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## ALUMNI NOTES.

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### ...1888...

Alice Boomer, B. L., Ph. B., Fairview, Kansas. She is at home caring for her father.

Grierson, Jennie H. Sherman, A. B., China Inland Mission, Wenchow, China. Mrs. Grierson and husband are expected home in April. They probably will attend Commencement.

### ...1889...

Rice, Adelaide Johnson, Mus. B. Was recently married to Mr. Edgar C. Rice, Chihuahua, Mexico.

### ...1890...

Bennett, Winifred Welles Wagner, Mus. B., 801 Buchanan street, Topeka, Kansas.

Brown, Marie Menefee, Mus. B., was married last fall to Oliver Stowe Brown, 14 Bellevue Place, Chicago, Illinois.

Griffith, John W., A. B., Hiawatha, Kas.

Lester, Mary E., B. S., Ottawa, Kansas. She writes: "I am still at the old place and duties. Had

the pleasure of a trip to the mountains of Southern Colorado, in August. Otherwise, unusual occurrences have passed me by."

Lester, Lotham S., B. S., Ottawa, Kansas. He spent the summer putting up machinery in a saw mill in Louisiana. Is a student in the Engineering School of the State University, at Lawrence, Kansas.

Reid, Mrs. Lyman, Mus. B., Ottawa, Kas.

### ...1891...

Childs, Ida N., Mus. B., Mexico, Missouri. She is a teacher in Harden College.

Goodman, Alfred E., A. B., B. D. He is pastor of the Baptist Church, St. John, Kans.

Grant, George Kuhn, A. B., M. A., Dover, Tennessee.

Horney, Mary, B. L. She is a teacher in the public schools of Iola, Kansas.

Isely, William H., B. S., B. L., A. M., Wichita, Kansas. Professor of History and Political Science, Fairmount College.



Isely, Frances E. Nickerson, B. S., Wichita, Kansas.

Jones, Lorena Maude, B. S., Colorado Springs, Colorado. Teacher in public schools.

Parker, Edwin E., B. S., Clearwater, Kas.

Parker, John W., B. L., Clearwater, Kas.

Parker, Robert L., B. S., B. L., M. A., Olathe, Kansas. Superintendent of schools of Olathe.

Pepper, Mrs. Ella B., Mus. B., Iola, Kas(?)

Starkweather, Ernest E., A. B., 48 Madison street, Chicago, Illinois.(?)

Wright, Harriet Macy, Mus. B.

### ...1892...

Crawford, Inez Mabel, A. B., Ottawa, Kan

Crawford, Jerry T., B. L., B. D., Parsons, Kansas. He writes :

"Busy in the work as pastor of the First Baptist Church, Parsons, Kansas. Remodelling and enlarging the building, making it one of the most commodious and convenient in South-East Kansas."

Hobbs, Carrie B. Hill, Mus. B., Walla Walla, Washington.

Holtz, Kate M. Volk, Mus. B., 2547 Park Avenue, Kansas City, Mo.

Howard, Gertrude M. Pendleton, Mus. B., Clerburne, Texas.

Jacobus, Elizabeth B., B. L., Lane, Kansas. She is pursuing her post graduate course and makes frequent visits to her alma mater.

Kincaid, Nellie, Mus. B., Mulhall, Indian Territory.(?)

McCurdy, Flora, Mus. B., Williamsburg, Kansas.

Mechem, Myrtle, Mus. B., Mobile, Alabama.

Nelson, Laura May Jordan, Mus. B., 523 Market street, San Francisco, California. She was married, Nov. 28, 1901, to Mr. Elmer E. Nelson, a member of a boot and shoe firm of San Francisco.

Olin, Arvin S., A. B., A. M., Lawrence, Kansas. Head of the Department of Education in Kansas University.

Parker, Ira E., B. L., Clearwater, Kansas.



...1893...

Banta, Mary L. Chenoweth, B. L., Taylorville, Illinois.

