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DR. CROWTHER STOSPEAK

Will Deliver This Year's Annual Commencement Address

Dr. Samuel McChord Crowthers, a minister of a church in Cambridge, Massachusetts, has been secured to deliver the Commencement Address at the Annual Commencement Exercises of Haverford College, which will be held on the morning of Friday, June 15th, in Roberts Hall. Dr. Crowthers is the author of the "Gentle Reader" and other essays, many of which have appeared in the Atlantic Monthly.

It has also been announced that the dedicatory exercises of the new Sharpless Hall will be held on the afternoon of Commencement Day. Dr. William Wistar Comfort will make the dedicatory ad-

CLASS DAY PLANS WELL UNDER WAY

Senior Class Handicapped by Present Uncertain Conditions

The Senior Class in making their plans for Class Day have had to face many exceptional difficulties resulting from the present doubtful conditions, but after careful consideration they have been able to work out the following probable program. The annual Class Day dinner will be served in Founders' Hall, instead of on the campus, as usual, by the Senior Class, to the Faculty and guests of the Senior Class. Undergraduates and outside friends who wish to attend may do so by paying \$1.50 a plate, giving their names and money to Maris A. Laverty, '17, before June 1st.

N. Y. ALUMNI ACTIVE

Ambulance and Y. M. C. A. Work Wins Greatest Support

Recent letters attest the fact that New York alumni are far from idle in the present critical world situation. John D. Kenderdine, '10, has gone to the Officers' Training camp at Plattsburg; W. P. Tomlinson, '10, who is now studying for his doctor's degree at Columbia, is booked for work in the Sailors' Y. M. C. A. Annex at Newport; Arthur S. Cookman, '07, has enlisted in the Home Guard, First Motorcycle Battery Machine Gun Corps, for service in any part of New Jersey; John G. Embree, '06, as Boy Scout Commissioner, has started a national campaign garden.

John W. Gummere, '15, will sail for France on May 19th for service

DR. PRATT TENDERS WELCOME DINNER

Faculty Celebrates His Return From Relief Work

A dinner was given on the evening, May 5th, in the college hall in honor of Dr. H. Pratt, Professor of Biology, who has been for several months one of the district tendents of food distribution in northern France. While there he served under Mr. Hoover, general of the Belgian Relief mission.

Dr. Pratt reached Leodsummer, spent ten days in Leodsummer, arriving there via Rotterdam, then took up his duties as the Vervins district in France. He was aided by a committee of twenty-five col-

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which is of the American forces to see active service abroad. These eighteen students have passed the examinations, been vaccinated and inoculated, and, flaunting one-inch haircuts and wrist-watches as evidence of their acceptance, they have been living at college the past week in uniform and in constant readiness for being called out for service. It is expected that they will sail for France during the early part of this week and they will go with the best wishes that Haverford College can speed after them.

The eighteen men who will go with this Ambulance Unit are: John W. Zerega, '17; H. Lawrence Jones, '17; Lawrence M. Ramsey, '17; Robert B. Greer, '18; Jacques G. C. S. Le Clercq, '18; R. W. Moore, '18; W. B. Moore, '18; M. S. Shipley, '18; S. Hudson Chapman, Jr., '19; C. Hartshorne, '19; Nathaniel Hathaway, Jr., '19; William A. Hoffman,

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A representative of the Episcopal Base Hospital was out last Friday afternoon to talk to the men in the Haverford Emergency Unit with regard to enrolling in the Episcopal Unit, which also expects to leave for France within two or three weeks. This unit's enrollment is completed, with the exception of fifty places, which could be easily filled with hospital orderlies but for the fact that college men are desired if they can be obtained.

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definitely at a meeting this Tuesday
evening.

Seven To Go To Fort Niagara.

When the enrollments were being
made for the Officers' Training Camp
at Fort Niagara several weeks ago
ten Haverford men handed in their
names as candidates, and in the lists
of those accepted, which was pub-
lished last Thursday, were those of

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seven of these ten. The six Seniors, who were among those to take the special final exams. for Seniors and who thus will be considered for their degree are H. Beale Brodhead, William L. Baily, Jr., DeWitt C. Clement, William C. Little, Robert B. Miller and John W. Spaeth, Jr.; while J. Schrope, '19, was the seventh man to be accepted. These possible officers in embryo left the latter part of last week for Fort Niagara, where they will go through a stiff course of training before taking up actual service.

In addition to the above there are a number of men who have enlisted in other organizations and are staying at college subject to call. D. Baird, '15, is with the City Troop, while Joseph W. Sharp, 3rd, '18; Louis K. Keay, '19, and Frederic H. Strawbridge, Jr., '19, are enrolled in Troop A. Henry E. Knowlton, '16, has been enlisted for some time as a naval ensign and is also subject to call. Besides these there are a num-

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Three men have also left college
for other reasons. Chester A. Osler,
'19, temporarily for farming, and
Furman H. Limeburner, '19, and
Horace P. Hill, '20, for business.

The departure of these thirty mem-
bers of the Haverford Emergency
Unit has caused no change in the
work of the Unit other than an al-
teration in the make-up of the squads,
and the 160 members still training
have been able to get in more serious
work each successive week, which is
certain to help them even more than
it has those who have just left.

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