several years ago are evident: houses shaken completely or part-way down, huge cracks in walls, and buildings demolished in such a freakish way that it will be impossible to reconstruct them. But the inhabitants are courageous; disaster seems to have instilled into them a tenacity and perseverance almost unequalled. They are going on, trying to reconstruct their homes in earthquake proof style. I hope their courage will not be tried again.

But our interest centered chiefly in the excavations conducted by the American School under Drs. Hill and Shear. We spent several hours studying them, and then a few of us started up the Acro-Corinth which is one of the highest pre-historic fortifications of Greece. It is accessible only from the West slope, so we toiled on up around the side of the mountain for an hour and a half, finally succeeding in reaching the Venetian fortifications, then up and up until we stood on the very summit of the "Acro" as it is familiarly called. It was wonderful to stand there and survey valleys for miles around, then to find the upper Pirene—a cold, clear flowing spring where we drank quantities before we started our descent via the postern gate. Finally we were back with the rest of the crowd, to be rewarded by luscious watermelon. Then we went on to Nauplia, the first capital of liberated, modern Greece, where we were to stay for two nights.

I have pleasant memories of Nauplia for it was there that we had a chance to climb up to the summit of the most celebrated Venetian fortifications of all Greece, the Palamede, just in time to see the sunset and to feel a cool, refreshing breeze sweeping in from the sea. There, too, each evening after dark, we ate our dinner at a long table placed on the sidewalk, and had more watermelon and cantaloup than we could comfortably consume.

What fun it was to wander about the ruins of the palace of Tirgns which once housed the rulers of a great government; to try to untangle the maze of ruins of the palace at Mycenae (where we were told on good authority that the bathroom where Clytemnaestra killed Agamemnon had been identified!); to stand gazing at the beehive tombs, that of Clytemnaestra, the Treasury of

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gustine nor Mexico City. Back in 998 A. D. some old Vikings built a house near the site Skjoldungefjord. Greenland and settled down there. Mr. Rasmussen says that he spent a few days in that same shelter that some Mr. Viking did about nine hundred and thirty years ago. But he must offer more inducements than a nine hundred year old house if he is going to make a vacation resort of Skjoldungefjord.

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Professor: What have you found out about the salivary glands?

Student: Not a thing. They're so secretive.

The pedestrian was dodging about indecisively to the bewilderment of a motorist, who finally stopped entirely and asked, "Would it be too much of you to ask you to outline your plans?"

Frosh: Why, this place reminds me of a prison.

Senior: Well, it's all a matter of what one is used to!

Boo: What are you thinking of?

Peep: Nothing.

"Oh, do take your mind off yourself."

Patient: Doctor, how long will it be after I take the anesthetic before I will know anything again?

Doctor: Now, Lady, aren't you asking a good deal of the anesthetic?

Slim: Do you act toward your wife as you did before you married her?

Jim: Exactly. I remember how I used to stand across the street and gaze at her shadow on the curtain, afraid to go in. And I act the same way now.

Allwise: Holding a handkerchief to your nose like that means you are in love.

Otherwise: Love nudding! Id meads I've got a code id my head.

Ferdie has a little car,
And since his head is hollow,
Wherever Ferdie goes you'll find
An ambulance is sure to follow.

"Your husband looks like a brilliant man. I suppose he knows everything."

"Don't you fool yourself; he does not even suspect anything."



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"All's well that end's well."

"Teacher" Travels

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Atreus, etc.; and to gaze upon the ruins at Epidaurus where Asclepius had his health cult; also there to climb up to the very tip top row of seats in the best preserved theater in all of Greece; and finally, to wander about the Argive Heraeum some of the excavating of which had been done by one of my own professors.

One of the high points of this two weeks trip, though, was our trip to Bassae. We had already scaled the heights of Karytaina, a Frankish fortress, and the prospect of a seven-mile walk up the mountain side to this beautiful temple and then back was too much for most of us. So one of our chauffeurs rounded up ten donkeys in the village of Andritsaena, which was our starting place, and with four who were brave enough to walk we started off—a strange cavalcade, for the whole village turned out to see us go. Some of us had never been on beasts of burden before, and it was a sight fearful and wonderful to behold! We were well rewarded by our trip, for we found a beautiful temple nestled there in the hills. But don't ask me how many of us were lame the next day, or how lame we were! And someday I'll tell you, too, about our "luxurious" hotel at Andritsaena!

Another funny incident belongs to the day we attempted to go to Pylos and Sphacteria on the west coast. We travelled up a hill and down dale over almost impassable roads until we finally arrived at a spot where, for lack of a bridge we had to get out and walk. Walk we did for seven long weary miles until we reached a place of outlook under a shady tree where we could view our desired goal. There we sat down and ate our Greek lunch of dry bread, cold chicken, cold French fried potatoes, olives, cheese and a bit of fruit. Apparently the natives had never seen Americans before, for they turned out one hundred per cent to watch us as we ate and listened to Mr. Lord read the famous account of the battle at Pylos and Sphacteria. But they could not persuade us that the shade tree in the village was as spacious as that under which we sat! Then we undertook the long trudge back again and home to dinner and bed!

To this phase of our trip belonged also visits to Megalopolis, the seat of the Arcadian League in the fourth century; Mantinea, where Epaminondas and the Theban Empire received a death-blow; Messene and Ithome, where was the stronghold of one of the most famous and obstinate slave insurrections the world has known; and the farthest point we were to reach, Sparta.

Sparta is a hot, dirty town. Its only redeeming features were good ice cream and some lovely handmade lace. Nor was the hotel any cleaner than the town. One night there was sufficient to rest the weary travellers who had walked the Langada Pass from Kalamata to Sparta while more lazy people rode in cars.

But while we were there, I had a good time, eating ice cream, bathing my feet in the Eurotas River, and then on a never-to-be-forgotten afternoon, climbing the heights of Mistra to visit the many Byzantine churches found on that height. I climbed way

up to the top, strengthened by the Turkish coffee served by the nuns in the convent, and was richly rewarded by a lovely view. Then back to Tripolitza; where we had already spent two nights, to good beds and good food, including Libby's California peaches, served to us by a Greek American.

It was home again after that. We visited Eleusis on our way, where Dr. Milanos of the University of Illinois explained his excavations and showed us how his most recent finds will revolutionize our theories of the Eleusinian Mysteries, making them of Mycenaean rather than Egyptian origin, and so thoroughly Greek. We stopped at the Pass of Daphne to see another beautiful Byzantine Church, and when we crossed the summit and began the descent to Athens, a wild shout went up. Finally we were home again, raiding the mail box (no, I won't tell you how many that time!), and ready for a thorough scrubbing.

Finally, examination (worse than Houghton ones!) were over, and we were in the midst of packing for the homeward journey. But that's another story!

Know Your Campus

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After twenty-two years on this hill the church decided that there must be expansion to meet the needs. A larger location must be found. How wisely this place was chosen is determined by the many remarks of the beauty of our present campus.

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