The great man has not only a love for his work, but he has a consciousness and faith in its long range objective, and he is positive; realizing that all knowledge is but the means to an end, as a man does not what will be the use of a tree but to get a shelter for his home but to get an ax which will level a tree.

What is necessary is the consciousness of this aim of our studies, here and all the work which we shall accomplish after leaving here. But we have the power of not learning a living, a process of making something tangible to advance the race as a whole. We have something to give point and meaning to our existence and our work becomes more than just a waking between two sleeps.

And what are these ultimate aims? Man is on his way to this ultimate aim, to build and perfect his nature and natural forces, but he as yet has neither knowledge nor mastery of himself.

What is the process which makes us conscious of thought, and what is thought itself? Is it a physical, mechanical, or chemical process, or a combination of all three? Does it result from the laws of nature, or is it actually the presence of some imponderable? What is its nature, and what is its function? There is a problem worthy to be called an ultimate aim of science.

What are the mechanics of life? What starts and what stops it? What are the forces that cause its transmutation, its chemical, mechanical, or a combination of all three? Why are characteristics inherited, and why? Why does a cell grow into a man who reflects the appearance of thousands of ancestors, and how? These are the problems of biology.

What good is science if we do not bear in mind, however dimly, these and similar problems to guide us in studying and practicing it.

-Outing Club Elects Two New Officers

Activities of Society Include Several Outdoor Trips in Past Week

At the first meeting of the Outing Club under chair, Franklin A. McClintock, '42, was selected as its leader. Sales of the treasury, Edna Smith, '41, was given charge of future outings. Rita Goold, '41, was chosen to keep a diary of the various trips and excursions ever the monthly bulletins.

Three Outdoor Trips Held

During the past week, three separate trips included part of the club's program. Organization of a new social group is to be conducted by President D. S. Redpath, a rock-hounding excursion was held at Columbus Day. On the same day, a group of freshman boys made a day trip with several Radcliffe girls. The party traveled along the Concord River throughout the afternoon, she picnic meal in the evening, and returned to the campus about 10 P.M. Another trip with Radcliffe was held by the Karnig's of the affairs of the club.

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Chairman of the insurance committee of the club, discussed several matters of interest to the student body. The committee stated that the insurance should be advertised and advertising it should be stated. The committee stated the necessary and other desirable. The insurance committee has been very successful in the past.

New executive body has already been repaid. During the nine months of the 1938-39 campaign, the student body has been repaid.

In closing his report Dr. Compton expressed his thanks to Mr. Sheppard and Mr. Tyree, who spoke of the importance of Cathol.