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- a) the encouragement of closer relations between resident and non-resident members of the University by fostering interests which they have in common;
- b) keeping members of the Society informed of events in the University and of any questions which concern its welfare;
- c) assisting those who are concerned with the preservation and enhancement of the beauties and development of the amenities of the University, its buildings and monuments;
- d) associating as may be considered desirable with any organisations having the like or similar objects (such as the Cambridge Foundation).'