

This has worked in actual service even with the wire broken and separated thirty feet. That Mr. Klock has achieved distinction in his specialty is attested by all who were associated with him in his work. Engineers give the credit of the Japanese victory over the Russians to the signal service of the former, which was that developed by Mr. Klock for our army.

#### Changes in Administration.

In keeping with the growth of the college, the trustees at their January meeting adopted a new system of executive government to take effect when Dr. Sparks assumes the duties of the presidency in June. The position of vice president is to be abolished and that of dean of the colleges created. To the latter position Dr. Welsh has been elected. His duties will be those connected with internal government, relieving Dr. Sparks of those matters, and permitting him to devote more time to outside affairs and the development of the broad, general policies of the college.

#### Lecture by Professor Gilmour.

At 2.30 on next Sunday afternoon, Feb. 9, Prof. Gilmour will give a lecture on life in China, which will be illustrated by stereoptic slides reproduced from actual photographs made in China. Prof. Gilmour has lived in China, and is qualified to speak from first-hand information. The lecture will be given in the assembly room at the new Agricultural building, as that room offers the best facilities for work with the lantern. The invitation is made to all who wish to come.

The Holy Terror—"Say pop what did Kelly do?"

Pop—"Why, what do you mean?"

H. T.—"Well, I was telling the fellows how I could stand on my head for ten minutes and they said 'Like Kelly did!'"—Ex.

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#### ALUMNI.

F. E. Winter, '07, is in business with his father at Bradford, Pa.

E. E. Godard, '03, is looking after the train lighting system of the P. R. R. at Philadelphia.

State was well represented in the annual meeting of the State Board of Agriculture which was held in Harrisburg on Jan. 22nd and 23rd. Wednesday afternoon Dr. Buckhout gave a report on Botany, and Prof. John Hamilton, a former State man lectured on "A better agriculture and how to get it." Thursday afternoon Prof. J. A. Fries lectured on "Nitric Acid from Atmospheric Nitrogen," and Thursday night Dr.

Dr. Hunt, Dean of the School of Agriculture, on "Agriculture in High Schools."

#### Advanced Degrees.

The following candidates for advanced degrees are in addition to the list published in the last issue, making the total forty. M. S. in Agriculture: W. W. Braman, B. S.; F. W. Christensen, B. S.; F. S. Putney, B. S. M. S. in Chemistry: W. H. McIntire, B. S.

For Sunday's Y. M. C. A. meeting in room 529 the subject is "The Power of the Modern Church." A quartet will sing.

E. H. Heckert, '07, is spending a few days at the Phi Tau house.