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yet with its future all before it.

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## MEMOS

**O**NE of the interesting spots on the Rollins College campus is the "Walk of Fame" which is lined with stones from the homes of 191 famous men and women. Each stone is carved with the name, date, and place of birth of each individual, and a record is carefully kept of how each stone was secured. Sixty stones were added this fall through the efforts of President Hamilton Holt and friends of the College. This "Walk of Fame" brings to the Rollins campus a memorial of some of the greatest personalities of America and the world.



The Rollins Art School moved this fall to its new Studio Building which provides larger and better quarters for its classes and a modest gallery for its exhibitions.



The Rollins Conservatory of Music has added a number of new studios to accommodate the increase in attendance. Mr. Clarence C. Nice, the Director, will again direct the Symphony Orchestra of more than fifty pieces which will present six concerts during the winter months.

## ROLLINS' 47TH YEAR

**T**HE forty-seventh year of Rollins College began this fall under most gratifying auspices. The Freshman Class numbered 163, after nearly as many more had been refused admission on account of lack of accommodations. The total enrollment in the College at the present time is 483 not including students registered in the Conservatory and School of Art.

It is significant that fifty-nine students transferred this fall from forty-nine colleges to Rollins. These institutions are:

Amherst College	Mt. Vernon Seminary
Antioch College	National Cathedral School
Bates College	New Hampshire University
Bob Jones College	North Texas State Teacher's College
Boston University	Norwich University
Bouve-Boston School of Physical Education	Packer Collegiate Institute
Bowdoin College	Pasadena Junior College
Brenau College	Penn Hall Junior College
Briarcliff Manor	Pine Manor Junior College
Broadus College	Princeton University
Brown University	Randolph-Macon Woman's College
Colby Junior College	Sarah Lawrence College
Columbia University	Southern College
Connecticut Agricultural College	St. Joseph Junior College
Cornell College	St. Petersburg Junior College
Dartmouth College	Swarthmore College
Earlham College	Sweet Briar College
Erskine School, The	University of Chicago
Florida State College for Women	University of Florida
Fordham University	University of Minnesota
Indiana University	University of Maine
Mary Baldwin College	University of Vermont
Mason Junior College	Vassar College
Massachusetts State Normal School	Wesleyan College (Georgia)
	Total .....

In most cases they were attracted by the Conference Plan of teaching and the opportunity for literary and cultural activities on the part of undergraduates.

## NEW MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY

**E**ACH year President Hamilton Holt has carried forward his plan for securing for Rollins a faculty of inspiring teachers. This year the following new members of the faculty have been added:

ARTHUR DELANO ENYART, A.B., S.T.B., Litt.D., Professor of Business Economics, has assumed the duties of Dean of Men, thus permitting Dean Anderson to devote full time to administrative duties of an academic nature.

JAMES MACKAYE, B.S., Visiting Professor of Philosophy, comes to Rollins from Dartmouth.

EVELYN NEWMAN, Ph.B., A.M., Ph.D., Professor of English, comes from State Teachers College at Greeley, Colorado.

JOSIAH EDWARD SPURR, A.B., A.M., Professor of Geology.

CHARLES WARDELL STILES, A.M., Ph.D., Professor of Zoology, formerly medical director of National Institute of Health of the U. S. Public Health Service.

ANNIE RUSSELL, Director of the Annie Russell Theatre.

WILLIAM FREDERICK YUST, A.B., B.L.S., Librarian, comes from Rochester, New York, where he has been librarian of Public Library for 20 years.

WILLIAM LOUIS RONEY, A.B., A.M., LL.B., Associate Professor of Modern Languages, comes to Rollins from Oglethorpe University.

ROBERT KERR EVANS, B.S., M.S., Assistant Director of Physical Education for Men.

MAUD WORCESTER MAKEMSON, A.B., A.M., Ph.D., Assistant Professor of Mathematics and Astronomy.

THOMAS C. CHAPIN, Ph.B., Graduate Assistant in English.

WILLIAM ROBERT WUNSCH, A.B., Graduate Assistant in English.

FRANK GUY ARMITAGE, B.H., A.M., Ph.D., Conference Leader in Economics.

RICHARD HAYWARD, A.B., A.M., Assistant Instructor in French.

CLOYDE RUSSELL, B.S., Assistant Instructor in Chemistry.

*Announcements of new members of the faculties of the Conservatory and Art School will be made in the next issue of "The Record".*



## ROLLINS' NEED FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

**N**EXT to the need for general endowment, probably the most urgent need of Rollins is for scholarships.

With select students from all parts of the country seeking to enter Rollins, many worthy and talented students have to be turned away each year for lack of endowed scholarships with which to give them aid.

There can be no more appropriate or satisfying memorial than to know that when one is gone, there will *always* be some ambitious boy or girl who is securing an education at Rollins with the aid of an endowed scholarship bearing the donor's name.

It is President Holt's hope that there will be eventually one hundred such endowed scholarships at Rollins, so that no exceptionally gifted student need knock at its door in vain. It has been suggested that since Rollins is now a national institution, each state in the Union should have an endowed scholarship at Rollins. Such scholarships should be from \$15,000. to \$20,000. each, so as to secure the finest students that might apply from each state.

