

—Cornell University has accepted Mr. Carnegie's offer to build a filtering plant. Such gifts furnish indirect but lasting memorials to the generous donor.

—Mrs. John Markoe, of Philadelphia, has given \$5,000 to establish a memorial scholarship at Harvard. The scholarship is in memory of her son, James Markoe, Class of '98, who was killed recently in a runaway, while trying to save the lives of others.

—In memory of their brother, the two sisters of Herbert Schnurz, a graduate of Harvard, have given \$3,000 for the benefit of the sick in the Harvard University Hospital.

—Prof. Francis Wayland, Dean of Yale Law School, has resigned, after holding that position for thirty years.

—Beginning next year Cornell will pension all professors at the age of seventy years. Their salary shall remain the same for the first year, and then it shall be fixed at \$1,500. The pensioners will continue as lecturers in the various departments.

—We observe that the western agricultural schools are thorough in the education of their farmers; for at the Iowa State College they are instructed in slaughtering live stock.

—The alumni of McGill University will honor the 75th anniversary of that institution by erecting a \$100,000 recreation building.

—Chas. Richard Van Hese, professor of geology at the Wisconsin University, is named as the future president of that school. Mr. Van Hese has been closely associated with the U. S. Geological Survey since 1888.

—The smell of fish coming from the kitchen of the Trenton Normal School caused one hundred of the boys to go on strike. They marched to the town restaurant and had supper. Their only grievance was that they had been fed too much stale fish.

—Men of Classes '59 and '63 inclusive, of Pennsylvania State College are aiding in presenting a comprehensive biography of Evan Pugh, Ph. D. Mr. Pugh was the first president of the college and the first instructor in chemistry.