

### W. G. Harry To End Brilliant College Career on June 15

William Randall Harry, son of Mr. and Mrs. William G. Harry of Lone Pine Road, Bloomfield Hills, completes a brilliant college record at Cornell University on June 15 when he receives his degree in electrical engineering. He will visit friends in the East following commencement and then sail July 1, with two college chums, on the S. S. Stotland for an eight-week visit in England and on the continent. Upon returning he will take a position on the technical staff of the Bell Telephone Laboratories in New York.

During his collegiate career Harry was a member of Tau Beta Pi, national engineering honor

society, Phi Kappa Phi, National scholastic honor society, Eta Kappa Nu, national electrical engineering honor society, and Sigma Xi, national honorary society for scientific research.

Mr. Harry was elected to the Delta Club, a social organization of electrical engineers, and he held two scholarships, the John McMillen and the Otto M. Edlitz. As an undergraduate he won two prizes, that were given by the American Institute of Electrical Engineers for a technical paper and the Sibley prize. He also gave a paper at the student branch convention of the AIEE at New Haven, Conn. this May. Harry prepared for college at the Hill School.

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## Report Given On Annual Meeting First Church Of Christ, Scientist

An appeal to Christian Scientists to work for the demonstration of World Peace, the reading of reports by church officers on the various activities of the movement throughout the world and sustained demand for the writings of Mary Baker Eddy. Discussed and approved for the annual meeting, June 8, of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.

Election of Mrs. Elizabeth Caldwell Tomlinson of Boston as President of The Mother Church was announced. She succeeds Dr. Frank C. Colby. Mrs. Tomlinson was born in Byron, Wisconsin. After graduating from St. Helen's Hall, a well-known Episcopal private school, she received a remarkable hearing in Christian Science which brought her into the practice of this religion. She was at one time a delegate appointed by the Governor of Oregon to a conference of women's organizations in Paris. In 1914 she was in London, England, at the outbreak of the World War and did service under Mrs. Herbert Hoover in relief activities.

The addition of 12 new churches and eight new university organizations, making a total of 2751 branches of The Mother Church and 65 college and university organizations, was announced by the Department of Branches and Practitioners.

Among new Societies was one formed by the natives in a mountain province of the Philippine Islands. They had been holding services over a period of years and this past year came to the point

of growth where they were able to go forward as a branch of The Mother Church.

Approximately 6000 Christian Scientists representing every state in the Union and practically every civilized nation in the world attended the meeting. The main floor and three galleries were filled within a short time after the church doors were opened. The overflow being accommodated in the original Mother Church where amplifiers were installed.

Introducing the theme of World Peace, William P. McKenzie, for the past year chairman of the Board of Directors, told the audience, "There is a rising demand in the hearts of men for freedom and justice. Can it be met by fair dealing? This requires self-government, does it not? Instead of battling with others to set them right, let a man become right himself and influence his neighbor by his good example."

Mr. McKenzie designated the way in which peace can be realized, pointing out that "when in a branch church growth has been made to the point that members respect one another and show deference and courtesy, work is done in friendliness. May not a time be coming," he asked, "when in congress and parliaments good will of this sort will show like harmonies and results?"

"Our Leader in her preface to 'Miscellaneous Writings' spoke of the spiritual glow and grandeur of a consecrated life wherein dwelt peace, sacred and sincere in trial or in triumph. Following her inspiring example, let us dignify this coming year by an endeavor to keep the unity of the Spirit in the bond of peace," (Ephesians 4:3.)

As retiring President Dr. Frank C. Colby declared it "encouraging to find that Christian Scientists are realizing more fully and more keenly that Christian Science is something more than a glorified theology; that it is a demonstrable Science; the Science of Being; the Science of true Christianity, that it is theology as well as a Science. It is man's goodness to be absolute

ever had a more responsive, enthusiastic and devoted public as partners in a great business, than those who purchase Christian Science literature. "We say with grateful hearts that it has been a good year," he said.

"Our business condition is satisfactory and there has been a healthy growth in advertising income, and in the subscription lists of all the periodicals.

"Many have inspected the new Publishing House, and in the last eleven months approximately 120,000 visitors came to view the new Mapparium, among them persons from many lands."

"War will end when nations are ripe for progress. As humanity ripens in courage, in purity of purpose, in increasing virtue, in boldness, this ripening will hasten the day prophesied by our Leader when the Christ-spirit will cleanse the earth of human gore," (Miscellaneous Writings, p. 29.) It is the life of men, not the death of men, that determines the peace of nations."

Edward Ripley, re-elected church Treasurer, expressed gratitude that the indebtedness of a year's running, from book modeling and refurbishing of the former publishing house to serve as the Church Administration Building, had been met in full through the active co-operation of the field together with the Department of The Christian Science Publishing Society. "There is no debt of any kind on the new Publishing House and other property owned by The Mother Church or its affiliated trusteeships," he said.

Also re-elected was Ezra W. Palmer, Clerk of the Church. One of the principal duties of the Clerk and his co-workers is the handling of application for membership in The Mother Church.

