

2nd. Regt. U.S. Engineers,
Camp American University, D.C.

To the Editor of The Targum:-

Dear Sir:-

As a bit of information for your paper and to the benefit of the college in general, I am taking this opportunity to tell you of the whereabouts of several of the members of the college.

First Lieut.	Wyman, -'08.	Theodore Wyman, jr.	U.S.R. Engineer section.	'08
"	"	Frank I. Bowler,	U.S.R. Engineer Section,	'10
Second "		Eric W. Luster,	U.S.R.	" '14

All of the above men are graduates of the Engineer officers' Training Camp which was located at this station and are assigned to the second Regt. U.S. Engineers, the destination of which is not yet to be made public.

Lieut. Wyman is ~~attached or rather~~ assigned to a company, while Lieut. Bowler is in charge of the train, and Lieut. Luster is also attached to the train.

Trusting this information may be of interest to you, I am,

Yours respectfully,

Frank I. Bowler

1st. Lieut. U.S.R.

Blunt '04

Assigned to Camp Knox, June 1919. Attached to 81st F. A.

Discharged July 20, 1920.

Englehard '15

Temporary commission in regular navy, Feb. 1, 1919.

U. S. S. New York

New Brunswick, N. J.,

Change of address

Lieut. R.O. Bowlby '17

36 Ross St., Somerville, N.J.
~~camp Forrest, Ga.~~

To The Association of the Alumni of Rutgers College, Dr.

Subscription to Rutgers Alumni Quarterly, Volume 5 1918 1919 . . . \$1.00

Received payment,

Checks should be made payable to the Association
and sent to Henry P. Schneeweiss, Treasurer
Box 93, New Brunswick, N. J.

Treasurer

October 15th. 1917.

Lieutenant Frank I. Bowler,

Second Regiment,

United States Engineers,

Camp American University, D.C.

Dear Mr. Bowler:-

The Editor of the Targum has turned over to me your interesting letter of recent date telling of your activities, also of the positions of Mr. Wyman and Mr. Luster. Since your graduation in 1910 an Alumni Quarterly has been started which has taken the place of the Targum as a medium for alumni expression. In our October issue of the Quarterly we are printing a list of the Rutgers men in service, and we are therefore grateful to you for your word of advice. I hope that you will keep in touch with the Quarterly for the duration of the War as we are very anxious to keep track of all Rutgers men who can serve us. I shall send you a copy of the October issue and shall also include your name on the list of the alumni who will receive regular news letters of the college. If at any time you should change your address I hope that you will advise me.

With kindest personal regards,

Very sincerely yours,

NORTON COMPANY

WORCESTER MASSACHUSETTS, U.S.A.

GRINDING WHEELS
Mundum - Crystolon

DIRECTORS
GEORGE I. ALDEN, PRESIDENT
CHARLES L. ALLEN, TREASURER & GEN. MGR.
ALDUS C. HIGGINS, SECRETARY & COUNSEL
JOHN JEPSON, SUPERINTENDENT
GEORGE N. JEPSON, WORKS MANAGER
R. SANFORD RILEY

November 10, 1917

Rutgers College
War Service Bureau
New Brunswick, N. J.

Service Addresses

Kindly let me know as promptly as possible
how packages should be addressed to reach:

Neil McDougall - 1914
Roscoe S. Conkling - 1914

The fact that these men are in the service
has come to my attention and I would like very much
to get in touch with both.

Whitfield Bell '13

*Sent R.S. Conkling
318 Infantry, N.Y.
Camp Sec.
Petersburg, Va*

November 12th. 1917.

Mr. Whitfield J. Bell,
Norton Company,
Worcester, Mass.

Dear Whit:-

Unfortunately we have not been able to keep track of Neil Mac Dougall and he is one of the few men whose address we do not know. You can reach Conkling by addressing him as follows: Lieutenant Roscoe S. Conkling, 318th Infantry, National Army, Camp Lee, Petersburg, Va. As soon as I am able to ascertain Mac Dougall's address I shall send it to you at once.

Good luck and best wishes,

Yours in 1913.

November 28th. 1917.

Mr. Frank S. Beckwith,
41 College Ave.
City.

