THE INDUSTRIAL FELLOWSHIPS OF THE MELLON INSTITUTE

I have the honor, in the absence of Dr. Raymond F. Bacon, director of the Mellon Institute, who was commissioned as a lieutenant-colonel and is now in command of the Chemical Service Section of the National Army in France, to report to SCIENCE on the growth of the industrial fellowship system of the Mellon Institute, University of Pittsburgh.

During the past year, twenty-one members of the institute, including the director, as noted above, and an assistant director, Mr. William A. Hamor, who was commissioned as major and is aide to Lieutenant-Colonel Bacon, have entered government service in response to their country's call. The following is a list of the Industrial Fellows who have gone direct from the Institute into service:

F. O. Amon, First Lieutenant, Sanitary Corps.
H. S. Bennett, First Lieutenant, Sanitary Corps.
C. O. Brown, Captain, Ordnance Department.
A. S. Crossfield, First Lieutenant, Sanitary Corps.
R. F. Ferguson, Private, Ordnance Department.
G. F. Gray, Captain, Signal Corps.
R. B. Hall, Second Lieutenant, Chemical Service Section.
C. E. Howson, First Lieutenant, Sanitary Corps.
C. N. Iry, Second Lieutenant, Engineers Corps.
E. H. Loeb, Second Lieutenant, Ordnance Department.

1 For previous reports on this subject, see Duncan, SCIENCE, N. S., Vol. XXXIX. (1914), 672; Bacon, ibid., XLIII. (1916), 453, and Bacon, ibid., XLV. (1917), 309.