Eaton, Clara B. Van Sickle, B. L., Cherryvale, Kansas.

Eaton, William H., A. B., A. M., pastor of Baptist Church at Cherryvale, Kansas. He writes :

"The most eventful incident of the current year for me, has been the erection of a fine brick church building here. It is considered quite a triumph, and of course we are grateful to our Heavenly Father for the success He has given. Mrs. Eaton sustained a sad loss in the death of her mother, Mrs. Van Sickle, who passed away October 10th, 1901, at her home in Ottawa. We are glad to report Mrs. Eaton's health greatly improved during the year."

Hageman, S. S., A. B., A. M., Phillipsburg, Kansas. Pastor of the Baptist Church.

Holt, Mortimer R., B. S., B. L., pastor of the Baptist Church, Hays City, Kansas.

Ingham, Kitlena M. Beach, Mus., B., Sabetha, Kansas.

Kingsley, Floris W., A. B., Ellis, Kansas.

Lester, Pliny P., B. S., Ottawa, Kansas.

Student Medical College, Kansas City, Mo.

Sample, Sarah E., A. B., Nadeau, Kansas.

She writes :

"I am very pleasantly located at this place in a government school and am enjoying my work very much. This is my second year here and we have the largest attendance this school has ever had.

Stiles, Mary A., B. L., Ottawa, Kansas. Teacher in the schools of Ottawa.

Willis, Ola, B. L., Ottawa, Kansas. Continues as her father's private secretary. She is clerk of the First Baptist Church of Ottawa.

...1894...

Cain, Mary M., B. S., Pomona, California.

Carey, Julia E. Stanton, A. B., Paola, Ks.

Carey, William G., B. S., Paola, Kansas.

He is pastor of the Baptist Church of that place

Goumaz, Wallace P., A. B., Osawatomie, Kansas.

Harley, Elmer, Mus. B.

Harris, Nelle, Mus. B., Ottawa, Kansas.

Kaho, Frank, A. B., Altamont, Kansas.

Teacher in Labette County High School.



Kerfoot, Arthur S., A. B., Olympia, Washington. He is still in business in Olympia. He reports the dedication of a new Baptist Church at that place. Dr. F. W. Colgrove preached the dedicatory sermon.

Kingsley, Esther C. Browne, A. B., Ellis, Kansas.

Kjellin, John A., A. B., Marion, Kansas. He is still pastor of the Baptist Church at Marion. Will attend the State Oratorical Contest at Winfield, March 7th, and will be present at the annual commencement at O. U.

Newton, John R., A. B., Anadarko, Oklahoma, Territory. He has a position as principal in the city schools and has charge of the High School and Eighth Grade. Is superintendent of the Baptist Sunday School.

Savage, Letitia E., B. L., Ph. M., Mound Valley, Kansas. At home attending to home duties.

...1895...

Banta, Harlan Q., A. B., A. M., Taylorville, Illinois. He reports health and hap-

piness. More vigorous health than usual enables him to prosecute school work with more energy and pleasure.

Bayles, Joseph W., A. B., Manhattan, Kansas.

Beach, Gail, W., B. S., Kansas City, Mo.

Bosworth, Laura C., B. L., Princeville, Illinois. She has since last September been acting as assistant in the banking firm of Auten & Auten, of the above place.

Coleman, Fanny Sheldon, B. S., Wichita, Kansas. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Coleman was made happy last November by the arrival of a little boy.

Crawford, Bertha Mary Adams, B. L., Beaverdam, Wisconsin. She was married last summer to Rev. J. F. Crawford, of Beaverdam. Mr. Crawford is pastor of the First Baptist Church at that place.

Easter, Grace M., B. L., Arkansas City, Kansas. She is instructor in German and Literature in the High School.

Forbes, Lulu, Mus. B., Ottawa, Kansas.



...1896...

Adler, Francis L., Mus. B., Ottawa, Kansas.

Bayles, Lillian E. Potter, Mus. B., Manhattan, Kansas.