Dear Beckwith:-

Will you please put the following name
on the mailing list of the Targum, Cadet W. P. Pattison,
Line of Communication, U.S. Air Service, A. E. F. France
via New York. Send the bill to Mr. Charles E. Pattison,
1182 Broadway, New York City. I hope that you will
give this matter your immediate attention.

Very truly yours,

December 28, 1917.

Mr. Charles Butler,
River Road,
Hackensack, N. J.

Dear Butler:

I understand that you are not located at Camp Mills but I do not know where to send to you the War Service Letters. I am addressing this letter to your home in Hackensack in the hope that it may be forwarded to you or that someone may open it who can advise me of your whereabouts. I would appreciate a word as soon as possible.

Very sincerely yours,

Assistant to the President

ERS/MVH

February 8, 1918.

Mr. Chas. S. Aitkin,
44 Montgomery Place,
Trenton, N. J.

Dear Mr. Aitkin:

I acknowledge with deep appreciation
your check for five dollars to help in the work of the
War Service Bureau. You guessed right about the
Director and I thank you both personally and as head of
the Bureau. I hope that we shall see you in New
Brunswick, soon.

Very truly yours,

Director

ERS/MVH

February 25, 1918.

Mr. Charles S. Aitkin,

44 Montgomery Place,

Trenton, N.J.

My dear Mr. Aitkin:

I am enclosing a formal receipt
of your contribution to the War Service Bureau. We
appreciate your interest in the matter and thank you
for your good word concerning it.

Very sincerely yours,

RUTGERS COLLEGE
NEW BRUNSWICK, NEW JERSEY

July 5, 1918.

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~,

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~

Editor Bugleville Press,
Bugleville, N.J.

Dear Sir;--

For the remainder of the summer we shall
send you occasional stories of the development# ~~con-~~
of plans in connection with the New Jersey College
for Women. This new project is, of course, of wide
appeal, and we would appreciate your cooperation in
giving it as much publicity as possible.

We would be grateful for copies of your
paper in which these stories appear.

Very sincerely yours,

Press Representative

W. F. ROSSELL, PRESIDENT
WM. BLISS, RECORDING SEC'Y.

F. M. STILLMAN, TREASURER
H. M. PRUDEN, FINANCE

OFFICE OF

THE YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
RAHWAY, NEW JERSEY

DIRECTORS

ROOM 11, WOODRUFF BUILDING
TELEPHONE, RAHWAY 25 PARTY W

C. H. BURT, GENERAL SECRETARY

W. F. ROSSELL
F. M. STILLMAN
WM. BLISS
D. ARMSTRONG
H. M. PRUDEN
F. C. HYER
DR. G. L. ORTON
OTTO PALM, JR.
H. L. ROBINSON
WM. H. ROLLINSON
W. S. MARTIN
E. S. SAVAGE
S. C. TERRILL
J. M. PETTIT

TRUSTEES

E. K. CONE
D. S. JOSEPH
J. J. VAIL
R. N. BLACK
J. W. ACKLEY

ADVISORY

G. W. MERCK
W. H. PETERSON
T. H. ROBERTS
E. M. SQUIER
F. C. SQUIER
ROSS VANDERHOVEN

Oct. 22, 1918.

Mr. E. R. Silvers,
152 Commerce St.,
Rahway, N. J.

Dear Mr. Silvers;

Mr. Chase called at your house with reference to your subscription on the first campaign, which shows \$ 5.00 balance. Mrs. Silvers said you were of the opinion you had paid your subscription in full therefore, we would be very glad if you would look up your receipts and let us check up the account, as we are unable to find any further payments on our books.

Hoping to have the pleasure of meeting
you.

Very sincerely,

C. H. Burt

General Secretary.

P.S. Would also like to have an opportunity to check up the Rutger's College account which shows a \$ 7.00 balance due, and find just which individuals have not paid, in order that we may communicate with them, and not trouble you further in connection with that account.

October 29 1918

Mr. C. H. Burt,
Y.M.C.A.
Rahway, N.J.

Dear Mr. Burt:

I have found upon looking over my accounts that I have not paid the balance of my debt to the Rahway Y.M.C.A. Check was sent you a few days ago. I am very sorry for my neglect.

I shall try to drop in to see you sometime soon in order to adjust the matter of the Rutgers College account. May I wish you all success in your work.

Very sincerely yours,

MRS/HWG

November 6, 1918.

