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Professor I. L. Lee.

It was with extreme sorrow that the news of the sudden death of Prof. I. Lawrence Lee was received by the entire College. He had served the College in various capacities since 1919 when he accepted an appointment with the Department of Wood Technology. After a period with the Extension Department, he was appointed Registrar and Professor of English in 1926 where he served until his death. As Registrar Prof. Lee gained the student body's respect and admiration, for he was never too busy to put aside his work at hand (which was always voluminous) and listen to a student's problem and help him reach a solution. Professor Lee will live on in the hearts of the many friends that he made at the College.

Francis Hallen.

While piloting a B-26 bomber, Lt. Francis Hallen crashed to his death at Lakeland, Fla., Sept. 28. 'Red' was a member of the class of '42, and left the College last year to enter the Air Corps.

Alpha Xi Sigma Meets.

The members of Alpha Xi Sigma, continuing a function of last year, will meet in Bray Hall Wednesday at 7:30 to go to the Town Hall meeting at the Chapel. This meeting promises to be one of the best of the year, for Norman Thomas and representatives of the major parties will discuss the coming election.

Forest Zoology Society.

Prof. Ralph King will speak at the first open meeting of the Society Friday Oct. 30 at 8 P.M. in 326 Mar. Movies of the important research work being carried on at the Huntington Forest will be shown and commented upon by Prof. King. This meeting is open to the entire College and it is hoped that many students will take advantage of this opportunity to learn about the valuable and little-publicized work of the Roosevelt Wildlife Experiment Station.

Ento Society Plans.

In the past the Entomology Society has limited its membership to Ento majors, but due to the change of policy in regard to majors, the Society has changed its membership requirements so that all students interested in Entomology may become members. Joint meetings with the Zoo Society are planned with exchange speakers from the two departments. All those interested in becoming members of the organization are requested to see J. Schumacher.

Boice and His Bear.

It is usually thought, and rightly so, that the life of a lookout is dull. Lou Boice who was on the top of Ship M't in the Siskiyou Forest found this to be false, at least for a few days. One day when Lou and his packer came back from getting some water, they found a bear making itself a meal of Lou's grub. Evidently Lou thinks more of his stomach than the study of wildlife for it took two days of stoning to drive it away.
Out at the Onondaga Country Club last Friday night the members of the Paul Bunyon Club had their first meeting across a banquet table. Among the notables present were Prof. Brown, Prof. Hoyle, Prof. Henderson, and Prof. Bishop. Bob Storm, the president of the organization, presented Prof. Brown with a classy sweater which was gratefully received. We, of the club are grateful to Prof. Brown for his generosity and spirit toward us.

After the banquet each member gave a short talk about his work during the past summer. Each prof was given a short allotted time to speak, as the keynote was to prevent the monopolizing of speaking time by the profs, as Prof. Brown conceded the point that the boys had enough of that.

Notes on the Meeting----

When the head waitress announced the choice of desserts from the head of the table, she said," I wish you would all remember the list and when we ask you for your choice you will know what you desire. This will facilitate matters". Whereupon she turned to Professor Brown and asked him his choice of dessert. Prof said",I want some, ahhh, now let me see, what did you say you had?"

Louis Cianfrocca told the fellows about the summer he had recently spent " in the garden spot of America ". (Ed. note—to those who do not recognize it, he means Bummer Camp,)

The boys played the one-armed bandits and came out behind in most cases, sadder but wiser in the ways of men and machines.

One fellow, on seeing the machines stated, "guess I'll play it, I never do and will probably win," whereupon he inserted a nickel and ten nickels came tumbling out. Much encouraged he continued to fill the machine. He lost, too.

Thought of the Week

Nothing is good or bad, but thinking makes it so.

Bill Shakespeare

Football Fable

Once there was a football coach who lost four straight games by a 7-6 score. When interviewed he remarked, "I am heartily in favor of retaining the point-after-touchdown, as I consider it an excellent criterion of a team's worth."

Robin Hood Honorary

A "smoker" will be given this Tuesday evening by the honorary for the Junior candidates and Senior pledges of the organization. Professor McCarthy will be the speaker of the evening. Members will be chosen from the present Junior class and will be initiated shortly after, probably a week from Sunday. New members will be identified by the staffs which they will be required to tote around.

Convo

Mr. Fay Welch of the Landscape and Recreational Management Department will start a series of interesting talks on Forest Recreation, this Wednesday at Convocation. Since forest recreation, especially the camping phase, is of special interest to foresters, we are sure you will enjoy his talks.

Name it and you can have it

The modern child quizzed her mother as to her own origin, and was given the traditional answer "God sent you". "And how did you get her, Mother, did God send you too?", queried the child.

"Yes dear!"— and Grandma? "and great grandma, too?" "Yes dear" Then the child remarked, "Do you mean to say that there have been no sex relations in this family for over 300 years?".

No, Dolly, a sleeper play does not take place on a Pullman