Benson, Frances A., Mus. B., Ottawa, Kansas.

Flanagin, Charles E., A. B., B. D., McPherson, Kansas. Was married July 24, 1901, to Miss Elsie Mabel Mills, of Belleville, Kansas. He is pastor of the Baptist Church of McPherson. During the six months of his stay there the church has raised a debt of five hundred dollars. There have been twenty-two additions to the church and the pastor's salary increased by two hundred dollars.

Foote, Leon R., B. L., Butte, Montana. He has this to say concerning himself and family, "that there is another foot in the world, ten weeks old at this writing (Dec. 4), and named Leon Creighton Foote." He has been re-elected, at an increased salary, at the Montana State School of Mines.

Gill, John Glanville, A. B., Cleveland, Ohio. He writes:

"I am instructing in French alone this year, but expect to have considerable work in Spanish next winter and therefore shall spend the coming summer in Spain, sailing on the Liguria, May 27. I have been well received here and am induced to remain here for another year by the usual means. As I have but three hours teaching per day, I am also taking a course of study leading to a doctorate in romance languages under the language man of Western Reserve University, I shall hope to be again on Kansas soil during the winter vacation of 1902-3 and meet those of you who have not yet forgotten me."

Jones, Emma D. Dent, Mus. B., Emporia, Kansas.

Martin, Clarence H., B. S., 1213 Bellevue Avenue, Topeka, Kansas.

Miller, Newton E., A. B., B. D., Ripley New York. Was married May 15, 1901, to Miss Sarah Anna Searing of Rochester, New York. He is in his third year's work as pastor of the Baptist Church of Ripley.

Myers, George E., A. B., A. M., Colorado Springs, Colorado.

"Since the last annual was published I have received the A. M. degree from the University of Chicago and



Gaiser, John G., A. B., M. A., Hatton, Washington. Writes that he has become tired of wielding the raw-hide on the youth, that he has secured three hundred and twenty acres of land, on which to raise turnips, onions and cabbage to make a barrel of saur kraut. He hopes by the next year to add another three hundred and twenty for a potato patch. Mrs. Gaiser's health has much improved. Lessing Gaiser speaks German and English with considerable ease, and even a little French.

Jacobus, Charles A., A. B., Lane, Kansas. He is principal of the school. Through his efforts a high school has been established at Lane.

Lambertson, Anna B., B. S., Lake Crystal, Minnesota. She is assistant principal in a State High School, located at the above place, and teaches Science and History.

Luce, Cora M., Ph. B., Ottawa, Kansas. She is at home.

Merrifield, Cyrus R., A. B., Grand Island,

Nebraska. He is Professor of Mathematics in Grand Island College.

Meyers, Maude A., Mus. B., Williamsburg, Kansas.

Morse, Nelle H., Ph. B., Stafford, Kans. She is a teacher in the public schools of that place.

Pierson, Hannah, Ph. B., Marshall, Texas. Professor of English, Bishop College. This makes her fifth year of work there.

Potter, Ernest T., A. B., Fairview, Kansas. He is pastor of the Baptist Church of that place.

Roberts, Russell J., A. B.

Teeter, Mrs. Barbara, Mus. B., Ortung, Washington.

Way, Alvah B., Ph. B., Redwood City, California. Teaches in the High School at that place.

Wilkinson, Ivy May Hall, Ph. B., Mt. Hope, Kansas.



wood. At present he is taking an extended trip in the East.

Oldroyd, Gertrude N., Ph. B., Ottawa, Kansas.

Ringle, Lillian Newton, Ph. B., Independence, Kansas. She expects to enjoy, with her husband, the study of experimental farming, next summer.

Shinn, Jacob E., B. S., Ottawa, Kansas. He has bought the Sumner abstract books, and has located in Ottawa.

Smith, Lavina, Ph. B., Ottawa, Kansas. Teacher in public schools.

Tunnel, George T., Ph. B., Butte, Mon.

Tyler, James C., B. S., Great Bend, Kas.