Mr. J. Wesley Bulmer,

1210 Bushwick Ave.

Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Bulmer:-

I acknowledge with appreciation your letter of October 30th containing check for membership in the Alumni Association. I am sorry that you have not been receiving the Alumni Quarterly. It has been sent during the past year to your home in Cairo. It is the address you have given us. However, I am sending you under separate cover a complete set of Volume 4.

- With kind personal regards,

Cordially yours,

480 THE ARCADE
CLEVELAND, OHIO.

December 16th, 1918.

Mr. Earl Reed Silvers,
Rutgers College,
New Brunswick,
New Jersey.

Dear Sir:-

Yours of December 13th making an appeal for funds to send the Alumni Quarterly to Rutgers soldiers is just received.

I do not recall any other appeal of this nature from you. Did you write me, and if so, did I make any response? I most heartily approve of sending the Quarterly to Rutgers soldiers, and am therefore enclosing \$10.00 for this purpose.

If you do not receive sufficient funds when they are needed (and I see you estimate same to be \$110), please write me again, stating the amount you have received, and what your estimation of the expenses will be as shown by your figures revised by the latest data.

I am writing the above as the plan outlined in your letter especially appeals to me, and someone ought to furnish the funds. If they are not forthcoming, I might be inclined to send you some more later on.

Very truly yours,

W. T. Brodie
Secretary.

FG

December 19, 1918.

Mr. W. J. Brodie,

480 The Arcade,

Cleveland, Ohio.

My dear Mr. Brodie:-

Your generous response to my letter of December 13th is deeply appreciated. We did not make a personal appeal before, but included in the October quarterly the statement of the plan to send quarterlies to our Rutgers soldiers and asked for voluntary contributions. Probably a good many of our readers did not see the inserted letter. It appears now as if we would receive sufficient funds to finance the work and that we will not need to call further upon your generosity. Permit me to express my appreciation of your loyal response. It is very good of you to show such interest.

Cordially yours,

December 19, 1918.

Mr. Howard V. Buttler,

New Brunswick, N.J.

My dear Mr. Buttler:-

I acknowledge with appreciation your check for \$3.00. as part payment of the expense for mailing the Alumni Quarterly to our Rutgers men in France. Your continued loyal interest in the college and her affairs is very gratifying and is deeply appreciated.

Most cordially yours,

January 11, 1919.

Dr. Hugo Blum,

U. S. Rebarcation Hospital # 4,

New York City.

Dear Doctor Blum:-

Thank you very much for your letter of Jan. 9th
containing check for \$3.00 for Alumni Association dues. May I
wish you all success in your work.

Very sincerely yours,

RUTGERS COLLEGE
NEW BRUNSWICK, NEW JERSEY

October 10th, 1919.

Prof. Augustine W. Blair,
202 Lawrence Avenue,
New Brunswick, N. J.

My dear Professor Blair:-

The College hopes to publish in the near future a War Book which will contain among other things a record of the war activities of her alumni, undergraduates and faculty. It has been decided to include only those services which were recognized as official or semi-official by the United States government, i.e., membership on government commissions, special government investigation, Red Cross, Y.M.C.A., etc. If at any time during the period of the war, you have served as official government representative in any branch of service, we shall be grateful for particulars. As the preparation of the book is rapidly nearing completion, we hope that you will reply at your earliest convenience.

Very sincerely yours,

Earl Reed Silvers

ERS:NB

Dear Mr Silvers:

I have no "war record" for the book you are getting out.

Sincerely A.W. Blair

10/17-19

DR. ARTHUR A. BOYER
11 EAST 48TH STREET
NEW YORK

Mar 3" 1920.

Mr Earl Reed Silvers
Assistant to the President
Rutgers College.

Dear Sir:

While appreciating very much the continued interest of Rutgers in her former sons, I am very happy to inform you that you have been misinformed as to the death of my son Arthur L. Boyer. He was not killed in action, while at the front, but suffered from a gas attack, and from "Flu", and was laid up in the hospital for three months. He has entirely recovered, is at home with us, and in business with the Mutual Benefit Insurance Co. of Newark, N.J.

It was my other son, Morris S. Boyer, Princeton '15, who was killed in action.

Yours very truly,

Arthur A. Boyer

March 31, 1920.

