

WINNING HONORS AT YALE

Negroes and Foreigners Forging to the Front
At American Universities.William Pickens Wins the Ten Eyck
Prize for Oratory—Other Brilliant Young Men.

Special Correspondence.

New Haven, Aug. 2.—The extraordinary success achieved by negroes and foreigners at Yale, during the past few years has caused much comment in educational circles. During the year just ended two negroes, a Chinaman, a Japanese and an Armenian won prizes for scholarship in the various schools composing Yale university, three of them working their way.

William Pickens, a negro from Little Rock, Ark., was the winner of the Ten Eyck prize for oratory, the chief prize of that sort given in the academic department. The fame of his achievement has

already spread so far that it is reported that he has been offered and has refused the presidency of the republic of Haiti. He has received hundreds of letters of congratulation from prominent men, among them one from former President Grover Cleveland, and has been tendered liberal assistance in his struggles for higher education. He has paid his expenses in Yale thus far by the labor of his own hands and head and worked his way into the university by shoveling dirt on a railroad.

George Williamson Crawford of Birmingham, Ala., is another negro who has won laurels under heavy handicaps. He has finally worked his way through the law school, having been three times winner of one of the Wayland prizes for debating, and at the commencement exercises he was awarded the Townsend prize for oratory.

Chung Hui Wang, a Chinaman from Hongkong, has received the degree of master of laws summa cum laude after a year of postgraduate study in the law school. Wang is here on a Chinese government scholarship which he won at the University of Peking, from which he was graduated in 1898. He will pursue his studies at Yale for another year and will then return to China to enter the government service.

Hatsuji Mayesawa, a graduate of the University of Tokyo, has taken prizes in the Sheffield Scientific school for excellence in mechanical drawing and mathematics, and has received honorable mention for his work in chemistry. He is independently wealthy and is interested in mining in Japan and Mormosa. He will remain in this country for some time, making a special study of mining engineering, after which he will go home to look after his mines. After his graduation from the Japanese university he was with the government committee which investigated the earthquake problem.

Haroutune Magarick, Dardarian of Taurus, Asia Minor, has been awarded the Leonard fellowship in physics by the Scientific school, granted two year honors for excellence in all studies and given a prize for excellence in electrical engineering. Besides that he has been elected to membership in Sigma Xi, the scientific school honorary society corresponding to Phi Beta Kappa in the academic department. Dardarian began winning prizes in his freshman year, when he took honors in physics, mathematics and French. He will stay at Yale three years longer, preparing himself to teach in his native country.

Other foreigners have attained prominence at Yale in previous years, two or three of them being Japanese women. Some years ago Mium Yow Chung, a little Chinaman, was the cockswain of a victorious Yale varsity crew. William Yang, whose father was a rich Chinese merchant, and whose mother was an American woman, was one of the most popular members of the university glee club in 1897.

Other colleges and universities have had enrolled at various times foreigners of exceptional intellectual capacity. Probably the most distinguished was in the present Chinese minister at Washington, Sir Liang Cheng Tung, in addition to a high standing in scholarship at Anderson, Sir Liang was a noted baseball player, and his mastery of the curved ball was instrumental in winning more than one contest from Anderson's traditional rival, Eketer.

Harvard has graduated several negroes who have made quite a stir in the world, one, William H. Lewis, a famous football man, having been recently appointed by President Roosevelt assistant United States district attorney for the Boston district.

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of Tenyson's indirect connection with the same tragedy. Soon after the death of the little girl, the British ambassador, in Moscow, several Russian officers of high rank, whose names he did not know, were also guests. During dinner a guarded reference was made to the emperor's death. "Why do you speak so eagerly about a matter so notorious?" cried Tenyson, impulsively, leaning across his neighbor, a Russian, whose breast was covered with orders. "We knew very well in England that Emperor Paul was murdered. Count Zoloff knocked him down, and Beningson and Count Pahlen strangled him." There was a strained silence, then the ambassador abruptly changed the subject. As the guests filed out into an adjoining room Lord St. Helens drew Tenyson aside. "Don't go into the next room," he whispered. "Don't go for your life. The man next you, across whose breast you leaned, was Count Pahlen, and Zoloff was also at the table." He gave a few hurried directions and Tenyson rushed off, threw his clothes into a portmanteau, and fled by the back door to the city, still in evening garb, though the cold was intense. He lay hidden for weeks, and at last, in the outfit of a servant, was smuggled on board an English frigate—New York Tribune.

RECTOR TO ACHILLES.

A-hilles was dragging Hector around the walls of Troy. "Is it strenuous enough for you?" he inquired at the lull of the second round.

TENNYSON'S MISTAKE.

Browning's lines on the assassination of the Emperor Paul of Russia, quoted in the London News, remind a correspondent

"first rate," replied the Trojan, with fine sarcasm. "Feels just like trying to climb over the end of a street car," smilingly the hero went on the third lap, realizing that his tribulations might be worse.—New York Sun.

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wheel of her machine, pressed with her foot the bulb that made the horn toot gruffly, and swiftly and smoothly she shot after the English knight. Soon the great automobile overtook the carriage and halted. The young girl, an old friend of Sir Thomas, extended her hand, and, as he took it, she said reproachfully: "You passed me, a little while ago, without looking at me." With a gallant smile and inclination of the head, Sir Thomas answered: "If I had looked at you, I couldn't have passed you."

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