Wareham, Manley C., Ph. B., Wichita, Kansas. Instructor in German and Latin, High School. He writes:

"I am still engaged in trying to teach the youth of this city how Caesar fought the Helvetians, and how the German Language runs."

White, Frank J., A. B., B. D., Ning Po,

China. Was married last summer to Miss Ivy Thompson. They sailed from San Francisco, for China, in September, where they will do missionary work under the appointment of the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society. At present they are studying the language and customs of the people. They make their home with Dr. and Mrs. Grant.

White, Ivy Thompson, Ph. B., Ning Po, China.

Wilcox, Armour D., B. S., Topeka, Kas. Lecturer for the State Temperance Union.

### ...1899...

Bell, Stella M., A. B., Ottawa, Kansas. Teacher in the public schools.

Benson, Frances A., Ph. B., Ottawa, Kas.

Bradshaw, Blanche, Mus. B.

Chapin, Geneviene A., Ph. B., 424 Holbrook street, Fort Scott, Kansas. She is still in her father's office.



Dubach, Ana King, Ph. B., Ewing, Illinois.

Evans, Cora E., Ph. B., Ottawa, Kansas. At home.

Hageman, Stanley J., A. B., Anadarko, Oklahoma Territory. Hardware merchant.

Mitchell, W. F., B. S., 275 Ashland Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois. Home address Superior, Nebraska. He is a student in the Northwestern Medical College. He will receive his degree in medicine next Commencement.

Newton, Laura E., B. S., Media, Kansas. At home this winter. Early in the spring she will return to her music class at Allen.

Rexroat, Alice, Mus. B., Morganville, Kansas.

Sheldon, Laura S., Ph. B., Ithaca, New York. She is a student of Sage College, Cornell University. Home address, Ottawa, Kas.

Trout, George A., A. B., Greece, New York. He writes:

"I will finish my course here about May 1st, 1902, and expect to return to Sunny Kansas to work for the Lord. If He should lead elsewhere, I will of course follow. I am ready to go any where He leads, as I am fully persuaded that He has led me thus far. Every day adds to my conviction that there is a divinity that shapes our ends. I expect to meet the Alumni at our Alma Mater, June, 1902."

Warner, Belle Brockway, Mus. B., Ottawa, Kansas.

Wright, Carl C., A. B., Hamilton, New York. Student Hamilton Theological Seminary.

### ...1900...

Blackstone, Mabel S., A. B., Ottawa, Kansas. Teacher.

Cross, Kate A., A. B., Shenandoah, Iowa. Teacher in a Normal School, at that place. Home address, Ottawa, Kansas.

Foote, Roy F., Ph. B., Butte, Montana.

Ham, William, Ph. B., Ottawa, Kansas.



Hargis, Maude, Ph. B., Ottawa, Kansas.  
Teacher in public schools.

Pike, Minnie D., Ph. B., 1313 Lincoln  
street, Topeka, Kansas.

Reese, Louis A., Ph. B., 306 Benefit st.,  
Providence, Rhode Island. Student at Brown  
University. He writes:

"From a distance, I am watching the growth of that  
College which is peculiarly our own, and am watching  
it with pride."

White, Florence, Mus. B., Mervin, Mis-  
souri. Teaches Music, Latin and English in  
Mervin College.

### ...1901...

Adams, George M., Ph. B., 2971 Michi-  
gan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. He has a po-  
sition in the Advertising Department of Mahin  
Art Company, Chicago, and is also studying  
art in the Smith Academy.

Adams, Jessie C., A. B., Topeka, Kansas.  
She spent part of last summer in Christian  
Settlement work, in Kansas City. Last fall

she became State Secretary of the Young  
Women's Christian Association. During three  
months of this year she will act as General  
Secretary for the Y. M. C. A. of the State  
Agricultural College, at Manhattan, Kans.

Barnett, Charles A., Ph. B., Kansas City,  
Missouri. Student of Spaulding Business  
College.