Miss Anna G. Burt of Jacksonville, who died last June, left \$14,000. in trust for Rollins College to establish the "Anna G. Burt Scholarship". The income from this fund is to be used *forever* to aid ambitious and worthy Florida girls.

Perhaps you would like to erect a similar "living memorial" that would keep your memory green throughout the years?

## ROLLINS COLLEGE LIBRARY

**D**URING the summer the College Library has been largely remodeled in order to provide more stack room space. The main stacks are now directly over the general reading room, with several work rooms adjoining.

During the summer the Library has received from Mrs. Sprague a gift of the private library of Dr. Robert J. Sprague, for many years Dean and Professor of Economics at Rollins, totaling about 1500 volumes. This gift makes a fitting memorial for a beloved professor.

Mr. William Frederick Yust, for many years librarian of the Rochester Public Library, has recently accepted the position of librarian of the Rollins College Library. Mr. Yust has had a long and successful experience in library work. He began as assistant in the University of Chicago, and before going to Rochester he had been for six years librarian of the Louisville Public Library.

During the nineteen years of his service as librarian of the Rochester Public Library Mr. Yust has organized and built twelve branch libraries. The Rochester Public Library now contains 308,000 volumes and employs a force of seventy-five workers. For many years Mr. Yust has been active in the American Library Association.

*If you know of any one who has books which have served their purpose—or an entire library—why not suggest that they present them to the Rollins College Library where they will be of lasting use in the course of education?*



### KNOWLES MEMORIAL CHAPEL

**T**HE beauty of the new "Knowles Memorial Chapel" is rapidly unfolding itself upon the Rollins campus. Designed by the famous ecclesiastical architect Ralph Adams Cram of Boston, it will be one of the most beautiful college chapels in the country, and symbolize the finest ideals in human life.

The Chapel is the gift of Mrs. Frances Knowles Warren of Boston, as a memorial to her father.

A committee of faculty and students under the leadership of Dr. Charles A. Campbell, Dean of the Chapel, is now at work formulating plans for the largest possible use of the Chapel, and the preparation of an appropriate ritual which will be an inspiration to all.

The old "Knowles Chapel" has been remodeled during the summer and is now used as a recitation hall, providing much needed class rooms.

*"In the complexity and confusion of modern life we sometimes fail to realize that there is a distinction between a well-trained man and a well-educated man. The world needs desperately well-trained men and women who are experts in their field, who know how to do things, who are good workmen.*

*A well-trained man is at home in his own particular field; a well-educated man is at home in the world at large.*

PRESIDENT SILLS of Bowdoin College.

### ANNIE RUSSELL THEATER

**T**HE beautiful "Annie Russell Theater" which Mrs. Edward W. Bok has presented to Rollins as a memorial to her friend Miss Annie Russell, the famous actress, is expected to be completed by February. It is built in Mediterranean architecture and, with the "Knowles Memorial Chapel," occupies an entire block in the center of the college campus of forty-five acres.

The Department of Drama at Rollins has long had an enviable reputation for the almost professional character of its productions. The completion of this beautiful new theater gives Rollins one of the most beautiful and best equipped college theaters in the country.

The season of dramatic production opened brilliantly on November ninth with three one-act plays, "The Sequel", by Percival Wilde, "The Sweetmeat Game", by Ruth C. Mitchell, and Sir James Barrie's delightful play, "Shall We Join the Ladies?" The last play was personally directed by Miss Annie Russell and several of the leading parts were taken by members of the faculty and guest artists.


The opening play in the new "Annie Russell Theater" will be either "The Taming of the Shrew" or "Romeo and Juliet" by William Shakespeare. The play will be directed by Miss Annie Russell and promises to be a notable event.

## ROLLINS A COSMOPOLITAN COLLEGE

**T**HE drawing power of Rollins is again revealed with the publication of the geographical distribution of its student body. There are thirty-six states represented and eleven foreign countries, as follows:

Alabama .....	4	South Carolina .....	2
California .....	4	Tennessee .....	2
Colorado .....	1	Texas .....	3
Connecticut .....	25	Vermont .....	1
Florida .....	173	Virginia .....	3
Georgia .....	1	West Virginia .....	1
Illinois .....	24	Wisconsin .....	6
Indiana .....	5	District of Columbia.....	5
Iowa .....	3	Hawaiian Islands .....	1
Kansas .....	2	Total .....	36
Kentucky .....	7	<b>FOREIGN COUNTRIES</b>	
Louisiana .....	2	Austria .....	1
Maine .....	10	Czechoslovakia .....	1
Maryland .....	2	Canada .....	1
Massachusetts .....	19	France .....	1
Michigan .....	14	Germany .....	1
Minnesota .....	5	Iraq .....	1
Missouri .....	7	Russia .....	1
Montana .....	1	Spain .....	1
New Hampshire .....	4	Sweden .....	1
New Jersey .....	16	Switzerland .....	1
New York .....	59	Turkey .....	1
North Carolina .....	10	Cuba .....	1
Ohio .....	35	Total .....	11
Oklahoma .....	1		
Pennsylvania .....	17		
Rhode Island .....	2		

Students entering Rollins have an unusual opportunity to rub elbows, and measure capacities, with a carefully selected group of ambitious young people from all parts of the United States as well as from foreign countries. Rollins is recognized as a college with a "personality". That is why it should interest you.


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