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Announcement

To the Alumni of Princeton:—

Enclosed is a document which we believe every Princeton man will find of extraordinary interest.

It is not only an intensely interesting lecture by one of the most distinguished members of the Princeton faculty, it is also the first step in a plan to make every one of the 11,000 alumni of Princeton once again Princeton students and continuously active participants in the work of the university.

It embodies the beginnings of an effort on the part of the university to take Princeton to her alumni; to do something for them and not merely to be asking them to do something for Princeton.

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The average alumnus in the past, after his four delightful and memorable years at Princeton, has received his diploma, and gone out into the world.

Thereafter there was no definite and continuous relationship between him and his alma mater. He kept in touch with the University through reading the Alumni Weekly; at times he returned to take part in University functions or alumni reunions, he attended commencement baseball games or the annual football contests with Yale and Harvard.

Meanwhile he has known little or nothing of the progressive life of the University and of the contributions members of the faculty were making to the growing thought of the world.

Princeton's mission is not merely to inform and train the undergraduate mind, but to make significant contributions to the rapidly developing world of knowledge.

Professors at Princeton are constantly plowing new intellectual ground, but there has been no effective means whereby