Crawford, Ralph K., A. B. Since last  
July has traveled in the West for pleasure and  
profit. He spent some time in Colorado,  
visited Salt Lake City, explored the wilds of  
Idaho, passed a month in Butte, Montana, saw  
Seattle, Tacoma and Olympia, Washington,  
and took an ocean voyage to the sunny south-  
land of California. Tunnel, '98, Leon and  
Roy Foote, '96 and '00, Kerfoot '94, and for-  
mer Professors Dietrich, Colegrove and  
Stewart are O. U. friends met enroute. His  
address is Los Angeles, care of T. M. Stewart,  
335 Bradbury Building.

Darnell, Frederick J., A. B., Iola, Kans.  
Is in business at Iola.

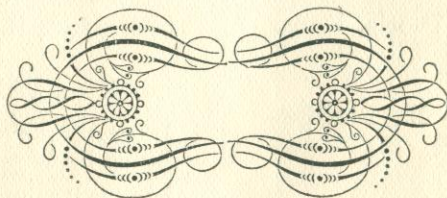


Sample, Samuel J., A. B., 521 W. 123d Street, New York. He is a student in the Columbian Law School.

Sheldon, Carrie B., Ph. B., Ottawa, Kansas. At home.

Stephenson, Teresa L., B. S., Ottawa,

Kansas. She is instructor in Science in the Ottawa High School. She has done much to strengthen that department. Both Superintendent and pupils speak highly of her work. She was elected a member of the Kansas Academy of Science January 1902.





## CLASS OF 1902.



Alderman, Gladys Maude.—Born November 20, 1878, at Ottawa, Kansas. Prepared for college in Academy of Ottawa University. Entered O. U. in 1898. Is a member of the Philaethean Literary Society. Will receive the degree of Ph. B. Expects to teach. Home address, Ottawa, Kansas.

Banta, Robey George.—Born July 8, 1877, at Bedford, Iowa. Prepared for college Oberlin High School and Lake Charles Academy, Lake Charles, Louisiana. Entered O. U. September 1st, 1898. Was foot-ball manager 1899, and Editor-in-Chief the Campus 1901-02. Is a member of the Philaethean Literary Society. Expects to be a journalist. Will receive the degree of B. S. Home address, Oberlin, Kansas.

Barker, Clyde James.—Born March 28, 1879, at Buffaloville, Indiana. Prepared for college at High School, Parsons, Kansas. En-

tered O. U., September, 1898. Member of Philaethean Literary Society. Will receive the degree of B. S. Expects to study medicine. Home address, Parsons, Kansas.

Bell, Harry Coleman.—Born October 31, 1877, at Attica, Iowa. Prepared for college at High School, Attica, Kansas, and Southwest Kansas College, Winfield, Kansas. Entered O. U., September, 1899. Was Athletic Editor on Campus Staff, 1900-'01; President of Y. M. C. A. 1901-'02. Member of Philaethean Literary Society. Will receive the degree of B. S. Expects to teach. Home address, Ottawa, Kansas.

Brown, Owen Clarence.—Born July 25, 1871, at Cato, Kansas. Prepared for college at Kansas Normal College, Fort Scott, Kansas. Entered O. U., September, 1899. Is President of the Ministerial Association; is a member of the Philaethean Literary Society.



degree of B. S. Future expectations, scientific research. Home address, Ottawa, Kas.

Meeker, Jennie Evelyne—Born 1879, at Ottawa, Kansas. Prepared for college in the Academy of Ottawa University. Entered O. U. 1898. Was a member of the Campus Staff. Is a member of the Olympian Literary Society. Will receive the degree of Ph. B. Future undecided. Home address, Ottawa, Kansas.

Neighbors, Clarence Anson—Born August 23, 1880, at McPherson, Kansas. Prepared for college at McPherson College. Entered O. U. September 1898. Is a member of the Philaethean Literary Society. Will receive the degree of B. S. Expects to study medicine. Home address, McPherson, Kansas.