Mr. Arthur A. Boyer,

54 Harrison St.,

East Orange, N. J.

My dear Sir:-

Word has just reached the College that your son, Arthur L. Boyer, sometime of the class of 1916, was killed in action in France. The College is very anxious to pay fitting tribute to all of her graduates and former students who gave their lives in the service of their country, and in determining upon a fitting memorial we do not want to omit the name of anyone connected with the College, who made the supreme sacrifice.

I shall be very grateful if you will send me the particulars concerning your son's death. We are soon to publish a War Memorial Book and we will save space for an account of his life before entering the Army and after joining the U. S. forces. If you have his photograph on hand, we shall appreciate it very much if you will let us borrow it for a few days, so that we can have a cut made from it. It will be returned to you unharmed.

May I, at this late date, express the sympathy of the College to you and to Mrs. Boyer.

Very sincerely yours,

Assistant to the President.

ERS:B

April 7th, 1920.

Dr. Arthur A. Boyer,

11 East 48th Street,

New York, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Boyer:-

Thank you very much for your letter
of April 3rd.

I am glad to know that your son, Arthur,
was not killed in action and extremely sorry to hear that
you did lose one of your boys in France.

I am enclosing one of our college war
service blanks. If you will have Arthur fill it out so that
we may include his record among the Rutgers' men, who served
the nation in the Great War, we shall be very grateful.

Sincerely yours,

ERS:B

June 21st, 1920.

Mr. Louis D. Blauvelt,

Denver,

Colorado.

My dear Mr. Blauvelt:-

Unless something unforeseen happens, the Rutgers War Book, upon which we have been working for the past two years, will go to press in September. We hope to include in that book, the individual record of every Rutgers man in service. We have not as yet received word from you. Will you, not, therefore, fill out and return the enclosed blank as soon as you conveniently can. We must make the history as complete as possible.

Sincerely yours,

January 11th, 1921.

Mr. Samuel E. Burr, 2nd,
307 Farnsworth Ave.,
Bordentown, N. J.

My dear Mr. Burr:-

I have been trying unsuccessfully for the past eighteen months to secure the war service of Mr. Raymond C. Robbins, who was at Rutgers with the class of 1914. According to our address list he is living in Bordentown, and I am wondering if you could help us to secure the desired information. Thelosed you will find the usual slip on which war records of our men have been placed. If you can look up Mr. Robbins and get him to record his own services in the Navy, you will be performing a real service to the College, and you will receive my everlasting gratitude.

With kindest personal regards,

Cordially yours,

ERS:B

Robbins, Raymond C., '14, chief petty officer, U. S. N.,
40 Crosswicks St., Bordentown, N. J.

Burr

January 11th, 1921.

Mr. Adolphe H. Baumann,
633 St. George's Ave.,
Rahway, N. J.

Dear Becky:-

I have tried for the past year or more to secure the record of Kenneth's war service, but he has not answered my letters, and now, with our college war book almost ready for the press, I find that I have nothing about Kenneth except the mere statement that he was a Sergeant in the Engineers. I shall be very grateful if you will help me to secure some more information concerning him. Enclosed you will find the usual slip. Can either you fill it out yourself, or get him to fill it out, and let me have it within the next week or so? If you can do this, I shall appreciate it very much.

With all good wishes,

Cordially yours,

ERS:B

Baumann, Eugene K., '12, sergeant, Engineers;
633 St. George's Ave., Rahway, N.J.

Adeline D.

February 7th, 1921.

Mr. Samuel E. Burr, 2d,
Bordentown,
New Jersey

My dear Mr. Burr:-

To date no word has come to me from
Raymond Robbins, of the class of 1914. I cannot
want to bother you with this matter, but I shall
deeply appreciate your kindness if you will get
after him again.

With all good wishes,

Cordially yours,

ERS:B

Rosetonw V. J. 2-3-21

Mr. Earle Reed Silvers,
New Brunswick N.J.
My Dear Mr. Silvers—

Referring to yours of Jan 11th
as to the service record of Raymond
Robbins, Rutgers '14, I would
advise that Mr. Robbins promised
to forward the record to you.
No doubt you have received it
ere this. Kindly advise me
if you experience any further
difficulty.

Very truly yours,
Samuel Eagle Burrill