His report included information as well on the relief work done by the church. The Relief Fund of The Mother Church alleviated distress caused by hurricane in Florida; by earthquake in Montana; continued work at the Veterans' Hospital, Oteen, N. C.; aided those whose property was damaged by tornado in Mississippi and North Carolina; and assisted sufferers from floods in southern and eastern states. Relief was dispensed among Christian Scientists and non-Christian Scientists in 14 states. In the course of the work assistance was given to or through a number of ministers of other denominations who have expressed much appreciation for the assistance and the spirit in which it was administered.

William M. Bartlett, Secretary to Trustees under the Will of Mary Baker Eddy, reported expenditure of more than \$10,000 during the year just past, "to more effectually extend and promote the religion of Christian Science." This money went to aid churches and societies to erect or purchase their own buildings, for the free distribution of authorized literature, for supplying literature in Brazil for the blind, for aiding branches in paying for their first lecture, and in Germany, for assisting Christian Scientists who would otherwise have been unable to receive authorized literature following certain restrictions made last August by the German Government.

William W. Davis, Executive Supervisor of Christian Science Charitable and Benevolent Institutions, reported increased guests at both the Pacific Coast and Chestnut Hill Sanatoriums as well as loyal support of the Pleasant View Home.

As Manager of Committees on Publication, C. Augustus Norwood declared, "We may well rejoice at the continued progress of our religion and the continued growth of our organization. But when we consider how many years were required to leave the thought of the world sufficiently free to make it possible for our Leader, Mary Baker Eddy, to establish the religion and the organization of Christian Science, we must realize that the work of accomplishing her purpose to 'reincarnate primitive Christianity and its lost element of healing' (Manual p. 17) has hardly more than begun."

Mr. Norwood disclosed that through the publication of religious items and the radio-casting of religious programs and news comments from The Christian Science Monitor, friendly relationships have been established with about 2000 newspapers and 200 radio stations. Through these contacts some 150,000 friendly and constructive news items were published, while more than 8000 religious programs and 60,000 radio-casts of Monitor news were put on the air during the year.

Miss Margaret Murney Glenn as chairman of the Board of Lectureship for the past year cited cases of instantaneous healings which had taken place as a result of public lectures on Christian Science.

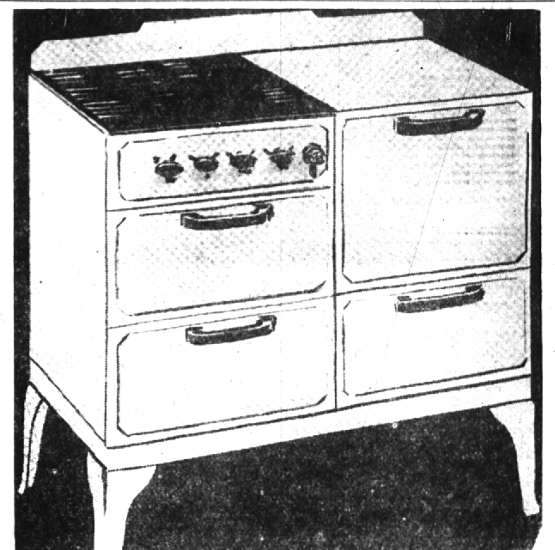
She disclosed that members of the Board of Lectureship carried Christian Science messages to the four corners of the globe, delivering 3111 lectures with an attendance of approximately three million persons. Ten lectures were given in Africa, 59 in Australasia, 17 in Hawaii, China, Japan, Java, Ceylon and India, one in the City of Mexico, 17 in South America, 9 in Bermuda Canal Zone and West Indies, 225 in Great Britain and Ireland, 104 in continental Europe and Scandinavia, and 2669 in Canada, the United States and Alaska.

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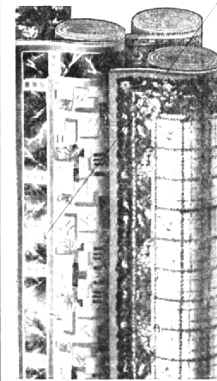
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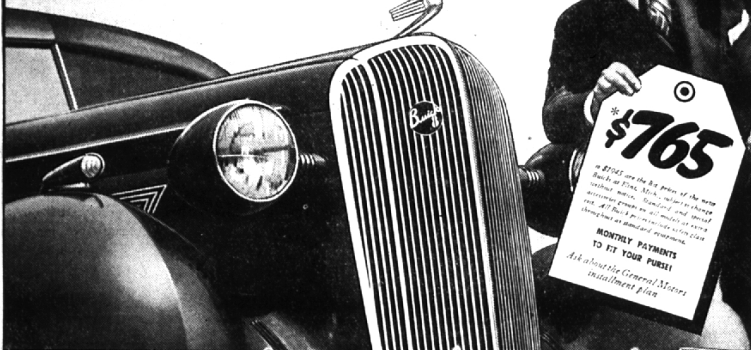
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