Newell, A. B.—Born in Nebraska. Entered college September 1898. Was assistant business manager of Campus 1900. Is a member of the Olympian Literary Society. Will receive the degree of B. S. Future undecided. Home address Shubert, Nebraska.

Quinn, John C.—Born 1879, New York City. Prepared for college in Ottawa High School. Entered college September 1898. Was one of the winning debaters in Park College debate 1900. Won second place in State Oratorical Contest 1901. Will represent O. U. in the Oratorical Contest again March 7th, 1902. Is a member of the Philaethean Literary Society. Will receive the degree of Ph. B. Future undecided. Home address, Ottawa, Kansas.

Taber, Irma M.—Born May 13, 1881, at Malcolm, Iowa. Prepared for college in Ottawa High School. Entered college September 1898. Is a member of the Olympian Literary Society. Will receive the degree of Ph. B. Expects to teach. Home address Ottawa, Kansas.

Taylor, Elizabeth John—Born 1882, at Ottawa, Kansas. Prepared for college in Ottawa High School. Entered O. U. September 1898. Is a member of the Philaethean Literary Society. Will receive the degree of



Ph. B. Expects to teach. Home address, Ottawa, Kansas.

VanCleve, Stella Melinda—Born August 23, 1876, at Parsons, Kansas. Prepared for college in Academy of Ottawa University. Entered college September 1898. Is a member of the Olympian Literary Society. Will receive the degree of Ph. B. Expects to teach. Home address, Ottawa, Kansas.

Zaring, Mary Alice—Born April 11, 1876 at Carrollton, Missouri. Prepared for college at Moran, Kansas, High School. Entered O. U. September 1898. Taught in Indian University, Bacone, Indian Territory, 1900-'01. Is a member of the Olympian Literary Society Will receive the degree of A. B. Expects to teach. Home address, Moran, Kansas.





## MEETING OF 1901.



At the open meeting Miss Nora Lister, '95, read several of her short poems and Rev. J. A. Kjellin, '94, gave the Annual Alumni Address.

At the business meeting the matter of an Alumni pin was presented and discussed. A committee was appointed to submit designs for such a pin at the next meeting. Mr. J. T. Crawford, '92, Miss Nora Lister, '95, and Mr. J. N. Atkinson, '98, compose that committee.

The Corresponding Secretary was instructed to publish the Annual not later than January 1st.

A committee was appointed to assist in the expending of the Alumni appropriation to the O. U. Library. The fund was divided between the Classical and Scientific Departments.

Those who attended Commencement from out of Ottawa were:—Mary E. Lester, '90, J. T. Crawford, '92, Mrs. H. Q. Banta, '93, J. A. Kjellin, '94, J. R. Newton, '94, H. Q. Banta, '95, Nora Lister, '95, Mrs. Jennie Smith, '96, F. E. Wilkinson, '96, Mrs. F. L. Cox, '97, Mrs. F. E. Wilkinson, '97, Mrs. F. J. White, '98, Mr. A. D. Wilcox, '98, Laura Newton, '99, Mabel Blackstone, '00, Will Ham, '00.





OUR Corresponding Secretary wishes to give a word of explanation for so late a publication of the Annual. At the business meeting last June the Corresponding Secretary was instructed "to bring out the Annual not later than January 1st." The members of Alumni did not reply to the Secretary's circular letter promptly enough to make that possible. It was thought possible though to have the Annual ready for the mail by the last of January, but continued illness in the Secretary's home has prevented the publication before the present time.

The program in full of the Open Meeting is not ready for publication. Mr. A. B. Way, '97, will give the poem, and Rev. C. E. Flanagan '96, will deliver the address. The meeting will occur Tuesday, June 3, at 10 A. M.

We are glad to announce that the new college building is now a reality. The building will be ready before commencement.

The Corresponding Secretary wishes to express her gratitude to Miss I. M. Crawford and Miss Cora Evans, who have greatly assisted in this year's publication.